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beautifully landscaped courses in

The program which will be held

in connection with the barbecue

will begin at 6 p.m. Jack Den-

man is in charge of program ar-

rangements. He has promised an

the "Three Stages of Marriage"

by Barbara Blaylock, and more mu-

West Texas.

Barbecue, Golf Tourney Slated



THE PAYOFF-Garland Davis, left, and Cecil Cox, center, hold the checks just given them by Dolan Mackey of Bronte, Coke County representative of Farm Bureau Insurance Cos. Davis represented Robert Lee Fire Department and Cox represented Bronte Fire Department at a recent short course on fire fighting at Texas A&M University. The checks were given by Farm Bureau to help pay their expenses.

Sponsors

Davis of Robert Lee were two of men attended the school under the 140 firemen from almost 100 coun- sponsorship of the Coke County ties that attended the Texas Fire- Farm Bureau and the Texas Farm

Edith Homecoming Slated For Sunday

Plans are being completed this week for the annual Edith Homecoming next Sunday, Aug. 21, at Green Mountain Community Cen-

The area covered by the reunion property. includes several former country communities. Edith, itself, was once located where the old tabernacle now stands, north of Highway 158. The store and post office were later moved to the highway. Pecan, Divide, Wildcat, Paint Creek and Green Mountain were schools once located in the neighborhood. Later all were consolidated with Robert the office in Robert Lee open three Lee, as were Sanco, Silver and days a week, while Coke County in now for local residents, as well as Graham Valley.

10 a.m. with congregational singing his office in Bronte, and a memorial service followed with a devotional hour from 11 a.m.

A basket lunch will be spread at noon. Cups, ice, tea, coffee and plates will be furnished.

of the afternoon will be devoted to visiting.

Danny Smith Due Eagle Scout Award

Danny Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. coach, Kenneth Mitchell, and hopes Fred Smith, will be presented his for a successful season were voiced Eagle Scout award at a court of by all present. honor Tuesday night, Aug. 23, at 7:30 p.m.

the announcement that Smith has regular season on Sept. 9. Dates completed requirements for Eagle rank, the highest rank in Boy Scout not been definitely decided, Supt. work

Awards earned at Camp Sol Mayer this summer will also be presented to Scouts who attended. The public is invited to attend the court of honor.

of Mrs. Lois Smith Monday.

Cecil Cox of Bronte and Garland | men's Training School. The two Bureau Insurance Companies.

> The school was held on the campus of Texas A & M University at College Station July 17-22. They studied the latest in fire-fighting techniques and special programs in rural fire fighting.

> Farm Bureau sponsors the firemen as part of a continuing safety program to reduce loss of lives and

ister at Bronte Church of Christ financed by the Upper Colorado Riand Davis is principal of Robert Lee High School.

Farm Bureau serves the insurance needs of its members with an size the importance of a favorable office in Robert Lee and Bronte. Mrs. C. E. Arrott, secretary, keeps surance representative, Dolan Mac- for newcomers who are expected to The program will be started at key, may be contacted each day at move here during and following con-

An ad in this week's newspaper tells of the tire service which the vides its members.

This weekend will bring plenty ci activity to Robert Lee. Everyone is invited to attend the big barbe- be honored at both the tournament cue scheduled for Saturday night and the barbecue. Special recogniat the county park, and golfers tion will come Saturday night at will have additional incentive to the barbecue when Gerald C. Alcome to town because of the golf len will recognize them for the tournament which is scheduled for time, money and effort they have Saturday and Sunday.

The barbecue is being sponsored tain Creek Golf Course. by the BCD and Mountain Creek sponsoring the tourney.

Adamses To Be Honored

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Adams will expended in landscaping the Moun-

Their efforts have caused the lo-Golf Club, while the golf club is cal course to develop, in a very short time, into one of the most

other factors involved.

to three years.

The mayor also said that the city

these loans will extend from one

entertaining variety show, featuring such western musicians as J. C. Morris, Bandy Jones, Ray Shandley. Chester Derrick, E. W. Wilson and Denman, himself. Also included on the program will be a 4-H Club Dress Revue, a skit on

sic after the meal by Upton and Rodney Mathers. Girls who will participate in the Dress Revue include: Lisa Lindsey, Ardena Boone, Sue Lindsey, Rhonda Askins, Darlene Brice, Kay Brice, Jerry McDonald, Judy Brice, Peppy Boykin, Audrey Dee Walker, Connie Blaylock, Kaye Roberts, cial service will be decided, depend-Sheri Pitcock, Sharon Walker, Lin-

ing on amount of water use and da Blair and Rebecca Walker. The first part of the musical session will be concluded at 6:45 p.m., voters of the city will cast their will supply financing for tie-on followed by the Dress Revue until ballots for or against a \$190,000 charges. The pay back time for 7:15. Mayor Robert Vaughan will welcome the crowd, and the barbecue supper will be served from 7:30 to 8:30. Next item on the program is the recognition of Mr. and Mrs. Adams by Gerald Allen. More music will follow.

Committees Named

Working committees were named as follows at Tuesday's BCD meet-

Welcoming guests: Melvin Child-

Electrical needs: W. D. McAdams Serving tables: Will Percifull. Stage facilities: Vaughan Davis and Jack Denman.

P. A. System: Jack Denman. Ticket Sales: Mary Prine Continued on Back Page

School Tax Vote

Sewer Question

Saturday, Aug. 27, is the date; \$3.00 per month. He said commerset for an election which will determine whether or not Robert Lee will have a sewer system. Qualified bond issue which would be used to finance the project.

The proposition calls for the issuance of revenue bonds, if passed, to be retired only from money derived from the operation of the proposed sewer system. No tax money can be used to retire the bonds. as set forth in the election order.

The money derived from the bond issue will be combined with a \$190,000 federal grant, already approved, to build the sewer system and to make some improvements in the water system.

Total cost of the proposed system will be \$330,000. Some \$52,000 Both Bronte and Robert Lee have additional money needed for the volunteer departments. Cox is min- | water system improvements will be ver Authority.

Mayor Robert Vaughan said this week that he could not over-emphavote on the project. He said the sewer system, as well as the water system improvements, are needed struction of the big dam on the Colorado River.

Vaughan said it has been definite-Coke County organization also pro- ly determined that the cost of sewer service for residential use will be



SERVING WITH NAVY - Mike Conner of Robert Lee is stationed at Williamsburg, Va., where he is receiving special training in the U. S. Navy. Mike is a 1966 graduate of Robert Lee High School, and finished his boot training at San Diego, Calif. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Conner.

Gets Big Majority The turnout wasn't too good, but

those who did bother to vote in last Saturday's school tax election gave an overwhelming majority to giving the Robert Lee School board authority to levy taxes and to assume the bonded indebtedness of the school district.

The count was 149-14 in favor of giving the board power to levy school taxes not in excess of \$1.50 per \$100 valuation, and 140-7 in favor of assuming the bonded indebtedness of the district.

The election was necessary following the consolidation election with Silver last winter, because the district was changed by consolidation, and a new board, with no taxing powers, took over operation of the school.

Supt. Jim Bickley said that he and board members are grateful for the "vote of confidence" in Saturday's voting. Bickley added that it would have been embarrassing if the election had not carried, because the board would have had no way to carry on school operation without local funds.

The board met Tuesday night and canvassed the votes.

In other action at the meeting, the board employed Mrs. Faye Morris to teach the second grade, leaving only one vacancy in the faculty. The school still needs a coach and math teacher to fill the position originally assigned to Don Swinney, who resigned to enter the ministry fulltime.

