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## Court Upholds Consolidation



Marvin Pipkin, Danny Smith, Garland Davis

### Explorer Scouts On Trip To Canada

Nine Robert Lee Explorer Scouts, one from Silver and two adults leaders left Saturday morning for the lake country of northern Minnesota and Canada where they will participate in the 1967 Canadian Canoe Trip. They will be gone 15 days. A total of 27 scouts and three leaders made the trip.

The party spent Sunday sight-seeing in Chicago before continuing their trip on into Canada.

Nine days of canoe travel are on the itinerary. During that time they will cross 30 lakes on routes they will choose.

The lakes are located in the Superior National Forest of Minnesota, just three miles from the Canadian border, and extend on into the Canadian wilderness.

Robert Lee Explorers making the trip were Ernest Herford, Melvin Allen, Lane Beaty, Mike Denman, Danny Smith, Jack Preslar, Douglas Burns, Gary Sam Williams and Joe David Key. Quinn Conley of Silver also is

### PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Sheppard returned Monday from El Paso where they had been a guest in the home of their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sheppard, over the weekend.

Sue Counts of San Angelo, Mrs. Jaunice Jameson and her father, H. E. Green of Robert Lee visited in Pampa over the weekend and attended the funeral of G. Raymond Williams Saturday.

### Last Rites Held For John F. Read

Funeral services were held Monday at 3:30 p.m. in Robert Lee Methodist Church for John F. Read, 78. The Rev. Bobby Palmos, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Fairmount Cemetery in San Angelo, under direction of Williams Funeral Home.

Mr. Read died at 6:30 p.m. Monday in West Coke County Hospital.

He was born April 26, 1889, in London, Tex., and came to Coke County in 1955 from Lampasas. He was a farmer and stockman and was a veteran of World War I. He was a member of the Methodist Church.

Survivors include one brother, J. T. Read of San Angelo; three sisters, Mrs. M. A. Runnion of Robert Lee, Mrs. E. M. Foreman of Kerrville, and Mrs. Tom Price of Bertram.

Pallbearers were Lewis Heuvel, Jack Denman, Jeff Blair, W. T. Roach, Billy Wayne Roe, M. J. Thomason, Buster Jones and Bill Allen.

### CORRECTION

The Observer was in error last week in information contained in the story about release of reserve acreage for grazing. The story said the grazing would be allowed for four months, and it should have said one month (July).

J. E. Quisenberry, head of the ASC office in Coke County, said this week that one month of grazing is all that is authorized at this time. However, he said there is a possibility the time will be extended if drouth conditions continue.

Farmers and ranchmen may sign up for the grazing through the month of July, but as things now stand, they will be allowed to use the land only until Aug. 1.

A majority of the justices who make up the Third Court of Civil Appeals ruled last Wednesday that the consolidation election held Feb. 26, 1966, in Robert Lee and Silver School Districts was valid and that it carried.

Several questions of validity of votes cast were questioned. The case was further complicated by the fact that the election was held during the period after the Supreme Court of the United States ruled that a poll tax was unconstitutional and before Texas' new voter registration laws were put into effect.

Since no new method of voter registration had been put into effect, voters who had poll tax receipts or exemptions placed their ballots in one box, while those who had no poll tax, but were otherwise qualified to vote, deposited their ballots in another box.

Coke County Commissioners

### Gathering System Nears Completion

The gathering system of Robert Lee's new sewer system is about 70 per cent complete, Mayor Robert Vaughan said this week. He said city officials are well pleased with the progress which has been made by crews of San Antonio Construction Co., contractors for this part of the job.

Mayor Vaughan said that probably 25 per cent of the work on improvement and expansion of the water treatment plant has been completed. W. B. Abbott of Lubbock has the contract for this work and his crew has been working this week on erection of a 250,000 gallon ground storage tank.

Abbott also has the contract for construction of the sewage treatment plant. Work on it was begun Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ash of Jacksboro visited in the Clifford Wilson home and the Joe H. Ash of Bronte over the weekend.

Court canvassed the ballots following the election and found that the election carried by two votes in the Silver box, 65-62 for in the poll tax box and 12-11 against in the other, for a net of 76-74 in favor of consolidation.

The case was appealed to District Court, and Judge Joe L. Mays ordered a recount of the ballots. He threw out several ballots because of irregularities, but still came up with the same margin of two votes for the consolidation. The new count showed that the vote in the poll tax box was 63-61 in favor, while the count from the ballot box used by non-poll tax voters was tied at 10-10.

Questions of legal residence were raised regarding some voters, along with the question of other voter qualifications. The majority opinion of the Civil Appeals Court stated that while there may have been some errors made, there was no evidence they were made with the intent to defraud. The opinion continued that in view of the status of Texas election laws at the time of the election, the law should have been liberally interpreted, so as not to disenfranchise qualified voters.

