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Newspaper

## Lee Roberts For Celebrating Commissioner

The name of Lee Roberts, who column as a candidate for County was a Ford dealer in Ballinger. Commissioner, Precinct No. 1.

knows the needs of the precinct, is hardship a Ford dealer had to girls of this county and a great acquainted with the various phases undergo in getting cars and purts, deal of interest is being aroused. of tax matters, road construction, have built up a nice business, and tive with all county officials and naturally enjoy an increased vol- this year's show bids fair to eclipse the citizenship in general. Capa- ume of business. Courteous and all previous ones. ble and conservative, Mr. Roberts polite service, experienced mechanwill endeavor to make a fair dis- ics, along with modern equipment tribution of his efforts to each por- has made the Ivey Motor Co. a tion of his precinct, and will at all popular business institution. fimes be glad to confer with residents of the precinct on all matters under his jurisdiction. He offers his candidacy at the request of many friends, and solicits and will

## **New Structure Looms**

The new tile building of the San Angelo, officiating. building ready for occupancy.

square, facing south, the new struc and Hayrick schools before going ture will add very considerably to South Dakota some 30 years to the business section of Robert ago to teach in the U. S. govern-

## \$500 For Race Mare

J. T. Thetford of Edith last Monday sold his three year old thoroughbred race mare to G. W. price of \$500.

A little want ad will sell it.

## **TODAY'S BEST NEWS**

Jesus cried and said, He that believeth on me, believeth not on me, but on him that sent me.

And he that seeth me seeth him that sent me. - John 12:44,45.

## Anniversary

This week Ivey Motor Company for the past 40 years has been a celebrate their second anniversary stock Show grounds in Robert Lee, the Board of Community Develop- Bronte Tuesday evening and gave citizen and taxpayer in this coun- in Robert Lee as Ford dealers, the big 24x112 foot show barn is ment, the matter of lighting the us his announcement for sheriff, ty, appears in our announcement Prior to that time Cumbie Ivey up and ready for the big two days' livestock show grounds for foot- tax assessor-collector. His name

Purchasing the former Coke Mo-

## Funeral Of James Tunnell

shaw, Church of Christ minister of adv. in this issue.

Ford Hallmark owner, is assuming Lame Deer, Montana, from a heart enjoyed wide popularity, and in proportions. Roof construction is attack. A large number attended securing this superior line, Latham under way, and it won't be long the funeral service. A native of Feed Store is maintaining it's usual until the plate glass windows and Fannin county, deceased came to policy: the best products for its doors will be sn position, and the this county as a small child. At- customers. taining manhood he taught in the Located on the north side of the Robert Lee, Bronte, Valley View ment schools, and at the time of his demise was superintendent of the Indian school at Lame Deer, Mont.

Survivors include two sisters, Mrs. Mary Green and Mrs. Erman Collett, of Los Angeles, Calif.; two Williams of Bovina for the fancy brothers, Frank of Doris, Calif, and J. W. of Miles; a nephew, Paul Green of San Angelo, and two nieces, Mrs. L. S. Dunnan of San Angelo, and Mrs. Fred Kunp of Los Angeles.

> Minister L. H. Roebuck will preach at the Sanco Bible church next Sunday at 2 p. m. Special singing. All are invited.

## Barns Are Up Ready For Show For Lighting

Out at the Coke County Liveshow Feb. 25-26.

way for this important office. He Iveys, notwithstanding the usual for the F. F. A, and 4-H boys and ahead" signal.

## Distributes Stanton's **Brand Of Fine Feeds**

The Latham Feed Store, the oldest feed store in this county, is now the authorized distributor of Graveside services for James H. the popular Stanton Feeds, manuappreciate your vote and influence. Tunnell, 67, were held in the Rob- factured by the Standard Milling ert Lee cemetery, Sunday after- Co., of Lubbock. A list of these noon at 3 o'clock, with J. P. Cren- popular feeds appears in a large

For 19 years Stanton's Feeds Robert Lee Truck & Tractor Co., Mr. Tunnell died Jan. 28, in have met the test of feeders and

ing the weather.

## Legion Meeting

8 o'clock All GIs are urged to fine of \$100 and costs. attend. Important.

Judge McNeil Wylie was in Colorado on business Tuesday.

The Observer, \$2 a year.

## Political Announcements

Rates: Congressional .... County Offices ....\$10 Precinct Offices ---- \$7.50

The Observer is authorized to announce the candidacy of the following persons, subject to the 1946 democratic primaries;

For County Judge & School Supt.: McNEIL WYLIE BOB L. DAVIS For District and County Clerk: WILLIS SMITH R. T. CAPERTON For County Treasurer RUBY L. PETTIT MRS. A. W. LITTLEFIELD or Sheriff, Tax Assessor & Collector PAUL GOOD LEE R. LATHAM DOUGLAS SNEAD For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1

H. C. VARNADORE

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3

LEE ROBERTS

T. F. HARMON

is marching on.

# **\$2200** Raised

At Monday night's meeting of ball, basketball and other athletic appears in our announcement col-Over \$250 in cash prizes and purposes was placed in the hands umn this week. Mr. Snead was Mr. Roberts is qualified in every tor Company in this city, the ribbons will be offered this year of Supt. Geo. L. Taylor with a "go raised in this county, and prior to

raised to defray lighting costs, and bank, was with the bank in this Individual citizen breeders are also Mr. Taylor is empowered to close city. etc., and if elected will be co-opera- with the settlement of strikes will to have exhibits, and all and in all. up with the West Texas Utilities Co., who will look after all instal- man, qualified in every way, and lations, and have everything ready will gratefully appreciate your supsome time in August.

tial and business sections of the will appear. town was progressing. The clean up program ends next Saturday, and in order to assist, the Board will have trucks to pick up and cart off trash from the city, Friday and Saturday of next week. Property owners must have their trash in boxes or containers and placed in convenient places on the street or alley, for the trucks. The co-operation of all is asked.

