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Historical Week A Success

Pioneers Enjoy Reception Held Last Wednesday

Historical Appreciation Week, held in Coke County last week, was a big success, according to members of Coke County Historical Survey Committee, sponsors of the observance.

The reception for pioneers held last Wednesday, and the special concluding program held Sunday afternoon were particularly impressive, said Mrs. Bryan Yarbrough, president of CCHSC.

Mrs. Fay C. Roe and Mrs. C. E. Arrott, committee members, were co-chairman for the social which was held in the conference room at the courthouse. Several employees of the county and Mrs. Yarbrough assisted in receiving and visited with the honored guests during the affair.

Will Millican, 91, was the oldest person present at the tea. He was also the one who had lived in Coke County the longest. He was born in 1877 in Meridian, Bosque County, and came to Coke County in 1890. Millican is a long time rancher in the western part of the county, and owns 1140 acres in his old home place and 480 acres where the Pecan Church is located.

Also present was Claude Parker of San Angelo who was born in Coke County in 1896. He attended school at Valley View and was a student in the first school taught by Mrs. Yarbrough in 1909 and 1910.

Three of Parker's grandparents were in Texas while it was still a part of Mexico.

Another area pioneer present was Eugene Brooks who was born in Mississippi in 1888 and came to Coke County in 1902. He remained here four years, went back to Mississippi and returned here in 1910 to become a permanent resident. Brooks attended Mt. Margaret School and had some interesting recollections about the early years in Coke County. Mrs. Brooks also is a pioneer, coming to Coke County in 1889. Her father, Ben Anderson, was a Texas Ranger and Indian fighter, and was stationed at Fort Concho before San Angelo was established.

Mrs. Henry Varnadore was also present. She is the former Grace Landers and was born in the Friendship community northwest of Robert Lee.

Others present included Alvin Counts, longtime rancher on the Divide and Mr. and Mrs. James Arrott of Tennyson.

ROBERTSONS BACK FROM 30 MONTHS OVERSEAS TOUR

TSgt. and Mrs. Otis C. Robertson have returned to the United States after two and one-half years overseas. The Robertsons and their two children arrived in Robert Lee last week to visit his father, Jim Robertson.

While overseas, the family spent 18 months in Libya, North Africa, and 10 months at Sevilla, Spain. They are now being assigned to Travis AFB, Calif., where Sergeant Robertson will serve as flight engineer on a C-141 Starlifter.

Steers, Bulldogs Tangle Friday

The Steers should even up their season record Friday when they travel to Eden for a contest with the District 8-B Bulldogs. The Dogies have not won a game this

FHA, FFA Set For Trip to Fair

A group of some 50 students plus teacher and parent sponsors will travel to Dallas Saturday to take in the State Fair of Texas. The delegation will travel in two school buses, leaving here at 4 a.m.

Reservations have been made at the Baker Hotel for Saturday night and the return trip will be made Sunday afternoon. Twenty FFA boys and 30 FHA girls have signed up to go.

In addition to touring the fair's exhibits and entertainment sections, the group plans to attend the SMU-North Carolina State football game in the Cotton Bowl.

In additions to the 50 students, eight adults will make the trip. They include Garland Davis, Lee Roy McDaniel and Douglas Wilkes; also Mmes. Eloise Guerrant, Cumbie Ivey Jr., Maurice Duncan, Francis Jeffries and J. C. Wallace Jr. Wilkes and McDaniel will serve as bus drivers and Davis will be a relief driver when needed.

season and should be an easy touch for the classier Steers.

A win this week will give the Steers two victories and two defeats, for a break even season so far.

Last Week's 6-A Results

The Eldorado Eagles clawed the Steers last Friday night, 53-8; powerful Aspermont trampled over Merkel, 24-14; Roscoe whipped Loraine, 25-0; Rotan bowed to Stanton, 27-7; Wall fell to Rankin, 38-9; and Wylie downed Cross Plains, 19-13.

This Week's Schedule

Robert Lee at Eden; Hawley at Wylie; Rule at Aspermont; Roscoe at Hermleigh; Wall at Bronte; Rotan, open.

Three 6-A teams remain undefeated: Roscoe, Wylie and Aspermont.

BAND BOOSTER CLUB TO MEET OCT. 8

The Band Booster Club will meet Tuesday, Oct. 8, at 8 p.m. The meeting will be held in the music room at Robert Lee High School, and everyone interested in the school's band program is urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. James Green, Malinda and Larry of Belton visited over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Gaither.

