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## Plans Made for Big Coke Fair

### Safety Urged Over July 4th

According to the Texas Safety Association, nationwide traffic fatality projections for the July Fourth Holiday are the lowest in almost 25 years.

TSA President Edwin B. Locke today noted that Texas motorists can help keep the toll at a minimum by buckling their safety belts, observing speed limits and paying attention to some of the hazards which accompany the energy shortage.

"While the decline of highway death and injury which has accompanied the lowering of speed limits has received wide publicity," Locke said, "some of the hazards created by the energy shortage have not attracted much attention."

He specified the increase of small cars on the highways. According to the Insurance Institute for Highway Safety, the occupants of smaller cars involved in crashes tend to sustain more severe injuries than the occupants of larger cars.

"Small car drivers should be aware of the extra hazards they

### Front Brings Cooler Weather

A cool front moved through this area early Monday morning, setting off showers and bringing cooler temperatures. Robert Lee received a light shower Monday morning and Bronte recorded .2 inch of rain.

High temperature readings this week have been in the 80s and 90s after 100 degree and plus temperatures last week. A low of 56 degrees was registered in San Angelo Tuesday morning, which was a record low for the date since the National Weather Service was established in 1947.

The cool and mild weather has been a welcome relief from the early summer heat, but the area still is in need of good rains.

### BANK PAYING 10 PER CENT BONUS FOR PENNIES

Anyone who has been saving pennies and has a minimum of 100 can make a 10 per cent profit by cashing them in at Robert Lee State Bank.

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free," Locke said. "While we urge all drivers to buckle up and drive defensively, drivers of sub-compact should be doubly cautious."

Locke also noted the sharp increase in the presence of gas saving motorcycles on the road today and the corresponding increase in cycle-car accidents. He urged drivers to be on the lookout for two wheeled vehicles, and to accord them the normal driving courtesies.

Some drivers, Locke said, continue to put themselves and others in extreme danger by taking along an extra can of gasoline in the car. "Trying to beat the fuel shortage by transporting gasoline anywhere besides the fuel tank is playing with dynamite," he said.

Even in "safety cans" gasoline vapors can leak, ready to explode with the introduction of the tiniest spark.

The National Safety Council has predicted that 450 to 550 persons will die in traffic accidents over the holiday period beginning at 6 p.m. Wednesday, July 3, and ending at midnight Sunday, July 7. The last comparable July Fourth Holiday in Texas was in 1972 when 80 people died in traffic accidents.



Marvin C. Simpson

### Simpson Making Good Will Tour

Marvin C. Simpson, 17 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin A. Simpson of Robert Lee, is one of 104 delegates from the United States selected to participate in the People to People Citizen Ambassador Program. Three groups representing 20 states will tour Europe for 38 days on a Goodwill Ambassador program established by President Eisenhower.

Marvin embarked from San Angelo on June 15 enroute to Washington, D. C., to join other ambassadors for orientation by the State Department and to visit with congressional representatives from Texas. The selected group

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Plans are now in the making for the forthcoming Coke County Fair, Sept. 13-15 have been set aside as "Fair Days." The theme of this year's event will be "A Heritage Jubilee" and plans for the fair include a big old time celebration on Saturday night, complete with

### Kenneth Butler Assistant Coach

The Robert Lee School board of trustees hired Kenneth Butler of McCamey as assistant coach at a meeting last Thursday night.

Butler, a native of Rising Star, has been junior high coach at McCamey. He graduated from Rising Star High School, attended Cisco Junior College and is a graduate of Tarleton College. He and his wife have one child, 1 1/2 years old.

The board also accepted the resignation of Miss Sue Hunt who resigned to accept a teaching position at Lamesa.

This leaves RLHS in need of a Spanish teacher and an English teacher for the 1974-75 school year.

### ROACH'S HAVING ANNUAL SUMMER CLEARANCE

Roach's Dry Goods is announcing this week that they are having a Mid-Summer Clearance Sale with many bargains all through the store. An advertisement in this week's Observer lists many of the sale items.