## Several Fines Paid

Coke coudty last week when Li- worked out by the American Red We had all sorts of weather Sat- quor Board officers and members Cross in cooperation with the Asurday. In the morning it was of the sheriff's force made several sociation of State and Territorial cloudy. Then a misty rain. Came arrests on three different ocsasions Health Officers, the American next some sleet, followed by snow. at the bridge three miles south of Medical Association, and the Amer-Finally the sun came out, the Bronte. One party who had 240 weather cleared off, and a big pints and 24 quarts of booze paid frost that night. After Saturday's a fine of \$250 and costs in Judge weather gyrations, Mr. Rabb says Wylie's court on Feb. 6. Another that Monroe Parker's goosebone party who had 19 quarts and a isn't worth a whoop for prophesy- case of beer was fined \$100 and costs, Feb. 8. On the same day another party who had two cases of beer paid a fine of \$100 and There is to be a meeting of the costs. The next day another party local American Legion post at the who had in his possession 2 cases patient without charge for the court house next Tuesday night at of booze and 2 cases of beer paid a

## Apartments In Demand

something must be done to provide living quarters for others yet to come. An apartment house is sorely needed. If something isn't done soon, the editor is going to put his residence on the market, and build an 8-unit apartment house in the southern part of town.

Folks are hunting rooms here daily, only to be disappointed. Robert Lee's population could be materially increased if living quarters were available. They must be provided. Robert Lee is growing.

Mitchell Davis is moving in a residence from the country this week, and will shortly have a comfortable domicile of his own.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Fish, former residents of this city, have sold their Tuscola mercantile interests and will retlre from business.

## Much Improving Going On

Lots of improving going on. Carpenters all busy. Improvements at residences and several business houses. New roofs, new windows and doors. Robert Lee

## B. D. Snead For Sheriff

Douglas Snead was over from moving to Bronte, where he holds To date some \$2200 has been a responsible position with the

Mr. Snead is a popular young port in his race. In next week's The board also was informed issue of The Observer, his statethat civic beautification of residen. ment to the voters of the county

## Distributing Plasma

Distribution of surplus blood plasma from the St. Louis, Missouri, warehouse of the American Red Cross to civilian physicians and hospitals in the 17 states comprising the Midwestern Area already has begun. The plasma is part of an estimated 1,250,000 units declared surplus by the Army and Navy at the end of the war. Plans for this distribution back to Booze runners came to grief in the civilians from it came were ican Hospital Association.

Under the distribution plans, every physician and surgeon licensed to practice in our state will have one complete unit of blood plasma in his bag. Every acceptable hospital in every community in our state will have a supply of the plasma which is ready for instant use in the treatment of any

This is one of the finest public relations opportunities that could come our way. The blood given free by the American people Apartments and rooms are scarce through the American Red Cross as hen's teeth in Robert Lee, and now is returning to them, speedily and without charge.

> Those new buses put into use by the Abilene-San Angelo Motor Coaches Tuesday look like a million and ride like a pullman.

Mrs. Viva Davis' residence recently moved in from the country, is undergoing repairs, and will soon be ready for occupancy.

## The Mayor Of Edith Says



Early risers are braggy in the morning and draggy late in the afternoon.

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### WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

## Farm Equipment Output to Hit Peak Late in Year; Push Fight Against Postwar Price Control

(EDITOR'S NOTE: When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of Western Newspaper Union's news analysis and not necessarily of this newspaper.)

### FARM MACHINERY: Output Off

Hampered by material shortages, inexperienced help, inability of suppliers to deliver parts and strikes, farm machinery manufacturers do not look for attainment of peak production until later this year or early

When full-scale operations are resumed, it was said, companies will first concentrate on the output of parts for worn equipment since many farmers will be compelled to make their machinery do until new units begin to appear in satisfactory

As it is, manufacturers' efforts to meet a part of the tremendous demand for plows, planters and cultivators for spring use have been crimped by production difficulties, with no substantial deliveries of these items forthcoming.

With 30,000 workers of the International Harvester company out on strike over demands for a 30 per cent wage increase, the total of idle employees in the industry approximated 36,000 of 90,000.

### UNO: Avoid Strife

Invoking article 33 of the United Nations charter calling upon quarreling governments to attempt conciliation of their difficulties first be-fore appealing to UNO, Russia moved to settle her differences with little Iran privately and take the matter out of the hands of the security council.

By so acting, the Reds succeeded in avoiding a ticklish situation within UNO itself, with possibilities that the U. S., Britain, France and China might have placed Moscow in a compromising position in investigating the row. In permitting the Reds and Iranians to thrash out their own problems, however, the security to report on the progress of their negotiations.

In originally appealing to UNO to charged the Russians with interfering with government efforts to subdue a leftist rebellion in the northwest province of Azerbaijan. Sent southern Russia, Red and British troops were scheduled to pull out early this spring.

## Give and Take

Continuing to give and take in their relations, the Big Three agreed to the election of stocky, 50year-old Trygve Lie (pronounced Tryg'-va Lee) of Norway as secretary-general of UNO. Russ-backed, the selection of the bulky Norwegian foreign minister offset the earlier elevation of British-backed Paul Henry Spaak of Belgium as presi-

The U. S. played a key role in balancing the powers through the elections. After the Russians had charged Secretary of State Byrnes and company of having doublecrossed them in not pushing Lie's candidacy for president as against Spaak's, Chief Delegate Edward R. Stettinius later arranged for the Norwegian's selection as secretarygeneral in a five-power pow-wow in his Claridge hotel suite.

The son of a carpenter who became active in the Norwegian labor movement immediately after his Cool Reception graduation from Oslo university in 1919, reddish-faced, bustling Lie will occupy a key position in UNO as secretary-general, having within his power the authority to submit any problem he chooses to the security council.

### CONGRESS: Labor Curb

Despite the brightening industrial picture, a strong coalition of Republicans and conservative Democrats in congress moved for adopagainst the vehement protests of liberal members.

Amid charges by Representative Sabath (Dem., Ill.) that the conservative bloc was being used by Wall street, 153 Republicans and 105 Democrats joined forces to pile up a 258 to 114 vote for immediate consideration of a bill which would set up a labor-management mediation board; provide for a 30-day cooling off period before a strike or lockout; make both parties liable for violations of a labor contract; prohibit unionization of supervisory employees, and ban sympathy walk-

While liberal members vigorously

denounced the restrictive measure as one of the "most vicious antilabor bills ever brought before the house," conservative proponents declared that representative action could be taken in amending or revising the bill during floor discussion.