The program held Sunday afternoon at the courthouse and the visit to two of the county's oldest cemeteries climaxed Historical Appreciation Week in Coke County and was attended by about 100 persons.

George Baker of Fort Stockton, Democratic nominee for state representative from the 66th District, was speaker for the occasion.

Miss Sheri Pitcock In State Contest

Top Texas 4-H clothing girls will vie in Dallas October 4 for annual 4-H Dress Revue honors.

Forty-six teenagers will model outfits they created as a highlight of the State Fair of Texas.

Judging will be at the Sheraton-Dallas Hotel, Friday, October 4, preceding a press luncheon to announce the winners. All contestants will be presented in two public fashion shows at the Women's Building auditorium at Fair Park, at 10 and 11 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 5.

Sheri Pitcock of Sanco will represent District 7 in the state event. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Pitcock, she will model a wool dress she constructed this summer. Mrs. Pitcock was adult leader for Sheri's project.

The winner will receive a trip to the National 4-H Congress in Chicago, Dec. 1-5. An alternate winner will also be selected along with highest-ranking winners in all-cotton and all-wool divisions of the revue.

Finalists in the 4-H clothing activity represent approximately 20,000 4-H Club girls enrolled in clothing work this year.

He was introduced by former mayor of Robert Lee, Robert Vaughan. Garland Davis served as master of ceremonies for the program.

All churches in Robert Lee were represented in a choir led by Upton Mathers. The invocation was given by the Rev. Bill Beatty, pastor of Robert Lee Baptist Church. Members of Boy Scout Troop 461, Mark Matlock, Bobby Mumford and Burl Davis presented the flag, followed by the pledge of allegiance.

A quartet composed of Mrs. Furst Moore, Kenneth Mathers, Mrs. Wilson Bryan and Rodney Mathers, sang "America the Beautiful."

Davis gave the welcome address followed by Vaughan's introduction and Baker's speech.

Mrs. Witt Hines, chairman of the Mitchell County Historical Survey Committee, made a short talk on the RAMPs program.

Girl Scouts of Robert Lee unveiled the bust of Robert E. Lee and Mrs. Bryan dedicated the marker. Her husband, Mayor Wilson Bryan, responded. A copy of the book, "Freedom," was presented to both the Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts who helped with the program. They were given by the Coke County Heritage Association.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McAdams, donors of the bust, were recognized and thanked for their donation.

Following the program at the courthouse, the crowd went on a tour to Hayrick and Fort Chadbourne Cemeteries where Sterling Lindsey dedicated historical markers.

School Recommendations Told At BCD Meeting

The area of primary interest for BCD members at Tuesday's meeting was a report by Supt. Jimmy Bickley, who told of some of the recommendation made recently by the Governor's Committee on Public School Education.

Bickley's report on the recommendations was sparked by his attendance last weekend at a meeting of the Texas Association of School Boards and the Texas Association of School Administrators in Austin. The report was discussed widely at the meeting.

Bickley spoke approvingly of some of the recommendations, particularly where they included upgrading the quality of education offered the children of Texas and providing better working conditions for teachers in Texas schools. However, he was not so complimentary of the recommendation that some 800 of the 1200 school districts in Texas be combined into larger schools.

The Robert Lee superintendent pointed out some of the main points brought out in the report call for consolidating into larger districts, causing more urban problems that already plague the

state and nation. It was noted that killing of smaller schools might also cause the death of hundreds of smaller towns and communities in the state.

Bickley cited some of the announcements made in the report to the governor:

Every school district should have a minimum of 2,600 children in average daily attendance with three exceptions:

Countywide or larger districts may be allowed to continue as independent districts with a minimum of 1,600 ADA;

Countywide or larger districts may be allowed to operate as "Sparse Area Districts" with less than 1,600 ADA on a program approved by the Board of Education; and

"Special Purpose Districts" (such as those operated on military bases, at state institutions, etc.) may be allowed to continue with less than 1,600 ADA on an approved program.

Bickley pointed out that many areas of West Texas would have to be formed into huge school districts, causing overly-long distance transportation, to meet the guidelines of 1,600 students in

average daily attendance.

His opinion was that the requirements on the number of scholastics "would lead to killing of many small communities and to further growth of urban areas which would become more congested, resulting in more crime and delinquency."

Films and tapes are available on the committee's purpose and recommendations. Supt. Bickley said he had applied for them so he can present the report at school and meetings of civic organizations.

In other BCD business President Hugh Lewis Jr. announced that a rash of other community and school activities had prevented a meeting of the newly appointed cemetery committee. He said, however, that the committee will meet at an early date and make plans for cleaning the cemetery.