The contestants of the election argued that any election held between Feb. 9 when the poll tax was declared unconstitutional and March 18, which was the end of a special voter registration period, was illegal.

Associate Justice Trueman E. O'Quinn said election officials were not compelled to allow those who had no poll tax to vote, but the fact that they did was still consistent with the law.

Associate Justice Robert G. Hughes violently dissented with the majority opinion.

The Observer has been unable to learn if contestants plan further appeal of the case.

### Gospel Meeting Set For Weekend

A gospel meeting is planned for this coming weekend by the Northside Church of Christ in Robert Lee. Douglas Wilkes of Midland, and formerly of Robert Lee, will do the preaching.

Services will be held Friday and Saturday nights at 7:30 p.m. and on Sunday at 10 a.m. and 6 p.m.

Leo Copeland, minister of the local church said that everyone in the area has a cordial invitation to attend the services. "Come and enjoy Christian fellowship and hear the Gospel of Christ preached as it applies to our modern world," he added.

### JULY 4TH HOLIDAY FOR ROBERT LEE

Most of Robert Lee's business firms will close next Tuesday, July 4, in observance of Independence Day.

Some service stations and restaurants will remain open to take care of holiday customers, but most firms will close.

Included in the closing will be county and city offices, the post office and Robert Lee State Bank.

Business firms and public offices asked that area residents keep the closing date in mind so they will not be inconvenienced by the closing.

## Interest Up In Hospital Election

An election has been called for July 15 which would authorize directors of West Coke County Hospital District to raise taxes sufficiently to carry on the operation of the hospital and nursing home. The proposition calls for authorization to raise taxes to a rate not to exceed 75 cents per \$100 valuation on all property in the district which is subject to taxation.

Directors say that they have no intention of raising the taxes to the 75 cent level, as they feel that an increase to 40 or 50 cents next year will be sufficient to get the hospital back in the black. They feel that after collecting taxes at this rate for a year, there is a good chance the tax rate could be reduced somewhat.

The hospital has been in financial difficulty the past several months due to increased costs brought on by the introduction of Medicare, the passage of new minimum wage laws, and the general inflationary increase of

all goods and services for which the hospital has to pay.

Directors have called for the election to be held in two places in the district. A polling place will be set up in precinct 1 at the courthouse in Robert Lee, with Mrs. W. E. Jacoby serving as election judge, and another will be set up in precinct 3 at Green Mountain Community Center, with Finnell Smith serving as election judge. Miss Mildred Wallace was appointed absentee voting clerk. Persons who wish to vote absentee should contact her either in person or by mail at the county clerk's office.

Mrs. Truman Hines, hospital administrator, said this week that the future of the hospital and nursing home depend on voters' approval of the tax increase. She said, "It's a simple matter of arithmetic. Everything has gone up, but the largest single expense of hospital operation is the payroll. The total number of personnel employed by U. S. hospitals rose 57 percent in the past

10 years. We now are required by Medicare to have an LVN plus one aide on each shift. Payroll amounts to about two-thirds of all hospital costs."

Mrs. Hines said any taxpayer is welcome to come by and inspect the hospital's books. She said she has them out for everyone to see, and anyone who is interested is more than welcome to come by and go over them with her.

Directors of the hospital expressed the opinion that they believe residents of the district want and need continued hospital care sufficiently to vote the increase in taxes. "We don't want increased taxes anymore than anyone else, but we feel the hospital is important to Robert Lee and this area. Primarily it is important from the humanitarian standpoint, in that it relieves pain and suffering for those who need medical care; a secondary consideration is that it is big business in our community, and its payroll is important to our people."



# IT'S *Travel & Vacation* TIME!

## Shop At Home Before You Leave



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### IF YOUR HOUSE OVERFLOWS

If vacationing relatives and friends swamp you this summer, please let us take care of fixing their meals and washing the dishes. You and your guests are always welcome to enjoy our delicious meals and courteous service.

FROGGIE'S

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### LET'S NOT FORGET

To get those fresh new haircuts before you start on that long awaited vacation. It will save you a stop-over later while you're on the road.

A new hairstyle and a permanent for Mother will be easier to keep and cooler during the summer months ahead.

JONES BARBER & BEAUTY SHOP

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### COMPLETE CAR SERVICE

We have a good supply of road maps and touring guides to help you on your vacation. When you come in to get your car serviced, ask us about this free service, and about a Conoco Credit Card.

We're always ready to serve you on special occasions like your vacation, or just ordinary everyday service.

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### OUTDOOR VACATION

WE have lots of items that you will need for that outdoor vacation—whether it's for a month or an afternoon picnic. To make your outing more enjoyable, come by for ice, ice chest, thermos jugs and bottles, and all those picnic goodies, and ice cold melons, as well as that high - powered Texaco gasoline for your car. Drive in before you leave.

