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NEW BUILDING — The offices of the Coke-Sterling County Farm Bureau have been moved into their new building at Robert Lee. According to Mrs. C. E. Arrott of Bronte, some work remains to be done toward furnishing the new of-

ice. A formal opening is planned when all the furnishings have been completed. The new building takes the place of an old Army Barracks which has been used for many years.

Band to Perform at San Antonio In Oct.

The Robert Lee High School Steer Band has been invited to perform for the Rural Education Association National Convention to be held in San Antonio later this year.

The invitation was officially extended last December in a letter from Tom Lawrence of Abilene to Supt. Jimmy Bickley of Robert Lee. Lawrence is national president of the Rural Education Association.

The local musicians will perform during the opening session of the conference Oct. 19. Their music will have a Bicentennial theme with a Texas flavor. Selections include "George Washington Bicentennial March," "Yellow Rose of Texas," "Alamo," "Days of Glory" and a special arrangement of the National Anthem.

Along with the band's performance, the members are planning a visit to the Alamo, the Tower of the Americas, Hemisfair Plaza and a ride on the San Antonio River with a meal at a river front restaurant. Members of the Steer Band will remain active during the summer months with various fund raising projects to defray the cost of the trip. They plan a car wash and bake sale June 21 and a concert Aug. 12 in the County Park, with homemade ice cream, cakes and pies available. Other projects will be announced later.

Mrs. Lucile Bryan, chairman of the Robert Lee Bicentennial Committee, has pledged the support of her group for all band fund raising activities. And, the Band Booster Club is currently making plans to help the band raise money.

Band Director George Strickland said, "The community has so faithfully supported past projects of the band, and we hope they will continue to do so through the summer. When we go to San Antonio, we will not only represent ourselves and school, but also our community and the entire state of Texas."

Members of the band are available for odd jobs to help raise the money needed for the trip. Anyone needing workers may contact Strickland, Jeffie Roberts, Jim Craig or Kathy Deen.

Pecan Baptist Church To Have Revival

The Pecan Baptist Church, located west of Robert Lee in the Edith community, will have a revival meeting beginning Sunday, June 8, and continuing through June 15. Evangelist W. L. Stewart will do the preaching. Rev. John Hix is pastor of the church.

Services will be at 8 o'clock each evening and a spokesman for the church has extended a special invitation to everyone to attend these special services.

Robert Lee Designated As Bicentennial Community

Robert Lee has been designated as an official national Bicentennial community. Word of the selection came from Gene Brownrigg, executive director of the Texas Bicentennial organization, in a letter to Mrs. Wilson Bryan, who is general chairman for Bicentennial projects at Robert Lee.

Plans are underway to stage a ceremony for the presentation of state and national Bicentennial certificates and a national Bicentennial flag.

Vacation Bible School Set at R-Lee Baptist

Vacation Bible School will be held June 9-13 at Robert Lee Baptist Church. Children from three years old through junior high will meet each day from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. High school will have a Youth-Arama from 7:30 to 10 p.m. each night during the week.

All kids up through junior high are invited to attend the morning sessions of the school and high school youth are invited to take part in the night sessions.

Simpson Bible Class To Have Anniversary

The W. K. Simpson Bible Class of the First United Methodist Church will celebrate the 25th anniversary of the class's organization at 10 a.m. Sunday, with the Rev. Will-Mathis Dunn, district superintendent of the San Angelo District of the Southwest Texas Conference, as guest speaker.

Following the 11 o'clock worship service, a covered dish luncheon will be served in the Fellowship Hall.

Class officers urge all class members, church members and friends of the church are invited to come for the Sunday school hour, the worship hour and to remain for the lunch.

Charles Sims, president of the class, said "everybody is invited."

West Way Donates Bicentennial Stickers

Mr. and Mrs. Vaughan Davis, owners and operators of Westway Grocery, have donated 500 bumper stickers to the Robert Lee Bicentennial Committee for sale as a money raising project for the committee.

