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### Snow and Cold Cover



GOOD LOOKERS - Theresa Percifull and Mike Percifull have been selected as Most Beautiful Girl and Most Handsome Boy for RLHS for 1974-75. They are the daughter and son of Mr. and Mrs-Frank Percifull. Theresa, a senior, has been in Future Teachers of America four years and an officer three years; was on Student Council, in pep squad and played basketball her freshman year;

alternate cheerleader her sophomore year and cheerleader her senior year; and in band her junior and senior years. Mike, a junior, has played football and basketball three years; ran track one year; was freshman class favorite and vice president; sophomore class favorite; in vocational ag. three years and officer one year; and was elected FHA beau this year.

# Girls Win Two

basketball team won their first two tion contest, the Bickley sisters tied cwners of Mountain Creek Lodge in district games during the past week, for scoring honors with 24 each, Robert Lee, have announced that downing Wall 49-43 in a game played there last Friday night and taking Junction 66-37 in a contest played there Tuesday night.

Scoring in the Wall games were Liz Bickley with 27; Stella Bickley

#### **Bicentennial Plans** To Be Discussed

Mayor S. E. Adams this week est in Robert Lee's participation in traveling to Menard Jan. 21. observance of the country's 200th birthday, sponsored by the American Revolution Bicentennial Commission, Washington, D. C.

County Judge W. W. Thetford and county commissioners also have expressed desire for county wide participation in the celebration.

All citizens of Robert Lee, Bronte invited to attend a meeting Thursday, Jan. 23, at 7 p.m. in the new Coke County Recreation and Show

Mrs. H. K. Allen of Temple. a member of the Texas Bicentennial Commission, will be on hand to suggest plans and projects for local participation, many of which have been used successfully in other communities.

Already some activity has begun here which may help Robert Lee Bronte tournament last weekend by cowned Roscoe 37-10. B. Cooley hit to qualify as a Texas Bicentennial, Community. Bronte has also started working in that direction.

All clubs, churches, school groups, service clubs, ethnic groups and organizations of all kinds are urged and county are invited to attend. scoring honors; Lisa Devoll had 7; over Veribest in their opening Buddy Wallace 4; Sawyer 1.

The Robert Lee High School girls, 12: Vicki Gartman 10. In the Juneand Gartman had 18.

> On the same dates the Steers lost to Wall 69-33 and to Junction 52-28. Wall tilt with 11; Lyn Sockwell had units. 9; Bobby Duncan 6; Walter Flowers 6; Marvin Simpson 1. Herford made 11 points against Junction; Shell Williams 8; Sockwell 2; Micky Baker 2; Duncan 2; Poly Abalos 1.

District play will continue during for business in March of 1974. the next week, with Mason coming disclosed the City Council's inter here Jan. 17 and the RLHS teams

#### DARYE COPELAND MAKES HONOR ROLL AT TSTI

Daryl Copeland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Copeland of Robert Lee, was named on the Vice President's Honor Roll of Texas State Technical Institute, Rolling Plains Camand rural areas of the county are pus, Sweetwater. Daryl is enrolled in the auto body repair program. Fire Department. In order for a student to make the honor roll, he must maintain

a 3.5 grade point average.

ANSWER 32 CALLS IN 1974

backyard of E. A. Lanier.

#### **Senior Citizens** Party Set Jan. 21

older, are invited to attend a cov- weather was brought on as the win- inchesered dish get together in the new ter's worst storm moved through Center, Tuesday, Jan. 21, from 3 to 5 p.m.

held here since the formation of Coke County Senior Citizens' Advisory Committee, sponsor of the affair, working under Concho Valley Council of Governments. The first meeting in December was atunanimously to continue the parties the third Tuesday of each month. Food brought to the December session was ample in amount and variety.

Volunteers from clubs and other organizations in the city are urged Lillian Middleton of Robert Lee. to call Judge W. W. Thetford or Mrs. Wilson Bryan. They may also be called if transportation is needed.

Those attending the Jan. 21 meeting are asked to bring dominoes bridge tables, cards, or other supplies for playing games of their choice, as well as a dish of food of Hill, Md. any kind. Visitation and recreation is planned for those who do not care to play games.