High School Principal Garland Davis reported on the historical dedication program and tour held last Sunday. He called the afternoon program a "big success." More details are in another story in this week's Observer.

Nurses to Get Caps In Special Program

A capping ceremony for six prospective licensed vocational nurses will be held Saturday at 7:30 p.m. in Southside Church of Christ in Robert Lee. The six who will receive their caps are Mrs. Pauline Blair, Mrs. Maxine Fields, Mrs. Diane Hambright, Mrs. Dean Kinsey, Mrs. Ouida Scott and Mrs. Bobbie Wright.

The women have been taking classwork since June 3 and have already started their clinical experience, which they will receive by actually working in West Coke Hospital.

A total of 527 hours of classwork and 1323 hours of clinical experience must be completed before the nurses are ready to take their state board examinations prior to licensing.

The capping ceremony will be conducted by Mrs. Kathryn Lackey, R. N., and Mrs. La Velta Eubanks, R. N., instructors in the local school.

Mrs. Faye Jacobs, R. N., instructor in the Ballinger School of Vocational Nursing, will be the main speaker for the program. The invocation will be given by the Rev. Wayne N. Stout, pastor of Central Baptist Church in Bronte, and the benediction will be given by Bro. White, minister of Southside Church of Christ.

The public is invited to attend the ceremony.

HEARD AT SANCO

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Guinn and daughter of Houston visited her grandmother, Mrs. J. L. Carwile, last week. Mrs. Guinn is the former Helen Carwile.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cole of Boerne and Mrs. John Cole of Bronte visited Mrs. Carwile, Effie and Henry last week. They also visited Bob Goss in West Coke County Hospital. He is a brother of Mrs. Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vernon of Tulsa, Okla. visited her uncle, I. A. Bird, and other relatives last Sunday. She is the former Mamie Ruth Berryman.

Mr. and Mrs. Green Preslar spent last Friday visiting her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Gartman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ulmer Bird attended the historical dedications Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Adams of Ranger and Ocie Devoll of Amarillo were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Prine Jr. Saturday.

4H CLUB HEARS PROGRAM FROM LOCAL STUDENTS

Members of the Robert Lee Future Leaders 4-H Club met Saturday evening in the courthouse conference room. The program was given by Darrel Pitcock and Joy Cervenka. They gave highlights on the Citizenship Seminar they attended at Baylor University last summer.

During a business session, Darrel Pitcock was elected president. Other officers elected were Marshall Millican, vice president; Sheri Pitcock, secretary; and Deone Derrick, reporter. Rebecca Walker and Lane Beaty were elected delegates to Council, Sharon Walkr and Marshall Millican were named alternates. Named to the program planning committee were Lane Beaty, Walter Tinkler and Rebecca Walker.

The club voted to continue to sell stainless steel knives. They are to be kept and sold in the county extension office.

Project work and up coming events were discussed by the county extension agents, Mrs. Fay C. Roe and Sterling Lindsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Yar-brough made a trip over the weekend to Laverne, Okla., to visit with friends, the Bill Muncrief family. While there, they went on up to Dodge City, Kans., where they saw many sites of historical interest. They also saw the huge feeder cattle pens at Dodge City, where cattle are brought from all over the country to be fed out, then sold. The feeder pens in the Dodge City area hold 30,000 head of cattle.

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Clarks Doing Well In Music Business

Jim Robertson of Robert Lee has received word from Nashville, Tenn., that his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Clark, are having very good luck in the music business. The couple records under the name of Clark Buetley and Jerri Clark. They are under contract to Shelley Singleton Music, Inc.

Their most recent release is "The Ole Town Drunk" and "Run Jeannie, Run," the latter one being sung by Jeannie C. Riley, star of "Harper Valley P.T.A." but written by Clark and Jerri. They also wrote "Yesterday All Day Long Today" and are co-writers of such songs as "The Continuing Story of Harper Valley P.T.A.," "Fallen King" and "Flag Draped Coffin."