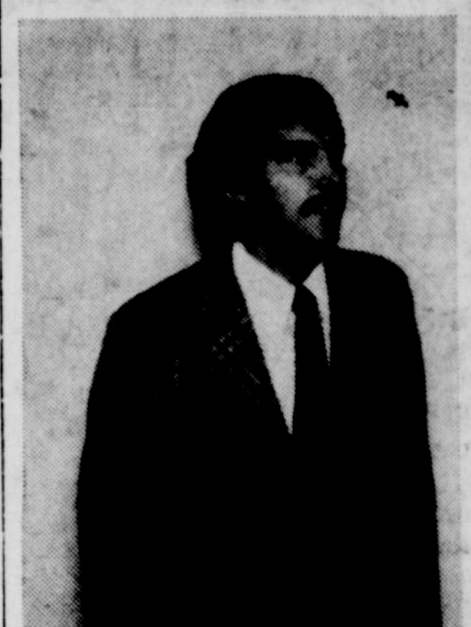
The background of the stickers is white, with ROBERT LEE written in red, and PLAYGROUND OF WEST TEXAS in blue. Money derived from sales will be used to further Bicentennial activities in the city.

Stickers can be bought at City Hall, Coke County Library and Museum, Westway Grocery, Robert Lee State Bank and the Robert Lee Observer office. Others who are willing to assist in the sales may call Mrs. Edna Havins, chairman, Festival U.S.A. Division of the Bicentennial Committee.

Everyone is invited and urged to buy a bumper sticker and help Robert Lee's part of our nation's birthday.

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Mrs. Edna Havins is serving as chairman of Festival U.S.A. '76. Mrs. Bryan Yarbrough is heading



Claude Wilson

Youth-Led Revival At RL Lee Baptist

The Robert Lee Baptist Church will have a Youth Led Revival Friday through Sunday. Services will be held at 7:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday, and Sunday services will be at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Claude Wilson, minister of youth and recreation at Fielder Road Baptist Church in Arlington, will be doing the preaching. Wilson is a graduate of Central High School of San Angelo and the University of Texas at Austin.

Sherry Phillip, a voice major student at Angelo State University, will be doing special music during the services.

Rod Bailey, minister of music and youth of the local church, will be leading the music for the revival.

The Rev. Roy Epperson is pastor of the church. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

Heritage projects and Fern Havins is in charge of Horizon projects.

The committees have been working on various projects. The Coke County Library is open on Thursdays from 2 to 5 p.m. and Sundays from 3 to 5 p.m. since the official opening on April 20.

A program is in progress to approve the appearance of the town and make it a City of Flags, and plans are underway for a community wide celebration on July 4.

MASHBURN ON HONOR ROLL

Rick Mashburn of Robert Lee has been named on the spring semester Dean's Honor List of the University of Texas at Austin. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Mashburn of Robert Lee.

Mashburn, an accounting major, finished the semester with a 4.0 average, the highest grade attainable. He has completed 30 hours of work with straight A's and will begin his sophomore year with this high average.

Exxon Corp. Promotes Mrs. Jov M. Blake

Mrs. Joy M. Blake, organization planning coordinator in Exxon USA's secretary's department, has been named assistant secretary of Exxon's Management Committee. She is also assistant secretary of Exxon USA and of Exxon Corporation.

Mrs. Blake joined Exxon in 1963 in Corpus Christi. She held various assignments in the company's refining, employee relations and law departments before being assigned to the company's headquarters secretary's department.

A graduate of Robert Lee High School and Hardin-Simmons University, Mrs. Blake is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William M. Millican of the Edith community. She is married to Charles V. Blake, son of the Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Blake of Bronte.



Mrs. Bertie Clift

Mrs. Clift Honored As 90 Year Old

By Mrs. Bryan Yarbrough

Mrs. Bertie Indiana (Clark) Clift was born Nov. 17, 1881, in Texas. Her parents were George Clark and Mattie Warwick Clark, both of whom were born and reared eight miles north of Atlanta, Ga., but had moved to Texas before Bertie's arrival.

Bertie attended school in Runnels County and at Fort Chadbourne. She has many happy memories of her life at Fort Chadbourne. Her parents grew many flowers and fruits, and her home reflected their love of nature. Their friends remember the attractive landscaping of the home.

Bertie remembers that Fort Chadbourne young people liked horseback riding, which was in vogue when she was a young lady. (Automobiles were unknown in Coke County at that time. Bertie recalls that one time three young couples rode horseback to Hayrick to visit friends. While there a terrible blizzard blew in, and all were forced to spend the night at the Stevens home near Hayrick Mountain.