### PRICE CONTROL: Under Fire

First to break the wage deadlock in industry with a 15.1 per cent, or 18 cents an hour, increase to his employees, Henry Ford II came out for abolition of government price control except on food and rent as a means of breaking the bottleneck in civilian production and permitting a rapid flow of goods to con-

Declaring that existing price ceilings had the effect of squeezing smaller parts makers between rising operating costs and fixed re-



### Henry Ford II

council called upon the disputants I turns, Ford said that the productivity of the big manufacturers depended upon suppliers' activities. If price control were abolished, he look into the controversy, Iran had declared, the heat of competition for markets would bring down the cost

In keeping with his announced position for firm control, President into the oil-rich country in 1942 to | Truman rejected Ford's suggestion guard supply lines leading into in a news conference, asserting that the removal of OPA regulation would result in wild inflation with its disastrous effect upon purchasing power.

Henry II's attack against price control came even as clothing and shirt manufacturers blamed OPA for the insufficiency of stocks on dealers' shelves in the face of tremendous demand from consumers.

Charged with withholding at least 400,000 suits from the markets, clothing makers were particularly resentful of OPA regulations, claiming that with their recent grant of a 221/2 per cent increase in wages to workers price readjustments were necessary to permit them an adequate profit.

Shirt manufacturers rapped the OPA's so-called "maximum average" price regulation for failure to produce adequate stocks, claiming that they were unable to turn out more of the better grade items in the face of a shortage of cheaper fabrics because OPA required balanced output of all types.

## FARM STRIKE:

While farmers in southeastern Nebraska, incensed by the machinery shortage, talked up an agricultural strike in protest of industrial walkouts, farm organization leaders discouraged the idea because stoppage of shipments of fresh products would result in costly waste.

In calling for the withholding of agricultural products to force resumption of industrial output, Strike Leader Hubert Johnson, 48, of Edgar, Neb., listed farmer grievtion of restrictive labor legislation cances: "Four years now we've been getting along without new machinery," he said, "and we've been told we would probably get nothing this spring. . . . We need farm tools and bathtubs and refrigerators. . . . We need automobiles. . . . We can't

even buy a pair of overalls. . . Taking issue with the farmers "no machinery for us, no food for you" battle-cry, President Edward A. O'Neal of the Farm Bureau, reflecting leading agricultural organization opinion, pointed out that it would be impossible to halt production of milk, eggs, etc. Withholding of these items from market would only result in loss to farmers as well as consumers, he said.

## Washington Digest

## Truman Labors Under New Deal 'Inheritance'

Congress Seen Taking Advantage of President's Rightist Leanings; Lacks Influence of FDR to Put Policies Over.

> By BAUKHAGE News Analyst and Commentator.

WNU Service, 1616 Eye Street, N.W., | fort (begun by Theodore Roosevelt) Washington, D. C.

It was a cool, crisp winter day. A week before the erratic Washington weather had seduced a whole circle of credulous pansies which pushed their startled faces up from the garden on the White House lawn. Poor bemused flora! They were soon frozen as solid in their beds as the President's labor legislation in congress.

We hurried along Pennsylvania avenue, our coat collars turned up, arguing heatedly as newsmen do when they are released from the inhibitions which seize them the moment they sit down and meet the solemn stare of their typewriter keyboards with that threatening noose, the deadline, tightening about the medulla oblangata.

"The most astounding thing," said one of us, "is the way Truman, with all his experience in congress, can't get along with it. If he would only buttonhole some of the thinkers in the opposition, say Vandenberg in the senate and men like Wollcott in the house, and appeal to their sense of patriotism, he wouldn't have all this trouble."

"It isn't as simple as that," interrupted another, as we paused to show cur photographic passes to the guard at the gate (who has known us all by our first names for a decade but who always solemnly studies our cards as if they were ali-"It isn't as simple as that. After all, congress has to be realistic in an election year. They are facing real issues. And the President's program isn't realistic."

"Whether or not it is realistic," the third member of the group put in, "after all it isn't his program. He inherited it. It's New Deal and the New Deal is Old Hat now. It doesn't represent Harry Truman's ideas at all but he has to go through with it.'

All I felt I could add to those sage observations, without agreeing that the New Deal was Old Hat or the latest Downing Street model, whether it was realistic or modernistic or neo-marxian, was that it certainly is probable that if the President were able to shatter his inheritance to bits and then remould it to something nearer his heart's desire, he could probably put a lot more pep into his selling talk to con-

By this time we were adding our coats to the huge pile of garments on the great Aguinaldo mahogany table in the lobby of the executive offices and taking our place in the line outside the conference room.

### Resentment Shades Chief's Feelings

On this particular day the President started off with the note on which the whole conference was carried. I don't quite know how to describe it. He kept smiling. He didn't lose his temper. But there was just a shade of resentment in his voice and his words. It all sounded more like the later, somewhat disillusioned days of his predecessor, than the merry moments when a Roosevelt interview was always a good show as well as a newsful event-I mean the early days before the weight of war descended upon FDR's wearying brow. There is a weight on Truman today quite as heavy, for peace has its miseries as well as war. Just as it was freely predicted that "the United States will never stand for an occupying army for any length of time" (which proved to be so painfully correct), so everyone took for granted that any President in office when the war ended would

have an impossible job. But let's get back to the crowded office of the President on the winter day I am describing. He sat there smiling, exchanging wisecracks with the men in the first row. On the table behind him were the photographs of his family, crowned with a great bunch of jonquils from the White House greenhouse. He looked cheerful enough. The usual signal "all in" was sounded. He stood up and began to talk about what he called a "tempest in a teacup"—the controversy over building an addition to the White House. Personally I think it is the

to try to house the office work of the President under the roof of "the President's House," but I mention this controversy simply because it reflects the seamy side of White House-congress relations. Many of the President's friends feel that trying to make a modern office out of a beautiful old American colonial residence is folly, but they also felt that much of the furor raised in congress was due to a desire to embarrass Mr. Truman.

Why can't Truman get on with congress? Perhaps because he is a little too much like them. This is merely a hunch but I am not the only one who has toyed with the idea: both congress and the President (I realize that "congress" is a loose term because the legislators are a collection of many men of many minds) inclines farther to the right than the inherited Roosevelt program is targeted. Congress, the part of it that knows Harry Truman well, undoubtedly feels that his heart leans just about as far in the same direction. Therefore, he just can't get these more leftish ideas across. Harry Truman has a tremendous respect for the office of the presidency, a deep feeling of duty to carry out the program which death placed in his hands-a duty and a function he never sought. He cannot toss this heritage into the discard. And he probably reasons that if he feels that responsibility, the members of the party should do likewise. But it must be remembered that it was the powerful influence of a personality which could win an election four times, a task no American had dared to attempt even for the third, which kept congress obedient and even then, to ward the end, only falteringly.