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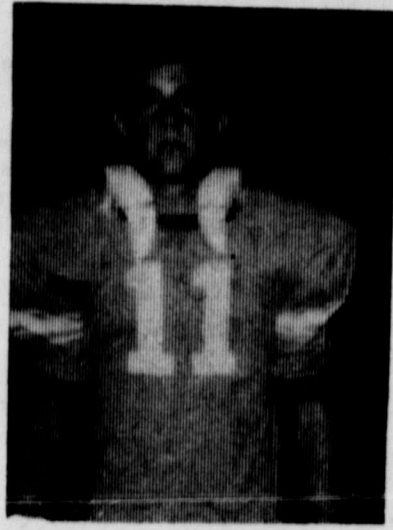


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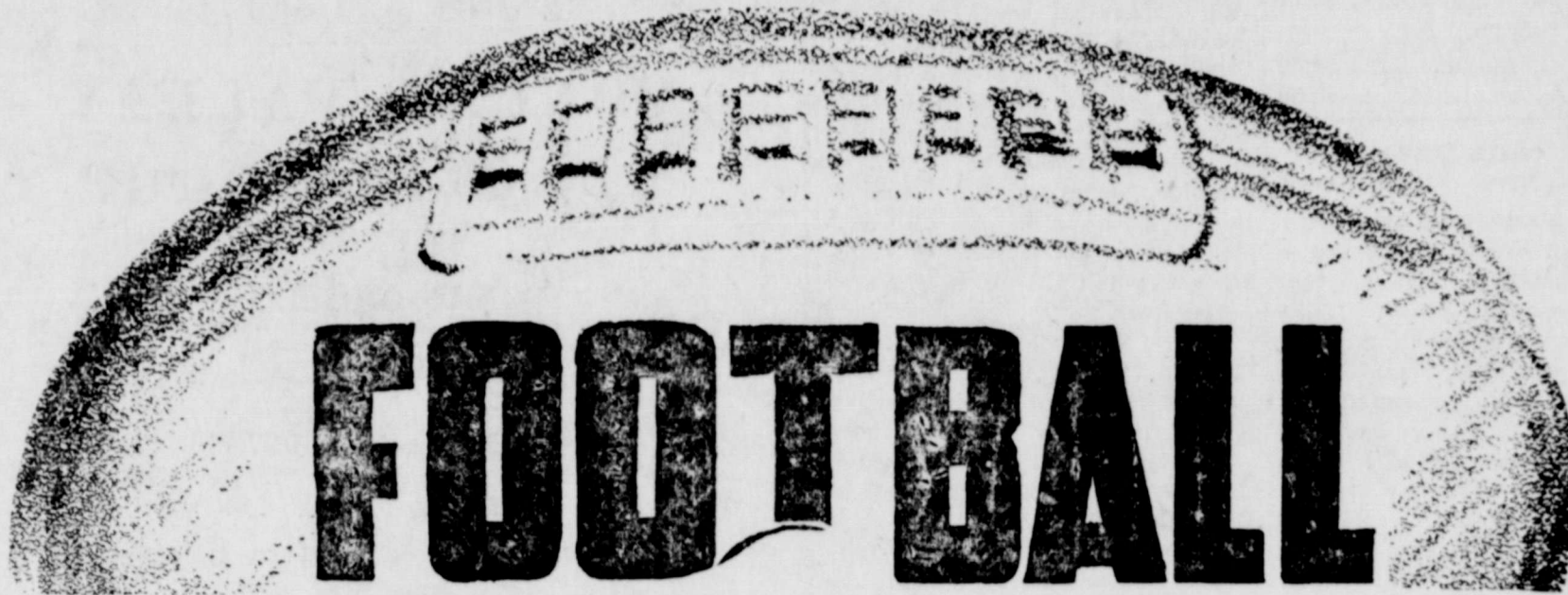
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Friday Night

Robert Lee vs. Eden

8:00 P.M. - There

We're looking for great things from the 1968 Steers. They've got the material and desire to be real winners this year. Let's back them all the way through this season.

ENJOY THE BAND AND PEP SQUAD

1968 SCHEDULE

Non-District Games

Robert Lee 6, Menard 3
 Robert Lee 6, Bangs 7
 Robert Lee 8, Eldorado 53
 Oct. 4—Eden There
 Oct. 11—Bronte Here

District Games

Oct. 18—Wiley Here
 Oct. 25—Rotan There
 Nov. 1—Aspermont Here
 Nov. 8—Roscoe There
 Nov. 15—Wall Here

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Lunchroom Menu

Monday, Oct. 7

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

Tuesday, Oct. 8

Vegetable Beef Soup, pineapple cottage cheese salad, crackers, milk, cinnamon rolls.

Wednesday, Oct. 9

Barbecued sausage, creamed potatoes, carrot-coconut salad, hot rolls, butter, milk, peach cobbler.

Thursday, Oct. 10

Macaroni and cheese, relish stick, garden salad, blackeyed peas and snaps, corn bread, butter, milk, apricots.