W. T. Roach said everyone is invited to shop their store and take advantage of the savings.

crowning a Belle and Beau, square dance and Western music.

Everyone is urged to get busy now on entries for the Fair which will be held in the new County Center and Show Building. Entries will be submitted in the same manner as last year but plans have been made to include some new divisions and categories in this year's show. These include a flea market, antique show and possibly a household arts division and livestock exhibits.

A fair catalogue will soon be printed and mailed to all box-holders in the county. Last year's fair was a big success and this year's is expected to be bigger and better.

### CLAY ALLEN WINS FIRST IN JUNIOR GOLF TOURNEY

Clay Allen won the 12-13 year old division in the Odessa Country Club West Texas Junior Golf Tournament last Friday. His 85 was low among the 35 boys entered. One other lad had 86, another 87, and the rest were all above 90.

The win qualifies Clay to play in the Tournament of Champions which will be held at Ranchland Hill Country Club in Midland in August.

Clay is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Allen.

Billy Matlock, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Matlock Jr., also played in the tournament.

### Survey Made Of Coke Shelters

Two weeks of work in Robert Lee and Bronte by Army Reservists will be culminated Friday with the presentation of a Civil Defense survey to Coke County officials.

The published survey will show Civil Defense officials at a glance the sheltering available to Coke Counties in the event of a natural disaster such as a tornado. These shelters range in size from the basements of public buildings to private storm cellars.

In an emergency, rooms under the concrete stands at the Robert Lee High School gymnasium could provide shelter for nearly 300 persons, making it the largest shelter in Robert Lee, the survey will show.

The survey will include a complete listing of all the shelters which the Reservists were able to find in their foot surveys of the two towns. The Reservists joined Civil Defense directors Bob Large of Robert Lee and Frederick Alley of Bronte in expressing their thanks to the public for assistance in locating and giving information about the shelters for the survey.

"We would like to think that the shelters will never be needed, but we know better than that," said Capt. Allen Clendennen of Robert Lee, officer in charge of the survey.

"Emergencies which always seem to happen elsewhere could very well happen here," he continued. "If disaster does occur, we think this survey will be invaluable in locating shelter, not only from the storm, but to those persons who are displaced by hav-

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CIVIL DEFENSE SURVEY — Coke County with 1st Lt. Steve Cates of the 490th Civil Affairs Co., U. S. Army Reserve, of Abilene which is conducting a sur-

vey of emergency shelters and communications networks in Coke County. (USAR Photo)



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**TWO ROBERT LEE GIRLS  
RECEIVE NURSES CAPS**

Freshman students of the March 1975 Vocational Nursing Class of San Angelo Public Schools held capping ceremonies last Friday night at the Harris Ave. Baptist Church in San Angelo.

The ceremony concluded four months of training for the class. Dr. Charles Bray was the guest speaker.

Among the students receiving caps were Donna Wallace and Warla Caulder of Robert Lee.

Attending from Robert Lee were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wallace Jr., Susan and Buddy, Mrs. Waymon Robertson, Mrs. Curtis Walker Debra Caulder and Jamie Myers.

Following the ceremonies, a reception was held at the church, by the Senior Vocational Nursing Class.

**Conner Family  
Holds Gathering**

Children and descendants of the late Mr. and Mrs. Silas Conner held their annual reunion over the weekend. They gathered at the Recreation Hall Saturday and at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Green for lunch Sunday. Eighty-seven persons attended.

Of the six surviving children, all were present except Latham Conner of Bakersfield, Calif. His family was represented by a son and grandson, Doug and Chris Conner of Houston.

Children who attended were Mr. and Mrs. E. B. (Evah) Gray of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Harney Conner of Glenrock, Wyo., Mrs. Pauline Wilkerson of Carlsbad, N. M., Mrs. Verna Davis of Richardson and Mrs. Ethel Green of Robert Lee.