### Truman Reveals His True Self

On this particular day of which am speaking, I think we heard Truman revealing his true self. He believes that the White House should be enlarged. He resented the opposition which he suspected was at least in part personal and political rather than the product of sincere conviction. I thought I heard that in his voice.

But I also think I heard in his words, a similar expression of his own philosophy, when he said that he thought the present industrial strife was a struggle for power between labor and management. In other words that basically it was not the demands of the men who work for more pay nor was it an objection on the part of industry to pay higher wages, as much as it was a pitch battle between labor leaders and the top men in management to see which could beat the other down.

To one who brags about being middle-class, without even a drop of blood of an Irish king in his veins, it sounded like good, sound (call it stuffy if you want) middle-class resentment. Then the President added that he thought that both labor and management had too much power and it was time for the government to step in and assert the power of the people which government is supposed to represent.

But when we asked the President if and how the government was going to assert itself to exert the "pow-er of the people" to settle the mess, all he said was that he had done all that he possibly could do.

He could have called out the army and the navy, the national guard, the FBI and the United Marching and Social Clubs, and taken over the steel industry the next day. But a step like that, which was no more than the wave of a tapering cigarette holder yesterday, was one which no cautious middleclass, middle-western, middle-of-theroad American would like to take except under duress. (I say that as one such.)

And so congress, part of it responding to the pressure of management and part of it under the pressure of labor, fiddles and filibusters while industry contentedly lives off its fat, labor on union funds or relief and the "people" with all their alleged "power" wonder how long, oh Lord, height of folly to continue the ef- how long!

## Rastus Sure Knew What Platform Was Used For!

On a train going from one cotton picking job to another a couple of colored boys were talking politics. Rastus, who wanted to see one of the local incumbents re-elected, was giving his friend, Sam, a red hot sales talk on his favorite candi-

"Well," Sam agreed after listening for some time, "ah guess he's all right - but ah sho don't like his platform."

"Platfo'm!" snorted Rastus.
"Platfo'm! Say, don't you know
dat a political platfo'm is jes like a platfo'm on one of dese yere railroad cahs-hit ain't meant to stand on, hit's jes meant to git in on."



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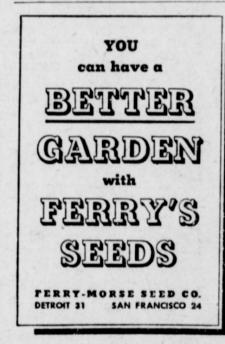
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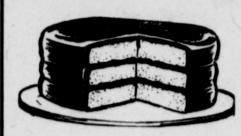
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Grapefruit Juice, Bestex, 46 ounce can 25c Tomato Juice, Libbys, 46 ounce can 25c Blackeyed Peas, Silver Valley, 2 cans for 29c Mexican Style Beans, Pecan Valley, can 10c Corn, Milford Golden Cream, No. 2 tin 14c Folger's Coffee 1-lb. glass 32c; 2-lb. glass 63c

Peaches, Sliced Nugget, No. 2½ tin 25c Mixed Fruit, Memory, No. 2½ tin 31c Apples, extra choice, 1-lb. cello - 49c Peaches, extra choice, 1-lb. cello - 35c Dates, All Purpose, 16 ounce pkg. 53c Raisins, Cinderella, 15 ounce pkg. 13c Salmon, Chum, No. 1 tall tin - - 25c Sardines, Maine, \(\frac{1}{4}\) can, 3 cans for 25c

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You're a farmer? Lancaster county, Pennsylvania, ranks second in the United States in income from farm products! Just remember that the thrifty "Pennsylvania Dutch" knew how to till the land, and their grandchildren do too! Big barns, fine houses and well-tilled fields like those in Franklin county will tell you more than words. The Pennsylvania landscape is dotted with farms and the big city markets are right at hand. Pennsylvania farmers do not have to ship long distances to find a place to sell their crops, their livestock, poultry or dairy products.

The Commonwealth leads in the oats, corn, potatoes, tobacco, ap- Seeing is believing! ples, peaches, pears and grapes.

## Many Colleges, Universities.

Schools? The institutions of higher education include the University coal fields, like those at Scranton, of Pennsylvania in Philadelphia, founded in 1740; Washington and Jefferson in Washington, founded in 1780: Pennsylvania State college: University of Pittsburgh; Carnegie Institute of Technology in Pittsburgh; Lafayette college, Easton; Lehigh university, Bethlehem; Temple university, Philadelphia; Bucknell university, Lewisburg; Dickinson college, Carlisle; Franklin and Marshall college, Lancaster; Allegheny college, Meadville; Duquesne college, Pittsburgh; Grove City college, Grove City; Haverford col-lege, Haverford; Swarthmore college, Swarthmore. There are 14 colleges for women, including Bryn Mawr. Lincoln university and Cheyney training school for teachers are for Negroes. There are 13 state teachers' colleges and 7 junior col-

Pennsylvania (Penn's Woods) was named for William Penn, the founder of the province. His charter was granted by Charles II in 1681. The terms, "Commonwealth" BUCKHILL FALLS . . . In the and "General Assembly," were

or look into Pennsylvania's billion-! the state constitution to this day. The United States was born on mills at Pittsburgh with their blast | Pennsylvania soil. The articles of confederation were adopted in Philadelphia; the Declaration of Independence was written and signed there; the treaty of peace which ended the Revolutionary war was ratified in that place, and later the constitution of the United States was formulated there.

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A native Pennsylvanian, Gov. Edward Martin has had a brilliant military, business and political ca-

Governor Martin has been state auditor, state treasurer and adjutant - general of Pennsylvania, as well as prominent in insurance,



## Gems of Thought

NTELLIGENCE and courtesy not always are combined: often in a wooden house a golden room we find.-Longfellow.

The Twenty-Third Psalm is the nightingale of the Psalms. It is small, of a homety feather, singing shyly out of obscurity; but it has filled the air of the whole world with melodious joy, greater than the heart can conceive.-II. W. Beecher.