ADD DAVIS GROCERY, STATION  
AND TRAILER PARK

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### BETTER HAVE YOUR CAR READY

You'll want your car in top shape for that vacation trip. Drive by and let us give you a thorough service job before you leave — we'll check things like your battery, fan belts, tires and anything else that might give you trouble when you want to be having fun.

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### DON'T WORRY ABOUT CLOTHES

Just before you leave on your vacation gather up all those clothes you'll be needing and bring them to our laundry for the brightest wash you ever saw. Our supply of pure soft water will make them look like new while you're traveling—or right here at home either. See us about one of those wonderful Gulf Credit Cards.

Fireworks For July 4th

MACK'S GROCERY, STATION & LAUNDRY

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### PLENTY OF FUNDS??

If you're going to be a little short on funds for your vacation trip this year, come by Robert Lee State Bank for a vacation loan. In fact, we loan money for most any worthy expense you may have this summer.

ROBERT LEE STATE BANK

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### VACATION PEACE OF MIND

Make sure every moment of your vacation is protected with Trip Accident Insurance. We offer coverage for trips of any length.

Protect your automobile as well as yourself. Check with us to make sure you have the proper coverage.

ALLEN INSURANCE AGENCY

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EVERYTHING FOR YOUR  
**VACATION FUN!**



# VACATION TIME GUIDE



## Shop At Home Before You Leave

### IS YOUR CAR READY?

A little time at our station can make your car more reliable and more comfortable for that vacation trip. Before you start, be sure to drive in for a tankful of Premier gasoline and an oil change. It would be a good idea to let us wash and grease your car and check such items as your tires and battery. We have installed new Varo Car Wash Equipment and can handle your wash jobs faster and more efficiently. We also give Frontier Stamps—so come on in to see us.

We Handle Goodyear Tires and Tubes

**McDORMAN'S PREMIER STATION**

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SEE US NOW & SAVE

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Of course you want to look nice while you're on vacation, but that isn't all you'll get if you let us style your hair with one of the latest permanent fashions which are so becoming. You'll have the assurance of that well groomed look for months ahead—clear on through the summer and into fall. Call 453-5601 today and make an appointment.

**WILLIE'S BEAUTY SHOP**

### YES, WE'RE STILL IN BUSINESS SO COME BY FOR THOSE WORMS

Man, if you're planning on doing any fishing on that vacation, be sure you have a good stock of those nice plump worms and lively minnows from Jay's. They're the finest in West Texas. We also carry a stock of fishing and other equipment you'll need for this summer's outing.

**JAY'S BAIT & TACKLE**

### FOR A SHORT VACATION

If you have a hard time getting away on a regular vacation and the old daily grind is about to get you down, we've got just the answer to your problem. Come by our air conditioned recreation center for a relaxing game of pool or dominoes. You'll find a lot of your friends with the same idea, and you'll leave refreshed, relaxed and ready to go again.

**ROBERT LEE RECREATION CENTER**  
MR AND MRS. JACK TRIMBLE



### WE WANT TO WRITE ABOUT YOU

We don't have much to sell you to take on your vacation, but when you come back we would like for you to give us a call and tell us about your trip. We'd like to have a news item about your travels, and your neighbors would like to read about them. Don't forget to call and report.

**ROBER LEE OBSERVER**

### VACATION TIME IS NO TIME TO BE FUSSING WITH YOUR HAIR

A new permanent designed in the latest fashion can make your vacation more pleasure than most anything—for the lady of the house, or a simple cut for the little girls who do a lot of swimming.

Check with us for an appointment and let one of our three experienced operators get your hair problems out of the way before you start your trip.

**PAULINE'S BEAUTY SHOP**  
Phone 453-5111 Monday thru Saturday

### GET YOUR CAR IN SHAPE BEFORE YOU LEAVE

Be sure, so you won't be sorry when you take off in the old family bus. Car trouble can be a kill joy on a vacation, and we'd like to help you avoid it. Come by for washing, greasing, tire check, etc. Also, we can supply you with an application blank for an Enco Credit Card—something that everybody needs when on vacation.

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Her fiance is a graduate of Menard High School and attended Angelo State College.

Mrs. Bryan Yarbrough and her sister, Mrs. G. A. Beeman, returned Monday from a week's visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Houston Hill at Burnett. While there they attended a family reunion.

Cindy Millican of Kellar, is spending some time here, and in San Angelo, visiting her grandparents, the T. W. Caseys and C. C. Millicans. Last week she visited her aunts and families, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Coulter and Mr. and Mrs. Harmon of San Angelo. This week she is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Casey of Silver.

**NOTICE OF ELECTION TO AUTHORIZE DIRECTORS TO SET TAX NOT TO EXCEED 75 CENTS PER \$100 VALUATION FOR WEST COKE COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT**

STATE OF TEXAS )  
COUNTY OF COKE )

TO THE RESIDENT QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF WEST COKE COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an election will be held within the West Coke County Hospital District on the 15th day of July, 1967, in accordance with the resolution calling said election, which was adopted by the Board of Directors of said hospital district on the 14th day of June, 1967, a copy of which action and resolution being attached hereto and made a part of this notice for all purposes.