A short business session is planned after lunch, and the remainder Football Schedule Announced

Forty-three prospective Robert | Oct. 7, will have 7:30 p.m. as kick- | 1966: Lee Steers reported for practice off time. Monday evening in their first session of preparation for the 1966 season. The boys met with their new

It was announced this week that a couple of scrimmage sessions will Scoutmaster Gene Hinnard made be played before the start of the and times for the scrimmages have Jim Bickley said, and will be announced in next week's Observer. Ozona and Rocksprings are the two teams the Steers will meet in preseason play.

district games on their 1966 sche- this year. Mr. and Mrs. Archie Smith of dule. These games, the first of the Houston were visitors in the home season, will be played at 8 p.m., and all district contests, starting ing schedule for the B team for

The season will open and close with home games, the first game being with Menard on Sept. 9 and the last with Bronte on Nov. 18.

The 1966 schedule: Sept. 9: Menard, here

Sept. 16: Open Sept. 23: Eldorado, there Sept. 30: Bangs, there.

Oct. 7: Trent, here Oct. 14: Roby, there Oct. 21: Loraine, there

Hermleigh, here Nov. 4: Forsan, there Nov. 11: Jayton, here

Nov. 18: Bronte, here

The district has two new members, Roby and Forsan, which ac-The Steers have only three non- counts for the seven district games

B Team Schedule

Supt. Bickley released the follow-

Sept. 10: Roscoe, there Sept. 17: Eden, here Sept. 22: Ballinger, here

Oct. 6: Coleman, there Oct. 15: Eden, there Oct. 22: Forsan, there Oct. 27: Lakeview, here

Nov. 5: Forsan, here.

All B team games are scheduled for a 7 p.m. kickoff time, except the Sept. 22 contest with Ballinger, which will begin at 8 p.m.

Junior High

The Dogies have four games on their schedule. If they manage to win the south half of the district they will have a playoff contest on Nov. 3. Their schedule:

Sept. 22: Bronte, here Sept. 29: Loraine, there Oct. 6: Open

Oct. 13: Bronte, there Oct. 20: Loraine, here.



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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Wojtek attended the Oakes reunion at Santa Anna Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Clark of Athens visited her aunt, Mrs. S. R. Young, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Johnson of Melvin were guests in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Lois Smith last week. Mrs. Smith took her parents home and spent the weekend with them at Melvin.

Mr. and Mrs. David Dixon and children of Austin and Mrs. J. C. Harwell returned home Sunday from a week's vacation trip touring points of interest around Colorado Springs, Colorado. Mrs. Harwell is working in the Farm Bureau office this week while Mrs. C. E. Arrott is on vacation and visiting in Can-

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Walker and children of Odessa visited here over the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave King and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Walker



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Present were: Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jay, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jay, Doug and Joe Pierce and Fronia Raymond, San Angelo; Iva Mae Brewington, Mr. and Mrs. Don Cleveland and family, Austin; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Roitsch and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pessarra and Billy Kay, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pessarra and family, Freeport; Carroll Lewis, Thelma and Wanda Cook, San Antonio; George S. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Lewis and family, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Lewis and family, Clute: Mr. and Ms. Robert Jay and family, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Frank Blaylock and family, Eldorado.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Richardson and family, Mrs. Bennie L. Ellis and Elaine, Odessa; Mrs. De-Witt Myers and family, Mrs. Melva Forbes, Colorado City; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Williams, Valentine; Mrs. Rudolph Castleberry, Lovington, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Schooley Sr., and family, Fort Worth: Mr. and Mrs. Henry O. Lewis, Brady; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cates and family, Midland; Bob L. Davis, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ed Skipworth and family, Kermit; Mrs. James Dean and family, Silver and Frank Keesee, Bronte.

Those attending from Robert Lee included: Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kinsey and family, Mrs. Ruth Vowell, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Williams and Gary, Nadine and Mike Davis, Pete Davis, Vaughan Davis, Cleve Casey, Mrs. Joe Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Wallace, Mrs. Pearl Schooley, Mr. and Mrs. Turney Casey; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Bell and Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. Javan Vosburg and family, Mrs. Edna Havins and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Davis and Glenn, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Davis and family, Mrs. Laura Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Skipworth and Drexel, Marilyn, Jack Lee and Donna

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Taylor and family of Keller spent a few days last week with the Turney Caseys and her mother, Mrs. Pearl School-



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grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Josh Johnson and Phyllis Davis, granddaughter of family of San Angelo visited over Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Sheppard, unthe weekend with his parents, Mr. derwent major dental surgery at and Mrs. Andrew Johnson. They Hendricks Hospital in Abilene Montook their daughter home after she day. She is the 15 year old daughhad spent a week here with her ter of Mr. and Mrs. Tyrus Davis of Mission.

KING DESCENDENTS TO MEET

Descendents of the late Mr. and Mrs. Sam King are holding their reunion Saturday, Aug. 20, at the Robert Lee Boy Scout building.

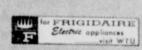
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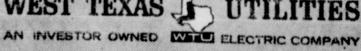
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County Agents **Vews Column**

By STERLING LINDSEY

Coke County 4-H club members won six awards in district record book competition held last week Two of the members books, based on their 4-H Club programs, were qualified for the state judging to be held later this year.

Kaye Roberts, as previously announced, was a blue ribbon winner in the Dress Revue. Sharon Walker, daughter of Mr and Mrs. D. J. Walker Jr. of Robert Lee, won first in the swine division. Sharon's sister, Audrey Dee, also won first in the junior swine division. Another sister, Rebecca, was awarded second place on her records in the junior Santa Fe award program.

Gaylon Pitcock, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Pitcock of Sanco, submitted his record in the leadership program and received second place. His sister, Sheri, was previously awarded a blue ribbon in the junior division of Dress Revue.

A total of 250 record books were competing for the various district awards available to the 22 county area. The first place senior division records will compete against winners from the other eleven districts for state honors.

Mr. and Mrs. Turney Casey and Mrs. Pearl Schooley attended the Schooley reunion over the Aug. 6-7 weekend at Lake Brownwood. There were 57 present. Survivors of the late Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schooley family who were present were Mr. and Mrs. Burkett Schooley of San Antonio, Mrs. Maggie Henderson of Graham and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Schooley of Brady.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

NUMBER TWELVE ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITU- | the territory thereof is includ-ON NOVEMBER 8, 1966.

TION NO. 48 proposing an or issue bonds or other obli-Amendment to Article IX of gations for hospital purposes the Constitution of the State or for providing medical care of Texas, providing the meth- within the boundaries of the od and manner for dissolution district; providing for the levy of hospital districts created of annual taxes at a rate not dispensed, shall be considered under Article IX of the Conto exceed seventy-five cents an obligation to be repaid in

STATE OF TEXAS:

of the State of Texas be assumed by it and its main- the assets of the district examended to read as follows: tenance and operating ex- cept for due compensation unmay by law provide for the district shall not be created to another governmental agencreation, establishment, main- or such tax authorized unless tenance and operation of hos- approved by a majority of the pital districts composed of one or more counties or all or any electors thereof voting at an part of one or more counties election called for the purwith power to issue bonds for pose; and providing further the purchase, construction, ac- that the support and maintequisition, repair or renovation nance of the district's hospiof buildings and improvements tal system shall never become and equipping same, for hos- a charge against or obligation pital purposes; providing for of the State of Texas nor the transfer to the hospital shall any direct appropriation district of the title to any be made by the Legislature land, buildings, improvements for the construction, mainteand equipment located wholly nance or improvement of any within the district which may be jointly or separately owned trict. by any city, town or county, providing that any district so created shall assume full responsibility for providing medical and hospital care for its needy inhabitants and assume the outstanding indebtedness incurred by cities, towns and counties for hospital purposes prior to the creation of the district, if same are located wholly within its boundaries, and a pro-rata portion of such indebtedness based upon the then last

TIONAL AMENDMENT ed within the district bound-TO BE VOTED ON AT AN aries; providing that after its ELECTION TO BE HELD creation no other municipality ON NOVEMBER 8, 1966. or political subdivision shall HOUSE JOINT RESOLU- have the power to levy taxes "Section 9. The Legislature penses, providing that such qualified property taxpaying of the facilities of such dis-

Provided, however, that no district shall be created except by act of the Legislature and then only after thirty (30) days' public notice to the district affected, and in no event may the Legislature provide for a district to be created without the affirmative vote of a majority of the taxpaying voters in the district concerned.