Life is like a bed. If it is unsupportably uncomfortable, the best thing is to get up and remake it .- O. Sandys.

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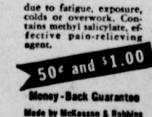
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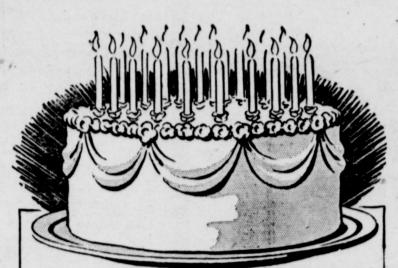
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## Want Ad Got Quick Results

Last week we carried a 3-line want adv., offering a heater for sale. In less than four hours after The Observer was in the mail, slx parties answered the advertisement, and the next day three more responses were had. Which goes to show that folks certailly read the want ads in The Observer. No doubt you have around your premises a lot of articles which could be turned into ready cash. Maybe it's a plow, cook stove, dining table, daveno, cultivator, tractor, car, bed, handsaw, garden tools, rocking chair. shotgun, rifle, wash pot or some article which you don't need. A little want ad will sell it if the price is right. We have one reader who uses our want ad column time after time-many items have been sold. You can do the

J. T. Thetford, popular Edith merchant, was in town Monday on business.

Mail your news items so that they will reach us not later than Tuesday afternoon, please.

Drive on to Robert Lee.

## Harvey Hulse Is En Route Home

Public Information Office, Commander Service Force, United States Pacific Fleet, Pearl Harbor, T. H.—Harvey Hulse, HA1c, husband of Mrs. Ruby Hulse, of Robert Lee, Texas, is one of 290 Navy veterans returning to the States for discharge aboard the U.S.S. Consolation, a hospital ship of the "Magic Carpet" fleet, which left Pearl Harbor, January 28, and is scheduled to arrive in San Francisco about February 3. The U.S. S. Consolation is one of the hospital ships which were "on the spot" in the Pacific war to care for wounded and evacuate them to rear area hospitals.

Mrs. A. E. Latham visited with friends in San Angelo Sunday.

Candidate cards, printed right here in Coke county for our Coke county candidates to hand out to Coke county voters—see The Observer for samples.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
The State of Texas, To Arthur
Zander Defendant Greeting:

Zander, Defendant, Greeting: You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable 51st District Court of Coke County, Texas, at the Court House thereof in Robert Lee, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 11th day of March, A. D. 1946, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court on the 22nd day of January, A. D. 1946 in this cause, number ed 1628 on the docket of said court and styled Mrs. Cora E. Zander, Plaintiff, vs. Arthur Zander, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, towit; Suit for divorce and custody of their minor child, Elwin Edward Zander, plaintiff alleging as cause of action unkind, harsh and cruel treatment of plaintiff by defendant of such a nature as to render their further living together insupportable.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said Court at office in Robert Lee, Texas, this the 22nd day of January, A. D. 1946.

Willis Smith, Clerk, District Court, Coke County, Texas.

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## 50 YEARS AGO IN COKE COUNTY

Early Day Items From Files Of The Coke County Rustler, Sept 12, 1896

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Tax rolls received by the comptroller in Austin reveal that Coke week county's valuation totalled \$1,385,-795, an increase of \$56,915.

Charles Goodnight, the Panhandle cattle king, recently sold the U. S. government five head of buffalos, consisting of two bulls, one yearling heifer and two old cows, at the respectable price of \$1500 a head. Col. Goodnight is crossing the buffalo with Polled Angus bales.

Lon Arnett360 fat shorn muttons over 1200 anres of land.

saddle horses from Ballinger to next Monday. Kansas last Saturday.

\$15.00.

Fun, fuss, fights and fines this

School opened Monday with an attendance of about 100.

The Colorado river stopped running in some places the first of the Press McDorman informs us that

the Menielle gin opened the season Saturday and turned out five J. R. Patteson informs us that

J. W. Nasworthy has sold to in the last two months he has sold

Wiley Byrd was in town Thurs-Lee Good shipped a car load of day. He will begin sheep shearing

W. E. Ingram who was out in When you need lumber see F. Sterling county the first of the

week says that after you leave Edith going west, everything is very dry.

If there has been a case of slow fever in Coke county in the past 12 months we would like to hear of it. And we believe Robert Lee to be the healthiest town in West Texas.

Mrs. G. W. Webb informs us that H. P. Fancher's little two year old baby got it's feet badly burned at Fort Chadbourne camp meeting.

Prof. Sam Martin will begin a writing school at the Paint creek school house today.

Robert Lee-San Angelo Stage Line, Don Green, proprietor. Round trip, \$2.50. Single trip, \$1.50.

### Old Alibi Ts Worn Out;

Sympathy Racket Fails

CHICAGO.-The day when a husband could come into court and get a sympathetic hearing on his plea that he couldn't find enough work to keep up his alimony payments has passed, Judge Robert J. Dunne said in Circuit court in Chicago when in two cases he ordered men to get to work immediately.

Joseph Patrovsky, 41 years old, a butcher, haled into court by his former wife, Anna, 28, for being \$290 in arrears for support of his wife and daughter, Geraldine, seven, was ordered to find a job in 24 hours and pay \$200 within two weeks. He also was told to quit drinking and go on a milk diet.

Joseph Shuman, 42, a printer, had a job that pays him only \$78 a month, so Judge Dunne told him to get a better one. His wife, Jean, 36, a secretary, is suing for divorce and asking temporary support for herself and their son, Morton, nine. He was forbidden to visit handbooks and ordered to pay \$7 a week.

Commissioners court was in regular session Monday transacting only routine business. All members were present.

## Says The Wildcat Apostle



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# REPORTON THE



### INSTALLMENT EIGHT

Considering only military effectives, the miracle is that any German soldier was able to set foot on Russian soil. They were able to penetrate to the suburbs of Moscow and Leningrad and range as far as the Caucasus (1,500 miles from Berlin) not only because of Russia's their homes. They left in groups technical poverty and the disorganized state of her industrial development, but also because at the time the Red Army lacked experienced officers. Her initial air force, for instance, could not compare in quality with that of the Germans. Much of it was smashed in the first few weeks of fighting.