Bertie Indiana Clark was married

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Mrs. Joy M. Blake

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MOUNTAIN CREEK GOLF HAPPENINGS

On June 1 Ben Bessent scored a hole in one on the No. 9, a 136 3 par hole on the Mountain Creek Golf Course. He was playing in a foursome with C. L. Sparks, Ronnie Devoll and Ronnie Baker. Bessent used a No. 9 iron for his hole in one.

The ladies partnership last month was a big success, we were informed by the many guests. They said it was the best ladies golf tournament they had ever played in.

The latest tee off time for Saturday, June 14, in the Men's Partnership will be at 3 p.m. All teams entered should arrange to start play before that time.

Due to the annual men's partnership tournament June 14 and 15, the Mountain Creek Golf Club will be closed to public play these two days.

The officers and directors of Mountain Creek Golf Club ask parents to advise children: not to ride mini-bikes or motor bikes on the golf course or the roads around the course due to safety reasons. We surely don't want a child hurt or hit with a golf ball.

A junior partnership tournament will be held at the Mountain Creek Club for boys 11-13 years old on July 16. More information will be published next week and information can be obtained at the club house, phone 453-2317.

All persons playing the Mountain Creek Course are requested to wear the proper clothing. This means wearing a buttoned shirt. It has been directed by the club's membership and board of directors to enforce the proper dress for both men and women playing the golf course.

Golfers from many states and many Texas cities have played the local course during May.

GREEN TO PARTICIPATE IN ALCOHOL STUDIES

W. A. (Bill) Green of Robert Lee will be a participant in the 18th Annual Institute of Alcohol Studies to be held June 8-11 at Jester Center Halls on the University of Texas campus at Austin.

The Institute is sponsored by the Texas Commission on Alcoholism (TCA) in cooperation with the University of Texas at Austin Division of Extension. This year's meeting will focus on the theme, "The Helping Process: Integrating Who You Are with What You Do." Workshops planned for a maximum of 500 participants will focus on the theme — "The Helping Process: Integrating Who You Are with What You Do." Workshops planned for a maximum of 500 participants will focus on the helping process in clinical skill development, prevention techniques for special groups, and current trends in the alcoholism field.

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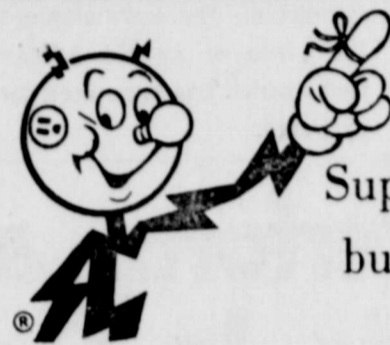
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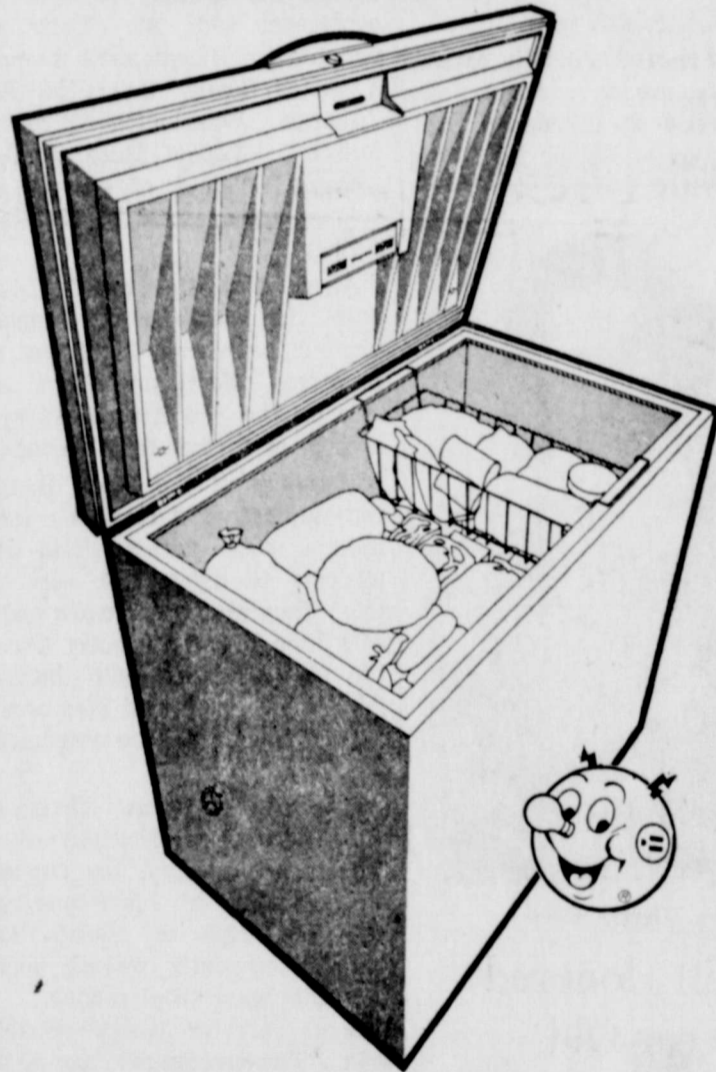
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TROY MILLICAN MAKES HONOR ROLL AT WTC