J. E. Quisenberry, Jr.  
Secretary, Board of Directors  
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(MINUTES OF MEETING OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF WEST COKE COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT)

ON THIS, the 14th day of June, 1967, the Board of Directors of the WEST COKE COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT convened in session at a regular meeting after notice to the members of the board that the calling of an election for the purposes hereinafter set out would be acted upon at such meeting at the regular meeting place with the following directors present: Fred McCabe, Sr., Chairman; Jim Herford, Vice-Chairman; J. E. Quisenberry, Jr., Secretary; Curtis Walker, Director

And, during such meeting the following proceedings were had; Director Curtis Walker, introduced a resolution as follows:

"Be it enacted that the West Coke County Hospital District through its directors' order an election for the purpose of levying a tax at a rate not to exceed 75 cents on the \$100.00 valuation on all property subject to taxation within the boundaries of said West Coke County Hospital District. That ballots for voting in said election contain substantially the following:

FOR the levee of a tax not to exceed 75 cents on the \$100.00 valuation on all property subject to taxation within the West Coke County Hospital District.

AGAINST the levee of a tax not to exceed 75 cents on the \$100.00 valuation on all property subject to taxation within the West Coke County Hospital District."

Motion by Director Curtis Walker that said resolution be adopted was seconded by Director Jim Herford and was duly put to vote by Director Fred McCabe, Sr., Chairman, and was by unanimous vote adopted by all directors present and ordered spread upon the minutes of said meeting.

MINUTES APPROVED this 14th day of June, 1967.

Fred McCabe Sr.  
Chairman, Board of Directors  
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A RESOLUTION CALLING AN ELECTION TO DETERMINE WHETHER THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE WEST COKE COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT MAY LEVY A TAX NOT TO EXCEED 75 CENTS ON THE \$100.00 VALUATION ON ALL PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION WITHIN THE BOUNDARIES OF SAID WEST COKE COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT; PROVIDING THE TIME AND PLACE THERETO: BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE WEST COKE COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT, COKE COUNTY, TEXAS:

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whether the Board of Directors of the West Coke County Hospital District may levy a tax not to exceed 75 cents on the \$100.00 valuation on all property subject to taxation within the boundaries of said West Coke County Hospital District and said election shall be held under the General Laws of the State of Texas regulating general elections, except as the same are modified by Chapter 315, Acts of the 58th Legislature, Regular Session and as amended by Section 9A, and only resident qualified electors shall be entitled to vote.

SECTION 2: That the ballots for said election shall be prepared in sufficient number and in conformity with Chapter 6, V.A.T.C.S. and written or printed thereon:

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SECTION 3: No person shall be eligible to vote in this election unless he or she is a resident of the District, owns property duly rendered for taxation within the district and unless at the time of such election he shall be more than 21 years of age.

SECTION 4: The polling places where the election shall be held and the presiding officers at each of the said polling places are as follows:

POLLING PLACE	PRESIDING JUDGE
Courthouse, Robert Lee,	Opal Jacoby
Community Center, Green Mountain	Finnell Smith

Mildred Wallace is hereby appointed as Clerk for Absentee Voting at the Election herein ordered and Absentee Voting shall be conducted at the Courthouse, Robert Lee, Texas, and said clerk shall keep the office open between the hours of 8:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M. each day that is not a Saturday, a Sunday, or an official State Holiday, all in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 424, Acts of the 53th Legislature Regular Session, 1963.

SECTION 5: Notice of the election shall be given by publishing a substantial copy of this resolution one time in a newspaper of general circulation in the district the said publication to be at least ten (10) full days prior to the election.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 14th day of June, 1967

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ATTEST:  
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(District Seal)

**NEW DAUGHTER**

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dean of Ann Arbor, Michigan are parents of a new daughter. Jennifer was born June 24, and weighed 8 lbs. 8 oz.

The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Moady Hale of Clarksville and Mrs. Wilson Bryan of Robert Lee.

Dean is attending summer school in Michigan and the couple plans to bring the new baby and visit their parents in Texas the latter part of August.

Katherine (Kitten) Dean was a guest at the D. H. Kingston Ranch near Toyahville last week, and has gone on to Phoenix, Arizona to spend several weeks this summer with an uncle and aunt, Dr. and Mrs. William H. Henry. Mrs. Kingston and Mrs. Henry are both daughters of Mrs. Claude Dean of Robert Lee.





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Miss Boykin is a graduate of Robert Lee High School and attended the Commercial Business College in Midland. While in high school she was a member of the Future Homemakers of America, 4-H club and Order of the Rainbow for girls.

Her fiance is a graduate of Menard High School and attended Angelo State College.

