

# THE ROBERT LEE OBSERVER

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## ARTHUR BRISBANE WILL WRITE FOR THIS PAPER

We are about to begin publication of a feature of such brilliancy and individuality that, were it unsigned, careful readers of newspapers would immediately identify its authorship.

It is not improbable that something like 20,000,000 sturdy Americans of all classes, including thousands of writers, believe that Arthur Brisbane is the greatest editorial writer of the present day. "Think, think, think," is his slogan, and his immense following is due to the fact that he can phrase his thoughts with such brevity and clarity that they are immediately understood by everyone.

Champion and exemplar of the square deal, Arthur Brisbane is the apostle of tomorrow, the prophet of a better time. Human nature, harassed, perplexed, accepts the Brisbane faith that the tomorrow of the race will be greater, finer, nobler, more bearable than it is today. Every day, therefore, one-fifth of the newspaper reading population of the United States consumes his editorials as hungrily as it eats its bran or oatmeal and toast and eggs.

Brisbane has an unequalled facility for simplifying complex material and making it attractive. For example, if he wanted to "put over" a talk on hygiene and dietetics, he would entitle it "Pity Poor Moses: He Had No Icebox." His writings have achieved a reputation for the originality which attracts, the brilliancy which holds, the paradox which makes people think, and the bluntness which convinces.

The adage: "Whatever is right," does not go with Brisbane. Whatever is isn't right, to him. It can be, and should be, better. He is the highest priced editorial writer in the world. He wouldn't and couldn't be so high priced, if his clear and humanly attractive philosophy were not worth the money.

We shall carry a column entitled: "This Week," by Arthur Brisbane. It will be just what its name implies—thoughts inspired by the latest happenings and trends throughout the world, but more particularly, in America. The feature will seize and hold you, greatly to your entertainment and profit.

### Shall We

Shall we give our child a better chance than we had, or force him to meet modern intensive competition handicapped?

Shall I give my child an even start with other children of the community by starting him the first day of school, or hobble him by keeping him out until he is hopelessly behind and then hall him out because he wants to quit school, or fails in his work?

Shall we help our teachers to do their best for our children by keeping them in school regularly or hinder them in their efforts permitting the children to acquire harmful habits of negligence toward important undertakings?

Shall we boost our school and community knowing they have many short comings and thus make Robert Lee a more desirable place to live, or shall we be one who sees only the faults and allow ourselves to become a chronic knocker?

Shall we put our shoulder to the wheel and shove with all our might to put it over for our town, or shall we hang back for the other fellow and whine that we have done our part? Shall we harp on the other fellows short comings and magnify his signs, or shall we set our

### Robertson - Blair

Mr. L. L. Robertson of Edith, and Miss Lydia Blair, of Blackwell, were happily married last Sunday afternoon, at the home of the bride's parents Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Blair near Blackwell. The Rev. M. A. Turner, Methodist pastor of Robert Lee speaking the words that made them man and wife.

Both bride and groom, are well known throughout Coke County, and their many friends join the Observer in wishing them a long, Prosperous, and happy married life.

own house in order thereby giving a worthy example for others to immitate?

Shall we quote the thread bare lie that what was good enough for me is good enough for my child, or shall we frankly acknowledge that conditions have changed from Ox-cart to aeroplane and help the young folks adjust themselves to these revolutionary changes with the least possible harm?

Shall we begin the first day of school to get the greatest possible good out of each recitrtion, make the most of every opportunity to improve our usefulness, or shall we waste our time in frivolity, lie out of school or quit, and spend years of our life regretting our lack of foresight as Mother and Dad have done?

Shall we go to school determined to show the world in general and Mother and Dad in particular that we are made of the right kind of stuff, or shall we go to write notes, deface desk, or play football?

Shall we mutilate school books and other school property with silly, indecent, or obscene writing or pictures, or shall we keep it in tip top shape so that when our little sister grows up and uses the same material she want have to sit for nine months and stare at that kind of filth?

Shall we humble ourselves and try to learn from the great world around us, living such lives they shall bless others, or shall we, like the Pharisee as some the "Holler than Thou" attitude?

Well this is getting too long, but there are about an hundred more we ought to think about. Now is a good time to search ourselves and see if we are situated on the right side of the fence. Lets think these over, and the next time we feel like telling the world whats wrong, lets go over them again and see whether we shall cock our hats on one side and strut down the street with thumbs in armbhole, or whether we'll go out behind the barn and kick ourselves right good,—or better invite a husky friend to accommodate us to the kicking we so richly deserve.

School opens Monday at nine o'clock. Don't forget. Come to the opening and help us get off to a good start.