Friday, Oct. 11

Turkey and dressing with giblet gravy, candied sweet potatoes, green beans, celery sticks, hot rolls, butter, milk, Jello with whipping cream.

SAILOR EXPECTED HOME

Mrs. Clint Caves and children are expecting their husband and father home Oct. 10 for a 10-day leave. He is serving in the Navy on board the USS Palm Beach in the North Atlantic and hasn't seen his family since March.

Mrs. Caves is the former Sandra Roe and has been making her home in Robert Lee, to be near her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roe.

Mrs. Maud Long of Big Lake visited Thursday with her brother, Jim Robertson, who is ill in West Coke Hospital. Other visitors were Mrs. Floy Stevens of San Angelo.

Political Announcements

The following candidates have authorized The Observer to announce their candidacy for nomination to the office shown below, and on the indicated party ticket.

DEMOCRAT

For State Representative:
GEORGE BAKER
Of Pecos County

REPUBLICAN

For State Representative:
JIM KENT
Of Ward County

WELCOME

Robert Lee Baptist Church
West 11th and Chadbourne
Bill Beaty, Pastor

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday
Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed bids for the construction of Alterations and Additions to Robert Lee School for Robert Lee Independent School District, Robert Lee, Coke County, Texas, will be received until 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, October 22, 1968, at the office of the Superintendent of Schools in the existing school building.

The work includes the following:

(1) Construction of Gymnasium, Classrooms, Kitchen and Cafeteria additions to existing school building, totaling approximately 42,250 sq. ft.

(2) Alterations to existing Gymnasium and Band Hall Building.

(3) Construction of new Shop and Classroom Building of approximately 5,250 sq. ft.

Separate proposals will be received for the construction of each of the building units noted (1) and (2) above, as well as a combined proposal for construction of both units. An alternate proposal for construction of building unit noted (3) above will also be received.

All General Construction, Plumbing, Heating and Ventilating and Electrical Work required for each of the building units listed above will be performed under a single contract; separate proposals for mechanical or electrical work will not be considered.

General Contractors wishing to submit a proposal for this work may obtain one complete set of bidding documents from Patterson, Sowden, Dunlap and Epperly, Architects and Engineers, 601 Bailey, P. O. Box 9048, Fort Worth, Texas 76107, upon deposit of Seventy-Five Dollars (\$75.00), which deposit will be refunded to actual bidders upon return of all documents in good condition within five days after date of bid opening. General Contractors who wish additional sets

of bidding documents, as well as subcontractors and material suppliers, may obtain same upon payment of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) for General Construction Work and Twenty-Five Dollars (\$25.00) for Mechanical and Electrical Work; these payment amounts will not be refunded, but all bidding documents must be returned to the Architect.

A certified Check or Bid Bond in the amount of 5% of the total bid must accompany each proposal submitted. Successful Contractor or Contractors shall furnish Performance and Payment Bonds in 100% of the total Contract Amount.

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Eagles Down Steers, 53-8

By Ronnie Baker

Eldorado 53 — Robert Lee 8

The story of the rabbit and the turtle! Eldorado's rabbits were overpoweringly fast and it was very obvious all through the game. The Steers have nothing to be ashamed of to be beaten by a ball club like this, as the fans who saw the game will tell you. It was just fantastic to see a Class A ball club with this much speed. The bumble bee defense stung them hard the first half but in the second period the bee couldn't even catch the rabbit. The Steer offense showed much improvement over the previous week on their pass protection and their passing game. The running game is also improving after two ball games and should keep improving.

First Quarter

Eldorado won the toss and elected to receive. Andy Cole kicked off to the Eldorado 20, and with a return to the Eldorado 38, they have it 1st and 10. Eldorado made only 8 yards in three tries and elected to kick. The punt carried to the Steer 14, and the Steers had a 1st and 10. The Steers drove for a 1st at their 29 and another at their 41, but on 3rd down and long yardage at the 44, the Steers went to the air and Eldorado intercepted at the Eagle 39.

Eldorado made a 1st at the Steer 48 and on a hard tackle, Eldorado fumbled at the Robert Lee 44. James Fields recovered for Robert Lee. On 2nd down the Steers fumble and Eldorado recovered at the Eagle 48 yard line. Then the bomb! On 1st down, the Eagle QB threw the ball downfield, one of the fast Eagles ran under it and went all the way for a TD, 52 yards away. The extra point try was good on a kick, and it was 7-0.