Mrs. Bryan Yarbrough and her sister, Mrs. G. A. Beeman, returned Monday from a week's visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Houston Hill at Burnett. While there they attended a family reunion.

Cindy Millican of Kellar, is spending some time here, and in San Angelo, visiting her grandparents, the T. W. Caseys and C. C. Millicans. Last week she visited her aunts and families, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Coulter and Mr. and Mrs. Harmon of San Angelo. This week she is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Casey of Silver.

**NOTICE OF ELECTION TO AUTHORIZE DIRECTORS TO SET TAX NOT TO EXCEED 75 CENTS PER \$100 VALUATION FOR WEST COKE COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT**

(STATE OF TEXAS ) (COUNTY OF COKE )

TO THE RESIDENT QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF WEST COKE COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an election will be held within the West Coke County Hospital District on the 15th day of July, 1967, in accordance with the resolution calling said election, which was adopted by the Board of Directors of said hospital district on the 14th day of June, 1967, a copy of which action and resolution being attached hereto and made a part of this notice for all purposes.

J. E. Quisenberry, Jr. Secretary, Board of Directors West Coke County Hospital District.

(MINUTES OF MEETING OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF WEST COKE COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT)

ON THIS, the 14th day of June, 1967, the Board of Directors of the WEST COKE COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT convened in session at a regular meeting after notice to the members of the board that the calling of an election for the purposes hereinafter set out would be acted upon at such meeting at the regular meeting place with the following directors present: Fred McCabe, Sr., Chairman; Jim Herford, Vice-Chairman; J. E. Quisenberry, Jr., Secretary; Curtis Walker, Director

And, during such meeting the following proceedings were had; Director Curtis Walker, introduced a resolution as follows:

"Be it enacted that the West Coke County Hospital District through its directors' order an election for the purpose of levying a tax at a rate not to exceed 75 cents on the \$100.00 valuation on all property subject to taxation within the boundaries of said West Coke County Hospital District. That ballots for voting in said election contain substantially the following:

FOR the levee of a tax not to exceed 75 cents on the \$100.00 valuation on all property subject to taxation within the West Coke County Hospital District.

AGAINST the levee of a tax not to exceed 75 cents on the \$100.00 valuation on all property subject to taxation within the West Coke County Hospital District."

Motion by Director Curtis Walker that said resolution be adopted was seconded by Director Jim Herford and was duly put to vote by Director Fred McCabe, Sr., Chairman, and was by unanimous vote adopted by all directors present and ordered spread upon the minutes of said meeting.

MINUTES APPROVED this 14th day of June, 1967.

Fred McCabe Sr. Chairman, Board of Directors West Coke County Hospital District

A RESOLUTION CALLING AN ELECTION TO DETERMINE WHETHER THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE WEST COKE COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT MAY LEVY A TAX NOT TO EXCEED 75 CENTS ON THE \$100.00 VALUATION ON ALL PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION WITHIN THE BOUNDARIES OF SAID WEST COKE COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT; PROVIDING THE TIME AND PLACE THERETO: BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE WEST COKE COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT, COKE COUNTY, TEXAS:

SECTION 1: That an election be held on the 15th day of July, 1967, within the West Coke County Hospital District to determine

whether the Board of Directors of the West Coke County Hospital District may levy a tax not to exceed 75 cents on the \$100.00 valuation on all property subject to taxation within the boundaries of said West Coke County Hospital District and said election shall be held under the General Laws of the State of Texas regulating general elections, except as the same are modified by Chapter 315, Acts of the 58th Legislature, Regular Session and as amended by Section 9A, and only resident qualified electors shall be entitled to vote.

SECTION 2: That the ballots for said election shall be prepared in sufficient number and in conformity with Chapter 6, V.A.T.C.S. and written or printed thereon:

FOR the levee of a tax not to exceed 75 cents on the \$100.00 valuation on all property subject to taxation within the West Coke County Hospital District.

AGAINST the levee of a tax not to exceed 75 cents on the \$100.00 valuation on all property subject to taxation within the West Coke County Hospital District.

SECTION 3: No person shall be eligible to vote in this election unless he or she is a resident of the District, owns property duly rendered for taxation within the district and unless at the time of such election he shall be more than 21 years of age.

SECTION 4: The polling places where the election shall be held and the presiding officers at each of the said polling places are as follows:

POLLING PLACE	PRESIDING JUDGE
Courthouse, Robert Lee,	Opal Jacoby
Community Center, Green Mountain	Finnell Smith

Mildred Wallace is hereby appointed as Clerk for Absentee Voting at the Election herein ordered and Absentee Voting shall be conducted at the Courthouse, Robert Lee, Texas, and said clerk shall keep the office open between the hours of 8:00 A.M. and 5:00 P.M. each day that is not a Saturday, a Sunday, or an official State Holiday, all in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 424, Acts of the 53rd Legislature Regular Session, 1963.