B. M. Gramling.

## President Grets Graf's Chief



President Herbert Hoover and Dr. Hugo Eckener, commander of the Graf Zeppelin, snapped on the south lawn of the White House at Washington, where the 'round the world navigator received the praise of the nation's chief executive for his record-breaking voyage.

### Commits Suicide

The family of A. J. Caulder were awakened Wednesday morning by the sound of a gun, to find Mrs. Caulder had shot herself. She had done this by tying a string to the trigger of shot gun and apparently pulling trigger with her toe. Statement made by Mr. Caulder was that as far as he knew she had been rational.

The shots entered her left breast and came out just under the left shoulder blade.

Mrs. Caulder was thirty eight years old and had been in bad health for about four years.

Inquest was held by Justice of Peace N. C. Brown, and S. J. Russell, who found that she had come to her death by gun shot wounds from a gun held in her own hands.

She leaves a husband and five children to mourn her going.

She left a note addressed to her husband that is thought to have been written some time Monday, which is as follows:

"Dear Alvin;  
Be sure to take good care of my children, my health is gone you have been a good, faithful, and true husband to me, but I can never be any help to you any more, I have done the best I could but my strength is about gone, so brace up, and don't grieve for me when I am gone. God is able to save us all I have a sweet hope I would not give for the world. Although at times it seems so little I almost give up; so be good to the children,

and children be good to your Papa, so bye bye.

Your Loving Wife and Mother,  
Bertie Caulder."

The remains was laid to rest Thursday at noon, in the Paint Creek Cemetary, The Rev. J. F. Richardson officiating.

### Uncle Joe Wilson Dies

Uncle Joe Wilson was born in White County Tenn. October 22, 1857. He died September 3, 1929.

He moved from Tennessee to Kentucky when he was nine years old, where he resided until he moved to Texas in the fall of 1906. He located in Coke County where he lived until his death. He lacked less than two months being seventy two years old at the time of his death.

He leaves to mourn his going a wife and two children Louis Wilson of Lewierville Kentucky and Mrs. Sallie Gobel Rabb of Robert Lee.

Uncle Joe is an old seller of Coke Co. and has many fiends here. He was laid to rest in the Paint Creek Cemetary Wednesday afternoon. Elder N. C. Brown officiating.

The Observer joins the many friends in sympathy for the bereaved ones.

The poultry show at the West Texas Fair in Abilene, September 23 to 28, will be extra good, Frank Kirk, manager of that department, says. He thinks that the general quality of the fowls exhibited will be higher than before.

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### Summers - Summers

The Rev. M. A. Turner, spoke the words last Saturday, at the Methodist Parsonage that made Mr. W. M. Summers, of Lyda New Mexico, and Mrs. A. J. Summers, of Robert Lee, man and wife.

The couple are well known here and their many friends, wish them all the joys of married life.

They will make their home in Lyda New Mexico.

### Notice To Contractors

Bids will be received 3:00 P. M. Friday September 13th for the construction of a one story Brick school building at Silver, District No. 28 Coke County, Texas. Bids will be opened in the office of the Architect, J. E. Pond, City National Bank Building, Colorado, Texas.

### Announcements

The Lord willing, W. E. Hawkins Jr. will preach as follows in Coke County.

Saturday September 14th.

11 a. m. at Cowcreek School House. 2:45 p. m. Streets of R. bert Lee. 7:45 p. m. Valley-view School House.

Sunday September 15th.

At Sanco 9:45 a. m. Bible school and preaching at 11, a. m. 3 p. m. Edith Tabernacle. 7:45 p. m. Divide.

For the week at 7:45 P. M. Monday night Green Mountain School House. Tuesday Wildcat School House. Wednesday Sanco; Thursday Graham Valley School House.

Those who loaned the city the \$300.00 last week to put up as a forfeit on the Halbert lake site are; Coke Motor Co., A. E. Latham, W. J. Cumbie, Mrs. T. E. Puett, Robert Lee Hdw., City Drug Store, W. M. Simpson, Cliff Service Station, Robert Lee Gin, W. E. Newton, B. R. Franklin, J. K. Griffith, W. K. Simpson & Co., C. H. Bridges, Coke County Mer. Co, Smith's Filling Station, J. N. Buchanan, First State Bank, Marvin Stewart, Green Roberts, J. S. Gardner, Joe Dodson, J. L. Sneed, E. T. Sparks, Frank Percifull, S. E. Adams, G. A. Harmon, J. J. Vestal & Son, San Angelo Telephone Co., Robert Lee Ice plant and A. W. Puett.