#### **Hambright Adds** Units to Lodge

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hambright, the new addition to their lodge is now complete and in use. The new Force Supreme Command from 9 addition consists of a family room, Doug Herford was high in the two double units and three single

> were built directly behind the first section of three double and three single units and the office which Hambright completed and opened

Each room has its individually controlled air conditioning and heat ing unit, telephone and color TV The rooms have shag carpet, marble lavatories, bath tubs and show-

#### ROBERT LEE FIREMEN

The first snow and the coldest peratures to the entire state. temperatures of this winter covered the Coke County area the past

#### This will be the second social Col. Jack Snead **Awarded Citation**

Lt. Col. Jack C. Snead, who grew up in Robert Lee, recently received a Meritorious Service Medal from tended by 62 persons 'who voted the U.S. Air Force upon his re tirement from active duty.

> Colonel Snead is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Snead Jr. of Robert Lee and his wife, the former Glo Caraway, is the daughter of Mrs.

The couple has two children, David, 19, who is in college, and Angela, 13, of the home. The colonel is now working for Telcom, Inc., of Arlington, Va., as a senior engineer, and the family lives in Oxon

The citation accompanying the presentation of the medal, read:

Lieutenant Colonel Jack C. Snead distinguished himself in the performance of outstanding service to the United States as Chief, Avionics Brance, Avionics and Weapons Division, Directorate of Electronics and Weapons, Director of Science Said Successful and Technology, Headquarters Air September 1969 to 30 November 1974. During this period, his outstanding engineering competency in The new units and family room the fields of Air Force inertial navigation, navigation guidance and weapon delivery coupled with the exceptional skill and judgment with which he managed the application of these technologies to meet the needs of present and future weapon systems, have had a profound influence upon Air Force capabilities and their effective employment. The singularly distinctive accomplishments of Colonel Snead reflect great credit uponhimself and the United

States Air Force. The Citation bore the official Fire Marshal Buzz Sawyer report- seal of the United States Air Force. ed there were 32 fire runs made in The medal and citation were pre-1974 by the Robert Lee Volunteer cented at a special ceremony and the colonel's wife's help to him as One fire reported for December an Air Force officer was recognizwas a grass fire on Dec. 19 in the ed when a special award was presented to her.

The storm left three to four inches of snow in the Robert Lee-Bronter weekend. Many residents were sur- area, but high winds whipped the prised when they awakened Sunday dry snow into drifts as deep as Senior Citizens of West Coke morning to find the ground covered two feet. Abilene reported six inch-County, those 60 years of age and with the white icy stuff. The cold es of snow and San Angelo had two

Rain fell early Saturday night but Coke County Recreation and Show Texas, bringing sub-freezing tem-turned to snow and the white flakes came down until mid-morning Sunday. The temperature stayed below freezing all day Sunday and then dipped into the low teens Sunday right and Monday morning.

There was a warming trend Tuesday and Wednesday but "patches" of snow could still be found Wednesday afternoon.

#### DIABETIC, BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC SET FOR JAN. 24

A Diabetic and Blood Pressure Clinic will be held at the Robert Lee Community Center Friday, Jan. 24

Tests for diabetes and blood pressure will be given to all persons over 40 years old at no cost to the participant.

The clinic will be conducted by Elizabeth Puckett, R.N., staff nurse of Region IV, Texas State Department of Health, and her staff. She will be assisted by Margaret Martin, social worker for Tom Green County Community Action Council and Cencho Valley Council of Governments.

More details will follow in next week's paper.

### **B** Team Tourney

The B team tournament held in Robert Lee last weekend was called a success. Bronte girls team won the championship trophy and Wall boys were first place winners. Coahoma girls and Sterling City boys came in second. Miles boys and Robert Lee girls won third place. Bronte boys came in for consolation honors.

#### **Boys Games**

In their first game the local boys took a 51-36 win over Loraine. Micky Baker was high pointer with 8; Shell Williams had 13; Anthony Percifull 8; Tom Sawyer 4; Jim Craig 4: Tim Rowoldt 3.

The RL boys lost their second tilt to Sterling City 37-29. Sawyer hit 11; Percifull 9; Baker 4; Rowoldt 2; Danny Abalos 2; Russell Ash 1.

Miles took a heartbreaker from the team in the game for third place. The game went into overtime and Miles won it 45-42. Williams was high with 12; Rowoldt, Baker and Craig had 6 each; Abalos and Percifull 4 each; Scwyer and Ash 2 each.

