

# Robert Lee Observer

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## This Is County Fair Weekend

### Citizens of Tomorrow



Sharla Lynn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel C. Vaughan, was 4 weeks old in this picture.



John Hinnard is the 5 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hinnard.

## Douglas Robertson Named Coke Sheriff

Douglas Robertson, 33, has been chosen to become Coke County sheriff on Oct. 1. He will succeed Melvin Childress, who has resigned, effective Oct. 1.

Robertson is a native of Coke County and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Robertson. He is presently employed by the Department of Public Safety in San Angelo as a dispatcher.

### Coleman Services For Mrs. McClure

Funeral services for Mrs. Willie Bee McClure, 81, of Coleman were held Wednesday afternoon at Coleman. The Rev. James M. Rogers, Baptist minister, officiated and burial was in the Talpa Cemetery.

Born Nov. 4, 1891, at Talpa, she was the former Willie Bee Hollinger and married Rube McClure in 1911. She had lived her entire life in Coleman County and was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors are two sons, James McClure of Robert Lee and Preston McClure of Coleman; four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

## IVEY MOTOR CO. TO DISPLAY NEW FORDS, MERCURYS FRIDAY

Ivey Motor Co. of Robert Lee is planning on a big day Friday when the local Ford and Mercury dealer will show the new 1974 models. Everyone in the area has a cordial invitation to come by and see the new cars, said Cumbie Ivey Jr., owner of the agency.

Ivey said he is well pleased with the looks and performance of the new models and believes his customers will like the elegant styling and distinctive look.

Free door prizes will be given to some of the lucky visitors whose names are drawn, and free refreshments will be served throughout the day.

The Mustang II is receiving special attention this year since it is the most changed car in the auto industry.

ment of Public Safety in San Angelo as a dispatcher.

Selection of Robertson was made Thursday of last week when the county commissioners met in special session. They accepted Childress' resignation at the same meeting.

Robertson was born and lived in the Friendship community northwest of Robert Lee until he was grown. He graduated from Robert Lee High School in 1959. He attended the game warden school at Texas A&M in 1961 and served as a game warden with the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department at Pecos from September 1961 until March 1964, when he transferred to the Department of Public Safety.

He worked with the DPS four years as a radio operator in Del Rio and Abilene, then worked four years as a patrolman at Lake Spence before going back with the DPS in 1971.

He is married to the former Peggy Eckert of San Angelo. They have two children, Valori, 12, and Brantly, 7.

A statement to the public by Sheriff Childress is being printed elsewhere in this paper.

The Mustang II is a small, sporty and luxurious car that Ford expects to be the forerunner of a new class of cars. It is 19 inches shorter than the 1973 Mustang and seven inches shorter than the original Mustang introduced in 1964.

"With the growth of the small car market, Mustang II seems to be coming at the right time," Ivey said.

The Torino line also has some big changes with new front and rear bumpers, grille, taillights, and new sheet metal in the rear.

All Fords, Thunderbirds and Torinos equipped with the 460 or 400 c.i.d. engines will feature solid state ignition.

"We'd like to have everybody come by to see the new Fords and Mercurys," Ivey said, "and extend a special invitation to all our customers and friends."

### Steers to Host Roscoe Friday

The Robert Lee Steers, fresh from a 19-0 victory last week over the Bronte Longhorns, will be at home Friday night to host the Roscoe Plowboys. It will be their second game of the season and their first home game.

In their game last week with Bronte the Steers emerged with the best record in District 9-A. Lyn Sockwell made two touchdowns and Pokey Abalos crossed the double stripe for the third TD in the contest with Bronte.

The Plowboys have a perfect season, also with a 13-0 win over Jayton and a 34-0 victory over Forsan, both Class B teams.

Wall was the only team in District 9-A besides the Steers who took a win last week. Mason fell to San Saba, Llano racked Sonora, Rocksprings took Menard, Carrizo Springs stopped Junction, and Ozona blanked Eldorado.

This week it will Roscoe at Robert Lee, Ozona at Mason, Sonora at Reagen County, Menard at Early, Jim Ned at Wall, Burnet at Junction, and Eldorado at Iran.

Sockwell's 12 points last Friday put him in second place scoring spot in the district. McDonald of Wall is No. 1 with 16 points.

### Items of Interest From R-Lee BCD

Some discussion was held at the Tuesday meeting of the BCD whether to employ John Gill, outdoor sports writer, to publicize Lake Spence again next year. His services would be available again at one-half price. The matter was passed over for a later decision.

Also there was some discussion about the gasoline, natural gas and LP gas shortages which have shown up in some areas. Robert Lee stations and LP gas suppliers have so far been able to meet the demand for their products. It is possible, however, that butane may be in short supply during the cold winter months.