### This ad paid

A. E. Latham has been convinced that an ad in the Observer will pay. A few days ago he put in an ad that he had lost wagon sheet, and got three. Both of the others were better sheets than he lost. If the owners of these sheets would advertise for them thru the Observer they would have no trouble in finding them.



Entered in the postoffice at Robert Lee, Texas, as second-class mail matter.

A. W. PUETT Editor and Business Manager

SUBSCRIPTION RATES

One year in advance.....\$1.00  
Six months......50  
Outside Coke County, yr. \$1.50

The cause of human progress is our cause, the enfranchisement of human thought our supreme wish, the freedom of human conscience our mission, and the guarantee of equal rights to all people everywhere the end of our contention.

He Enjoyed It

Below is an article written by Brother U. A. Lamb and published in the Megargle Times, at Megargle Texas August 22nd, where Brother Lamb is now employed.

He read with much interest our account of our trip to El Paso and return over the T. A. T. air line. Every body around here Brother Lamb got a good kick out of it. One man, Joe Turner who flew in the Army five years got a special kick out of it.

"Some five or six weeks ago, A. W. Puett, editor of the Robert Lee Observer, published at Robert Lee, Texas, went to Sweetwater to a meeting of the West Texas Press Association. He had learned that editors in attendance were to be treated to a free airplane ride, so that was the chief attraction that drew him to Sweetwater. Before the adjournment of the association the honored gentlemen of the press were given a chance to obtain a free ticket for an airplane trip from Sweetwater to El Paso and return. Editor Puett was the lucky man, so on Friday August 9th., at 1:15 p. m., he left the earth for the second time - El Paso bound.

The Megargle Times force read with much interest his account of his trip published in his paper. It seems that he was imbued with the spirit of West Texas (which, like the rest of the world, is getting its wings), laid down his composing stick, wiped the ink off his face, packed a change of clothes in a hand-bag, went to Sweetwater, boarded a Transcontinental Air Transport plane bound westward and went all the way to El Paso and back again without receiving so much as a scratch or bruise.

His excitement had arisen to such a feverish heat that when he hit the ground for dinner he couldn't eat a bite. It seemed that when the pilot landed, the editor's heart cut a few didoes from nervousness, and his stomach turned upside down and played a tune entitled, "Get Away Dinner You've Lost Your Taste."

Leaving Midland he got in the cockpit with the pilot and while the latter and he were eating candy, they discovered a cockroach on it. While trying to extricate this pestiferous insect, the plane wobbled. The pilot set it straight, but, in so doing, ate the cockroach.

Mr. Puett, gazing earthward, discerned a narrow, ribbon-like strip but could not tell what it was. The pilot dismissed his curiosity with the information that it was the Pecos River.

We are glad to hear that one country editor pioneered in the tremendous thrill of flying and is back on solid ground full of

The best vacation is to pay your bills and let your mind have a little rest

FULLER PEP



NOW IS THE TIME

To put your car in shape for Driving. Your car has just finished a long hard season. The Lubricants are worn out. Now is the time when New, fresh, clean lubricants are an actual necessity.

Drive in and we will give your car a good through Greasing, drain the dirty Oil out of the crankcase and refill with MAGNOLIA Oil.

After you have done this you will enjoy real driving.

Cliff Service Station

ALWAYS READY!

to do all kinds of hauling for you.

Have Been Here Always; Will Stay Forever.

Prompt, Efficient Service.

A. E. LATHAM

The Truck Man Phone 88

JOHNSON'S FUNERAL PARLOR

E. M. JOHNSON, MANAGER; San Angelo, Texas.

Excellent Ambulance Service Both Day and Night. 182 West 1st. St. DIAL 3331

Nothing on Mosquitoes Scientists have discovered that butterflies recognize each other at a distance of eight feet. We have had mosquitoes recognize us at a distance of fifty feet.

HAS MADE GOOD with millions!  
**KC BAKING POWDER**  
(Double Acting)  
Same Price for Over 38 Years  
**25 ounces for 25¢**  
Pure - Economical Efficient  
MILLIONS OF POUNDS USED BY OUR GOVERNMENT

pep, safe and sound. Maybe others of us will try a trip on the aerial highway some of these days."

For Economical Transportation



Facts that prove the Value of The New CHEVROLET SIX

The new Chevrolet Six is shattering every previous record of Chevrolet success—not only because it provides the greatest value in Chevrolet history, but because it gives you more for the dollar than any other car in the world at or near its price! Facts tell the story! Modern features afford the proof! Read the adjoining column and you will know why over a MILLION careful buyers have chosen the Chevrolet Six in less than eight months. Then come in and get a ride in this sensational six-cylinder automobile—which actually sells in the price range of the four!