The Legislature may also provide for the dissolution of approved tax assessment rolls hospital districts provided that time as required by the Conof the included cities, towns a process is afforded by stat- stitution and laws of this and counties if less than all ute for:

(1) determining the desire of a majority of the qualified voters within the district to dissolve it;

(2) disposing of or transferring the assets, if any, of the district; and

(3) satisfying the debts and bond obligations, if any, of the district, in such manner as to protect the interest of the citizens within the district, including their collective property rights in the assets and property of the district, provided, however, that any grant from federal funds, however stitution.

RE IT RESOLVED BY THE Dollar valuation of all taxable no election to dissolve shall LEGISLATURE OF THE property within such district be held more often than once for the purpose of meeting each year. In such connection, Section 1. That Section 9, the requirements of the dis- the statute shall provide Article IX of the Constitution trict's bonds, the indebtedness against disposal or transfer of less such assets are transferred cy, such as a county, embraeing such district and using such transferred assets in such a way as to benefit citizens formerly within the district.

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1966, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the constitutional amendment providing the method and manner for dissolution of hospital districts.

"AGAINST the constitutional amendment providing the method and manner for dissolution of hospital districts.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for the election and this amendment shall be published in the manner and for the length of State.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER ELEVEN ON THE BALLOT

the elected members of each interim basis. and publication.

STATE OF TEXAS:

provisions as the Legislature in part, any reservoir and as- Texas Water Commission or as required by the Constitumay prescribe by General sociated system or works its successor authorizing the tion and laws of this state.

PROPOSED CONSTITU- | Law, including the require-TIONAL AMENDMENT ment of a permit for storage TO BE VOTED ON AT AN or beneficial use, for the ad-ELECTION TO BE HELD ditional purposes of acquiring ON NOVEMBER 8, 1966.
SENATE JOINT RESOLU- and developing storage facilities, and any system or works TION NO. 19 proposing an necessary for the filtration, Amendment to Section 49-d, treatment and transportation Article III of the Constitu- of water from storage to tion of the State of Texas, points of treatment, filtration declaring state policy regard- and/or distribution, including ing optimum development of facilities for transporting wawater reservoirs; providing ter therefrom to wholesale for the use of the Texas Wa- purchasers, or for any one or ter Development Fund under more of such purposes or such conditions as the Legis- methods; provided, however, lature may prescribe by Gen- the Texas Water Developeral Law in the acquisition ment Fund or any other state and development of storage fund provided for water facilities and any system of development, transmission, works properly appurtenant transfer or filtration shall not thereto; providing for the be used to finance any project sale, lease or transfer of such which contemplates or results facilities under General Laws; in the removal from the basin providing for long-term con- of origin of any surface water tracts for water storage fa- necessary to supply the reacilities; authorizing the issu- sonably foreseeable future ance of an additional \$200,-000,000 in bonds by the Texas | water requirements for the next ensuing fifty-year period Water Development Board up-on a two-thirds (2/3) vote of gin, except on a temporary,

house; providing that anticipa-tory legislation shall not be the Legislature may prescribe invalid because of its anticipa- by General Law the Texas tory character; providing for Water Development Fund the necessary election, form may be used for the conservaof ballot; and proclamation tion and development of water for useful purposes by con-BE IT RESOLVED BY THE struction or reconstruction or LEGISLATURE OF THE enlargement of reservoirs constructed or to be con-Section 1. That Section 49-d structed or enlarged within of Article III of the Consti- the State of Texas or on any tution of the State of Texas stream constituting a bounda-be amended to read as fol- ry of the State of Texas, together with any system or "Section 49-d. It is hereby works necessary for the fildeclared to be the policy of tration, treatment and/or Board to sell, transfer or the State of Texas to encour- transportation of water, by lease, in whole or in part, any age the optimum development any one or more of the folof the limited number of lowing governmental agen- the right to use such storage feasible sites available for the cies: by the United States of facilities together with any construction or enlargement America or any agency, de- associated system or works of dams and reservoirs for partment or instrumentality necessary for the filtration, conservation of the public wa- thereof; by the State of Tex- treatment or transportation of ters of the state, which wa- as or any agency, department water at a price not less ters are held in trust for the or instrumentality thereof; by than the direct cost of the use and benefit of the public. political subdivisions or bodies Board in acquiring same; and The proceeds from the sale of politic and corporate of the Legislature may provide the additional bonds author- state; by interstate compact terms and conditions for the hereunder deposited in commissions to which the Board to sell any unnapprothe Texas Water Development | State of Texas is a party; and | priated public waters of the Fund and the proceeds of by municipal corporations, state that might be stored in bonds previously authorized The Legislature shall provide such facilities. As a prerequi-Article III, Section 49-c terms and conditions under site to the purchase of such this Constitution, may be which the Texas Water De- storage or water, the appli-

which the Texas Water De- acquisition of such storage favelopment Board has financed cilities or the water impoundin whole or in part.

the Legislature may prescribe or lease of storage facilities by General Law, the Texas or associated system or works Water Development Board shall be used to pay principal may also execute long-term and interest on state bonds is-contracts with the United sued or contractual obligations States or any of its agencies for the acquisition and development of storage facilities in that when moneys are sufficireservoirs constructed or to ent to pay the full amount of be constructed by the Federal indebtedness then outstanding Government. Such contracts and the full amount of inter-when executed shall consti- est to accrue thereon, any tute general obligations of the further sums received from State of Texas in the same the sale, transfer or lease of manner and with the same ef- such storage facilities or asfect as state bonds issued under the authority of the pre- be used for the acquisition of ceding Section 49-c of this additional storage facilities or Constitution, and the pro- associated system or works or visions in said Section 49-c for providing financial assiswith respect to payment of principal and interest on state | Section 49-c. Money received bonds issued shall likewise apply with respect to payment shall include standby service, of principal and interest required to be paid by such contracts. If storage facilities are acquired for a term of years, such contracts shall contain terest on debt incurred.
provisions for renewal that "Should the Legisla" will protect the state's invest- act enabling laws in anticipament

"The aggregate of the bonds authorized hereunder shall not exceed \$200,000,000 anticipatory character." and shall be in addition to the aggregate of the bonds preof each House, may authorize the Board to issue all or any portion of such \$200,000,000 in additional bonds herein au-

thorized. "The Legislature shall provide terms and conditions for the Texas Water Development acquired storage facilities or

ed therein. The money re-"Under such provisions as ceived from any sale, transfer sued or contractual obligations incurred by the Texas Water Development Board, provided sociated system or works may tance as authorized by said from the sale of water, which may be used for the operation and maintenance of acquired facilities, and for the payment of principal and in-

"Should the Legislature ention of the adoption of this Amendment, such Acts shall not be void by reason of their

Sec. 2. The foregoing Con-stitutional Amendment shall viously authorized by said be submitted to a vote of the Section 49-c of Article III of qualified electors of this state this Constitution. The Legis- at an election to be held on lature upon two-thirds (2/3) the first Tuesday after the vote of the elected members first Monday in November, 1966, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the issuance of an additional \$200,000,000 in Texas Water Development Bonds and providing for further investment of the Texas Water Development Fund in reservoirs and associated facilities."

'AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the issuance of an additional \$200,000,000 in Texas Water Development Bonds and providing for further investment of the Texas Water Development Fund in reservoirs and associated facilities."

Sec. 3. The Governor of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for the election and this Amendment used by the Texas Water De- velopment Board may sell, cant therefor shall have se- shall be published in the man-velopment Board, under such transfer or lease, in whole or cured a valid permit from the ner and for the length of time

EDITORIAL

The proposition of building a sewer system in Robert Lee will be

good deal, even if no new residents shop programs. nor businesses were expected in the years ahead. It would be a mighty V. Baker of San Angelo, who is fine proposition for the folks who chairman of a seven-county Masonic live here now.

zards caused by the use of outdoor privies and septic tanks in various (Carlsbad) is also especially invited state of repair, the savings in dollars and cents would amount to a small fortune over a period of years.

We are quite aware of the fact that some people are not out much money on septic tank maintenance, but we also know that they should be, or will be in time. The \$3.00 rate which has been set for sewer service is not much when compared to the cost of pumping out a tank several times a year, and then there are other expenses if the privately owned sewage disposal plant is operated properly.

West Coke Hospital was built. Tax- Supt. Jim Bickley homes in Robert Lee could have Morris is not married. been erected at less cost, had the owners not been obliged to provide been teaching in Farmington, N.

the financial aspects of this propo- Robert Lee with her. The family sition before you make up your has two daughters who are of colmind you're against it. Since the lege age. bond to be voted on is strictly a revenue bond, it will be paid by those whom it serves. You'll get week that approximately 460 stuyour money's worth.

BAND DIRECTOR CALLS MEETING FOR THURSDAY

Willis Parker, band director of Robert Lee School, has called a and high school students will be meeting for Thursday night (to- Friday, Aug. 26, and classes will night) of all students who are in begin Monday, Aug. 29. the band and those who are inter ested in joining it. Starting time are filled the school will have a for the session is 7 p.m. and it total of 27 teachers. should be over by 8:30 p.m. The meeting will be held in the band

the coming football season and the fast recovery. director will announce a time for rehearsals on the football field.

Hayrick Lodge To Be Honored At Meeting

Robert Lee and Sterling City Maapproved or defeated by voters a sonic Lodges will be honored during week from Saturday. This decision a Workshop to be held at 7:30 p.m., is important for the future of the Aug. 30, in the Masonic Temple in city and for the influence it will Carlsbad. The lodges will get Honor! have on getting new people to move Roll Awards, which are given by in and on the growth of the city in | The Grand Lodge of Texas in recognition of outstanding attendance at However, this looks like a mighty the spring series of Masonic Work-

The awards will be given by M. Workshop area. He will also con-To say nothing of the health ha- duct the Workshop meeting. He said that Phill Head Lodge U.D. to attend.

More Teachers Hired By Board

After the story below was written, it was announced that Mrs. Fave Morris was elected Tuesday night to teach the second grade. She will fill the position formerly held my Mrs. Naomi Powell, who has resigned. Only one vacancy now exists on the faculty.

Two more teachers have been A good example of the savings added to the faculty of Robert Lee which can be effected in the future | Schools. Employment of the two were brought home when the new leaves two vacancies, according to

payers of the town and entire dis- W. Allen Morris, whose home is trict would have been out consider- in Abilene, but who has been teachably less money if the sewer had ing at Big Spring, will teach the been available when the construct fifth grade. He has B. S. and M. tion was being done. The many new Ed. degrees from Hardin-Simmons.

Mrs. Helen R. Anderson, who has their own sewage disposal systems. M., has also been employed. Mrs. We urge you to consider carefully Anderson's husband will move to

460 Students Expected

Superintendent Bickley said this dents are expected to enroll in Robert Lee Schools this fall. He said 140 pupils have already been pre-registered for high school.

Registration day for first graders

When the two faculty vacancies

Peggy Green, 13 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy C. Green Parker is requesting that band underwent a tonsillectomy last members bring their instruments to week. After three days in West Coke the meeting. Plans will be made for Hospital she is home and making a

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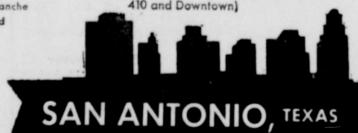
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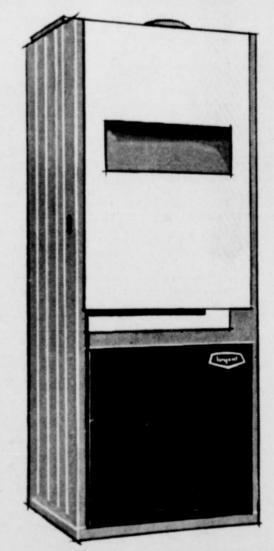
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School Registration Date Announced By Principal

Prin. Garland Davis announced this week that students in the four grade will register Friday, Aug. 26, for the 1966-67 school term. Time was announced as 9 a.m.

Prospective first graders will meet in the first grade room while 12 will meet in the school auditor-

Ivey and Allen Honored by WTCC

Cumbie Ivey Sr. and Gerald C. honored last Thursday at a Recog- man. nition Dinner sponsored by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. The meeting was held at Pampa.

Allen, who was secretary-treasurer of the Upper Colorado River Authority for many years, and is present chairman of the UCRA, and glary. Ivey, who is a member of the board of directors of UCRA were awarded theft over \$50. Certificates of Appreciation for their service.

The local men were lauded by John Ben Sheppard, former Attorney General of the State of Texas and now president of WTCC, for their "selfless service in giving their knowledge and talent as servants on the UCRA board."

Neither Allen nor Ivey was able to attend the dinner.

QUARTERBACK CLUB TO MEET

The Quarterback Club will have a meeting tonight (Thursday) at 8 p.m. The Steer backers will get together immediately following football practice. All fans who are concervationist in the Soil Conserinterested in helping the Steers vation Service office, were present. during the forthcoming football sea- Seventeen members were present son are invited to attend.

Jury Deadlocks, Case Dismissed

Judge Joe L. Mays dismissed high school grades and the first charges against Almeda Ruth Stanford Monday night after the jury stayed out until 11:10 p.m. and reported that it could not reach a verdict. District Attorney Frank C. Dickey Jr. presented a motion all students in grades nine through asking for dismissal for lack of evidence.

> The defendant was charged with theft by false pretext, growing out of an automobile deal between her and Matthew Caperton of Bronte.

Jurors on the case were Homer Carwile, T. B. Childress, Sue Millican, J. P. Arrott, Tom Rives, J. W. Service Jr., Earl Roberts, H. L. Allen were among the volunteer Reid, Roy Casey, Mrs. Johnnie Holworkers on state boards who were lis, Marvin Corley and Robert For-

Also dismissed on motion of the prosecuting attorney were charges against the following persons:

William Joe Drennan, charged with second offense DWI.

A. J. Summers, charged with bur-Walter Lee Wood, charged with

Willie B. Doran, charged with

subsequent offense DWI. James Wesley Hart, charged with

subsequent offense DWI. Several civil cases on the docket were passed and left for action at a later session of district court.

BCD MEETING

The business session of Tuesday's BCD meeting was taken up with making plans for the big barbecue and program which the organization is sponsoring Saturday night, along with the Mountain Creek Golf Club.

Two guests, Billy Rankin Roach and Dean Chamrod, new range for the session.

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Thursday, Aug. 18 - Office; historical tour.

Friday, Aug. 19 - Office; 9:30 a.m., 4-H Dress Revue practice, Dear Editor: courthouse.