#### Girls Games

The girls followed the same pattern as the boys taking their first game over Loraine 63-26. Ginger Salmon had a big 25; Virgilla Streng The Robert Lee Jr. High girls Jana Hood 2; Susan Rowoldt 1. game. Terry Ross was high man 21; Anna Rowoldt 13; Tammy Ham-

The girls were defeated 64-24 by Bronte in their second game. Streng had 12; Rowoldt 10; Salmon lest to Grapecreek 51-37. Once again 2.

The girls won over Forsan 52-49 in the final game for third place honors. Streng hit for 23; Rowoldt

The Robert Lee B teams will terested in improving the towns and Linda Cooley both made 17 for The Dogies took a close 24-21 win Mertzon 21. Ross hit 13; Allen 12; participate in a tournament at Eldorado this weekend.

### Girls Win Bronte Tourney

won the championship trophy at the In their second contest the girls with 16; David Lackey had 6; Clay bright 2; Kaylan Service 2. defeating Eola 38-36 in a thriller to 14; Devoll 12; L. Cooley 8; Karen bring home the big trophy. The Rasco 2; Hood 1. Dogie team took third place honors | The 38-36 win over Eola in the fiover on the east side.

#### Girls Bracket

The girls took on Veribest in their Devoll was high pointer with 17; B. Sawyer 2; Monroe Killam 1. to have representatives present at opening game and came out on the Cooley had 15; L. Cooley 6. the meeting Jan. 23. Individuals in long end of a 44-23 score. Brenda

nals was a thriller, as the lead see- Ross was the big gun with 20; Allen

#### Boys Bracket

In their second game the boys

sawed back and forth several times. 8; Lackey 4; Ricky Ross 2; Wes In their contest with Mertzon for had 22; Salmon 7. third place it was Robert Lee 30,

# Coke County Stock Show Thank You!

Winners in the Coke County Liveweek in the new Coke County Show Tommy Bryant; 4. Connie Little-hogs (73 market and six breeding), Center at Robert Lee included the field; 5. Denise McClure. following:

Champion Steer: Jimmy Tidwell; Reserve: Lisa Devoll.

Champion and Reserve Heifer, registered purebred: Lynn Gulley. Champion Heifer, registered other than purebred: Everett Wilson; Reserve: Edwin Wilson.

Calf Breeders Award: James Arnold Tidwell.

Lamb Breeders Award: Jake Mc Clure.

Swine Breeders Award: Triple I Duroes.

Calf Showmanship Award: Kerry Gartman.

Lamb Showmanship Award: Jeania Tinkler.

Swine Showmanship Award: Lesa Lindsey.

Champion and Reserve Breeding Gilt: Cindy Walker. Champion Duroc: Cindy Walker;

Reserve: Michael Walker. Campion Hampshire: Kerry Gart-

man; Reserve: Harvey Wojtek.

Champion Crossbred: Lesa Lindsey: Reserve: Harvey Wojtek. Champion and Reserve OPB: Da-

vid Bachman Grand Champion Market Swine: Lesa Lindsey; Reserve: Cindy Wal-

Champion Finewcol Lamb: Marvin Ensor; Reserve: Denise Mc-

Champion Crossbred Lamb: Mar-

vir. Ensor; Reserve: Bill Ensor. Champion Medium Wool Lamb: by Taylor. Marvin Ensor; Reserve: Mike Per-

nise McClure; Reserve: Terry Mil- Mike Walker. lican.

#### Sheep Division

Finewool Lightweight - 1. Clark Parker; 4. Tommy Bryant; 5. Bruce Vaughn.

Finewoot, Heavy Weight - 1. Marvin Ensor; 2. Denise McClure; Lesa Lindsey; 2. Harvey Wojtek; 3. Sharon Littlefield; 4. Cody Mc- 3. Lesa Lindsey; 4. and 5. Eddie Clure; 5. Terry Millican.

Finewool Champion: Marvin Ensor: Reserve: Denise McClure.

Halamicek; 2. Terry Millican 3. 5. Johnny Hibbs. Bud Johnson; 4. Carolyn Simpson; 5. Jeania Tinkler. Crossbred, Medium Weight - 1.

Bill Ensor; 2. Carolyn Simpson; 3. Reserve: David Bachman. Toni Lynn Bryant; 4. Bud Johnson; 5 William Sim, sen.