Cumbie Ivey Jr. told the group about his recent hunting trip to Alaska and told of some of his brush flying experiences. He bagged a small bear while on the trip. He said he took a lot of pictures and would show them at a later meeting of the BCD.

President Roy Ford presided and 10 members were present.

### RUSS LORD DIES AT HOBBS

Word was received here Wednesday of the death of Russ Lord of Eunice, N. M. He died in a Hobbs hospital about 3 a.m. Wednesday of a stroke. He was a former resident of Samco.

Funeral services were pending at press time Wednesday afternoon.

Local survivors include two sisters, Mrs. O. H. Campbell and Mrs. Sam McGallion, and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Melvin Childress.

The second annual Coke County Fair will be unreeled Friday and Saturday at the old gymnasium at Robert Lee School. A large number of exhibits are expected and fair officials are looking for a big crowd of spectators both days.

### Coke Exhibitors Win at Abilene

Coke County was well represented in the West Texas Fair held in Abilene last week with 15 county residents exhibiting in four divisions of the big show.

Competing in the modern living section, Mrs. Sterling Lindsey received the sweepstakes award in the needlework division with a needlepoint picture. Mrs. Clifford Wilson was awarded first place on her hand molded ceramic coffee pot. Mrs. Bob Gulley received a second place with her antiqued oil can. Also, Mindi McCabe, exhibiting Christmas tree decorations, won third in the junior craft division.

Audrey Walker received the reserve champion duroc swine banner on her heavyweight duroc entry in the swine show. Cindy Walker placed fifth with her entry in the same class. Sue Lindsey placed second and fourth in the lightweight duroc class and had the second place barrow in the heavyweight crossbred class. Lesa Lindsey had a first place lightweight duroc and placed third in the heavyweight crossbred swine class.

Lynn Gulley exhibited two registered hereford heifers in the fair, winning fourth in the spring yearling class and fifth in the summer yearling class. The two heifers both placed 10th in the open division of the hereford show. Bob Gulley exhibited a bull in the spring yearling class, placing 10th in the open show.

Three entries won in the large horse show at the fair. John Jacobs placed second in the 1973 stallion class. Lisa Devoll, competing in the open youth horse show, placed sixth at halter and also won sixth place in barrel racing.

## VAUGHAN CHEVROLET TO SHOW NEW AUTOMOBILES THURSDAY

The new 1974 Chevrolets will go on display today (Thursday) at Vaughan Chevrolet Co. in Robert Lee. A number of the new cars will be on display and the owners, Bob Vaughan and Ben Bessent, invite everyone in the area to come by to see the new cars.

In addition to having new cars to see, the local Chevrolet dealers will serve free refreshments all day. There will be free gifts for everybody, also.

A total of 44 models are being offered by Chevrolet for 1974 — four less than last year.

"Improvements all across the board add value to all our car lines," said Vaughan.

In addition to the various styling and mechanical advances, Chevrolet is equipping all cars in

ing for a big crowd of spectators both days.

The exhibit hall will be open to the public from 1 to 6 p.m. on Friday and from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. on Saturday.

All exhibits must be in the exhibit hall between 2 and 4 p.m. on Thursday, with the exception of perishable items, which must be in the hands of the judges by 9 a.m. Friday. Judging will start at 9 a.m. Friday.

### Youth and Pet Parade

The Youth and Pet Parade will get under way at 9 o'clock Saturday morning with members of the Robert Lee Steer Band leading the procession. The band, under the direction of Director George Strickland, and the parade entries will assemble on Austin Street between the County Courthouse and Robert Lee State Bank.

The parade will move north to Third Street, then west to the football field, then north to the front of the Robert Lee School where the pets will be judged at 10 a.m.

Any youth 12 years of age or under interested in participating in the parade or pet show is welcomed and encouraged to be present with his entry Saturday morning.

Blue, red and white ribbons will be awarded all entries in competition in the County Fair, Parade and Pet Show. The Merit system of judging rather than of placing, such as first second, third, etc., will be used.

### SERVICES IN ANGELO FOR B. A. AUSTIN, 79

Funeral services for B. A. Austin, 79, of San Angelo were held Monday afternoon at Johnson's Funeral Chapel. He died Saturday night at his home.

Mr. Austin was born May 30, 1894, in Erath County. He graduated from Sterling City High School and attended Texas A&M University. He married Annie F. Conger in Sterling City in 1915.

He was a grocer in San Angelo and had been a rancher in Concho, Reagan and Coke Counties.

Survivors include his wife; a sister, Mrs. F. A. Sparkman of Temple and several nieces and nephews.

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**FHA HAS PARTY RECENTLY FOR NEW CLUB MEMBERS**

The newly organized FHA had an ice cream party recently for new members, which was a beginning of the year's activities.