A special guest was Mrs. Bonnie Norfleet, 86, of Carlsbad, N. M., who was a sister-in-law of the late Mrs. Silas (Ursula Norfleet) Conner. She is the only surviving child of the late Dr. and Mrs. Reed, who were early day residents of Silver.

Other descendants and guests attended from Roswell, N. M.; Capitan, N. M.; Pearland; Cross Plains; Arlington; Rock Spring, Wyo.; Okessa; Albuquerque, N. M.; Phoenix, Ariz.; Austin; Dallas; Silver; Bakersfield, Calif.; Litchney; Midland, Big Spring; Abilene and Colorado City.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Gaines, George Bob and David of Levelland visited over the weekend with Mrs. A. E. Latham and Mrs. Lilly Gaines and fished at Lake Spence. Jasper Gaines, also of Levelland, visited Mrs. Lilly Gaines Saturday.

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The process of hatching the baby stripers under laboratory conditions has been developed since the exotic stripers were introduced a few years ago into Lake Spence.

Fishermen are catching the beautiful stripers up to 15 pounds now, and experts say the stripers may reach 35 pounds within a few years.

Catches reported during the last week include the following:

### Y. J.'s Marina

Doyle Graham, Sweetwater, 1 striper at 11¼ lbs.

Kenneth Kiker, Robert Lee, 1 channel cat at 9 lbs.

David Fields, Denver City, 1 striper at 9 lbs., 9 ozs.

Wayne Blackard, Odessa, 1 striper at 4 lbs., 9 ozs.

Clecia Roberts, Odessa, 1 channel cat at 7½ lbs.

### Henry's Cafe

Charles Dickey and Jay Frazer, Lubbock, 20 black bass to 5 lbs.

Ned Myers, Southland, 70 white bass to 2¼ lbs.

Bob Hunter, Slaton, 6 white bass to 2½ lbs.

Tommy Neff, Roscoe, 20 white bass to 2 lbs.

Charles and James Dickey, Lubbock, 5 blacks to 4½ lbs.

Dink's Bait, Old Edith Store Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cotton, Toyah, 15 channel cat to 5 lbs. and 30 whites.

Bob Coleman, Odessa, 2 blacks to 4 lbs.

Bernard Collins and R. R. Ross, Midland, 5 blacks to 3½ lbs., 4 whites to 2 lbs., and 15 channel cat to 5 lbs.

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Al and Ruby Smith, Odessa, 2 blacks to 1 lb.

Richard and Doug Eberhardt, Lubbock, 2 stripers to 4 lbs., 10 blacks to 12½ lbs. and 24 channel cat to 4 lbs.

Charley Bundrick, Midland, 1 striper at 8 lbs. and 10 channel cat to 4½ lbs. and 1 blue cat.

John Eckart, Midland, 14 blacks to 5 lbs.

Curtis Duncan and Dennis McCampbell, Midland, 2 blacks to 2 lbs.

Ron and Shorty Bankhead, Odessa, 2 stripers to 10 lbs.

Wildcat Fish-A-Rama

O. T. Reeder and J. R. Black, Lubbock, 20 channel cat to 6 lbs., 1 yellow cat at 10 lbs. and 7 stripers to 10 lbs.

Robert Dewoody, Odessa, 10 blacks to 4½ lbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Walker, Hobbs, 10 channel cat to 2½ lbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Kerch, Lubbock, 2 blacks to 3 lbs.

### Hillside Grocery

Earl Cannon, Odessa, 1 yellow cat at 14 lbs.

M. M. Martin, Hobbs, 12 channel cat to 4 lbs.

Bryan Cooper, Odessa, 10 blacks to 3½ lbs.

Dan Davis, 1 striper at 3½ lbs., 6 channel cat to 3½ lbs. and 3 white bass to 1 lb.