SECTION 5: Notice of the election shall be given by publishing a substantial copy of this resolution one time in a newspaper of general circulation in the district the said publication to be at least ten (10) full days prior to the election.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 14th day of June, 1967

Fred McCabe Sr. Chairman, Board of Directors West Coke County Hospital District

ATTEST: J. E. Quisenberry, Jr. Secretary, Board of Directors, West Coke County Hospital District (District Seal)

**NEW DAUGHTER**

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dean of Ann Arbor, Michigan are parents of a new daughter. Jennifer was born June 24, and weighed 8 lbs. 8 oz.

The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Moady Hale of Clarksville and Mrs. Wilson Bryan of Robert Lee.

Dean is attending summer school in Michigan and the couple plans to bring the new baby and visit their parents in Texas the latter part of August.

Katherine (Kitten) Dean was a guest at the D. H. Kingston Ranch near Toyahville last week, and has gone on to Phoenix, Arizona to spend several weeks this summer with an uncle and aunt, Dr. and Mrs. William H. Henry. Mrs. Kingston and Mrs. Henry are both daughters of Mrs. Claude Dean of Robert Lee.





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**Ivey Appointed Association Director**

Appointment of L. C. Ivey Jr., Ivey Motor Co., Robert Lee, as area director of the Texas Automobile Dealers Association was announced in Austin today by H. C. Pittman, executive vice president of TADA.

In accepting this appointment, Ivey stated, "I am proud to represent my fellow franchised dealers in this area. Our major program this year will be to work with state officials in implementing the Texas Traffic Safety Act passed this year by our Texas Legislature, and to promote a high standard of integrity and assist the automobile dealers in better serving the public by making driving safer, more convenient

and more economical." Ivey will serve as an area director until the next TADA convention in Dallas in May, 1968. The association, with headquarters in Austin, celebrated its 50th anniversary this year and is the largest statewide new car dealers association in the nation.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Beene's guests this week are her little niece and nephew, Jean and Jack McFarland of Ft. Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hood attended the three day Ashworth family reunion held at Brownwood this past weekend.

**Oil Industry Puts \$22.7 Million Into County's Economy**

More than \$22.7 million a year of economic stimulation for Coke County flows from its oil and gas wells each year, an annual study by Texas Mid - Continent Oil & Gas Association showed today.

"As one of the 206 producing counties in Texas, Coke County's economy is sensitive to fluctuations in the oil industry generally," commented W. A. Landreth, Fort Worth, Association president. "Long range, the demand for oil looks strong and current production rates continue to provide Texas a major source of its income. On the other hand, Texas operators are beset by competition from other oil producing areas, government ceilings on natural gas prices, heavy tax payments, and a price for crude oil that is sufficient to encourage the amount of exploratory drilling that is needed to find future reserves."

Based on latest U. S. Bureau of Mines production figures, Coke County in 1965 produced 6.4 million barrels of crude oil, valued at \$18.9 million and 30 billion cubic feet of natural gas valued at \$3.8 million, and ranks 51st among Texas counties in production.

In addition, plants which process natural gas for liquids such as natural gasoline, butane and propane in 1965 produced more than 103.2 million gallons of liquids valued at more than \$5 million.

A major distribution of income from sales of oil and gas went to county landowners in royalty payments totaling more than \$2.8 million.

In 1966, a year that saw drilling in Texas fall to its lowest level since 1947, oil and gas operators drilled 37 wells in Coke County. Of these, 15 were wildcats seeking new fields.

The Association estimated that operators in the county spent more than \$2.9 million in drilling last year, of which \$1.2 million was lost in dry holes.

Sharing heavily in the county's production each year is the State Treasury, which received \$1.1 million in production taxes in 1965 paid by the producers and royalty owners. Crude oil production paid \$867,643 and natural gas production, \$267,582.

Additional value is given oil and gas from the operation of processing plants. The Oil and Gas Journal lists 2 natural gasoline plants in Coke County, with a capacity of 125 million cubic feet per day.

**JOE SLATON RECEIVES AWARD FROM FORD MOTOR**

Joe Slaton, former service manager for Ivey Motor Co., recently received notification that he was a winner of the Golden Circle Award for 1966. The award is made to service managers for authorized Ford dealers for outstanding performance of their jobs.

A letter from J. W. Mendel, district sales manager tells about the award:

"I have just been notified that you have qualified for the Golden Circle Award for 1966 and I am pleased. The Golden Circle Award is our method of recognizing outstanding performance by Ford Dealer Service Managers"

"Your pin and certificate will be available shortly for presentation to you. I am sure you will wear the pin and display the certificate with pride. When people ask about it, take time to explain its meaning. We are all extremely proud that you have won the award.

"Again, our heartiest congratulations."