Newly elected officers for this year are: president, Sue Lindsey; first vice president, Terri Kinsey; second vice president, Audrey Walker; third vice president, Rhonda Askins; fourth vice president, Elaine Millican, fifth vice president, Tricia Brown; sixth vice president, Theresa Percifull; corresponding secretary, Susan Wallace, recording secretary, Phyllis Wojtek; treasurer, LaNell Flowers; parliamentarian, Lesa Lindsey; pianist, Linda Havins; historian, Connie Austin.

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- painted your house
- had company
- been married
- been robbed
- been shot at
- stolen anything

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**Lunchroom Menu**

Monday, Sept. 24: Chicken fried beef patties, creamed potatoes, garden salad, hot rolls and butter, milk and jelly.

Tuesday Sept. 25: Meat loaf, buttered rice, fruit Jello on lettuce, hot rolls and butter, milk and peach upsidedown cake.

Wednesday, Sept. 26: Pinto beans with salt pork, spinach, buttered potatoes, corn bread and butter, milk and apricot cobbler.

Thursday April 27: Hot dogs with chili, buttered corn, cole slaw, potato chips, milk and chocolate pudding.

Friday, Sept. 28: Turkey and dressing with giblet gravy, green beans, combination salad, hot rolls and butter, milk and Jello with cream.

**Hospital News**

Sept. 11: Mrs. Marshall Bevan admitted and dismissed.

Sept. 12: Dona Bryan, V. V. Wojtek, Mrs. Roy Wyatt dismissed.

Sept. 13: Stephanie Bryan admitted. Mrs. Bryan Gartman dismissed.

Sept. 14: Darren Henderson admitted. Stephanie Bryan, Jimmy Munoz, Marie West dismissed.

Sept. 15: Darren Henderson dismissed.

Sept. 16: Ruth Clift, J. P. Rives admitted.

Sept. 17: No admissions, no dismissals.

As of Tuesday morning, there were three patients in the hospital and 31 in the nursing home.

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### Deputy's Letter Says Pay Too Short

(In order for the citizens of Coke County to know the problem they are facing in the field of law enforcement, we are printing below the letter of resignation submitted Aug. 23 by Deputy Sheriff Don Thorpe. It pretty well tells the story of why the upheaval has occurred in the Sheriff's Department.)

Dear Sheriff Childress:

I regretfully submit this letter of resignation to you, but I have been offered and accepted a better paying job elsewhere.

I respectfully request that my annual vacation start on Monday, August 27th, and that my employment terminate on Monday, September 10.

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Sheriff, I feel you are one of the best administrators and supervisors I have ever had the privilege of working with. I also consider you as one of my closest friends besides being my supervisor.

My family and I hate to leave Coke County; we have been happy here and have truly enjoyed the work. We have received excellent cooperation and support from the people of Coke County.

My resigning the position of Deputy Sheriff is merely a matter of not being able to survive on the current salary we are receiving. It has gotten to the point where I cannot support my family on this salary. I have tried to work part time to supplement our pay, but it is still hard to make ends meet. I do not feel a Law Enforcement Officer can function effectively nor perform his duties in a professional manner while trying to work part time or holding down two jobs. I think today's Officer should and nearly has to be a full time job in itself.

Again, I would like to say it has been a wonderful experience and a great pleasure working under your command.

Respectfully submitted,  
 Don B. Thorpe.

Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Trafton Clark of Houston were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Clark.

### Childress Issues Public Statement

(Editor's Note: In connection with the resignation of Sheriff Melvin Childress, he issued the following statement to the citizens of Coke County.)

In regard to the announcement of my retiring, or resigning, as the case may be, as Sheriff of Coke County, effective October 1, 1973, I wish to make the following statement:

I wish to thank the people of Coke County for the support and cooperation given to me as Sheriff and this includes a thanks for those who have been directly associated with the Sheriff's Department as co-workers.

It has been our endeavor to be available for service to the people of Coke County at any time, day or night, as the need arose, whether it be an official or an unofficial problem. We believe this to be the responsibility and duty of the Sheriff's Department and accepted the same as such. In the past few years, due to the high cost of living, for which we received some compensation, the wage scale has not kept up with the increase of living expenses, and this has created its problems in the Sheriff's Department. This has prompted the decisions that we have been called upon to make.

Those of us who have been directly associated with the Sheriff's Department, and its responsibilities, have attempted to give the best service possible at all times. Through the years it has been our feeling that it was necessary to have a Deputy stationed in Bronte, due to the traffic situation on USH 277, the fact that there is heavy traffic in the Oak Creek Lake area, and the fact that the population in our County is about equally divided.

With the completion of the dam and the filling of Lake Spence other problems are developing. This we have no control over and it will of necessity need to be given much consideration.