Saturday, Aug. 20 - 4-H Dress Revue, Robert Lee Park.

Monday, Aug. 22 - Office: 7 p.m., isometric exercises, Curly Hays, Tuesday and Wednesday, Aug. 23-24 - Office.

Hospital News

Aug. 8 - Mrs. James McClure admitted.

Aug. 11 - Mrs. Gene Hinnard, Mrs. Mabel Mundell dismissed. Aug. 13 - Mrs. Kelly Fields ad-

Aug. 14 - Mrs. James McClure

hospital and three were in the nursing home Tuesday

FIDELITY CLASS MEETING

dismissed.

in the home of Mrs. Vera L. Sparks for the information. in the Edith community.

New officers were elected. Mrs. promptly. Cumbie Ivey Sr. read poems to the

Refreshments were served to Mmes. J. C. Snead Jr., Will Woods, Frank Bryan, Oda Benton, Claude Walker Sr., Jeff Blair, Allen, Ivey and Sparks.

former Nina Gramling. Memory local points of interest. has taught school for a number of years in the school system at Mule-

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

My late father, Dr. J. H. Herndon, practiced medicine in the Miles area for 40 years. His territory included parts of Runnels, Tom Green, Concho and Coke Counties. leader, Robert Lee Recreation Hall. He was a well-loved person with a marvelous sense of humor, and was definitely an unforgettable character. Wherever I go, I see people who tell me extremely interesting anecdotes about my father.

There has been no "monument" erected in memory of my dad, so I intend writing a book about him. I can assure you that it will be interesting to read. Also it will contain the names of the 5,000 babies he delivered during those long years of medical practice. I will appreciate it very much if you will print Four patients remained in the this letter in the next issue of your paper, with a plea for people to write down their favorite anecdotes and interesting tales concerning my father, and mail them to me. Or, Fidelis Sunday School class of if they had rather tell them to me Robert Lee Baptist Church had their in person, they may write or call monthly meeting Monday morning me, and I shall gladly go to them

Thank you very much, and thanks Opening prayer was led by Mrs. a million to all the people who knew Gerald Allen. The devotional was and loved my father for I'm sure given by Mrs. Claude Walker Sr. I shall be hearing from all of them

> Sincerely yours, Gertrude Herndon Grosshans 414 Baker Street San Angelo, Texas 76901 Phone: 653-3590

Mr. and Mrs. Addison Davis returned home Sunday from a three Mrs. James J. Caffrey of Mary- day trip to Ruidoso, New Mexico. etta, Georgia, John Martin Gram- They said "it was a wonderful trip ling of San Antonio and Memory and the weather was so nice and Gramling of Muleshoe are visiting cool up in the mountains." They their mother, Mrs. Viola Gramling attended the horse races two days, this week. Mrs. Caffrey is the as well as toured the country for

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITU- 1966, at which election all bal-TIONAL AMENDMENT lots shall have printed thereon TO BE VOTED ON AT AN the following: ELECTION TO BE HELD

ON NOVEMBER 8, 1966. HOUSE JOINT RESOLU-TION NO. 37 proposing an Amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto a new section, Section 51-d, so as to provide for the payment of assistance by the State of Texas to the surviving spouse and minor children of law enforcement officers, custodial personnel of the Texas Department of Corrections or full-paid firemen who suffer violent death in the course of the performance of their duties as law enforcement officers, custodial personnel of the Texas Department of Corrections or as full-paid firemen; providing for the necessary election, form of ballot, proclamation, and publication. BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE

STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Article III. Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended by adding Section 51-d to read as fol-

"Section 51-d. The Legislature shall have the power, by general law, to provide for the payment of assistance by lot, leaving the one expressing the State of Texas to the surviving spouse and minor Amendment. In counties using children of law enforcement voting machines, the above officers, custodial personnel provision for voting, for and of the Texas Department of against this Constitutional Corrections or of full-paid Amendment, shall be placed firemen who suffer violent on said machine in such a death in the course of the manner that each voter may performance of their duties as vote on such machines for or law enforcement officers, cus- against todial personnel of the Texas | Amendment. Department of Corrections or as full-paid firemen."

stitutional Amendment shall election and this Amendment be submitted to a vote of the shall be published in the manqualified electors of this State | ner and for the length of time on the first Tuesday after the required by the Constitution first Monday in November, and laws of this State.

Constitutional Amendment providing for the payment of assistance by the State of Texas to the surviving spouse and minor children of law enforcement officers, custodial personnel of the Texas Department of Corrections or full-paid firemen who suffer violent death in the course of the performance of their duties as law enforcement officers, custodial personnel of the Texas Department of Corrections or as full-paid firemen

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment providing for the payment of assistance by the State of Texas to the surviving spouse and minor children of law enforcement officers, custo-dial personnel of the Texas Department of Corrections or full-paid firemen who suffer violent death in the course of the performance of their duties as law enforcement officers, custo-dial personnel of the Texas Department of Corrections

or as full-paid firemen." Each voter shall mark out one of said clauses on the balhis vote on the proposed the Constitutional

Sec. 3. The Governor of Texas shall issue the neces-Sec. 2. The foregoing Con- sary proclamation for the

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITU- use he shall file with the TIONAL AMENDMENT local tax assessor a sworn ON NOVEMBER 8, 1966.

those factors relative to such assess the land accordingly. agricultural use.

STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1-d to read as follows:

"Section 1-d. (a) All land means the raising of livestock during such time. or growing of crops, fruit,

designated for agricultural be subject to an additional state.

TO BE VOTED ON AT AN statement in writing describ-ELECTION TO BE HELD ing the use to which the land is devoted.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 79 proposing an amendment to Article VIII, the local tax assessor shall Constitution of the State of determine whether or not Texas, by adding Section 1-d such land qualifies for the to provide that all land owned designation as to agricultural by natural persons designated use as defined herein and in for agricultural use shall be the event it so qualifies he assessed for all tax purposes shall designate such land as on the consideration of only being for agricultural use and

"(d) Such local tax assessor BE IT RESOLVED BY THE may inspect the land and re-LEGISLATURE OF THE quire such evidence of use and source of income as may be Section 1. That Article VIII, necessary or useful in deter-Constitution of the State of mining whether or not the Texas, be amended by adding agricultural use provision of this article applies

"(e) No land may qualify owned by natural persons for the designation provided which is designated for agri- for in this Act unless for at cultural use in accordance least three (3) successive with the provisions of this years immediately preceding Section shall be assessed for the assessment date the land all tax purposes on the con- has been devoted exclusively sideration of only those fac- for agricultural use, or unless tors relative to such agricul- the land has been continuoustural use. 'Agricultural use' ly developed for agriculture

"(f) Each flowers, and other products of which the land is designated the soil under natural condi- for agricultural use, the local tions as a business venture tax assessor shall note on his for profit, which business is records the valuation which the primary occupation and would have been made had source of income of the the land not qualified for such designation under this Section. the election and this Amend-"(b) For each assessment If designated land is subseyear the owner wishes to quently diverted to a purpose the manner and for the length qualify his land under pro- other than that of agricultural of time as required by the visions of this Section as use, or is sold, the land shall constitution and laws of this

tax. The additional tax shall equal the difference between taxes paid or payable, hereunder, and the amount of tax payable for the preceding three years had the land been otherwise assessed. Until paid there shall be a lien for additional taxes and interest on land assessed under the provisions of this Section.

"(g) The valuation and assessment of any minerals or subsurface rights to minerals shall not come within the provisions of this Section.

Sec. 2. The foregoing Con-stitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1966, at which election all ballots shall have printed on them the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment to provide that all land owned by natural persons designated for agricultural use shall be assessed for all tax purposes on the consideration of only those factors relative to such agricultural use.