Troy Millican was among the 104 students who made the honor roll for the spring semester at Western Texas College at Snyder. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Millican of Robert Lee. The honor roll was announced by Dr. Ben Brock, college vice president.

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

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May 29: No admissions, no dismissals.
May 30: Daisy McCutchen admitted. Jim Robertson dismissed.
May 31: Ila Weir admitted. O. D. Adkins dismissed.
June 1: No admissions, no dismissals.
June 2: Pat Brasuel admitted. Daisy McCutchen, Ila Weir dismissed.

REV. AND MRS. KENDALL HONORER AT TEA

Robert Lee United Methodist Church honored the Rev. and Mrs. A. A. Kendall Sunday afternoon, May 25, from 4 to 5:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall of the church with a farewell tea.

Receiving the guests were Sterling Lindsey, Mrs. Fred L. Beaty, Rev. and Mrs. Kendall, and Charles Sims. Special guests were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Watson, Beth and Brad of Abilene. Mrs. Watson is the Kendalls' daughter.

Mrs. Bryan Yarbrough registered guests. Raymond McCutchen presented the Kendalls with gifts of appreciation for their six years' service to the local Methodist Church.

A color theme of yellow and white was used. Arrangements of yellow daisies centered the refreshment table, accented by yellow candles, with appointments of crystal.

Members of the houseparty were Mmes. Marvin B. Simpson, George Newby, D. P. Walling, Charles Sims, Wilson Bryan and Fred Beaty and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McCutchen.

DENMAN RECEIVES DEGREE IN NURSING AT MIDWESTERN

Michael Wayne Denman, formerly of Robert Lee, received an A.S. degree in nursing at May 24 graduation exercises at Midwestern University in Wichita Falls. Denman is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Denman of Stanton, formerly of Robert Lee.

Denman was among the 590 candidates who received degrees at the spring commencement at Midwestern.

He is a graduate of RLHS and is married to the former Jackie Conley. He is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Braswell and Mrs. Guy Denman, all of Robert Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Roe Jr. and Miss Gladys Waldrop spent the weekend in Midland visiting the Roess' daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. James E. Brown and Justin.

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YOUNG PEOPLE ARE THE HOPE FOR KEEPING INTEREST IN SANCO ALIVE

Fourth generation descendants of the original settlers who participated in the 21st Sanco Homecoming Saturday and Sunday accented a future for the pioneer community.

The tabernacle was well filled with over 200 persons, approximately one-third of whom were under 20 years old, and the rest were from 20 to 93.

Speakers both Saturday night and Sunday emphasized the Bicentennial of the country in 1976, including a centennial of the actual occupancy of the former Comanche area of West Texas.

Frederick L. Watts of Arlington, physicist, former teacher in the University of Texas, electronics specialist and long time consultant with the Department of Defense, spoke briefly Saturday night on the possibilities being explored of turning the Sanco Store and Post Office Building and

premises into a national historic monument, and offered his support in the undertaking.

Ulmer Bird and his wife, Josephine, own the property, and he said that he and Watts were at the point of drawing up an agreement and a plan whereby a foundation headed by Watts could take a hand in the undertaking.

Mrs. Watts, the former Nellie Dawn Gartman, a fourth generation member of the Joe Gartman family, was born in the building which housed the H. J. Gartman family 24 years.

It was built by R. C. Cosby of Cochise, Ariz., uncle of the present owner. The proposed historical center has been in the hands of a Bird or a Gartman, or their kin since its construction as a shop and garage in 1916.