The answer to the problems will naturally be more help and this will mean more money to be able to cope with the problems.

Mr. Douglas Robertson has been appointed to act as Sheriff of Coke County until such time as he may be elected as Sheriff. We hope the people of Coke County will continue to support him as they have done for me in the past.

In closing may I suggest to the Citizens of Coke County that they continue to take a vital interest in their county government, because I believe in a society such as ours, good government begins at home, and on the local level.

If I may be of assistance to anyone at any time, as an interested citizen, please advise.

Respectfully submitted,  
 Melvin Childress  
 Sheriff  
 Coke County Sheriff's Dept.

#### BRUCKNERS IN WEST TEXAS

Dr. and Mrs. Howard Bruckner of Chatham, N. J., were in Lubbock to attend the doctor's father's funeral on Sept. 11. They were met there by Mrs. Bruckner's mother, Mrs. Lila Austin Cope.

Dr. Bruckner returned to New Jersey after the funeral and Mrs. Bruckner, who is the former Jane Austin, accompanied her mother to Robert Lee and visited for a week before returning home.

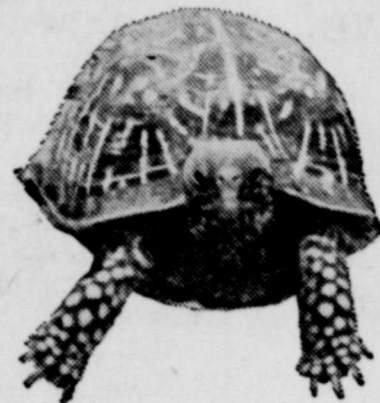
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Sept. 28: Merkel, there, 8:00  
Oct. 5: Bangs, here, 8:00  
Oct. 12: Wall\*, here, 7:30  
Oct. 19: Sonora\*, there, 7:30  
Oct. 26: Eldorado\*, there, 7:30  
Nov. 2: Menard\*, here, 7:30  
(Homecoming)  
Nov. 9: Junction\*, there, 7:30  
Nov. 16: Mason\*, here, 7:30

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## FISHING REPORT from Lake Spence



Fishing has been good for some of the visitors to Lake Spence during the past week. Some of the catches reported included the following:

### Henry's Cafe

Andy Hatchett, Socks Curry and O. H. Gibbs, Midland, 35 crappies and black bass (on minnows). Scotty Turner and Phil Elliott, Clovis, N. M., 18 blacks, up to 4 lbs. total weight 54 lbs.

### Y. J.'s Marina

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hillhouse, Odessa, 5 blacks up to 4 1/4 lbs. Charles Steiger, Odessa, 5 blacks up to 4 lbs. (on Peico Pops). Don Kimbrell, Odessa, 8 blacks up to 3 lbs. (on Devil Horse). Mrs. Archie Jenkins, Odessa, 1 black at 4 lbs. (on minnows). Smokie Rodgers, San Angelo, and Buddy Moore, Sanderson, 8 blacks up to 3 1/2 lbs. (on Pico Pops). Paul Burns and Don Hardman, Lubbock, 12 blacks up to 4 lbs. (one Spinner Baits). Y. J. and Dair Sherrill, Robert Lee, 8 blacks up to 3 1/2 lbs. (on Top Water). B. R. Jenkins, San Angelo, 5 blacks up to 3 lbs.

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Don McCarty, Joe Morris, Gene Dixon and Bob Hutcheson, Midland, 31 blacks up to 4 1/4 lbs. Dennis Counts, Robert Lee, 1 catfish at 5 1/2 lbs. Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Brent, Big Spring, 1 striper at 8 1/2 lbs., 1 blue cat at 6 lbs. and 8 channel cat up to 3 lbs. Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Potts, Monahans, 8 channel cat up to 5 1/2 lbs., 3 crappie up to 1 1/2 lbs. and 8 blacks up to 2 1/2 lbs.

### Edith Store

Jerry Jo Matejek, Midland, 3 blacks up to 2 lbs. and 2 channel cat up to 2 lbs. R. D. Caldwell, Odessa, 5 channel cat up to 2 1/2 lbs., 2 crappie up to 1 1/2 lbs. and 4 white bass up to 2 lbs. Jack and Mike McBroom, Midland, 12 blacks up to 3 lbs. and 8 crappie up to 1 1/2 lbs. Floyd Henry and Arnold Schneerman, San Angelo, 1 black at 2 lbs. and 3 channel cat up to 4 lbs.

## PERSONALS

Mark Kay and his friends, Pat Porterfield and Alden Nesbitt, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bilbo. The boys are all freshmen at ASU.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Wylie were overnight guests last Thursday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Craddock, of Colorado City.