The kickoff carried out of the end zone and the Steers got the ball on their 20 yard line. They made only 7 yards and Mumford quick kicked to the Eagle 30 yard line. Eldorado made a 1st at the Steer 48 and went for the bomb again. Darrell Pitcock intercepted and returned the ball 34 yards to the Eagle 21 yard line. The Steers ran one play before the quarter ended.

Second Quarter

The Steers couldn't move from here and after a loss to the 26, Eldorado took over. The Eagles made a 1st at the 40, but a holding penalty put them back to the 25. Then the Steers really hit and Eldorado fumbled, with Fields coming up with another recovery at the Eagle 24 yard line. The Steers went for 4 yards in three plays, and on a 4th down fake field goal, Mumford threw a perfect pitch to Joe Key, who caught it over his shoulder and went the remaining 19 yards to complete a 20 yard touchdown play. For the extras, Mumford rolled quickly to his right and circled the end for 2 points, and the Steers led for the only time

in the ball game, 8-7.

Cole kicked to the Eagle 10 and they returned to their 32 yard line. The Eagles made a 1st on the Steer 49 and then they fumbled again, with Teddy Millikan coming up with the ball at the Steer 47 yard line. Then Roy Blair broke the middle for 11 yards and a 1st at the Eldorado 42. A Mumford to Sockwell pass got another 1st at the Eagle 32. Another pass, Mumford to Key, was good for another 1st at the Eagle 21, but then the Steers stalled and the Eagles took over.

The Eagles made a big 1st at the Steer 41. And—on 1st down—the bomb again. The Eagle QB hit the same end for a 41 yard scoring play. A pass for the extras was good and the Eagles were back in the lead, 15-8. Eldorado kicked off to the Steer 16 with a good return by Mumford to the Steer 32 yard line. The Robert Lee boys made a first at their 43 as the 1st half ended.

Third Quarter

The Steers received the 2nd half kickoff at the 5 and Roy Blair returned to the Steer 27 yard line. The Robert Lee lads gained little and Mumford kicked to the Eldorado 33. The Eagles got another holding penalty which moved them back to their 25 after a few yards gained. Going to the air again, the Eagles' pass was intercepted by Randy Smith at the Eagle 45. The Steers got a clipping penalty after the interception and had a 1st down at their own 45.

Moving to a 1st at the Eldorado 42, the Steers then fumbled and an Eagle recovered at his 40. The Steer defense held, however, and Eldorado punted to the Steer 35. The Steers made a quick 1st at the 50, and at the 47, the Eagles held and Mumford punted to the Eagle 15 yard line. Eldorado speed started showing as the Eagles moved for a 1st at their 45, then for another at the Steer 45. Two 1st downs later they were at the Robert Lee 5. The Steers held them for short yardage, and on the 4th down and 1, the Eagles bulled it over for the touchdown. The try for extras was no good and it was 21-8 for the Eagles.

The Eagle kickoff went to the Steer 5 and they managed to run back only to the 15 yard line. The Steers made it to the 20 and were forced to punt. However, disaster struck, as a miscue by the Steers caused the punt to go into play at the Robert Lee 20 for the Eagles. One play later at the 14, the 3rd quarter ended.

Fourth Quarter

The Eagle jackrabbits took over the 4th quarter, as on the first play, they swept the end for a TD. Then a pass for the extras was good and it was 29-8 for the Eagles. The kickoff went to the Steer 10 with a return to the 29. A quick 27 yard pass to Pitcock got a 1st at the Eagle 44. Another 12 yarder to Key was good for another 1st

at the 32, and then the Steers fumbled at the Eagle 15. The Eagles put on another drive that carried to the Steer 28 in three 1st downs and they swept the end again for the last 28 yards and another TD. Try for extras was no good and the scoreboard read 35-8.

The kickoff carried to the Steer 10 with a return to the 19. They made a 1st at their 31, then Eldorado intercepted a pass and returned to the Robert Lee 35. However, Mumford intercepted an Eagle pass at the 10. Going to the flat pass, the Steers were set back again as Eldorado intercepted at the Steer 20 and returned it for a TD. Try for extras failed and it was 41-8.

Eldorado kicked off to the Steer 10 with a return to the 27, but Eldorado held the Steers and Mumford punted to the Steer 46. Eldorado struck again, as they swept the end from the 40 and went all the way for another counter. Try for points was no good and the score was 47-8.

The Steers received at the 20 and returned to their own 32. The Steers made a 1st at the Eagle 30 and then another at the 18. Then a swift Eagle picked off a pass at his own 20 and went down the sideline for an 80 yard touchdown play. The extras were no good and the score was 53-8.