If the Russian air force is primitive, this is no reflection on the skill of Russian pilots, who rank among the world's best. But Russia lacks the skill to turn out good planes. Of all branches of any air force, long-range bombers such as the British Lancaster and the American Fortress and Liberator require the highest degree of industrial skill for production and operation in large numbers. They are almost totally absent in the Red Air Force.



Russian pilots ranked among world's best.

The men who plan the Red Air Force have skillfully designed it around the country's many shortages; they have concentrated on production of the Stormovik, a slow, low altitude strafing plane. Since this efficient little tank buster usually operates at treetop level, the Soviet fighters which protect it have no need for high altitude equip-

Of the 10,000 planes which America has delivered to the Soviet Union the Russians like best the Bell Airacobra, which is a light, low altitude, ground co-operation plane, similar in function to the Stormovik. It is standard Red Air Force procedure immediately to remove all high altitude flying equipment from most American planes, replacing the weight with extra ammunition.

Lacking night fighters and radar, Soviet targets within range of the Luftwaffe are particularly vulnerable to night bombing, and the standard Russian method of defense is ground fire from anti-aircraft batteries, such as was used to protect Moscow. However, lacking radar to guide their fire; the gunners can the three officers' prison camps, shoot only at the sound, which is a rough indication not of where the bomber is, but where it was several seconds ago. Therefore, to be effective, batteries must be massed about the target, vomiting continuous fountains of fire during a raid, an expensive procedure.

Katyn Forest is near Smolensk and is the grave of some 10,000 Poles, mostly officers, who were shot in the back of the head. Whether this slaughter of helpless war prisoners was done by Russians or Germans, there is violent disagreement and evidence both ways.

To understand the complexity of the case, a little history is necessary. When in 1939, the Germans and Russians divided Poland, the Russian share of the loot included more than 180,000 prisoners of war, of whom 10,000 were officers. A few were generals. The most distinguished of these, including General Anders, were confined to Moscow's Lubianka prison. The rest of the 10,000 officers were sent to three prison camps in the Russian towns of Starobielsk, Kozielsk, and Ostaszkov. These camps housed twelve Polish generals, sixty-nine colonels, seventy-two lieutenant colonels and in all 5,131 regular army officers and 4,096 reserve officers. Few of the last had been captured in combat. Most of them had not yet been Russian news agency, Tass, issued

called up for duty, but, when Russia occupied her half of Poland, obeyed the Soviet summons to assemble.

The Polish officers were reasonably well treated at the three camps until April, 1940, when the Soviets began evacuating them, telling the men they might be sent back to of from twenty to sixty every few days during April and early May. What became of them after that, the Poles have a few clues. Most of the 10,000 vanished from the earth except for 400 who were finally taken to a camp at Gryazovets.

On June 22, 1941, Hitler attacked Russia. The Polish government in London immediately offered the hand of friendship to the Soviets, suggesting the formation from prisoners of war in Russian hands, of a Polish army. The Soviets accepted. General Anders was released from his prison cell, installed in a comfortable hotel room with apologies, and with Soviet co-operation began forming his army.

Poles, released from prison camps all over the Soviet Union, began flocking to his headquarters, but there were almost no officers.

General Anders was at first not alarmed, believing that they probably had been transferred to some far-away Arctic labor camp and presently would turn up. But as months went by and not one additional officer reported he became

November of 1941, Polish Ambassador Kot interviewed Stalin on this perplexing problem. The Marshal appeared genuinely astonished.

In Kot's presence, he rang up the NKVD and said the prisoners who had been in those three camps should be released at once.

A month passed, during which the Poles were collecting, from the 400 survivors of the three camps, a list of the names of their missing brother officers. On December 4, when Stalin received Generals Sikorski and Anders, they took with them an incomplete list of 4,500 names. This time Stalin expressed no surprise or indignation. The Poles felt he answered evasively, suggesting that the 10,000 officers might have returned to German occupied Poland or fled over the Manchurian border. Knowing how closely the NKVD supervises all travel in Russia, it was difficult for the two Polish generals to believe such a large number of officers could have accomplished this journey undetected. Picking up his telephone, Stalin called General Pamfilov at NKVD headquarters, again issuing orders to release all Poles who had ever been in the three camps.

More time passed but not an officer turned up.

A really disturbing rumor began to circulate. A few months before the German attack on Russia, the NKVD assembled several Polish staff officers, including a Colonel Berling, and suggested to them that possibly a Polish army might be organized to fight the Germans. At a conference with Russian NKVD officials, Beria and Merkulov, Colonel Berling agreed, provided it was organized "irrespective of political creeds," and then added that, at 'we have excellent army cadres.' Whereupon, Merkulov answered quickly, with some embarrassment, 'No, not these men. We have made a great blunder in connection with them." Only rumors, perhaps, but they disturbed the Poles.

Then on April 13, 1943, the German radio announced that in Katyn Forest, near Smolensk, which they then held, they had discovered mass graves of about 10,000 Polish officers, each killed with a bullet through the back of his head. They said Russian peasants in the vicinity told them these prisoners of war were murdered by the NKVD in the spring of 1940, giving dates corresponding closely to the time the prison camps had been evacuated. The Germans also claimed that letters and papers found in the clothing, as well as the condition of the bodies, indicated that the men had been murdered in the spring of

Names announced over the German radio corresponded with those of Polish officers missing from the

three camps. Radio Moscow took cognizance of the German charges in a bitter broadcast saying "These German lies reveal the fate of Polish officers whom the Germans employed in construction work in that region."

a communique explaining that these Polish prisoners, who had been employed by the Russians on construction work west of Smolensk, had been captured by the Germans during the Soviet retreat in the summer of 1941.

This explanation did not satisfy all Poles. Their officers had been evacuated in April, 1940. Ever since the Russo-German break in June of 1941, the Polish government had been trying to get from the Russians some hint as to where they had been taken. Only after this German broadcast do they learn from the Soviet government that the officers had been taken to the Katyn Forest region, with the additional statement that in 1941 they were captured and murdered by the Ger-

The Red Army reoccupied Katyn, and on January 22, 1944, issued a communique saying that a Soviet investigating commission had been called to settle, once and for all, the Katyn Forest dispute.