R. S. Anderson of Silver, Mo., and Mrs. Eugene Wojtek and Fay Bower of San Angelo spent the weekend in Acuna, Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Walker and family of San Angelo visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Walker, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Palmer visited Saturday in the W. J. Palmer home in San Angelo.

Mrs. Ray Aldridge and children of Denver City are here this week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Robertson. Doyle Robertson and son of Abilene spent last week here helping his father with some ranch work.

Mrs. Ruth Denman has returned from a two weeks visit with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Prickett and children of Dallas.

The Observer, Robert Lee, Texas

Sept. 20, 1973

# Time to Run

"A Billy Graham Film"

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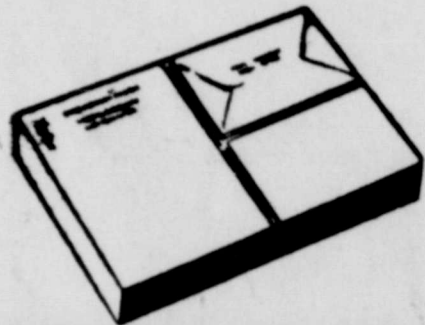
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SATURDAY, SEPT. 22  
 8 P.M.

"Legend of Hell House"

—PG—

### CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank all my friends for their cards, visits, food, gifts and other expressions of concern while I was in the hospital. My special thanks to Dr. Peter and the entire nurses staff at West Coke Hospital.

Mrs. Nora Wyatt

### NOTICE

Change of Office Hours  
**ANDREW PETER, M. D.** will see patients from 1 p.m. until 4 p.m. Monday through Friday at West Coke County Hospital.

**FOR SALE:** Stauffer Exerciser, West Vibrator, \$15.00. Sewing cabinet with chair, \$10.00. Phone 453-2677. Itc

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**GARAGE SALE:** 23 W 5th St. Girls' and men's clothing, furniture, dishes and miscellaneous items. Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 22 and 23, 8 to 6 p.m. Itp

**GARAGE SALE:** 403 18th St. Friday and Saturday, Sept. 21 and 22, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Itc

## BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wink of Hobbs, Tex., are parents of a son born Monday, Sept. 17. He weighed 7 pounds, 8 ounces and has been named Kevin Russ. He has a sister, Rachele, who is 4 years old. Mrs. Wink is the former Betty Pylant. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dee Pylant of Fluvanna and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Wink of Robert Lee. Great-grandmothers are Mrs. Mattie Tinkler of Robert Lee and Mrs. Ball of Fluvanna.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Vandeman of Key West, Fla., are parents of a son, Doyle Jr., who was born Sept. 12. He weighed 6 pounds, 13 ounces. Mrs. Vandeman is the former Penny Riley. Grandparents are Mrs. Judy Lykins of Robert Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Vandeman of Odessa. Great-grandmother is Mrs. Marie West of Robert Lee.

Mrs. Alma Varnadore is spending some time visiting at Garland with her son and family, the Howard Varnadores.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Eggeston of Carlsbad, N. M., visited here over the weekend with Dot Childress and Mr. and Mrs. Jim McCutchen.

## Thoughts

From The Living Bible

Now, in Mid-September, all the people assembled at the plaza in front of the Water Gate and requested Ezra, their religious leader, to read to them the law of God which he had given to Moses. So Ezra the priest brought out to them the scroll of Moses' laws. He stood on a wooden stand so that everyone could see him as he read. He read from early morning until noon. Everyone stood up as he opened the scroll. And all paid close attention.

Nehemiah 8:1-5  
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# Steers Outprice Longhorns, 19-0

By Ronnie Baker

In this day and age of uncertain meat prices, Steers are still quality over Longhorns. It was not known for awhile if the market was strong and steady, but in the end the choice beef came through. The forequarter, composed of Vince Hanna, Jesse Eads, Jeff Eubanks, Cliff Cole, Mike Davis, Mitch Cooley, Rick Mashburn and Craig Bessent, was well in front in quality and speed to the market. The hindquarter was prime overall, with Bill Rowoldt, Lyn Sockwell, Wibby Millican, Poly Abalos and Daryl Copeland running the grain of the forequarter. What this means is that the line is faster, the backs are faster and they play well together.

This was all brought out last Friday night when the Steers opened the 1973 season at Bronte and took the Longhorns for a 19-0 victory.

## First Quarter

The Steers received the opening kickoff at the 10 yard line with a return to the 24. But the Longhorns were fresh and eager and held the Steers for no gain. Mitt Rogers punted short to the Bronte 41 yard line. The Horns made a quick 1st at the Steer 29 and then a pass play carried to the 3 yard line where Bill Rowoldt put a jarring tackle on the receiver and he fumbled, with Lyn Sockwell recovering at the 3. Bronte held the Steers for little gain and Rogers punted to the Steer 47 with no return.