Hank Baker, Robert Lee, 20 channel cat to 4 lbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dee Blair recently moved from Robert Lee to a ranch 10 miles south of Sweetwater.

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MARVIN SIMPSON — Continued from Page 1

has since departed for England and will stay in private homes in the London area for a few days. A total of 11 countries will be visited during the tour. Marvin's group will journey from England to Denmark, then to Russia for a visit in Moscow and the Kremlin. Other countries they will visit include Hungary, Austria, Holland, Belgium, France, Switzerland and Germany. Historic, industrial and other sites of interest will be visited. In three countries—England, Holland and Germany—the visitors will spend time in private homes.

The group will arrive back in New York on July 23. Marvin will fly from there to Rapid City, S. D., where he will join his family for the rest of the summer.

The People to People Ambassador Program was established by Pres. Gen. Eisenhower to perpetuate good will in foreign nations. President Eisenhower stated: "The aim is to build a massive program of communication between Americans and the citizens of other lands—to establish lasting two way relationships from which international friendship and understanding could grow. The technique is to be direct—through people to people—as distinct from official government contacts."

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SHELTER SURVEY — Continued from Page 1

ing their homes destroyed by a storm."

The survey will also include a complete listing of all communications systems, public and private (except telephone) in the county. A diagram will show how a network of Citizens Band radios could be utilized in the event telephone communications were interrupted by a storm.

The survey was conducted by members of the 490th Civil Affairs Company, U. S. Army Reserve headquartered in Abilene, as one of the requirements of their two weeks of annual active duty.

LOCAL RESIDENTS ATTEND HATLEY FAMILY REUNION

Mrs. Golda Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Ell Hatley attended the Hatley family reunion June 7, 8 and 9 at Redrock Canyon State Park in Oklahoma. About 50 persons from several states attended.

Also present were the Hatleys' son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby L. Hatley and children of Goltzy, Okla., and their grandsons, Bobby Hatley Jr. of Enid, Okla., and Steve Hatley and his wife, who recently returned from a tour of Navy duty in Naples, Italy.

CLASS OF 1949 TO HAVE REUNION OVER WEEKEND

The Robert Lee High Class of 1949 will have a reunion this weekend at the Recreation Hall.

Refreshments will be served Saturday night and games of dominoes, etc., will be played. Lunch will be served Sunday.

Class members, their families and former teachers are invited to attend.

INDIANS HONORED

The Robert Lee Indians and their manager, Glenn Womack, were honored with a wiener roast and swimming party Monday night.

The affair was hosted by parents of the team and was held at the Coke County Park in Robert Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Bervis Plunk of Dallas were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Buster Pierce from Wednesday until Friday last week. Mrs. Plunk is Mrs. Pierce's niece.

Items of Interest From R-Lee BCD

Twelve members and one guest were present for the BCD meeting Tuesday.

James Newby, service manager for General Telephone Co., was a guest of W. D. McAdams.

Routine business was discussed.

Bill Allen reported that an outdoor writer working through Jim Gill of San Angelo will write an article for Outdoor Life on the "Technique of Fishing," to be published shortly after Christmas. Another article on "Striper Bass" will be published in the late summer or early fall. These articles will be about Lake Spence.

Weldon Fikes was appointed a director of the Cemetery Association for a two year term.

The BCD's weekly noon luncheon is now held at the HiWay Cafe each Tuesday. The cafe is closed to the public on Tuesdays, but the meal for the BCD is prepared and served there.

Coffman Funeral Held at Snyder

Mrs. Robert L. (Bob) Coffman, 63, of Snyder died at her home about 5 a.m. Sunday. Services were held at 10 a.m. Tuesday in the Colonial Hill Baptist Church in Snyder with burial in Hillside Memorial Gardens. The Rev. Miller Robinson, pastor, officiated.

Born Oct. 1, 1910, at Monticello, Miss., she was the former Minnie Lee Waldrop. She was married to Robert L. (Bob) Coffman Oct. 16, 1955, in San Angelo.