The \$595 COACH

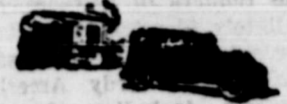
The ROADSTER.....\$525	The Imperial SEDAN.....\$695
The PHAETON.....\$525	The Sedan Delivery.....\$595
The COUPE.....\$595	The Light Delivery Chassis.....\$400
The Sport COUPE.....\$645	The 1 1/4 Ton Chassis.....\$545
The SEDAN.....\$675	The 1 1/4 Ton Chassis with Cab.....\$650

All prices f. o. b. factory, Flint, Michigan

Remarkable Six-Cylinder Engine Chevrolet's remarkable six-cylinder engine impresses you most vividly by its sensationally smooth performance. At every speed you enjoy that silent, velvet-like flow of power which is characteristic of the truly fine automobile!



Beautiful Fisher Bodies With their low, graceful, sweeping lines and smart silhouette, their ample room for passengers and their sparkling color combinations and rich upholstery—the new Fisher bodies on the Chevrolet Six represent one of Fisher's greatest achievements.



Outstanding Economy The new Chevrolet Six is an unusually economical car to operate. Not only does it deliver better than twenty miles to the gallon of gasoline, but its oil economy is equal to, if not actually greater than, that of its famous four-cylinder predecessor.



Remarkable Dependability In order to appreciate what outstanding value the Chevrolet Six represents, it is necessary to remember that it is built to the world's highest standards. In design, in materials and in workmanship—it is every inch a quality car!

Amazing Low Prices An achievement no less remarkable than the design and quality of the Chevrolet Six is the fact that it is sold at prices so amazingly low! Furthermore, Chevrolet delivered prices include the lowest financing and handling charges available.

W. K. Simpson Chevrolet Company

A SIX IN THE PRICE RANGE OF THE FOUR

Bill Der Says

Success is within your reach. Stretch.



Where Quality Counts

Select lumber and building materials from a firm that is known to carry only the cleanest and best lumber obtainable.

We insist upon quality lumber when we order from the mill. We offer it to you.

The quality of our merchandise and satisfaction mean more to us than price.

W. E. Newton



HAYRICK LODGE NO. 696

A. F. & A. M.

Meets every second Tuesday night in each month. All members and visitors are urged to be present.

ROY KNIGHT W. M. W. J. CUMBIE, Sec'y.

Renew Your Health By Purification

Any physician will tell you that "Perfect Purification of the System is Nature's Foundation of Perfect Health." Why not rid yourself of chronic ailments that are undermining your vitality? Purify your entire system by taking a thorough course of Calotabs, —once or twice a week for several weeks—and see how Nature rewards you with health.

Calotabs are the greatest of all system purifiers. Get a family package with full directions. Only 35 cts. at drugstores. (Adv.)

New Market

JUST OPENED

Located Next to Ice Plant Will Appreciate Your Business

New Barbecue Pit Installed

and will have the old-style

Barbecued Beef and Mutton Every

Tuesday and Saturday

Cruce McCutchen, Prop.



Every Convenience For You

## At the NEW Baker-Hemphill's

Beauregard at Irving



The Second of a series about one of Texas' greatest stores which will shortly move into its new home

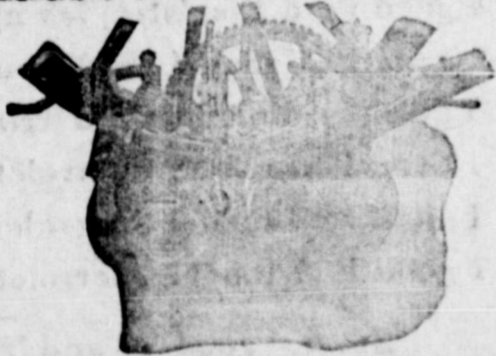
## Baker-Hemphill Co.

### A West Texas Institution

The store of Baker-Hemphill's is a West Texas Institution, entrusted to the guidance of able executives, who, imbedded with the Baker-Hemphill spirit, are eager to share in every forward looking activity of West Texas.

We rejoice in the opportunity of presenting our new store to West Texans--glad to offer you the experience gained in over twenty years of service---new shopping thrills and convenience await you--but the same time test policy, the same notable values will always be yours from a store that sincerely appreciates your confidence and good will.

### Tire Shrink- ing



**HOT OR COLD** Our Tire Shrinker, Is New

and ready for service, we will cold shrink your tires from 75c to \$1.50 each. We also have a new discoller, and ax grinder.