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment to pro-vide that all land owned by natural persons designated for agricultural use shall be assessed for all tax purposes on the consideration of only those factors relative to such agricultural use."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for ment shall be published in

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITU- | language underscored: TIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 8, 1966. HOUSE JOINT RESOLU-

TION NO. 13 proposing an Amendment to Sections 2 and 4 of Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Texas so as to repeal the pro-

Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be State and hold a receipt show of the State of Texas be amended, effective February 1, 1968, by deleting the fol-

lowing language: "and provided further, that any voter who is subject to pay a poll tax under the laws of the State of Texas shall have paid said tax before offering to vote at any election in this State and hold a receipt showing that said poll tax was paid before the first day of February next preceding such election. Or if said voter shall have lost or misplaced said tax receipt, he or she, as the case may be, shall be entitled to vote upon making affidavit before any officer authorized to administer oaths that such tax receipt has been lost. Such affidavit shall be in writing and left with the judge of the election. The husband may pay the poll tax of his wife and receive the receipt therefor. In like manner, the wife may pay the poll tax of her husband and receive the receipt therefor." and by substituting therefor the following language: "provided, however, that be-

fore offering to vote at an election a voter shall have registered annually, but such requirement for registration shall not be considered a qualification of an elector within the meaning of the term 'qualified elector' as used in any other Article of this Constitution in respect to any matter except qualification and eligibility to vote at an election. Any legislation enacted in anticipation of the adoption of this Amendment

with the deleted language marked through by a broken line and with the new she resided at the time of en-

"Section 2. Every person subject to none of the foregoing disqualifications who shall have attained the age of twenty-one (21) years and who shall be a citizen of the United States and who shall have resided in this State one (1) year next preceding an election and the last six (6) vision making payment of the months within the district or poll tax a requirement for county in which such person guage underscored: voting and so as to authorize offers to vote, shall be deem-the Legislature to provide for ed a qualified elector; and the Legislature to provide for the registration of all voters.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Control of the control of the state of ing that said poll tax-was-paid before the first day of February next preceding such election. Or if said voter shall have lost-or misplaced said tax receipt, he or she, as the case may be, shall be entitled to vote_upon_making_affidavit before any officer authorized to administer oaths that such tax —receipt has been lost.
Such affidavit shall be made
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band may pay the poll-tax of his wife and receive the recept therefor. In like manner, the wife may pay the pell tax of her husband and receive the receipt therefor. provided, however, that before

annually, but such requirement for registration shall not be considered a qualification of an elector within the meaning of the term 'qualified elector' as used in any other Article of this Constitution in respect to any matter except qualification and eligibility to vote at an election. Any legislation enacted in anticipation of the adoption of this Amendment shall not be invalid because of its anticipatory nature. The Legislature may authorize absentee voting. And this provision of the Constitution shall be self-en- proclamation. acting without the necessity Sec. 6. The Governor of the of further legislation. Any State of Texas shall issue the shall not be invalid because member of the Armed Forces of its anticipatory nature." of the United States or com-The text of this Section, as ponent branches thereof; or

tering such service so long as he or she is a member of the Armed Forces.

Sec. 2. That Section 4 of Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by changing the word "may" to "shall" in the last clause thereof and by deleting the words "in all cities containing a population of ten thousand inhabitants

The text of this Section, as so amended, is shown below, with the deleted language marked through by a broken line and with the new lan-

"Section 4. In all elections by the people, the vote shall be by ballot, and the Legislaand punish fraud and preserve the purity of the ballot box; and the Legislature may shall provide by law for the regis-tration of all voters in all eitien centaining a population of ten thousand inhabitants or more."

Sec. 3. If any other Amendment to Sections 2 or 4 of Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, being for a different purpose, is adopted at an earlier election or at the same election, the adop-tion of this Amendment shall not be construed as nullifying any change made by such other Amendment.

Sec. 4. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the state at an election to be held on offering to vote at an election a voter shall have registered first Monday in November, 1966, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR repealing the poll tax as a requirement for

voting.
"AGAINST repealing the poll tax as a requirement

for voting." Sec. 5. If the foregoing Amendment is adopted, the proclamation of the Governor declaring the adoption of the Amendment shall set forth the full text of the amended Sections, as amended herein and as amended by any other proposed Amendment which is submitted by the 59th Legis-lature and which has been duly adopted prior to such

member of the Armed Forces of the United States or component branches thereof; or ment shall be published in the so amended, is shown below, in the military service of the manner and for the length of

RAYMONDS HAVE NEW SON

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Raymond of San Angelo are parents of a new son. Jack Mitchell was born Aug. 11 in Shannon Hospital and weighed seven pounds, nine ounces. He has two brothers, Doug, 12, and Joe, 10, and a sister Fronie Sue, 3. Mrs. Raymond is the former Ione Davis.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Davis of Robert Lee and Mrs. Fannie Carwi'e, and Henry Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Raymond of San

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Storie and children visited her mother, Mrs. Frank Clawson a few days last week. The Storie family have moved to San Angelo where Mrs. Storie end. and children will make their home while Mr. Storie serves a year of M. brought her mother, Mrs. Froservice in Viet Nam. He will leave nie Scarborough, home after a Sept. 1. Other visitors in the Claw- two months visit with her. Mrs. son home Sunday were Mr. and Davis is visiting among relatives Mrs. Roy Clawson and family of this week. Midland and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Clawson and children of Baytown, who are spending this week with home over the weekend with her pahis mother, and sister, Bette Clawson.

Mrs. Elmer Snyder, Ronnie and Jimmy of Dumas and Mrs. Ruth Sandusky of Bronte visited Monday with Mrs. Ed Hickman and other relatives.

Eddie Ray Price of Fort Worth was a weekend guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Bloodworth of Silver. Also visiting in their home over Saturday and Sunday were Mr .and Mrs. Ernest Bloodworth of San Angelo.

Mrs. Verna Davis and her grandchildren, Johnny and Susan of Richardson spent Monday night with her sister, Mrs. Ethel Green.

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Heard At Sanco

Mr. and Mrs. George Cole of Burnet were recent visitors in the Carwile home. They were returning home from a trip to California.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Carwile of Carlsbad, N. M., visited his mother, last week and attended the Thompson reunion in Colorado City on Sunday.

Roger Pitcock is visiting his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Pitcock

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Frachisaur and family of Grannis, Ark., visited her grandmother, Mrs. Lura Reid. and other relatives over the week-

Mrs. Ruth Davis of Moriarty, N

Carolyn Prine, who is a summer student in Angelo State College, was rents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Prine Jr. and family.

Miss Effie Carwile has returned home after a two weeks stay in San Angelo with her nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Carwile.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Eubanks of Eunice, New Mexico, visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam McGallian a few days last week.

HOST ICE CREAM SUPPER

The Leslie Copelands of the Perkins Camp at Silver were hosts for an ice cream party in their back yard last Friday night. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Don Gressett and family of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cook Jr. and family of Colorado City. Gressett and Cook are former teachers in the Silver School, and have accepted positions in the Snyder and Colorado City schools. Also present were the Zeddie Beals, the Charlie Davis' the John Conleys and the Pete Printices, all of Silver.

Take a Look at the Ads.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER TEN ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITU- on all taxable property within ON NOVEMBER 8, 1966.