Crossbred, Heavy Weight - 1.1 A total of 212 head of stock were stock Show held on Monday of last Marvin Ensor; 2. Tonya Lee; 3. exhibited at the show, including 79

Crossbred Champion: Marvin Ensor; Reserve: Bill Ensor.

Medium Wool, All Classes: Cham- buyers spent \$3,170.00 for animals pion: Marvin Ensor; Reserve: Mike in the premium sale and exhibitors Percifull: 3. and 4. Anthony Perci- received \$765 in prize money. full; 5. Joel Percifull.

Southdown - Champion: Denise McClure; Reserve: Terry Millican; son. Showmanship judges were Concho Valley Electric Co-op 3 Connie Littlefield; 4. Tom En- Frank Cleckler, J. B. Wade, James sor; 5. Cody McClure.

#### Cattle Show

Steers, Light Weight - 1. Lynn Marla Thompson, Bronte FFA Gulley; 2. Kerry Gartman; 3. Lisa Devoll; 4. Edwin Wilson.

Steers, Heavy Weight - 1. Jimmy Tidwell; 2. Lisa Devoll; 3. Russell Ash; 4. Lynn Gulley; 5. Russell Ash.

Grand Champion Steer: Jimmy Tidwell; Reserve: Lisa Devoll. Heifer, Purebred - 1. Lynn Gulley; 2. Lynn Gulley; 3. Jimmy Tid-

Registered Heifers, Other than Purebred - 1. Everett Wilson; 2. Edwin Wilson; 3. Russell Ash.

#### Swine Show

Breeding Gilts - Grand Cham- ed the Pitcock-Millican wedding pion and Reserve: Cindy Walker; Vicki Gartman; 4. Lesa Lindsey; 5. Kerry Gartman.

Durce, Light Weight — 1. Cindy Walker; 2. Kerry Gartman; 3. Eddie McDaniel; 4. Lesa Lindsey; 5. Eddie McDaniel.

Duroc, Medium Weight - 1. Mike are moving to Virginia where he Walker; 2. Lesa Lindsey; 3. Vicki will teach at a Naval Guided Mis-Gartman; 4. Vicki Gartman 5. Bob-

Duroc, Heavy Weight - 1. Cindy Walker; 2. Kerry Gartman; 3. Vic-Champion Southdown Lamb: De- ki Gartman; 4. Lesa Lindsey; 5.

Duroc Champion: Cindy Walker; Reserve: Mike Walker.

Hampshires - Champion: Kerry Baylor at Waco; Rob Talley, Lub-Tinkler: 2. Jeania Tinkler: 3. Sujane Gartman; Reserve: Harvey Wojtek; bcck; Mr. and Mrs. Ken Bennett 3. and 4. Vicki Gartman; 5. Kerry and Kenny, Wichita Falls; Mr. and Gartman.

Crossbred, Light Weight - 1. Bud Johnson; 2. Jeania Tinkler; 3. Eddie McDaniel; 2. Lesa Lindsey; Diana Tinkler; 4. Robert Bail; 5. 3. Joel Percifull; 4. Rickey Ross; Debbie Askins.

Crossbred, Medium Weight - 1. McDaniel.

Crossbred, Heavy Weight - 1 Cindy Walker; 2. Eddie McDaniel; Crossbred Light Weight - 1. John | 3. Craig Bessent; 4. Cindy Walker;

> Crossbred Champion: Lesa Lind- ertson, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Robertsey; Reserve: Harvey Wojtek. Other Purebreds: Champion and

Grand Champion: Lesa Lindsey; Reserve: Cindy Walker.

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The Coke County Livestock Association would like to express its appreciation to the following individuals and/or firms purchasing animals at the 1975 Coke County Fat Stock Show:

#### SAN ANGELO

117 lambs, 16 cattle (nine steers

and seven breeding). In the pre-

mium sale following the show 169

Show judge was Bobby Lee, voca-

Cleckler and James Chaney, all of

Roscoe. Ribbons were presented by

Sweetheart, and Elaine Millican,

Robert Lee FFA Sweetheart. Rob-

ert Lee High School Prin. Jerry

Gibbs served as show clerk. J. T.

Henry, retired Bronte vocational

agriculture teacher, was auctioneer.

PERSONALS

(Intended for Last Week)

Cindy Millican and a friend, Da

vid Drennan, of Southlake spent last

weekend with her grandparents, Mr.

and Mrs. Turney Casey, and attend-

Saturday night.