**It you have an ax to grind, grind it with us.**

Broad tires set cold Each	\$1.50
Narrow tires set cold Each	75c
Axes Ground Per. Blade	25c

**J. J. Vestal and Son**

No Virtue in Haste  
Business dispatched is business well done, but business hurried is ill done.  
—Bulwer-Lytton.

**West Texas FAIR**  
"A Big Affair—and Then Some"  
SEPT. 23 & 28. ABILENE

★ WINTER GARDEN FOLLIES ★  
FREE EVERY NIGHT

★ Harley Sadler's OWN COMPANY ★  
FOOTBALL—AUTO RACES

★ LACHMAN-CARSON SHOWS ★  
COLORFUL, CLEVER EXHIBITS

### SATURDAY'S SPECIALS

C & H Brown Sugar, 2 pounds	23c
Nile Brand Salmon, No. 2 can	17c
Snap Peas, Home Canned, No. 2 can	17c
Pine apple, crushed or sliced, flat cans	13c
Pickles in glass, Paramount Brand 18 oz. Jar	18c
O. B. Jelly, assorted flavors, 6 oz.	8c

This ad is worth 50c in merchandise to  
Mrs. Fred Havins, Valley View  
Saturday Afternoon, Sept. 7, at

**S. M. Conner Co.**



# This Week

by Arthur Brisbane

**Zepplin Beats Record.**  
British Must Protect.  
John Bull—“Shylock”  
Farming as “Big Business”

AS A BOUND the world in eighty days was Jules Verne's dream of what might be. The exact flying time of the Great Zepplin's cruise around the world was twelve days and eight minutes. To mention those figures in scientific achievement is like mentioning the billion dollars in Wall Street. We need to enlarge on the figures.

The Zepplin frequently made less than 90 miles an hour.

At the Schneider Cup race airplanes were prepared to exceed 300 miles an hour.

They could fly from Tokyo to San Francisco in one day. Who doubts that their speed will be transferred to big bombing planes?

We need air expansion, not retrenchment.

Jews in America and other countries, worried about co-religionists in Palestine, may find comfort in the fact, as regards future events, that the British empire cannot allow Arabs to defy British authority.

Let Jerusalem riots get beyond control and the Moslem world become convinced of its ability to defy the British, or convinced that the British have had all the fighting they want, and there will be trouble, serious and widespread.

The Jerusalem riots involved not merely the safety of Jews in Palestine but the safety of the British empire wherever Mohammedans are numerous.

To suppress, with a strong hand, the rioting and murdering in Jerusalem and other parts of Palestine, is not merely a matter of fulfilling obligations solemnly assumed, but of protecting the integrity of the British empire.

The Vatican was reported to be much concerned as to the safety of church shrines in Jerusalem. If Arabs were allowed to get the upper hand indefinitely, one of the first steps prompted by Mohammedan enthusiasm would be the destruction of Christian shrines and churches.

Sir Phillip Snowden, who manages Great Britain's finances, won his fight for a fairer distribution of the German spoils. And suddenly British Tories blazed forth in praise of the great Snowden.

It is amusing to see what happens when a shoe is on the other foot. In Italy, France, Belgium, Snowden was represented as a fiend incarnate, a pirate and of course a Shylock, when he asked for only part of the money due him.

That must remind us of some things that were said about Uncle Sam—“Uncle Shylock” was one name.

An airplane pilot, assisted by a farmer, took off near Bellingham, Wash., and before returning seeded 68 acres in one hour and 40 minutes. The farmer scattered seeds from a sack through a door in the cockpit, using about 800 pounds of alfalfa, timothy, clover and orchard grass seeds.

When gigantic machinery plows, harrows and pulverizes the soil in one operation, when another machine harvests, stacks, bales and weighs the crop in one operation, and airplanes do the sowing, agriculture will join “big business.”

Henry Ford's interesting statement that he would stop manufacturing automobiles “if booze came back again,” causes unnecessary discussion.

Mr. Ford, a sincere teetotaler, probably said that hastily. He is as good now as ever. He established his reputation and that of his car, long before prohibition came.

What Henry Ford could do, without the aid of prohibition at fifty, he could do now at sixty-five. He wants to help prohibition, that's all.

When efficient gangsters don't want witnesses to testify, they don't testify. Somebody killed three men in New York's “Hoty Toty” speakeasy. Two waiters and another man saw the gunman who did the killing. Commissioner Whalen said the three would see nothing more. They were killed so “about their mouths.”

Mrs. Felix Asking, and children of Ford City, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wrinkle this week.