A show of hands indicated that majority of those present were descendants of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gartman.

N. C. Pentecost, president of the Sanco Associations was in charge of both meetings with Bird master of ceremonies Sunday. James Pentecost, rancher, brought the devotional. He is a fourth generation member of a Sanco founding family, Mr. and Mrs. M. Bird.

Mrs. Ava Lou Davis, also a fourth generation from B. F. (Frank) Tubb, turn of the century storekeeper, was soloist. As a benediction, Edna Lea Killam of Mission, another fourth generation member of the M. Bird family, sang "Green Be These Memories," locally written as a Sanco memorial theme song.

Floral awards, annually presented by Mrs. Evelyn McKinley, Mrs. Mary Jo Pentecost and I. A. Bird, in memory of Maud Bird, their mother and wife went to six persons. The man traveling farthest was Melvin Scarborough, 1500 miles from Sacramento, Calif. The woman traveling farthest was Mrs. Thelma Killam of Mercedes, Tex.

Oldest man born at Sanco was Allie Bilbo of Robert Lee, oldest woman born at Sanco was Mrs. Viola Scarborough Boswell of Buchanan Dam.

Youngest person present was Larry Sean Frizzell, 16 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Frizzell, whose mother and father received the floral awards.

Announcement was made that the interest from just over \$3,000 in the permanent Sanco Memorial Fund has provided care for the cemetery the past year. Those present placed on the table \$329 to defray homecoming expenses and other expenses of the Sanco Community Association.

UNION TEXAS ANNOUNCES PROMOTIONS FOR EMPLOYEES

Two employees of Union Texas Petroleum who work at the Silver plant have received 25 year pins. They joined two other employees who had previously become eligible to receive the pins. Receiving 25 year pins in a recent ceremony were Billy Culwell of Colorado City, Lee Hodges of Robert Lee, Pete Prentice of Robert Lee and Harold Snell of Winters.

ATTEND GRADUATION

Donna Jean Blair was among the 232 graduates at Mineral Wells High School May 30. Attending the exercises were her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Blair, and her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blair of Robert Lee. Miss Blair ranked 12th among the 24 students of the class who averaged 90 or above for their four years of high school work.

Mrs. Buster Pierce and Doug Pierce were in Houston May 27 to attend the high school graduation of their grandson and brother, Joe Pierce. They visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Raymond from Monday until Wednesday.

Bobby J. Bynum to Wed Miss Hendry in August

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Hendry of Sterling City announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Debra June, to Bobby Jack Bynum, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ralph Bynum of Sterling City.

Miss Hendry is a graduate of Robert Lee High School and is a sophomore agriculture student at Angelo State University. Her fiancé is a graduate of Sterling City High School and is a junior agriculture student at ASU.

The wedding is planned for Aug. 2 at the home of the parents of the bride-elect.

Ricky Mashburn and Cheri Baker to Wed

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Baker are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Cheri Dean, to Ricky Floyd Mashburn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Mashburn. The wedding ceremony is planned for July 19 in the Robert Lee Baptist Church.

Miss Baker was graduated from Robert Lee High School this year and is now attending San Angelo Business College. Her fiancé was graduated from RLHS in 1974 and will be a sophomore at the University of Texas at Austin this fall.

COMMITTEE ON AGING HAS REGULAR MEETING

The Coke County Committee on Aging, which works under the Concho Council of Governments, met in regular meeting May 27 at West Coke County Hospital. Steve Badley of Bronte presided.

Present were Badley, Mrs. Wilson Bryan, Mrs. Fay C. Roe, Mrs. Bryan Yarbrough, Mrs. Mildred Sparks, Mrs. Margaret Martin, Mrs. Eddie Alexander and Mrs. Billy Joe Luckett. Mrs. Sparks was welcomed as a new member of the committee.

Discussions were held concerning programs for the Senior Citizens' meeting each month.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Varnadore of Stover, Mo., visited a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Varnadore, and his sister and family, the Royce Smiths. They also visited her relatives in Big Spring and Midland and planned to visit his brother, Clell Varnadore, and family at Fort Smith, Ark., as they returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Blackie Keener spent the weekend in Garland with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Herron, and attended graduation exercises of their grandson, Blaine Herron, who graduated from South Garland High School. Blaine was an honor graduate among the class of 647 students, and plans to attend Texas A&M University this fall. He is featured in the Eighth Annual Edition of Who's Who Among American High School Students, 1973-74.