She and her husband lived at Silver for several years but had lived in Snyder since 1966. She was a member of the Colonial Hill Baptist Church.

Survivors are her husband; three sons, Charles Oliphant of Mefford and Donnie and Gordon Oliphant, both of LaMarque; and seven grandchildren.

PERSONALS

Chuck Askins of Euless spent last week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Foy Askins of Robert Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bloodworth of Silver. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Askins came after him and visited over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bloodworth and Mrs. Bonnie Robertson spent Saturday night and Sunday with the Carl Bloodworths at Valley Mills. Lori returned home with her grandparents for a week's visit. The Bloodworths and Melody and Mike Dumas were in Amherst June 15 and 16 to visit Mr. and Mrs. Keith Thomas and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dumas of Abilene were in Robert Lee Saturday visiting relatives. Their children, Melody and Mike, returned home with them after spending three weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bloodworth of Silver.

Phillip Plumlee of Humble is spending a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Plumlee.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Slaton visited several days last week with her niece and family, the David Hoopers, at Haulingen.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacky Wallace of Abilene and Donna Wallace of San Angelo spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wallace Jr., Susan and Buddy.

Mrs. Irene Edwards of Garland is visiting her sisters, Mrs. Jerry Thomason, Mrs. Marjorie Harwell and Mrs. Mattie Braswell. Mrs. Edwards' daughter, Mrs. Dan McClanahan and children, Sharee and Murk, brought her to Robert Lee and visited over the weekend before returning to Garland.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Burns recently were in Ethel, Miss., for four days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Johnson. Mr. Johnson suffered a heart attack and was in the hospital. Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Davis and family of Mertzon were also called to Mississippi because of the serious illness of her father. At last report, Mr. Johnson was doing better and had returned to his home.

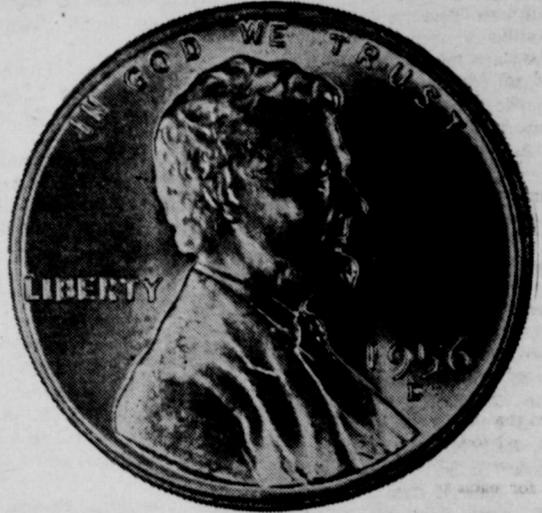
Jacky Preslar, son of Mrs. Paul Burns, was listed on the Dean's Roll for the spring semester at Texas A&M University, with a 4.0 grade average. Preslar is majoring in engineering and will graduate in December. He and his wife reside at College Station.

Mr. and Mrs. Chad Anderson of Lubbock visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McCutchen, during the weekend.

Rodney Caston of Odessa is spending two weeks with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Caston. Their niece, Ann Elizabeth Davis of Sweetwater, visited them last week. Their daughter, Kim, was a guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Davis at Roscoe, from Thursday until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Blake and family of Irving spent the weekend with his sister and family, the Dale Browns of Robert Lee and his parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Blake of Bronte. Also visiting the Browns are Mr. and Mrs. Royce Smith were Mr. and Mrs. James Smith of Odessa. They recently moved to Odessa from Waco.

Chris Post of Corpus Christi was a guest of the Clayton Bloodworths from Wednesday until Saturday. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Post, former Silver residents. Mr. Post is Mrs. Bloodworth's brother.



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## Boating Safety Week Proclaimed

Gov. Dolph Briscoe has proclaimed the week of June 30 through July 6 Safe Boating Week in Texas.