The passing game of the Steers clicked after the kickoff as they marched from their 30 to the Eldorado 30 before time ran out, and the ball game was over at the Eldorado 30 yard line.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Frank Smith has returned home from a three week's trip to Oklahoma where she visited with her sisters and other relatives at Hammon and Durham, Okla., and Higgins, Texas.

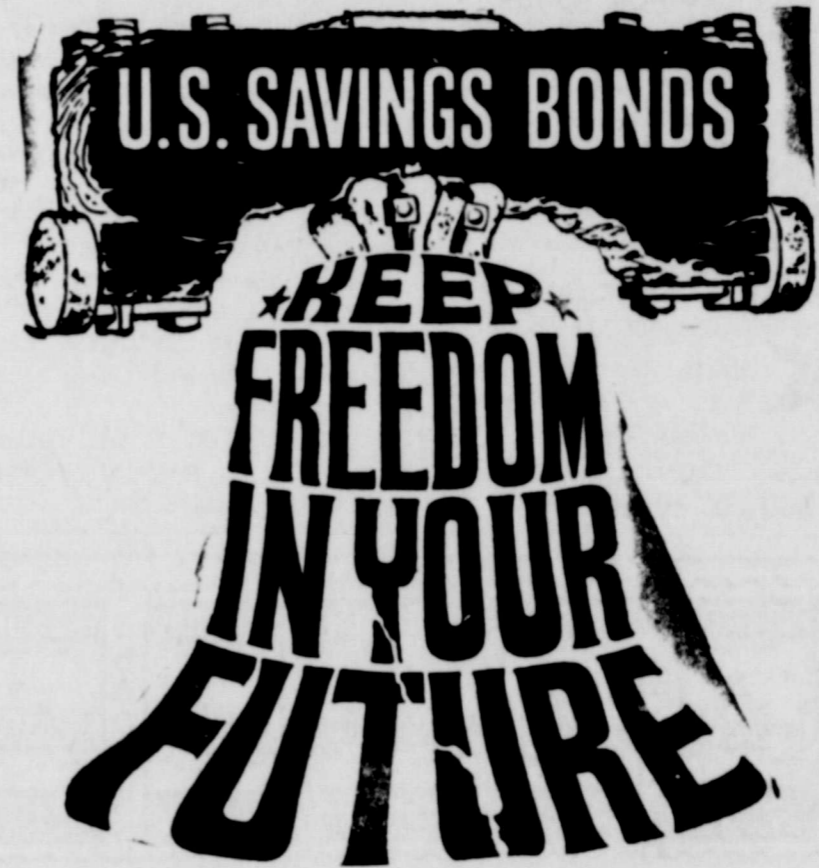
Mrs. Winifred Talley and children of Fluvanna were weekend guests in the home of her mother, Mrs. Bonetia Robertson.

Belinda Zoet and Buddy Vosburg of Abilene Christian College were weekend guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Javan Vosburg.

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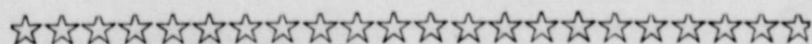
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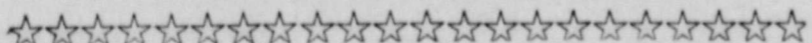
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"THIS ATOMIC WORLD" SHOW COMING OCTOBER 18

"This Atomic World," a high school lecture-demonstration program sponsored by the U. S. Atomic Energy Commission, will be presented at 23 Texas high schools during October. It will be at Robert Lee High School Friday, Oct. 18.

The program, designed to foster increased awareness and understanding among secondary school students of scientific and technical information relating to atomic energy, consists of a 40-minute assembly presentation followed by classroom sessions with science students.

Units of the demonstration program, operated for the Commission by the Oak Ridge (Tenn.) Associated Universities, will appear in 20 states during the month. Texas A&M University is assisting Oak Ridge Associated Universities with presentations in Texas.

Yale Canfield of Abilene was guest speaker at the Northside Church of Christ Sunday. He conducted both morning and evening services.

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Sale Tax Goes Up To Three Per Cent

The state sales tax went from two to three per cent in cities, such as Robert Lee, without a city sales tax Wednesday, and from three to four percent in those with the tax.

In cities without the city sales tax, the retailers will collect the tax on this schedule: no tax on sales up to and including 16c; 1 cent on sales of 17 to 49 cents; 2 cents of 50 to 83 cents; 3 cents on 84 cents to \$1.16; 4 cents on \$1.17 to \$1.49; and 5 cents on \$1.50 to \$1.83.