Thomas B. Hill Bill Jones' Drive-In Will Percifull Construction Co. tional agriculture teacher at Wil- M. L. Leddy & Sons **Producers Livestock Auction** Nathan's Jewelers **Hemphill-Wells** Porter Henderson Implement Co. Mercer Boot & Donaho Saddle

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#### ROBERT LEE

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Sam McGallian were their grand-Melba's Highway Cafe son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. ivey Motor Company Jesse McGallian and children, who Fay & A. J. Roe, Jr. have been living in Honolulu where Fred & Alice Beaty he was station with the Navy. They Bill & Eula Fay Blair Frank Percifull Bryan Gartman sile School. Also visiting were Mrs. Curtis Walker Sue Campbell and Glenn of Winters. Finis Millican Gathering at the home of Mrs. Bon-Wilbern Millican nie Robertson for a Christmas visit Ditmore Butane were: Mr. and Mrs. Length Hes-Ross Service Station ter, Shelley and Linda of Portland; B. A. Boykin Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Talley and Ron-Floyd & Jessie Harmon ny of Forney, Marsha Talley of Evelyn McKinley Finnell, Eula & Rhonda Smith Bob & June Gulley Hereford Ranch Bronte Noon Lions Club Jimmy Bickley Mrs. Keith Tomes, Tammy, John Glenn Waldrop and James, Amherst; Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Walker, Jr. Donny Robertson and Scott, Rob-Bobby Bolding crt Lee; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Foy Askins Bloodworth and Charles, Silver; Robert Reese, Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Askins, Chuck Rangemaster Molasses and Mike, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs Coke County Farm Bureau Carl Bloodworth, Lori and Amy, Hillside Grocery Mosheim; Lonnie Bloodworth, Van; Dawn Floral & Specialty Shop Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dumas, Le-Lee Roy McDaniel pai, Ricky, Mike, Melody, Matt, T. E. Pitcock Daryl, Jeff and Mark, Abilene. Winnie Waldrop Drop in visitors were Waymon Rob-**Bobby Meason** Ronnie Ruff son and Jerom and Vincent Hanna-Clyde Dukes Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Johnson and Mountain Creek Lodge tamily of Eagle Lake visited Dec-West Texas Utilities Co. 26-29 with her grandmother, Mrs. Dale Wojtek Evah Mahon. Other recent visitors Joe & Donna Ash of Mrs. Mahon were Mrs. Caroline Robert Lee-Silver Lions Club Fran-Cilla Flowers & Gifts Mathews Lumber & Hardware Wrinkle's Western Auto Store Vaughan Chevrolet Co. Joe B. Flowers J. D. Harmon Construction Co.

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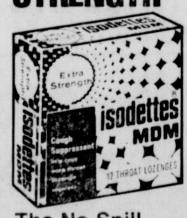
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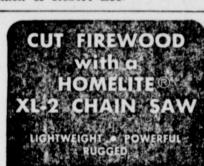
#### PERSONALS

(Intended for Last Week)

Guests during the holidays of Mrs. Bessie Brice and Pam were Mrs. Vera Plumlee, Robert Lee; Mr. and Mrs. Danny Strakos and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Gower, San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Raymond Sizemores.

Guests in the A. J. Roe Jr. home the weekend of Dec. 28 and 29 for City. a late Christmas gathering were Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Gibson, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. James E. Brown and Lee, and sons, Kerry and Troy; a Justin, Hobbs, N. M.; and Mr. and son, David, all of Bronte; and Mr. Mrs. A. J. Roe III, Waco. They all and Mrs. Lanny Denman, Tanya, visited Mrs. Hester Croslin at West Shawn and Christi Dawn, Abilene. Coke Nursing Home, also. The A. J. Roes III were also visitors of Mrs. R. C. Patterson; Mr. and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Mrs. Crowley Harmon, whose fami-Derrick of Sanco.

Visiting during Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Dink Lanier and mon, Clint, Dana and Brint, San Brad were Mr. and Mrs. Tony Bullard of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Womack and Cathy of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Womack of Robert Lee.







#### BOB PATTERSON FAMILY **HOLDS REUNION DEC. 28**

The family of the late Mr. and Mrs. Bob Patterson held its annual family reunion in Coke County Recreation Hall Dec. 28, with six chiloren and 32 other relatives and friends attending.