MRS. CLIFT — Continued from Page 1

to James Albert Clift at the Clark home at Fort Chadbourne on Sept. 25, 1901, with the Rev. Nesbitt officiating.

Mr. Clift was engaged in a general merchandising business at Fort Chadbourne and later at Robert Lee. She has been a member of the Methodist Church for many years. She is a sister of Freeman Clark of Robert Lee. Her husband and two sons, Wayne and James Wallace, are all deceased.

FULL GOSPEL MEN TO MEET

The Full Gospel Business Men will have their monthly meeting June 7 at 7:30 p.m. in the Cactus Hotel in San Angelo. The Rev. Bob Buess Jr. of Enid, Okla., will be the speaker.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Snead were her son, Ernie Caple, and his friends, Bennie Markus and Paula Harter, all of Austin.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Beaty were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Lane Beaty of Belen, N. M.; Mrs. Eugene Kegans, Bax and Kacey of Leonard; and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Crowder, Lee Anne and Brent of Midland. Also visiting were Dr. and Mrs. I. G. Lundy of Pecos and Mike Conley of San Angelo.

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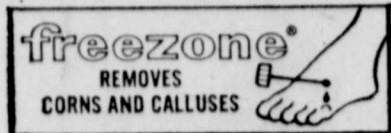
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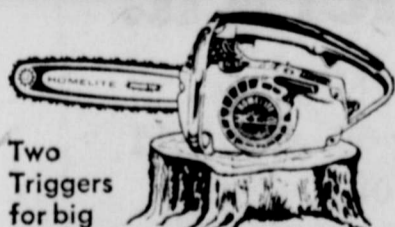
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Mrs. Waldon Millican

JUDY KAY MATTHIESEN, WALDON MILLICAN ARE MARRIED IN ROWENA CHURCH RITES

Miss Judy Kay Matthiesen became the bride of Waldon Lee Millican Saturday, May 24, in St. Joseph Catholic Church in Rowena. Msgn. Leroy Matthiesen and Rev. Monroe Matthiesen, the bride's uncles, and Rev. Vincent Daugintis officiated at the double ring ceremony. Leroy Beach was commentator for the wedding mass.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Victor Matthiesen of Miles and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbern Millican of Robert Lee.

Candles and urns of gladiolas decorated the altar.

Wedding music was presented by Mrs. Mark Lange, organist, and Mrs. Pat Vancil, Mrs. Kay Halfmann and Mrs. Helen Matchek, vocalists.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She was wearing a gown of candlelight peau de soie overlaid with silk organza designed by Priscilla of Boston. The high rised bodice and bishop sleeves accented with reembrodered Alanco lace, seed pearls and crystals from which an A-line skirt fell into cathedral train. Pearls and sequined appliques and edging trimmed the entire skirt and train. Her cathedral length veil of candlelight silk illusion fell from pea de soie Camelot of re-embroidered lace, seed pearls and crystals.

Jane Matthiesen, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Marilyn Knox of Irving, sister of the bride; Donna Jost and Glenda Matthiesen, sister-in-law of the bride, both of San Angelo; Gera-lyn Lange of Rowena; and Dian Matthiesen, cousin of the bride, of Of-fen.

Teddy Wayne Millican was his brother's best man. Groomsmen were Wibby Millican, brother of the bridegroom, James Hood, Marshall Wayne Millican, Steven Matthiesen, the bride's brother, and Tony Knox, the bride's brother-in-law.

Guests were seated by Bubba Dun-can, Doug Burns and Mike Conley.

A reception was held in St. Joseph Parish Hall. Registering the guests were Micky Jost of Rowena and Mrs. Janice Hail of San Angelo. In the houseparty were Mary Lee Lange, Carol Block, Becky Schwartz, Joyce Schwartz, Mary Ann Socha, Debra Matthiesen, Jenifer Lange, Judy Pelzel, Brenda Schwartz and Janet Hoelscher. Also Marcella Woehl, Bernice Schwartz, Kathy Wheat, Donna Johnston, Karen Streiker, Doris Block, Bernice Fuchs, Ann Block, Charlene Matthiesen and Billy Jean Matthiesen.