The Steers then held for no gain and Bronte punted to the Steer 5 where Sockwell took it and returned to his own 30 yard line. The Steers made a 1st at the 41, then another at the Bronte 38. Then on 1st down Sockwell followed his blockers to the right and cut back up the middle to go all the way for the first TD of the ball game. The extras failed and the Steers led 6-0. Sockwell kicked off to the Bronte 15 with a return to the Bronte 37. The Longhorns made a 1st at their 49 on a pass. Then they passed again and Poly Abalos intercepted at the Steer 47 and went all the way down the sideline for a 53 yard touchdown. The extras failed and the Steers led 12-0. Sockwell kicked off to the Bronte 22 with a return to the 37. Bronte made a 1st at the Steer 46 as the first quarter ended.

## Second Quarter

The Steers held at their 40 and Bronte punted to the 14 with no return. The Steers made a 1st at their 32 and another at the Bronte 29. Then the Longhorns held at the 24. But then the Longhorns got racked and they fumbled at the Bronte 27 with Craig Bessent recovering. On the first play the Steers fumbled with Bronte recovering on the 28. Bronte made a 1st at the 39, then the Steers held and the Longhorns punted to the Steer 17 with no return. The Steers made a 1st on the 29. First downs fol-

## ALPHA KAPPA PI MEETS WITH MRS. JIMMY BELL

Alpha Kappa Pi met Wednesday night, Sept. 12, in the home of Mrs. Jimmy Bell, with Mrs. Wayne Mashburn as co-hostess.

The program was presented by Mrs. Ben Bessent. She was assisted by Mrs. Truman Hines and Mrs. Arthur Runnion.

The hostess served a cherry desert to 12 members. It was decided to have a salad supper in the home of Mrs. Dale Wojtek Sept. 17. Next regular meeting will be Sept. 26 in the home of Mrs. Donald Mauldin.

lowed at the 47, the 37, the 23 and the 6. But somehow time ran out with 21 seconds left in the first half.

## Third Quarter

Bronte received the second half kickoff at their 20 with a return to the 38. Then with the aid of three penalties, the Longhorns made it to the Steer 5 yard line. There the defense rose to the occasion and caused substantial losses back to the 21 yard line where the Steers held.

The Steers made a 1st down but Bronte intercepted a deflected pass at the Steer 44. The Steers held for a 3 yard gain and Bronte punted to the 3 with a return to the Steer 18 yard line. The Steers started a drive that car-

ried to the Bronte 40 as the third quarter ended.

## Fourth Quarter

The drive continued as the Steers made three more 1st downs to the Bronte 4 yard line. Then, from the 1 yard line, Wibby Millican drove over for the score. Doug Herford kicked the extra point and the Steers led 19-0.

Sockwell kicked off to the Bronte 22, with the return going out to

the Bronte 41 yard line. Bronte made a 1st at the Steer 44, then Sockwell intercepted a pass at the Steer 30 and returned to the Bronte 47. The Longhorns held

at their 42 on downs. Bronte made a 1st at the Steer 46 and another at the 33. Then the Steers held on downs. The Robert Lee boys started another drive with 1st downs at the Bronte 45, then at the 34 and 24. The clock caught up with them and that was all the time.

Final score: 19-0.

The Observer, Robert Lee, Texas

Sept. 20, 1973

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## PUBLIC NOTICE

SUMMARY OF PROPOSED

## CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

SPECIAL ELECTION NOVEMBER 6, 1973

### NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 8)

Article III, Sections 5, 24 and 49a and Article VIII, Section 6 of the Texas Constitution are amended to:

Provide for regular annual sessions of the Legislature. The regular session in each odd-numbered year would be for a period not to exceed 180 days. The regular session in each even numbered year would be for a period not to exceed 60 days and would be limited to consideration of fiscal matters and any emergency matters submitted by the Governor. The 60 day session could be extended by the Governor for a period not to exceed 30 days;

Provide an annual salary for members of the Legislature not exceeding \$15,000 per year and a per diem not exceeding \$18 per day for each day of each regular session or special session;

Provide that no appropriation of money shall be made for a longer term than one year and direct the Comptroller to make annual estimates of anticipated revenue rather than biennial estimates.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to provide for annual regular sessions of the legislature; and to provide an annual salary of \$15,000 and per diem for the members of the legislature, effective in January, 1975."

### NUMBER TWO ON THE BALLOT (H.J.R. 7)

Article XVI, Sections 50 and 51 of the Texas Constitution are amended to:

Include within the scope of homestead protection the real property of a single adult person which meets the other requirements of homestead property, and to provide that a family homestead may not be abandoned except with the consent of both spouses.