The Russian Commission was a 100 per cent Soviet picnic. Their experts - distinguished Russian academicians-determined that the Germans, following their occupation of Smolensk, had carried out the mass shootings in the autumn of 1941, and in 1943, "calculating to set Russians and Poles at loggerheads, tried to ascribe this crime to the Soviet government." The Russians charged that in the spring of 1943 the Germans had even brought to Katyn Forest, Polish bodies from other districts, and had used 500 Russian prisoners of war in the work of removing from the Polish bodies all documents which would incriminate the Nazis and substituting documents which would tend to incriminate the Russians, after which the Germans had shot the Soviet war prisoners.

The evidence of German guilt, gathered by the Soviet Commission answers all questions but this one: if the Polish officers were still alive in the summer of 1941 and could be captured by the Germans, why were the Poles not told this at once? Why were important Polish government officials allowed to go wildgoose-chasing all over the Soviet Union for nearly two years in search of their army's officers, when the Russians knew the men were already in German hands?

In 1939, when the Anglo-French Military Mission was in Moscow trying to negotiate an alliance with the Soviet Union one of the Soviet de-



Russians improved the technique of paratroops that they created.

mands was the right, under certain circumstances, to occupy the three Baltic States.

The British demurred. When I was in London in February of 1940. an intelligent young man in their foreign office gave me their posi-

"Here we are," he said, "supposedly defending the rights of small European nations. We could hardly start by delivering three of them to the Russians as a price for their alliance. We have to consider opinion in the States. What would your people have said to that?"

"They would have been in favor of almost anything you had to do to win the war without their having to get in," I said, and I still thin. I was right.

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bowls of freshly popped corn with trouble to secure dangling threads. milk or cream, and sugar. It is a Pull the thread ends to the inside swell change.

Book shelves should be cleaned a few over-and-over stitches. and painted, and books frequently dusted, to prevent the breeding of moths, silverfish, or other book de- teaspoon of liquid plant food to vouring insects.

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1/2 teaspoon salt Blend peanut butter and sugar thoroughly; stir in egg, milk and KELLOGG'S ALL-BRAN. Let soak until most of moisture is taken up. Sift flour with baking powder and salt; add to first mixture

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This year many a home dooryard will take on gayer colors than for some years past. Victory Gardeners who concentrated on vegetable growing during the war can now afford to give more attention and space to flowers while continuing to raise enough vegetables for the table. From now on, seed of a greater range of flowers will be available, too. Certain kinds which were produced to a limited extent or not at all during

the war are coming back. You can find annual flowers suitable for almost any location on your home grounds. Is the soil sandy and inclined to be poor? Nasturtiums often like it pastel tints and shades. Other easily better and bear more abundant bloom than when the seed is sown in more cutting are tall marigolds, giant zinnias, fertile ground. The same is true of calendula, Pink Queen cleome, and poppies, portulaca, and zinnias.

Do you have a 'hot spot' where the soil is likely to dry out rapidly? Ornamental sunflowers, petunias, annual gaillardia, calliopsis, sweet alyssum, border, are lilliput zinnias, the brave four o'clocks, and cosmos can endure array of newly developed dwarf mariquite a lot of heat and drought.

shade, but in a place where they get tons in white, rose, red, and the popusunshine only part of each day you lar blue. can enjoy the modest beauty of pansies, violas, bachelor buttons, and mignon-

good vegetables.

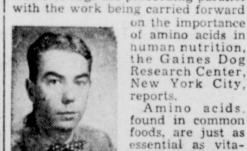
No annual flower in the world is more attractive, graceful, and longer lasting than the aster. Be sure to select wilt-resistant strains in their lovely grown annuals with long stems for cosmos in white, pink, orange, and the newer yellow tints. With shorter stems, though still ideal for bowls and vases and effective in the foreground of a golds, annual pinks and chrysanthe-No annual flowers will thrive in all mums, snapdragons, and bachelor but-

Somewhere near a porch where you sit after the day's work is done, raise a clump or row of nicotiana or "flow-Plan for a border of annuals that will ering tobacco." The plants with their furnish cut flowers over a long scason long trumpet blossoms are attractive, with plenty left on the plants for door-yard charm. Most flowers do well in as night falls will well repay you for the same kind of soil that will grow giving nicotiana a spot in which to

## AMINO ACID NEEDS OF DOGS STUDIES

Lack of Even One of 10 Substances May Spell Disease

Studies of the amino acid requirements of dogs are proceeding parallel



on the importance of amino acids in human nutrition. the Gaines Dog Research Center, New York City, reports.

Amino acids found in common foods, are just as essential as vitamins: their absence or presence determines

whether a given protein food has little or great nutritional value, states Dr. W. L. Roberts, the Center's technical consultant. It has been established that 10 of the 20-odd known amino acids are dietary essentials for animals, and that the lack of any one of them causes growth failure, physical deterioration and disease. Vitamins and amino acids work hand-inglove. Lack of A-B-C-D-E vitamins may make it impossible for the body to utilize the amino acids, while the lack of amino acids may make it impossible for the vitamins to perform their essential functions in the nutri-

tion of the body.

While research in amino acids goes on, according to Dr. Roberts, the following suggestions by the U.S. Department of Agriculture control to the body. constitute a practical guide for the feeding of dogs.

"An adequate ration will keep most mature dogs at a uniform body weight and in a lean, thrifty condition. This is a very useful guide in determining the correct amount to

"A good coat, bright clear eyes, and an abundance of pep are reliable indications that the ration is adequate

"Dogs should be fed at regular intervals, and the best results generally may be expected when regular feeding is accompanied by regular

"Mature does are usually fed twice daily, a light meal in the morning

and a heavier meal in the afternoon or evening. However, if the dog is used for watch or guard purposes at



A dog well fed shows it in a good coat, bright eyes and plenty of pep.

night, it is best to give the heavier meal in the morning. "The excessive use of feeds of low energy content and low biological values will often result in poor condition and may cause loss of weight and paunchiness.

"Overfeeding, coupled with lack of exercise, usually produces exces-sive body weight and laziness, and it may induce sickness.

"If the ration is known to be adequate and the dog is losing weight or is not in good condition, the presence of internal parsites is to be sus-

"Sometimes dogs go 'off feed' for a day or two. When this occurs they should not be forced to eat, but if they go not voluntarily return to feed within 2 days, a veterinarian should be consulted.