Otherwise there is no change in the tax law, except for the rate, for ordinary retail merchants. The same things are exempt and the same things are taxed as under the old law.

Hospital News

Tuesday, Sept. 24 — Jim Robertson admitted. Carl Brock dismissed.

Wednesday, Sept. 25 — Billy Long admitted. Lois Mae Smith dismissed.

Thursday, Sept. 26 — Mrs. Ruth Sandusky, Henry Rogers dismissed.

Friday, Sept. 27 — Froney C. Scarborough, Mrs. Woodrow Gibson admitted. Mrs. J. N. Adams dismissed.

Saturday, Sept. 28 — Carl Brock, Mrs. F. L. Haley admitted. Mrs. Woodrow Gibson, Billy Long, Mrs. Eonnie Walker dismissed.

Sunday, Sept. 29 — Mrs. Pearl Mayo, Lena Russell admitted.

Monday, Sept. 30 — Lee Ligon admitted. Robert Goss, Pearl Mayo dismissed.

On Tues., Oct. 1, ten patients remained in the hospital and eight were in the nursing home.

During late August and September Justice of the Peace Roy P. Ross assessed fines to the persons named below in the amount and for the offense indicated:

Michael Wayne Fennell, no address given, was fined \$15.00 for speeding.

Larry Carl Brock, Robert Lee, was fined \$15.00 for making an unsafe turn.

Charles A. Scheible, no address given, was fined \$20.00 for fishing without a license.

Jesse Flores Fanlenuela, no address given, was fined \$29.00 for being drunk as a pedestrian.

James M. Robertson, Robert Lee, was fined \$1.00 for speeding.

Nannie Epperson Beal, no address given, was fined \$10.90 for failing to yield one-half of roadway to coming vehicle.

Jerry Dale Chitsey, no address given, was fined \$15.00 for running a stop sign.

Elmer Lawrence Cole Jr., no address given, was fined \$15.00 for permitting an unlicensed minor to operate a motor vehicle on a public highway.

Russell Wayne James, no address given, was fined \$10.00 for parking a motor vehicle on a public highway.

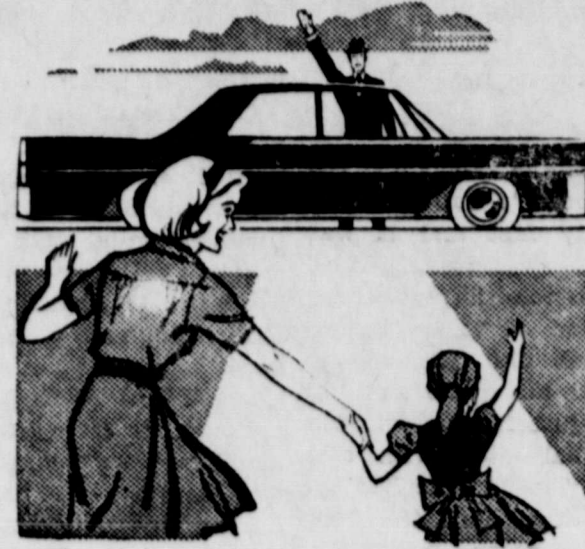
Robert Dale Thomason, Robert Lee, was fined \$20.00 for speeding.

David Richard Means, no address given, was fined \$19.00 for not having a valid operator's license and \$15.00 for not having a valid motor vehicle inspection sticker.

Sam Williams, Robert Lee, was fined \$10.00 for discharging a firearm from a public road.

Carl Theodore, no address given, was fined \$5.00 for running a stop sign.

Joe L. Battle, no address given, was fined \$15.00 for not having a valid operator's license.



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STOKELY'S ENGLISH PEAS - - 2 Cans 45c

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DEL MONTE NEW POTATOES, 303 Can - 2 for 29c

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DEL MONTE CATSUP, 20 Oz. - 2 for 65c

BLUE WATER FISH STICKS - 14 Oz. Pkg. 55c

FROZEN FRENCH FRIES - 2 Lb. Bag 29c

FROSTY ACRES FROZEN 12 OZ. CAN ORANGE JUICE, 6 Oz. - 2 for 39c

7-UP SOFT DRINK - 6 Bot. Cr. 39c Plus Deposit

FRESH

Corn 2 ears 19c

TOKAY GRAPES - Lb. 19c

YELLOW SQUASH - Lb. 29c

PRE-TRIMMED MEATS

Pork Chops lb. 59c

GOOCH'S CURED PICNIC HAMS - - Lb. 39c

WISCONSIN LONGHORN CHEESE - Lb. 65c