Presently a single adult person is not entitled to claim a homestead exemption and a married man can abandon a family homestead without the consent of his wife.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to include within the scope of homestead protection the real property of a single adult person which meets the other requirements of homestead property, and to provide that a family homestead may not be abandoned except with the consent of both spouses."

### NUMBER THREE ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 13)

Article VIII, Sections 1-a and 1-b of the Texas Constitution are amended to:

Extend the \$3,000 ad valorem tax exemption to the residential homesteads of unmarried adults.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to extend the \$3,000 ad valorem tax exemption to the homesteads of unmarried adults."

### NUMBER FOUR ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 1)

Article XVI, Section 59, of the Texas Constitution is amended by adding a new Subsection (e) which:

Provides that no law creating a conservation and reclamation district shall be passed unless a copy of the proposed law is delivered to the commissioners court of each county and to the governing body of each incorporated city or town in whose jurisdiction said district or any part thereof is or will be located. Each such commissioners court and governing body may file its written consent or opposition to the proposed law with the Governor, Lieutenant Governor and Speaker of the House of Representatives. Each special law creating such a district must comply with general laws then in effect relating to consent by political subdivisions to the creation of such districts.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment establishing certain requirements relative to the enactment of laws creating certain conservation and reclamation districts."

### NUMBER FIVE ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 12)

Article XI, Section 7 of the Texas Constitution is amended to:

Provide that all counties and cities bordering on the coast of the Gulf of Mexico are authorized to levy a tax to pay for bonds issued for the construction of sea walls and breakwaters upon a majority vote of the resident property tax-payers. Counties and cities are presently authorized to levy such taxes and this amendment only changes the required vote from a two-thirds majority to a simple majority.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing counties and cities bordering on the Gulf of Mexico to issue bonds

### NUMBER SIX ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 26)

Article V, Section 8 of the Texas Constitution is amended by adding a new paragraph which:

Provides that the district court, concurrently with the county court, shall have the general jurisdiction of a probate court and in a probate proceeding shall also have the jurisdiction otherwise conferred on it by law. It also provides that the legislature may increase, diminish, or eliminate the jurisdiction of the district court or county court in probate matters, may adopt rules governing the filing, distribution, or transfer of cases and proceedings as between the courts having jurisdiction of probate matters, and may provide that all appeals in probate matters shall be to the courts of civil appeals.

The wording of the proposed constitutional amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment stating that the district court concurrently with the county court shall have the general jurisdiction of a probate court, and providing the jurisdiction thereof, and further providing that in any probate proceeding the district court shall also have jurisdiction otherwise conferred upon it by law, and further providing that the legislature may increase, diminish or eliminate the jurisdiction of the district court or county court in probate matters, and further providing that the legislature shall have power to adopt rules governing the filing, distribution and transfer of all such cases and proceedings as between district courts, county courts, and other courts having jurisdiction thereof, and further providing that the legislature may provide that all appeals in such matters shall be to the courts of (civil) appeals."

### NUMBER SEVEN ON THE BALLOT (H.J.R. 6)

Article III, Section 49-b of the Texas Constitution is amended to:

Provide for an additional \$100 million in bonds or obligations of the State of Texas for the Veterans' Land Fund. This amendment increases the present \$400 million authorization to \$500 million;

Remove the present provision which permits buying of land only by those veterans who served between September 16, 1940 and the date of formal withdrawal of United States troops from the armed conflict in Viet Nam. This amendment would allow all veterans who serve after September 16, 1940 to buy land from the Veterans' Land Fund, provided they are otherwise qualified;

Provide that, in the event of the death of an eligible

Texas veteran after the veteran has filed with the Board an application and contract of sale to purchase through the Board the tract selected by him or her and before the purchase has been completed, then the surviving spouse may complete the transaction.

The wording of the proposed amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to provide for an additional \$100 million in bonds or obligations of the State of Texas for the Veterans' Land Fund."

### NUMBER EIGHT ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 29)

Article XI, of the Texas Constitution is amended by adding a new Section 5(a) which:

Authorizes and requires incorporated cities, towns, and villages, regardless of population and notwithstanding the constitutional limitations on total tax rates, to levy such annual ad valorem taxes on the taxable property in the city, town or village as are necessary to pay the principal of and interest on, when due, the general obligations hereinafter issued by the city, town, or village. The legislature is empowered to limit by general or special law the total principal amount of general obligations which may be issued, but unless and until the legislature acts to do so, the limitations established by statute with respect to the total principal amount of bonds which may be issued by independent school districts shall apply as the rate limitation on cities, towns, and villages.

The wording of the proposed constitutional amendment as it appears on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to authorize cities, towns, and villages to levy such ad valorem taxes as are sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on their general obligations hereafter issued subject to the restrictions provided by law."