The Texas Safety Association, along with boating groups across the state, urged Texans to pay special attention to boating safety during the July Fourth holiday when water traffic is always heavy.

The official proclamation pointed out that there are now 432,558 boats registered in Texas. "This increase in recreational craft greatly intensifies the water safety problem," reads the proclamation. "It is imperative that all boaters observe the basic rules of boating safety if we are going to keep loss of life and property at a minimum."

In 1973 there were 74 boating deaths in Texas. Sixty-five of these contributed to drownings. Deaths like these can be prevented, according to TSA officials, if boaters will take the simple precautions of wearing a personal flotation device.

At least half of the recreational drowning victims in the United States last year never intended going into the water in the first place. Either they were involved in a boat sinking or they slipped, tripped or fell into the water. Most of the "surprise victims" were not wearing a flotation device — and none was handy.

Keeping personal flotation devices handy not only makes good sense safetywise, but Texas law requires that on recreational boats 16 feet and longer, there must be a Coast Guard approved wearable device for each person aboard. In addition, one throwable device must be carried.

For smaller boats and all canoes and kayaks, one buoyant cushion is required for each person on board. However, the Coast Guard recommends use of wearable devices.

TSA also urged Fourth of July boaters to begin thinking safety on the way to the water. Familiarize yourself with the basic rules of boat trailering, buckle your safety belt, observe the 55 mph speed limit and have a good holiday, says the safety group.

## PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Ben L. Keys of Christoval visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim McCutchen, last Thursday. They were enroute to Lubbock to visit their grandson, Lee Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Chism Brown visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Priddy Brown and Fran at Chickasha, Okla. They also attended the National Campers and Hikers Association that was held in Oklahoma City. Five states were represented at the regional meet with 719 rigs being on the fair grounds. They also attended a campers meet at Abilene State Park before returning home.

Mrs. Bill Bomar and children of Bowie, Ind., spent the weekend in Robert Lee with relatives. She is a niece of Chism Brown and Mrs. Russell McBroom. Her mother was the late Vera (Brown) McSpadden of Marfa. Her father, S. J. (Diamond) McSpadden, resides at Marfa.

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# Retirement.

## The end of work, or the beginning of worry?

Most people look toward retirement as a time of relaxation and enjoyment. And it can be if you prepare for it. But if you don't, it can be a time of worry and discontentment. A time when you can look back and think of a million ways that you could have saved, but didn't.

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## Mapes Reunion Held Here Sunday

The descendants of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Mapes held their annual reunion in the Recreation Hall in Robert Lee Sunday. Mrs. Mapes resided in Robert Lee prior to her death.

Mrs. A. J. Roe Sr. of Robert Lee is one of the surviving daughters. Other children attending were Mrs. Roy Adams and Mr. Adams of Wingate and Melvin Mapes and Mrs. Mapes of Winters.

Out of town relatives came from Andrews, Lubbock, San Angelo, Abilene, Quanah, Big Spring, Odessa, Wingate, Bronte and Hobbs, N. M.

From Robert Lee were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Slaton, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Roe and Sue, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roe and Ray, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Roe Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Roe and David.

### CLASS OF 1964 REUNION JULY 6 AT DRENNAN RANCH

The Robert Lee High School Class of '64 will have a reunion and barbecue on July 6 at the Wayland Drennan ranch, 17 miles west of Robert Lee.

Class members, their families and all former teachers of the class are invited to attend.

All those planning to attend are asked to notify Mrs. Wayland (Mary Beth Walker) Drennan, Edith Route, Robert Lee, Texas 76945.

Guests last Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Oda Benton were his sister-in-law, Mrs. Zelma Benton, of Cleburne and his nephew and wife, Ron and Ruby Benton from Wahiawa, Hawaii. Ron has been stationed in Hawaii three years. He and his wife are also visiting her parents in Big Spring. David Stubblefield of Colorado City visited the Oda Bentons Saturday. Mrs. Buzz Sawyer of Robert Lee and Mrs. Garland Davis, Copie, Max and Gary of Medina were the Bentons' Sunday visitors.