Mrs. Pearl Schooley returned home Saturday after spending a week with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Large, Roswell, N. M. Mr. Large is recovering nicely from major surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Brown and family of Laverne, Okla., and Lt. Col. and Mrs. Nathan Douthit and children of Boston, Mass., are here visiting their mother, Mrs. John Brown, and their brother, Dale Brown, and family.

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## H D Agent's News Dept.

By MRS. FAY C. ROE

### CARE OF SHEETS IMPORTANT

Those new sheets will last a lot longer if they're properly laundered and cared for.

The specialists recommends that tucked - in sheets be loosened from all edges of the bed before they are removed. Pulling sheets without loosening them will weaken the fabric and may slit weak spots. Mitered corners should be loosened to avoid ripping. If the sheet should rip or tear, mend it before laundering. Small tears will become larger in washing.

Don't use a sheet as a laundry bag. This puts a strain on the sheet and increases snagging and soiling. Time can be saved by not folding sheets before they are put into the laundry bag.

When line - drying sheets, fold the sheet hem to hem and lap about four inches over the line. After securely pinning the sheet, straighten the selvages with your fingers. When sheets are dry, fold them as they are removed

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Morning Worship .... 11:00 a.m.  
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from the line. Ironing is not necessary if sheets are folded evenly.

When drying sheets in the dryer, they should be removed before they are completely dry unless the dryer has a moisture sensing control. Remove sheets as soon as the dryer stops. If sheets are folded immediately after removal from the dryer, you'll save a lot of ironing time. You may, however, prefer to press at least the top 12 inches, which will show when the bed is made.

### HOME ECONOMICS BRIEFS

Precooked dry beans that cook in 20 to 30 minutes are now on the market in most states. Old fashioned navy beans soup or popular baked beans can be ready for the table in less than an hour from start to finish.

Flat - sided containers for freezing are more space - saving than cylindrical and tub - shaped cartons.

American or cheddar cheese claims a place in every cheese assortment. There are three strengths which range in price from high to low.

Mild cheddar has been aged for 60 to 90 days, a short period in the life of a cheese, but it contributes to the lower cost. Medium cheese is aged six to nine months. It develops a stronger flavor and is more costly in terms of handling and storing. Sharp cheese spends a year or more in the aging and curing rooms while the full strong flavor is brought to its peak, and the processing expense rises.

### SCHEDULE

Monday, June 26 through Friday, June 30 - Dallas - attending American Home Economics Association Meeting.

Monday, July 3 - Office  
Tuesday, July 4 - Holiday  
Wednesday, July 5 - Office  
Thursday, July 6 - Program on Furniture Antiquing, 2 p.m., Recreation Hall.

### FURNITURE ANTIQUING WORKSHOP IS JULY 6

The public is invited to a free demonstration on Furniture Antiquing to be held on Thursday, July 6, at 2:00 p.m. The program will be held in the Recreation Hall in Robert Lee.

Mr. Darby of Darbys, of Balinger, will be in charge of the program which is being sponsored by the Coke County Home Demonstration Council.

Mrs. J. N. Buchanan, Mrs. P. E. Mahon and son, L. E. visited Sunday at Brownwood in the home of Mrs. A. H. Morrison.

### SANCO MEETING

There will be an important meeting for everyone interested in the Sanco cemetery, tonight (Thursday) June 29 at 8 p.m. at Sanco.

Mrs. Frank Coalson returned Monday from a three - week vacation in Boulder, Colorado, where she visited in her daughter home, Mrs. Trullt Rodgers. She kept her grandchildren, Paula, Gary and Greg the last week in June while Rev. and Mrs. Rodgers attended the Southern Baptist Convention in Miami, Florida. Mrs. Coalson visited en route with Charles L. Coalson at Trinidad, Colo. Mr. Coalson has spent several months during the winter in the Frank Coalson home in Robert Lee.

The Observer, Robert Lee, Texas

June 29, 1967

### Billy Rankin Roach Makes Dean's List

Bill Rankin Roach of Robert Lee has been named to the Dean's Honor List for the 1967 Spring Semester from the School of Business at Texas Christian University.

To be eligible for the scholastic honor, a student must be carrying at least 12 semester hours in courses that count toward a degree and must be in the upper five per cent of the majors in that particular school or college.

A total of 223 TCU students were named to the five lists. Forty - two of those were from the M. J. Neeley School of Busi-

ness, 108 from AddRan College of Arts and Sciences, 38 from the School Education, 13 from Harris College of Nursing and 22 from the School of Fine Arts.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Roach, Bill is majoring in accounting and is treasurer of Kappa Sigma fraternity.