TION NO. 65 proposing an the case may be, and the pay-Amendment to Section 3-b of ment of principal of and in-Article VII of the Constitu- terest on all bonded indebtedtion of Texas providing that school taxes theretofore voted attributable, adjusted or alloin any independent school district or in any junior college district shall not be abrogated, cancelled or invalidated by a change in boundaries nor shall bonds voted, but unissued, at the time of such change, be invalidated by such change; authorizing the levy of taxes after such change without further election in the district as changed; providing an ex-ception in the case of the annexation or consolidation of whole districts; providing for an election and the issuance of a proclamation therefor.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 3-b of Article VII of the Constitution of Texas be amended

to be and read as follows: "Section 3-b. No tax for the maintenance of public free schools voted in any independent school district and no tax changed by the annexation of, for the maintenance of a junior college voted by a junior more whole school districts, college district, nor any bonds the taxes to be levied for the voted in any such district, but purposes hereinabove authorunissued, shall be abrogated, ized may be in the amount cancelled or invalidated by or at not to exceed the rate change of any kind in the theretofore voted in the disboundaries thereof. After any trict having at the time of after the date of its adoption. change in boundaries, the gov- such erning body of any such dis- scholastic population accordtrict, without the necessity of ing to the latest scholastic tion for said election, and an additional election, shall census and only the unissued shall have the same published have the power to assess, levy bonds of such district voted as required by the Constitu-

AMENDMENT the boundaries of the district TO BE VOTED ON AT AN as changed, for the purposes ELECTION TO BE HELD of the maintenance of public free schools or the mainten-HOUSE JOINT RESOLU. ance of a junior college, as ness outstanding against, or cated to, such district or any territory therein, in the amount, at the rate, or not to exceed the rate, and in the manner authorized in the district prior to the change in its boundaries, and further in accordance with the laws under which all such bonds, respectively, were voted; and such governing body also shall have the power, without the necessity of an additional election, to sell and deliver any unissued bonds voted in the district prior to any such change in boundaries, and to assess, levy and collect ad valorem taxes on all taxable property in the district as changed, for the payment of principal of and interest on such bonds in the manner permitted by the laws under which such bonds were voted. In those instances where the boundaries of any such independent school district are or consolidation with, one or change the greatest

subsequently sold and delivered and any voted, but unissued, bonds of other school districts involved in such annexation or consolidation shall not thereafter be issued."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State of Texas on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1966, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Amendment to Section 3-b of Article VII of the Constitution of Texas providing that taxes or bonds previously voted in any independent school district or in any junior college district shall not be abrogated, cancelled or invalidated by any change in boundaries and authorizing the continuance of the levy of taxes after such change without further election.

"AGAINST the amendment to Section 3-b of Article VII of the Constitution of Texas providing that taxes or bonds previously voted in any independent school district or in any junior college district shall not be abrogated, cancelled or invalidated by any change in boundaries and authorizing the continuance of the levy of taxes after such change without further election.'

If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast were in favor of said Amendment, the same shall become a part of the State Constitution and be effective on and

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamaand collect ad valorem taxes prior to such change, may be tion and Laws of this State.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

NUMBER FIVE ON THE BALLOT PROPOSED CONSTITU- vide for a voluntary merger TO PE VOTED ON AT AN thorized by this Constitutional ELECTION TO BE HELD Amendment of any System of

ON NOVEMBER 8, 1966. SENATE JOINT RESOLU-TION NO. 4 proposing an which may now exist or that tion of Texas by adding to under subsection (b) of Secnew subsection to be denomi- Texas Constitution; providing nated subsection (c), of said further that the Texas Legistablishing, subject to the lim- as to the amount of money itations stated, a State-wide that will be contributed by System of Retirement, Dis- the county or other political ability and Death Compensa- subdivision of the state or potion benefits for the officers and employees of the counties ty to the State-wide System and other political subdivisions of the state, and of the political subdivisions of any

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 62 of Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a subsection (c) which shall read as follows:

"(c) The Texas Legislature is authorized to enact appro- ting this Constitutional priate laws to provide for a Amendment, that the officers System of Retirement, Disa- and employees of the county bility and Death Benefits for or other political subdivision all the officers and employees of the state or political subof a county or other political division of a county may be subdivision of the state, or a included in those systems repolitical subdivision of a county; providing that when the ty or other political subdi-Texas Legislature has passed vision of the state or political the necessary enabling legislation pursuant to the Constitutional authorization, then the governing body of the county, or other political subdivision of the state, or political subdivision of the county shall make the determination as to whether a particular county or other political sub-division of the state, or sub-is herein amended." division of the county participates in this System; providing further that such System shall be operated at the ex- qualified electors of this state pense of the county or other political subdivision of the state or political subdivision of the county electing to participate therein and the officers and employees covered by the System; and providing that the Legislature of the State of Texas shall never make an appropriation to pay the costs of this Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation System.
"The Legislature may pro-

Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation Benefits Amendment to the Constitu- may hereafter be established Section 62 of Article XVI a tion 62 of Article XVI of the Section 62; authorizing the lature in the enabling statute Legislature to enact laws es- will make the determination litical subdivision of the counof Retirement, Disability and Death Benefits, and the Legislature shall further provide that the amount of money contributed by the county or other political subdivision of the state or subdivision of the county shall equal the amount paid for the same purpose from the income of each officer and employee covered by this State-wide System.

"It is the further intention of the Legislature, in submitgardless of whether the counsubdivision of the county participates in the Retirement, Disability and Death Benefit System authorized by this Constitutional Amendment, or whether they participate in a System under the provisions of subsection (b) of Section 62 of Article XVI of the Tex-

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the at the General Election in November, 1966, at which all ballots shall have printed

thereon: "FOR the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Texas Legislature to establish a State-wide Cooperative System of Retirement,

political subdivisions of a county; authorizing the Legislature to provide for a voluntary merger into the system authorized by this Amendment by those officers and employees covered by the provisions of subsection (b) of Section 62 of Article XVI of the Texas Constitution as now existing or may hereafter be established; providing that costs of this System shall be borne by the counties and other political subdivisions of the state and political subdivisions of the county electing to partici-pate therein and the officers and employees covered by the System; and forbidding the Legislature from making any appropriations for the operation of this System."

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Texas Legislature to establish a State-wide Cooperative System of Retirement, Disability and Death Benefits for the officials and employees of the various counties or other political subdivisions of the state, or political subdivisions of a county; authorizing the Legislature to provide for a voluntary merger into the system authorized by this Amendment by those officers and employees covered by the provisions of subsection (b) of Section 62 of Article XVI of the Texas Constitution as now existing or may hereafter be established; providing that costs of this System shall be borne by the counties and other po-litical subdivisions of the state and political subdivisions of the county electing to participate therein and the officers and employees covered by the System; and forbidding the Legislature from making any appropriations for the operation of this System."

If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes have been cast in favor of such amendment, the same shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have notice Disability and Death Benefits for the officials and employees of the various counties or other political subdivisions of the state, or

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER SIXTEEN ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITU- the House of Representatives TIONAL AMENDMENT shall be chosen by the quali-TO BE VOTED ON AT AN fied electors for the term of ELECTION TO BE HELD two years. Representatives on NOVEMBER 8, 1966. shall take office following ON NOVEMBER 8, 1966.

TION NO. 1 proposing an by law for the convening of Amendment to the Constitu- the Regular Session of the tion of the State of Texas to Legislature, and shall serve establish the date on which thereafter for the full term newly elected Members of the of years to which elected and Legislature shall qualify and until their successors shall

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE fied." LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

hereby amended so as hereafter to read as follows:

Section 3. The Senators shall be chosen by the qualified electors for the term of ballots shall have printed four years; but a new Senate thereon the following: shall be chosen after every apportionment, and the Senators elected after each apportionment shall be divided by lot into two classes. The seats of the Senators of the first class shall be vacated at the expiration of the first two years, and those of the second class at the expiration of four years, so that one half of the Senators shall be chosen biennially thereafter. Senators shall take office following their election, on the day set by law for the convening of the Regular Session of the Legislature, and shall serve thereafter for the full term of years to which elected and until their successors shall have been elected and qualified."