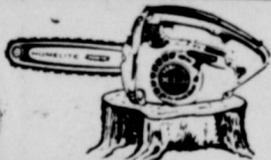
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### MRS. MURTISHAW HONORED WITH BIRTHDAY DINNER

The family of Mrs. Grace Murtishaw of Bronte honored her with a birthday dinner at her home June 16.

Attending from Bronte were Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Murtishaw and Mark and Mrs. J. I. Murtishaw. Coming from San Angelo were Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Sharp and Cliffie, Mr. and Mrs. Dub Sparks, Shelly and Tonrey, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Sparks and Brent and Uston and Leslie Woullard.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wojtek of Robert Lee were present. Coming from Colorado City were Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Sparks and from New Mexico were Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Eubanks, Juan and Donna.

This year marks the 29th year of the annual get together. Children unable to attend were Floyd Murtishaw of Las Vegas, Nev., who is in a Veterans Hospital in Arizona, and J. I. Murtishaw of Amarillo.

Mrs. Murtishaw received many nice gifts. Darrell Eubanks entertained with his guitar and singing.

Mrs. Bill Craddock of Medina and her daughter, Mrs. Ann Wells and children of Houston were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Clark.

### Look Who's New

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Lowder of Belen, N. M., announce the arrival of a daughter, Kande Lasha. She was born May 24 at 6:18 a.m. in the Bataan Hospital in Albuquerque, N. M., and weighed 6 pounds, 9 ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Lowder of Crane and Mr. and Mrs. O. L. White of Henderson. Kandle was welcomed home by her two brothers, Phillip and Mickey.

Kelly Dale is the new son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry (Belinda Zoet) King of Hitchcock, Tex. He was born June 15 and weighed 7 pounds, 10 ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Russell (Billie Davis) Zoet of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Dale King of Anson.

Mrs. Ruth Denman is visiting her son and family, the Bill Denmans, at Hobbs, Tex. She helped them move from Baird to Hobbs, where he has accepted the job as superintendent of schools.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Collett were Mrs. Lem Cowley of Robert Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cowley and Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Cowley of San Angelo.

An Observer want ad will do it.

### Hospital News

June 18: Mrs. Evert Best admitted. John Page Jr. dismissed.

June 19: Antonia Carrasco admitted.

June 20: Eva Volwell, Pauline Lofton dismissed.

June 21: Jim Coppette, Desma Walker, John Crutcher admitted. Mrs. Evert Best dismissed.

June 22: Judy Lykins admitted. Cleve Casey, Mrs. Ulmer Bird, Franklyn Walker, Antonia Carrasco, Ernest Jones dismissed.

June 23: Carrie Palmer admitted.

June 24: John Crutcher dismissed.

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### LOCAL CLUB MEMBERS ATTEND WORKSHOP

Mrs. George Newby, president of the 64 Study Club of Robert Lee, and Mrs. Wilson Bryan, yearbook chairman, spent Tuesday at Brownwood where they attended a workshop for Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, Heart of Texas District.

Seventy-five officers and members from the area were present. Mrs. Bryan was appointed district song leader by Miss Martha E. Graves of Cisco, district president. Mrs. O. B. Jacobs who was unable to attend, was named on the district board as chairman of communications.

### GREEN FAMILY MOVING

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Green and Sharon were honored Sunday night with a party at the Recreation Hall following services at the Northside Church of Christ. The Greens will be moving to Ashland, Ore., next week where Mr. Green will work with the Church of Christ.

He has been minister of the Northside Church of Christ in Robert Lee since August 1972 when he and his family moved here from Hobbs, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Kinsey are visiting a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Dale Selzer in Dallas. Mrs. Selzer was scheduled for surgery Wednesday in a Dallas hospital.



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