# To The Farmers of Robert Lee Trade Territory

We installed, after driving many miles looking at and investigating boll machines, a Double Unit Boll Machine with double units to follow, that we think cannot be excelled. Come in and let us show them to you.

We are glad to announce to one and all that our machinery is in first-class condition and are ready to give the same high-class, satisfactory service as we have always striven to give to those who have entrusted the ginning of their cotton to us. We never spare time or money in the matter of keeping our machinery in absolute perfect condition.

## WE ARE APPRECIATIVE

For the splendid way in which our friends and patrons of the entire section have always been loyal to us in a business way. We cherish such friendships and business loyalty more than we can here express, therefore

## IT IS A PLEASURE TO SERVE YOU

If you have been a patron of ours in the past we take occasion to thank you and to ask for a continuance of your patronage. And to those who may never have given us their ginning we cordially invite your patronage and promise you the very best in the way of service and courteous treatment.

# PERCIFULL & DODSON

## THE GIN MEN

TOP PRICES PAID FOR COTTON SEED

## We Are Ready

to serve you with that GOOD GULF GAS-OILINE, Kerosene and Supreme Motor Oils.

For quick delivery of anything in our line phone 108 Bronte Texas, or see

R. S. WALTON, Local Agt.

### Wild Cat Meows

If you think prosperity will continue—as it will unless foolishness interferes—buy your little boy a seat on some stock exchange.

He will make money as a broker, and his seat, while he “sits” in it, may make him rich apart from his own work.

You can't say that of many seats.

A stockbroker has such a “clean” business, buying and selling as ordered, a profit on every transaction. Wise brokers don't gamble. They let the customers do that.

The most important part of civilized man's education is learning to resist germs.

Measles will wipe out a tribe of Alaskans or Eskimos in two or three weeks. White men call it a child's disease.

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The Mc Callum Reed stores, beginning with September 1st, have changed their name to the “Coke County Mercantile Company.”

Miss Wilma Taylor spent the week end with Miss Thula Murhishaw,

Miss Ila Belle Patterson spent the week end with Miss Ellie Ditmora.

Mrs. W. E. Wilbanks, returned to her home in San Angelo after a week visit with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Kerley returned home from Big Lake one day last week.

Mrs. De an Childress and children of Sanco spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Murhishaw,

Miss Ora Ditmora spent Sunday with Miss Virginia Williams,

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Williams went to San Angelo on business one day last week.

## OUR LIST OF USED CARS

- 1 good Ford Roadster Pick up body
- 1 good 1926 model Ford Touring
- 1 good 1926 model Ford Truck
- 1 good 1927 model Chevrolet Coupe
- 1 good 1927 model Chevrolet Touring
- 1 good 1927 model Chevrolet Roadster

Several good '24 and '25 models at BARGAIN PRICES

Coke Motor Co.

Floyd Murhishaw spent Sunday with A. V. Hughes.

Mr. Tommie Pruett left last week after visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Varne-dore of Robert Lee visited Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Smith Sunday. Live Wire.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hafner, of Tuscola, visited in the home of their son, M. E. Hafner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Sofge of Eldorado, spent the week-end with her parents here Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wrinkle.

Miss Virginia Williams entertained a number of friends Sunday with a chicken dinner.



# Coke County Mercantile Co.

<p>Trade With Us</p>	<p><b>Especially Pleasing Patterns and Colors in New Dress Goods</b></p> <p>Pleasing likewise is the excellence of the quality you will find and the exceptionally low prices we are asking. We welcome you to make comparisons, both as to quality and the low prices asked</p> <p><b>New Printed Broadcloth and PERCALES</b></p> <p>Look Them Over and be Convinced</p>	<p>We Save you \$ \$ \$</p>
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# Coke County Merc. Co.

U. B. Thrifty says



"The person who uses his sense rightly will add to his cents."

And if you desire lots of cents start a savings account and work in addition.

There is no substitute for safety.

**First State Bank**

**Take Many to Handle Lines**  
The crew of a large Atlantic liner numbers about 850 members. Six hundred of this number are in the steward's department and in the strict sense of the term are not sailors.

**25¢**  
—is the right price to pay for a good tooth paste—  
**LISTERINE TOOTH PASTE**  
Large Tube  
**25¢**

## Telephone Service

Did you ever stop to think just how sound travels by telephone? It is only magnetic waves that traverse the small wires in the telephone aerial wires that strand the hills, rivers and road sides, and the least break or disturbance of these lines stops those waves of electricity, and, this occasionally happens, even with the best equipment and mechanical skill. We ask the co-operation of our subscribers and assure them that they are welcome to call on us at any time.