Section 4, of the Constitution and this Amendment shall be of Texas, be and the same is published and the election hereby amended so as hereafter to read as follows:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLU- their election, on the day set have been elected and quali-

Sec. 3. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall Section 1. That Article III, be submitted to a vote of the Section 3, of the Constitution qualified electors of this of Texas, be and the same is State, at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1966, at which election all

> "FOR the Constitutional Amendment establishing the date on which newly elected Members of the Legislature shall qualify and take of-

> "AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment establishing the date on which newly elected Members of the Legislature shall qualify and take office."

If it appears from the returns of such election that a majority of the votes cast therein are for such Amendment, same shall become a part of the Constitution of

Sec. 4. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary Sec. 2. That Article III, proclamation for such election shall be held as required by the Constitution and laws of "Section 4. The Members of this State.

Ticket taker: E. W. Olsen. Tea barrel: W. W. Thetford, W. E. Jacoby, Jim Barnhilf.

Potato salad: Bill McKinley, Jim Bickley, Bill Tom Roach. Beans: Bill Beaty, H. S. Lewis,

Jr., Weldon Fikes.

Serving meat: Vaughan Davis, Bill Roe, Garland Davis. Pickles, onions, bread, picnic sup-

plies: Bill Allen, Cumbie Ivey, Jr. Willis Wayne Smith. Chairs: Fern Havins, Jim Bick-

ley, J. E. Quisenberry. Serving line alternates: Ernest

Jones, A. B. Sheppard, M. J. Jen-

nings, Victor Wojtek. All BCD and Golf Club members are requested to be on hand to help with the serving.

Tickets On Sale

Tickets were handed out Tuesday to all BCD and Golf Club mem- Conservationist bers. Anyone who is not contacted by one of these persons may purchase tickets at The Observer office. Price for the barbecue and program is only \$1.25 for adults and 75 cents for students and chil-

Golf Tourney

Play will start at 8 a.m. Saturday in the golf tournament. Players should be signed in by 7:30. The contest will be limited to 80 players. Saturday's play will be a partnership affair and scores will be used to qualify entries for Sunday's

individual medal play. A total value of \$1800 has been in all flights.

« Competition is set up for both School. men and women

Entry fee for golfers is \$15.00 per | Monday. person. Entries should be turned in or mailed to Mountain Creek Golf Club by Saturday, Aug. 20. daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Calls for entries may be made to J. K. Eaton of Andrews attended 453 2171 in Robert Lee or 655-9429 the Ballard family reunion at Rain San Angelo.

Glenn Aaaron, well known Mid- end of Aug. 6 and 7. land golfer, will be director of the tournament.

Big Weekend

Everyone connected with the barbecue and program and the golf tournament is enthusiastic about the crowd expected for both events. Spokesmen for both organizations said they would like to see all the golfers in the area turn out for the tournament, and everybody is invited to attend the barbecue and pro-

A special invitation is extended to all newcomers in the community. Vaughan Davis, BCD president, said "We want all our new residents to feel especially welcome at this event, and we are urging them to come and enjoy the food, the entertainment and fellowship. We also want to urge everyone else to be on hand to welcome and get acquainted with new folks," Davis

Arrives in R-Lee

Dean Chamrad of Beeville has aras range conservationist in the Soil Conservation office. W. E. Jacoby, work unit conservationist for this district, said Chamrad will work mostly with ranchers on such projects as brush control, range seed- the 28th and 484th AEMS

The new range conservationist is unmarried. He received his M.S. degree in range management in May from Texas Tech. He also holds a B. S. degree in agrucultural eduput on the golf merchandise prizes cation from Texas College of Arts which will be awarded to winners and Industries at Kingsville and is a graduate of Beeville High other excellent personnel.

He began working at his new job

Mrs. C. G. Walker Sr. and her mon, New Mexico, during the week-

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JONES COMMENDED

Delma Taylor Jones, son of Mrs. Laura E. Jones of Robert Lee, has received a commendation from his commander as "Pride Maintenance Man of the Month", according to a letter from Lt. Col. James R. Tucker of the U.S. Air Force.

Jones has recently returned to the United States after a tour of duty on Guam. He is a 1963 graduate of Robert Lee High School and has been in the Air Force three years. He is now stationed at Castle AFB, Spokane, Wash.

Colonel Tucker's letter follows: "It is my distinct pleasure to advise you that your son has been selected as "Pride Maintenance Man of the Month" for the month of July 1966 from the Fire Control Section.

Pride, or "Professional Results In Daily Efforts," is a SAC program aimed at getting jobs done right the first time. In direct terms, pride is intended to focus the attention of every member of SAC in taking pride in the correct performance rived in Robert Lee to begin work of his job. This award is therefore made on the basis of A2C Delma T. Jones' outstanding standards of technical performance and military proficiency in competition with other personnel of both

> "The recognition that accompanies the pride award is even more impressive when one considers that all of our personnel must put forth exceptional efforts daily while in the forward area. A2C Jones has therefore emerged as an outstanding technician among a great many

"I'm sure that you will be as proud of your son as we are in the 28th and 484th AEMS."

JAMES R. TUCKER, Lt. Colonel, USAF, Commander

Mrs. Green Preslar and Mrs. Lura Reid of Sanco, Mrs. Guy Denman, Mrs. Fronie Scarborough of Robert Lee and Mrs. Ruth Davis of Moriarty, New Mex., visited Thursday with Mrs. J. C. Crocker in Brownwood.

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SCHOOL BUDGET HEARING TO BE HELD THURSDAY

Schools will be held at 8 p.m., Aug. hearing.

18, in the board meeting room. Anyone who is interested in seeing A hearing to discuss and study the proposed budget and hearing it the 1966-67 budget of Robert Lee discussed is invited to attend the

Aug. 18, 1966

ROBERT LEE, TEXAS

NOTICE! EVENING SHOW NOW STARTS AT 6:30

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, AUGUST 19 & 20 Bob Hope, Elke Sommers, Phyllis Diller in "BOY, DID I GET THE WRONG NUMBER!"

Also Road Runner Cartoon

SUNDAY 1:30 MATINEE & MONDAY, AUGUST 21 & 22

"A THOUSAND CLOWNS" With Jason Robards, Barbara Harris, Martin Balsam

Also Bugs Bunny Cartoon

House For Sale

One new 3-bedroom house for sale, 810 Alice Street, Sunset **Addition. Contact Johnny** Elkins, 453-2872, or **Builders Service**, 655-9509, San Angelo.



Double Stamps Every Wednesday (excluding cigarettes) on \$2.50 or more

COFFEE 11b. can 69c 43c

Sugar

5 lbs.

CORN, Cream Style, No. 303 Can - 4 for 89c

STEAK HOUSE CATSUP, 14 Oz. Bottle - 5 for \$1.00

5 lb. bag

MEAD'S BISCUITS -- - 6 Cans 43c

PINEAPPLE, No. 11/2 Size - 4 for \$1.00 FRUIT COCKTAIL, No. 21/2 Can - 2 for 73c

BAKER'S Groc. & Mkt.

Giant Size 69c TIDE DASH - Home Laundry Size \$3.93

WORTZ BRAND

CRACKERS 2 Lb. Box 43c

Fro-zan 3 for \$1.00

VIENNA SAUSAGE -4 for 89c

PINTO BEANS - 5 Lbs. 59c

SPUDS



BACON, Thin Sliced - Lb. 79c

SIRLOIN & T-BONE

CANNED PICNIC HAMS \$2.19