Present were Herman Patterson Sizemore, Rankin; and Mrs. G. R. of Big Spring; Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Smith, Carlsbad, N. M. Pam Brice Patterson and Ed Roy, San Angespent a week in Rankin with the lo; Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Compton, their son, Larry, and grandchildren, Christi Dawn and Cory, Colorado

> Also, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Denman; their daughter, Mrs. Wendell

Robert Lee relatives were Mr. and ly included two sons and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Jerrell C. Har-Angelo; and Mr. and Mrs. James Harmon, Sherry and Lisa, Weather-

ford. Other relatives were Mr. and Mrs. Barney Modgling and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Modgling of Bronte and Mrs. James Mitchell and daughter of Abilene.

#### FIREMAN'S AUXILIARY MEETS

The Fireman's Auxiliary met Jan. € for their first meeting of the year. The treasurer, Mrs. Jacobs, reported the balance of funds reached its highest point during sales through Christmas.

A letter was received from Abilene State School expressing appreciation for the box of Christmas gifts sent by the Auxiliary.

The Auxiliary wishes to express! appreciation to the community for support of its sales the past menths. The Auxiliary is a service organization and it is only through your support that its work can be accomplished.

Mr. and Mrs. James White, Joel and Jamie of Lubbock visited Sunday with her grandmother, Mrs. C. G. Walker Sr.

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Wednesday, Jan. 22: Pinto beans with salt pork, spinach, buttered potatoes, corn bread and butter, milk and apple cobbler.

Thursday, Jan. 23: Macaroni and cheese, blackeyed peas with snaps, lime Jello salad, biscuits and butter, milk and ice cream.

Friday, Jan. 24: Shrimp shapes with tartar sauce, creamed potatoes, combination salad, hot rolls and butter, milk and peanut butter cookies.

Holiday visitors in the R. C. Sawyer home were Mr. and Mrs. Garland Davis and family, Medina: Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sawyer and family, Robert Lee; Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Sims and family, Guadalajara, Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. John D. Walker and family and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Mauldin, San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mundell, Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Rankin Roach, Lafayette, La.; Dr. and Mrs. Don Weathers, Oklahoma City. The R. C. Sawyers visited recently in Brownwood with her sisters, Mrs. Jessie Boyd and Mrs. Ruby Keen.

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#### WTU NAMES NEW MANAGER FOR BALLINGER DISTRICT

George Field has been named district manager of the Ballinger District of West Texas Utilities Co., ted. Monday, Jan. 20: Vegetable beef it was annunced this week by Durhas been manager of the firm's Big | missed. Bend District, headquartered at Marfa. Both Robert Lee and Bronte WTU offices are operated under the jurisdiction of the Ballinger Dis-

> Field replaces Bill Braymer who resigned recently.

Field's service with WTU began manager in 1958 and went to Knox dismissed. City as local manager 10 years later. He was transferred to Balgeneral manager in 1971 and several months later was transferred cie Wrinkle dismissed. and promoted to the job at Marfa.

Born in Quanah, Field spent his early life in Haskell County. Following graduation from Haskell High School in 1936, he engaged in farming for three years.

Sweek of Rotan. They were mar- the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Wilton ried in Sweetwater in 1954. Field Robertson of Lindsay, Okla. The has a son and a daughter. His son, bride is the granddaughter of Mrs. Melton, is local manager for WTU C. G. Walker Sr. and Mrs. Bonita

vice president and on the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce and on the board of directors of the Rotary Club.

#### Items of Interest From R-Lee BCD

The regular third Tuesday meet- Texas of the Permian Basin and is ing of the Robert Lee BCD will be employed by the Ector County held Tuesday, Jan. 21, at HiWay Parks and Recreation Department. Cafe. All members and other interested persons are invited to be pre- Miss Dean, Mr. Lemons sent. Some important matters will be discussed.

A membership drive is underway and all citizens interested in the nounce the approaching marriage of Robert Lee community, who are not their daughter, Della Katherine already BCD members, are urged Dean, to Milton Wayne Lemons of to join the organization.

#### FIREMEN CALLED

Robert Lee Volunteer Firemen were called to a grass fire last! Thursday at Mrs. Frances Cole's. Mrs. Elton Millican, has qua The fire had been put out before for the Dean's List at Western Texfiremen arrived.

#### MRS. W. W. SMITH GIVES PROGRAM FOR CLUB

Seventeen members and seven guests heard Mrs. Willis Wayne Smith speak on "The Ancient Art! of Tapestries, Needlepoint and Needle Painting" when the '64 Study Club met Jan. 14 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sims.