In Case of Emergency Call for Special Attention

**San Angelo Telephone Co.**  
W. A. CLARK, Local Manager

**ROBERT MASSIE CO.**  
Funeral Directors and Embalmers. Superior Ambulance Service.  
Phone 4444 Day or Night  
San Angelo, Texas

### POSTED

All persons, caught hauling wood, driving stock, or otherwise trespassing in my pasture with out me knowing about it will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

**JOHN SAUL**

Robert Lee, Texas. pd Oct 1 29

**For Life Insurance  
Fire Insurance  
Tornado and Hail Insurance**

See

**W. B. Clift**  
Robert Lee, Texas

G. S. ARNOLD

..Attorney-At-Law..

ROBERT LEE - Texas

### POSTED

All persons are warned not to haul wood, hunt, drive stock, or otherwise trespass in Mrs. G. A. Rambin's pastures. If caught, you will be prosecuted.

**Mrs. G. A. Rambin**

Robert Lee, Texas, June 11, '80

**DR. B. F. GEORGE**  
Specialist

Genito Urinary Diseases.

Guaranty State Bank Building  
Room 215

San Angelo, Texas

### POSTED

All persons, caught hauling wood, driving stock, or otherwise trespassing in my pasture with out me knowing about it, will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

**FRED ROE**

Robert Lee, Texas, May 1, 1930

**Cannot Be Failure**  
There is no honest and true work, carried on with constant and sincere purpose, that ever really fails.—Jordan.



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## LOCALS AND PERSONALS

We pay top prices for anything in the poultry line. Phone us. W. Modgling & Co. Bronte Texas.

Mrs. Joe Allen, Miss Ollie Green and Mr. and Mrs. Swoford were San Angelo shoppers Tuesday.

New felts for ladies at W. K. Simpson & Co.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Gartman visited her parents at Llano, last week-end.

Cherry Belle flour and Cream meal at Cumbie Bros.

Mrs. May Lord, and Mr. and Mrs. Brock Arterburn of Ballinger, visited in the home of Miss Ollie Green Sunday.

Call us if you want to sell your eggs and chickens. W. Modgling & Co. Bronte, Texas, will buy your turkeys this fall.

Miss Lucile Counts who has been working for the last 7 weeks at Wool Worth's at San Angelo, went home Monday, and says she has all the city life she wants. Miss Melba, her sister, also with Wool Worth's say she is going to stay with it.

Hot barbecue, honest-to-God barbecued, at W. Modgling & Co. Bronte, Texas, every day.

Miss Ruth Maxwell finish her three years training at the San Angelo hospital on the first day of September she is spending a week at home. She will return to San Angelo where she has accepted a position as surgical nurse at the new surgical and medical clinic.

For well drilling at a dollar per foot for the first hundred feet, and a 25c raise per foot for each hundred feet thereafter, see me; will take trade at a fair price.

B. M. Mundell.

Mr. William H. Maxwell Jr. of Blackwell, Mrs. Irving Cumbie and children, and Mrs. Earnest Ivey of Bronte, spent the week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Maxwell.

T. C. Pruett returned from Falls, Tuesday where he was called to see his mother, who was struck with paralysis last week, she is some better now.

Gas 23 cents at Edith. Gulf Lube 20 cents per quart. Groceries at a fair price. L. E. Bruton, prop.

Miss Allene Stroud left Thursday to go to work at Carlsbad, where her sister now works.

DR. W. N. JONES, Dentist over First National Bank, San Angelo, Texas.

Hoot Gibson, is the star for Friday and Saturday night, at the theatre, in "Trick of Hearts" a one reel comedy and a news reel.

Be sure to see old Hoot.

Mesdames T. E. Puett and A. J. Taylor, are visiting friends and relatives at Campwood this week.

L. J. Kimble who has been ill at Will Boons residence for the last 10 days is reported better.

Otis Campbell of Abilene visited relatives at Sanco Wednesday.

W. R. Pruitt, one of Bront's progressive citizens was in the capital city Saturday.

### The Service Charge

Many of our customers have small balance and are served at an actual loss to our banks, because the income derived from the use of these small accounts, after allowing for necessary cash reserves, is far too small to cover the cost of postage, book-keeping, stationery, and clerical work.

Hence, beginning with the Month of Nov. a service charge of 50c a month on checking account balances of less than Fifty dollars, and a return charge of 25c will be made drawers for checks returned by reason of "insufficient funds" a charge of Fifty cents will be made against accounts which show to have been overdrawn during month.