A grand march and dance, following the supper was led by Mr. and Mrs. Thurston McCutchen.

The bride is a 1973 graduate of St. Joseph Catholic School and is at-tending Angelo State University where she is majoring in nursing and is a candidate for 1975 graduation.

The bridegroom is a 1971 gradu-ate of Robert Lee High School. He is employed by a Silver roustabout and welding service.

Following a trip to Guadalajara and Mexico City the couple are living in Robert Lee.

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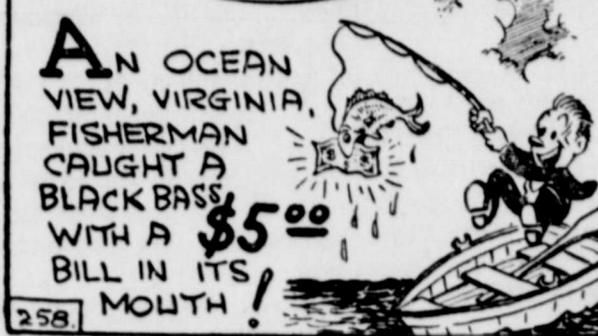
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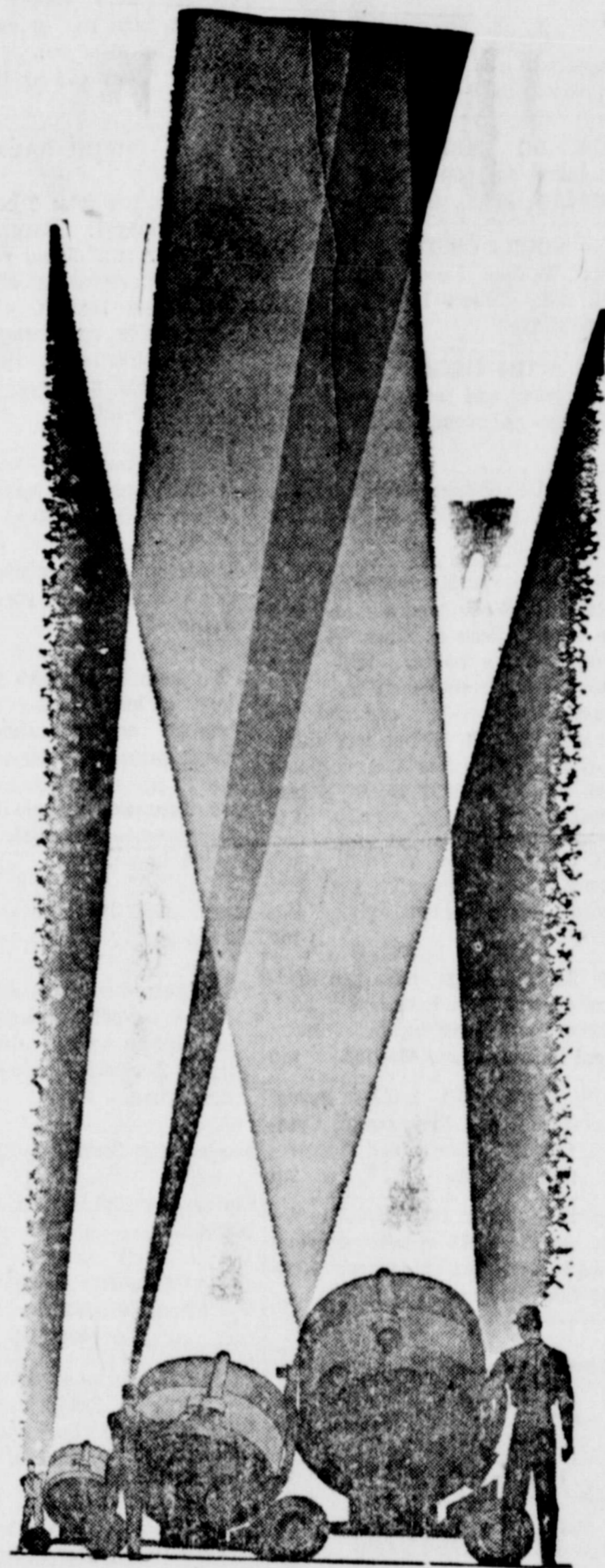
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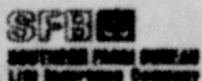
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