In addition to telling about these arts, Mrs. Smith exhibited many of her own creations, which her viewers judged as exquisite.

Mrs. Alfred Fields and Mrs. Bob snack supper Jan. 2.

#### Hospital News

Jan. 7: Willie B. Abalos, George McCaleb, Gene Quisenberry admit-

Jan. 8: Debbie Reed admitted. J. E. Quisenberry, Lena Russell dis-

Jan. 9: Conrado Garza, Poly Abalos admitted. Julian Valenzuela, Don Fields, Robert Sanchez dismissed.

Jan. 10: J. D. Harmon, Willie Abalos, Gene Quisenberry dismissed

Jan. 11: Macie Wrinkle, Julian in 1945 when he joined the compa- Valenzuela, Lillie Cowley admittedny as local manager at Roby. He D. P. Key, Dean Kinsey, Mabel was transferred to Rotan as local Myers, Altha Best, Emma Elkins

Jan. 12. Debbie Reed dismissed. Jan. 13: Diane Hambright, Ora linger and promoted to assistant Eubanks, Hester Croslin admitted. Clarence Mitchell, Poly Abalos, Ma-

#### Miss Claudia Robertson, Mr. Gilliland Are Married

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gilliland are at home in Odessa since their Dec. Mrs. Field is the former Colleen 31 marriage in Odessa. Parents of Robertson, both of Robert Lee. The While in Marfa, Field served as bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Gilliland III of Odessa-

The bride, formerly Miss Claudia Robertson, is a 1972 graduate of Odessa High School and is employed by G. Q. Salmon & Son, Inc., in

Gilliland is a 1966 graduate o Permian High School. He is cur rently enrolled at the University of

#### To Marry March 1

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Bryan an-Sanderson. The wedding is planned for March 1 in Robert Lee.

#### MILLICAN ON DEAN'S LIST

Troy Millican, son of Mr. and as College in Snyder during the 1974 fall semester. Dr. Ben Brock, college vice president, has announced Troy is enrolled in welding teachnology.

The Dean's List is made up of students who are enrolled for all least 12 hours of work exclusive of physical education and make a grade point average of 3.5 or more.

#### FRANK D. BRYANS HONORED

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Bryan honered Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dean Co-hostesses for the meeting were Bryan of Fortuna, Calif., with a

> Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hinnard and John; Mr. and Mrs. Terry Frank Bryan, Teri K and Frank; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bryan and Stephanie; Mrs. Ann Martin and Jimmy; and Mrs. O. B. Jacobs.

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By Margaret Epperson

Mildred Sparks.

late running it, but thought readers bundle. A BIG thank you to Mrs. ter. would still be interested in it.)

This has been a delightfully busy month for us. We have had church at 2 p.m. each Sunday and have lobby and also worked on Christespecially enjoyed the singing of old familiar Christmas carols.

We have a new activity due to the kindness of Mrs. Mildred Sparks. Mrs. Sparks has brought us large print library books from Tom Green County Library. She does this type volunteer work at the library in San Angelo and now has personally extended her work thanks to Yvonne Conner. to our nursing home with the good wishes of Tom Green County Library. We will keep these books

#### Notice Taxpayers

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MR. STOCKMAN-

(Editor's Note: This is the De- and cassette tapes for one month cember news article for the nurs- and then she will return this group ing home. We are sorry to be so of books and bring us a different she will teach English next semes-

> Our arts and crafts class decorated the Christmas tree and the mas items. Our tree was pretty with some decorations made by our class. One favorite was the stringed popcorn and cranberries. Our Christmas balls decorated the walls, and Christmas bells decorated the

stockings for our doors with our children, of Hobbs, Tex. names on them. The FHA memesident and we thank them.

sang songs of the season together | ving. and visited. We thank these girls.

has had good attendance at the 3:30 daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. meetings all month with inspiring Wayne Roberts, Kim and Wanettelessons.

School Class from Southside Church Tuesday for their home after spendof Christ gave us our birthday par- ing several days with friends herety Dec. 12. They served homemade He was minister of the Northside cake and ice cream and the staff Church of Christ in Robert Lee begave gifts to Fanme Muston. Willie fore moving to Ashland last sum-Williams, Gertie Rives and Evalmer. Vowell. Thank you to these fine ladies.

ernaments and Christmas cards fore. they had made. Thanks to these fine children and leaders.