### NUMBER NINE ON THE BALLOT (S.J.R. 25)

Article VIII of the Texas Constitution is amended by adding a new Section 2C which:

Allows the Legislature, by general law, to exempt all real and personal property used by non-profit water supply corporations or cooperatives from all property taxes. The exemption would apply only to such property as is reasonably necessary to conduct the business of a non-profit water supply corporation or cooperative.

The wording of the proposed constitutional amendment as it will appear on the ballot is as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to exempt from property taxes certain property used by a non-profit water supply corporation or a non-profit water supply cooperative."



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The Parade Will Begin at the Courthouse and End at the School



# COUNTY FAIR

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## Robert Lee Schools

### Our Congratulations —

We sincerely congratulate all the persons who have worked to make the Second Annual Coke County Fair a reality. They all deserve our thanks for continuing this important event. The Coke County Fair is symbolic of the productivity of our area and all of us should be proud to show what we have grown on our land and what we have made with our hands. It will be a fine show and we hope every person in Coke County attends. And, of course, we hope hundreds of visitors come by to see the many things produced here. They might also catch a glimpse of the good life which is available to them, just in case they might want to move here.



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<b>Tinkler's Gulf Service Station</b>	<b>Hiway Cafe</b> Mr. and Mrs. Otho Long	



Mrs. Thurston McCutchen

**Thurston McCutchen, Miss Peggy Ruth Matthiesen Exchange Marriage Vows in Rowena Church Ceremony**

Miss Peggy Ruth Matthiesen of Paint Rock became the bride of Thurston Ben McCutchen in a ceremony performed at 3:30 p.m. Sept. 8 in St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Rowena. The Rev. Kevin Heyburn performed the ceremony.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Felix R. Matthiesen of Paint Rock, and the bridegroom's parents are T. C. McCutchen of Sonora and Mrs. Hollis Rogers of Houston.

Music for the wedding was provided by Mary Joan Franke, organist, and Mrs. Joe Vancil, soloist. Matron of honor was Mrs. Charles Frey of Olfen, sister of the bride, and bridesmaids were Mrs. Gary Dickson of Veribest, sister of the bride, and Miss Jessie McCutchen of Sonora, sister of the bridegroom.

Best man was Ronnie Williams of Post, while Donnie Swink of Aspermont and Teddy Millican of Robert Lee were groomsmen. Ushers were Gary Dickson of Veribest, Charles Frey of Olfen, Bill Green of San Angelo and Bruce Kerbow of Sonora. Candlelighters were Douglas Frey of Olfen and Curtis Odell of San Angelo.

The bride's father gave her in marriage. She wore a formal gown of Georgette fashioned with a bodice of re-embroidered Alencon lace accented with pearls, high waisted skirt with fluid folds, long full sleeves with angel cuffs and a chapel length train trimmed in lace.

The bride's attendants wore full length navy georgette gowns, featuring a wide ruffle at the bottom, scoop neck, full sleeves and white lace collar and cuffs.

The bride is a 1970 graduate of Paint Rock High School and is a senior at Angelo State University.

**MIKE IRISH PROMOTED**

Lubbock Criminal Dist. Atty. Alton Griffin announced Friday the promotion of Mike Irish to first district attorney. He has been serving as chief of the misdemeanor section.

Irish has been an assistant DA the past year, joining the staff after a brief period with the Texas Tech Legal Affairs Office.

He is a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McCutchen.

The bridegroom is a 1969 graduate of Sonora High School and attended ASU for three years. He is a feed dealer in Robert Lee, where the couple will live following a wedding trip to Mexico.

Parents of the bride were hosts for a supper and dance in the Rowena Parish Hall. Parents of the bridegroom hosted the rehearsal dinner at Lowake Inn.

# NOTICE!

Due to the rising cost of supplies, the following prices are effective Oct. 1:

SHAMPOO & SET	-----	\$ 3.50
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BLEACH	-----	25.00
RE-TOUCH	-----	20.00
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LASH & BROW DYE	-----	2.50
RE-COMB	-----	1.50
CREME RINSE	-----	.50
COLOR RINSE	-----	.50
CONDITIONERS	-----	1.00 & up
TINT	-----	10.50
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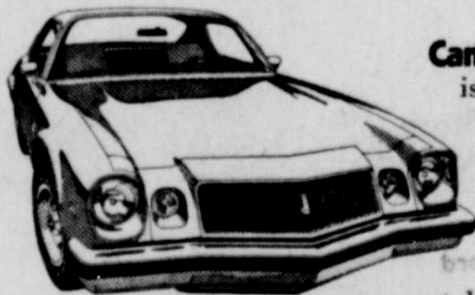
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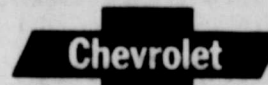
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