The service charge, or a larger balance, is our only solution—and in this new policy we ask your cooperation in the belief that you will recognize the fundamental soundness of our asking your account to pay its way. This charge will not apply to saving accounts, upon which checks are not drawn, nor to the accounts of religious, charitable, fraternal or educational organizations.

Respectfully submitted  
First National Bank of Bronte, Texas  
First State Bank of Robert Lee, Texas  
The First National Bank of Blackwell, Texas,

Mew school Oxfords for girls to arrive at W. K. Simpson & Co.

Misses Dora Davis and Opal Hurley left Monday to attend the San Angelo Business College, at San Angelo.

New school dresses for children—size 8 to 14 at W. K. Simpson & Co.

Mr. W. F. Byerly and George Littlefield of Brownwood was in the Capital City Fr. day.

Mr. B. S. Griffith of Mobile Alabama visited his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. K. Griffith here last week-end.

Mrs. H. T. Carter, and son Harris, and Mrs. E. T. Tickle, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tunnell passed thru town last week-end on their way to Ranger where Mrs. Carter will spend her winter with her daughter Mrs. Tunnell.

We were glad to see Mr. J. F. Heater able to be in town Saturday evening. He says he is not near dead yet, judging from his looks, he is right about it.

Miss Wenona Adams of Roscoe visited her sister, Mrs. J. L. Sneed last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Meek, and Misses Elsie and Geneva Wright of Moriarty New Mexico visited in the home of his Brother Millard Meek, last week-end.

Grandpa Gunnels is reported very low this week with leakage of the heat. He is 86 year Old.

Mrs. Olens Smith of Electra Texas, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Green Roberts this week.

Millard Meek, is building a dirt tank for Dee Walker this week.

### NOTICE SALESMEN

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received by the commissioner's court of Goke County, Texas, on the 9th day of September 1929, for the following described road machinery to-wit:

One 75 horse power tractor  
One 12 foot road grader.

Right reserved by the court to reject any and all bids.

All bids to be sealed and filed with the County Judge on or before 2 o'clock P.M. on September 9, 1929.

W. H. Bell  
County Judge Coke Co. Texas.

P. P. Edwards, Watch maker and Jeweler, Was with C. D. Martin 22 months but now with J. P. Bolding and Sons at 9 West Beauregard, San Angelo Texas. All Past and future Work Guaranteed.

For Sale:—Hot Point Electric Range, good condition, oven control, black finish, white enamel top. price 75.00  
Otto Beck, 423 N. Emerson St. San Angelo, Texas.

Cue Varnadore of Texon was in town over the week-end.

### NOTICE

All persons, caught hunting and shooting on my place will be prosecute.

J. W. Danner. 4t pd.

## RUPTURE

EXPERT HERE

H. M. SHEVYAN—F. H. SEELEY CO'S EXPERT of Chicago and Philadelphia will be at the San Angeles Hotel, San Angelo Friday only September 8 from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Mr. Seeley says:

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"If you want done what the rest cannot do—See Seeley."

Mr. Shevyan will be glad to demonstrate without charge or fit them if desired. Business demands prevents stopping at any other place in this section.

N. B.—Every statement in this notice has been verified before the State Court.—F. H. SEELEY. Home Office: 140 N. Dearborn St., Chicago, Ill.

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Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sneed Jr. last Monday afternoon a big nine pound boy,

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### What Is Health?

Health is the natural and normal condition obtained in the body when every function is performed easily, without interference or hindrance from any cause whatever. Lack of health results from restriction or interference, and unnatural conditions. To be continuously ailing is no longer considered a credit to one's intelligence. There is always a cause for ailments. This cause is located somewhere within the body. It is necessary that it be removed in order for health to obtain. Let me help you solve your health problem.



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Miss Jo Collier and Mrs. Morgan Jett of San Angelo, spent the week end with Miss Naomi Brown.

Miss Naomi Brown is spending the week in San Angelo with friends.

The Rev. M. A. Turner will preach at Robert Lee Sunday morning and night, and at Edith, at 8:30 P. M. every body is invited.

Wanted—To buy good young Rhode Island Red hens.

see Carl Hurley phone 1922.

J. B. Cole and family have just returned from a weeks visit at Sudan Lubbock and other places. They visited Mrs. Cole's brother at Sudan. They report good crops at Sudan and dry all the way up there.

For Sale—One span of mules 16 hands high, five year old gentle to work, and single row farming tools, and double Disc moline breaking plow, all in good shape, nearly new.

J. F. Cook.

Miss Bernice Cole of Sanco has entered the San Angelo School of Beauty Culture, taking the full course, to be completed in December. She will be glad to have her friends come in and take a free marcel, finger wave or any of the free work.