Six residents attended the Retired Coke County Citizens party on Dec. 17, including Pearl Mayo (who won the prize for being the eldest lady present), Ella Duncan, Naomi Brown, Ruth Clift, Jim Robertso and Cleve Casev.

Mrs. Maurine Sockwell brought her sixth grade to visit us. They put small gifts under our tree. While visiting here, the children performed the "Rag" and a square dance for us. Many thanks to this

Alpha Kappa Pi brought the prettiest tray favors to put on our trays for Christmas. They even had enough for the hospital patients, also. Thanks to the sorority.

The high school Beta Club and sponsor, Miss Wyniese Way came to visit with us and surprise us also. Many thanks to the Beta Club.

The hospital and nursing home staff held their annual Christmas party for us Dec. 20. Santa was here and passed out gifts from under the tree which included very personalized gifts to each resident from the staff. We also enjoyed refreshments. Thank you staff and Santa. Even Santa had a gift under

We appreciated all the wonderful way people have shared their lives and love with us during December and we look forward to more visits in January from our warm friends of our town. Don't let us down-

#### Jan. 16, 1975 PERSONALS

Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. McBroom were Marilyn Mc-Broom of Angelo State University; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. McBroom, Denton; and Mr. and Mrs. John atre Music." Mrs. Ben Bessent read (Linda) Bacon, Austin. The Bacons plan to move to San Antonio where

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Maxey McClure were his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Preston McClure and Ronnie, of Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob L. Hatley and Billy of Goltry, Okla., spent from Friday until Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ell Hatley.

Mrs. Ruth Denman has returned home after spending three weeks in Dallas with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Prickett and rurses station. Our items are now children. She was joined there duron sale at Konner's Korner. Many ing Christmas by another daughter, Miss Tommy Denman of Sun-The FHA, with Mrs. Eloise Guer- Lyvale, Calif., and a son and family, rant's leadership, made individual Mr. and Mrs. Bill Denman and

Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Hodges of bers also gave a small gift for each Bartlesville, Okla, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Jones, dur-The GA's and RA's from Robert ing the holidays. Other visitors Lee Baptist Church came the third were Mr. and Mrs. James Made Wednesday. They put candy canes well and children of El Toro, Calif. in our stockings and then we all and the J. T. Jones family of Ir-

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Bell spent Our Thursday Bible Study Class Christmas in Jal., N. M., with their

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth C. Green Mrs. Ethel Green's Sunday and Sharon of Ashland, Ore., left

Mrs. Irma Casey and Mrs. Rocky Heffernan and Stacy were in Abi-The Brownies and Cub Scouts lene Monday to visit Johnny Hinton came to see us and brought tree who had surgery the Thursday be-

#### ALJHA KAPPA PI MEETS

Eleven members of Alpha Kappa Pi were present at a meeting Jan. 8 in the home of Mrs. Don Lloyd. Mrs. Phil Ray was co-hostess.

The program was given by Mrs. Bobby Roberts on "Dance and The a thank you note from West Coke County Nursing Home and Hospital staff thanking the sorority for the tray favors furnished patients on Christmas Day.

Members voted to mail a contribution to West Texas Rehabilitation Center in Abilene.

#### **ENJOY CHRISTMAS CRUISE**

Mr. and Mrs. Cumbie Ivey Sr have returned from a Christmas holiday vacation and boat cruise in the Carribean. The Iveys left Robert Lee Dec. 20 and joined friends, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Goodman and Mr. and Mrs. Grady Hale of Fort Worth. They all flew from Fort Worth to Miami, Fla., where they took the ship, Mardi Gras, to San Juan, St. Thomas and then to Nassau. Following their cruise, they flew back to Fort Worth and the Iveys returned to Robert Lee Dec.

Mrs. Lillian Middleton has returned home after spending two weeks in Maryland with her daughter and family, the Jack C. Sneads.

Visiting News Year's Day with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hayden was his father, Gene Hayden, of Robinson,

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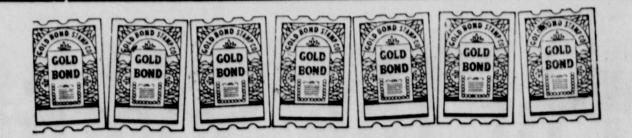
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