## PERSONALS

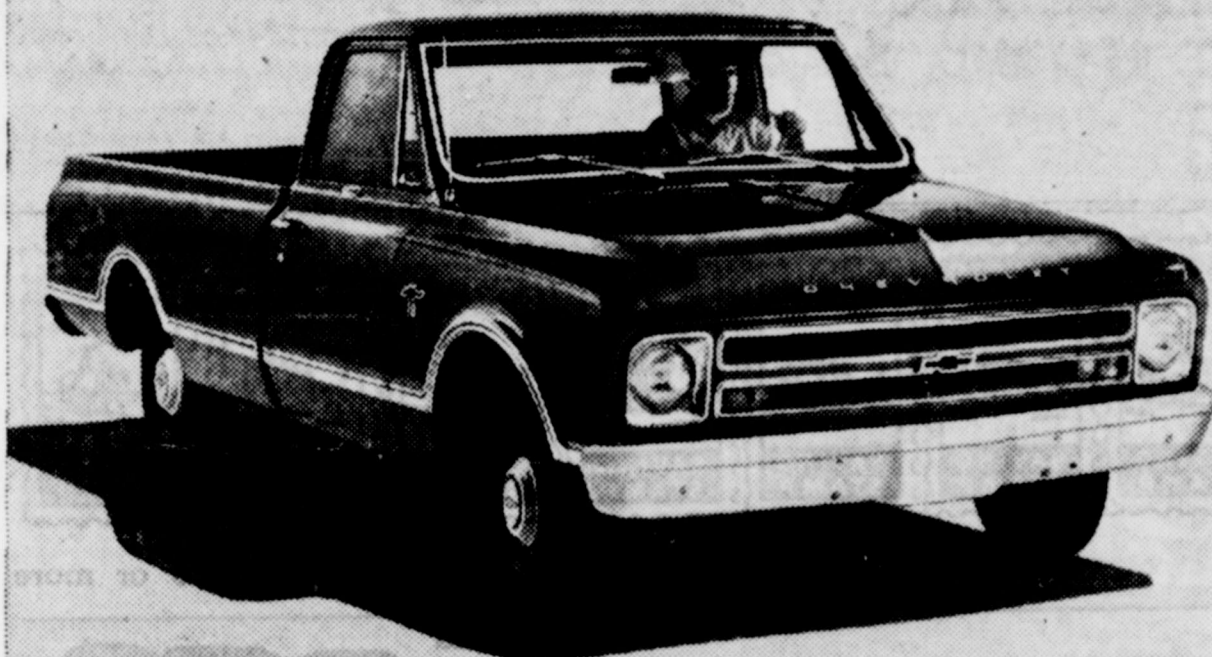
Mr. and Mrs. James Robertson and Ardena Boone spent last week at Amarillo attending youth camp there.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Smith of San Angelo visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Smith Saturday.

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**Paula Sznann Burns And James Drexiel Skipworth Exchange Marriage Vows In Baptist Church Rites**



Mrs. Drexiel Skipworth

The Robert Lee Baptist Church was the scene of the marriage Friday of Miss Paula Suzann Burns to James Drexiel Skipworth.

Officiating was the Rev. Bill Beaty, pastor.

Nuptial music was performed by Miss Elaine Fikes, pianist, and Vernay Vaughan, soloist. Miss Kathy Preslar was bridesmaid, and matron of honor was Mrs. Tommy Blair.

Parents of the bride are Mrs. Roy Davis of Linden, and Paul Burns. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Skipworth.

Serving as best man was Tommy Blair. Ushers were Bill Burns and Douglas Burns, brothers of the bride. Carl Bloodworth of Silver was groomsman.

The bride wore an Empire, floor-length gown of ivory peau de soie with elbow-length bell sleeves. The sleeves and skirt were encircled with wide bands of lace.

Mrs. Skipworth is a graduate of Robert Lee High School where she was a cheerleader, Miss RLHS, a member of the Beta Club and a student council representative.

The bridegroom is also a grad-

uate of RLHS. He played football and tennis and was on the track and basketball teams.

Members of the houseparty for the reception in the church parish hall were Miss Melinda Perciful, Miss Rhea Jean McCutchen, Miss Marsha Dodson, Mrs. Roy Tinkler and Mrs. R. L. Flanagan.

The couple will live in San Angelo at 134 N. Oaks, Apt. 8.

Mrs. Euna Lewis of Austin, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Mattie McCutchen and other relatives in Bronte. She is not able to get around much and would welcome visits from her other relatives and friends. She is a sister-in-law to Mrs. Pearl Schooley.

**DAVISES HAVE NEW SON**

Gary Lynn is the new son of Mr. and Mrs. Garland Davis. He was born Friday, June 16, in West Coke County Hospital and weighed five pounds and five ounces. He has a brother, Glen Allen, seven years old.

Mrs. Davis is the former Rosemary Sawyer. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Buzz Sawyer and E. C. Davis, all of Robert Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. James Stewart and three children of Midwest City, Okla., returned home Sunday after a 10 day visit here with her mother, Mrs. Frank Clawson and her sister, Betty. Other visitors in the Clawson home last week were Mrs. Jerald Storce and three children of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Clawson and family of Midland.

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