"It is not usually advisable to feed either directly before or directly after working or exercising the dog. "It is usually desirable to reduce the feed allotment during hot weather."





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## Proper Handling of Insecticides Urged

Best Safety Methods Suggested to Farmers

Simple rules for handling of insecticides include:

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Do not keep insecticides where foods are stored, and see that they are properly marked.

When mixing or applying, take extreme care to keep ingredients out of the mouth and eyes. Keep the body well covered. Do



Heavy gloves and goggles are part of safety spraying program. not spray or dust with legs or arms and shoulders bared.

Burn empty bags which contained insecticide materials.

Guard against leaving residues of insecticides on harvested product. Most of the insect controls are not good for humans or for farm animals, and some are dangerous. Precautions must be taken in using them, in order to get the best results with maximum safety.

## Improved Equipment Water Heater



A portable water heater will be a welcome addition to the farm.

A new portable electric water heater, which needs no water pipe to feed it, has just been announced by Rheem Manufacturing company, San Francisco. It is designed for farms where there is limited or no plumbing.

The new unit can be moved around at will. All it needs is an electric outlet near by. It holds 17 gallons and has automatic control. It can be connected to a water pipe and thereby converted into an automatic heater if pluthbing is installed.

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tamination more extreme than ever would be encountered in normal service. The unit consumes less electricity than a 25-watt electric light bulb, and should prove of real value in the milk house and dairy plants. Milk cans, although thoroughly cleaned, often pick up infectious organisms

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## IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL CUNDAY CHOOL

## Lesson for February 17

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### TRUE TO A GREAT HERITAGE

LESSON TEXT: Dueteronomy 4:1, 32-40.

MEMORY SELECTION: He hath made
his wonderful works to be remembered.—

A goodly heritage is the gift of God to his people. By faith they must enter into it and possess it. Thus they honor him who has promised, and they witness to all the earth that he is a great God and a loving heavenly Father. It magnifies his name to believe on his word and to act on his promises.

Israel, having failed God and plunged themselves into years of wandering by their unbelief when they just came up to the Promised Land, were now ready to go over Jordan and take the land.

A new generation had grown up, and for their instruction Moses rehearsed the history of the people, repeated the promises of God, and renewed their remembrance of his law. The book of Deuteronomy gives that "second law" - actually a review of what had been given

As they entered upon God's rich heritage for them they were admonished to

I. Hearken to God's Law (v. 1). To hearken means more than to hear and forget. It carries with it the giving of attention to what is heard with the purpose of doing something about it.

God's law, his statutes and judgments are for the good of his people. They are not designed to limit their freedom, but to provide the channels through which they shall be most free to live and to accomplish that which is good and noble and useful.

Two things were assured to Israel if they hearkened to the law of God. They would first of all "live" This does not mean only that they should escape death, but that they might enter into the fullness of life

The second result of obeying God's law would be their going into and possessing the land which God gave them. There is victory and attainment, as well as blessed fellowship for the one who obeys God That is true today as it was in the time of Moses.

II. Remember God's Love (vv. 32-36).

The loving mercies of God toward his people had revealed his infinite greatness and glory.

He revealed himself in the fireand they might well have been consumed by it-yet he graciously spoke to them instead of destroying them. They were to recall, too, that he had done a mighty and wonderful thing in taking them out of the powerful hand of Egypt and making them into a people for his name.

Sad is the state of the soul of the man who has lost his sense of the miraculous. To live in the midst of the constant demonstration of God's power and his mercy, and to see and feel nothing but the commonplace touch of humdrum daily life, is to be blind and deaf-yes, to be dead spiritually.

Is he any less powerful today? Certainly not! He is still the God of the miraculous and nowhere is that divine energy more evident than in the spiritual life of man.

The wonders of God in creation were rehearsed for Israel. They learned of his care for his people. "But far more wonderful are the works of God in the new creation and his infinite care for his people redeemed from a ruined race, and made inheritors of eternal residence in the heavenly Canaan" (Hight C. Moore).

III. Depend on God's Promise (vv. 37-40).

The Promised Land was before them, but it was for them to go in and possess it. There were warfare and struggle ahead, mighty warlike peoples to overcome. Were they able for it? No, not in their own strength!

How were they to accomplish this formidable task? By counting on God. He had promised to drive out the nations now holding the land. He is a God not only in heaven, but also on earth (v. 39). The people who believe him may go forward expecting miracles to hap-

Obedience to God's law brings fellowship with the eternal and omnipotent One, and the confident assurance that he will bring victory and the full accomplishment of his will for the obedient believer.

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The Questions

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2. Canada was ceded to Great Britain as a result of what European war?

3. How many sons did Abraham Lincoln have?

4. What do flyers mean when they say "the wind is ninety"? 5. Which would give the most moisture back into the air - a

square mile of forest, ocean or

6. What is a brumal month?

7. Where is the famous thoroughfare Pennsylvania avenue located? 8. What President of the United States repealed the Harrison Sil-

ver act and held the country to a

gold basis? The Answers Rembrandt.

Seven Years' war.

3. Four. 4. That it blows from the east,

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6. A winterlike one.

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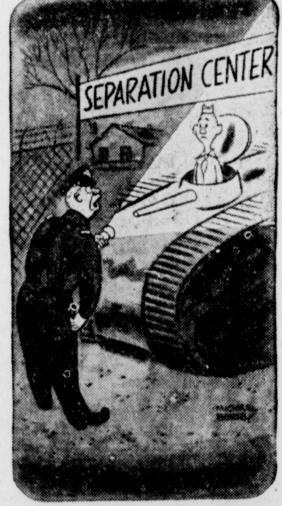
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Reports were given by two members. Mrs. J. W. Labenski gave a report on expansion of the club and community. Gladys Waldrop gave reports on marketing and year books.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. J. W. Labenski, Feb. 21. There will be a grab bag for those

### Won't Be Any Shortage

You need not worry about a shortage of candidates for governor this year, brethring. Jerry Sadmary. To judge from the way the ler is in, John Lee Smith has enterand Pappy may toss in his bonnet. "Dr." Rainey is getting ready to make his splurge, and Grover Sellers would like to. Jimmy Allred and Lyndon Johnson are possibilities. Coke is smoking his pipe and is as mum as the sphinx much to the discomfiture of not a few. After the dogwoods start to bloom-look

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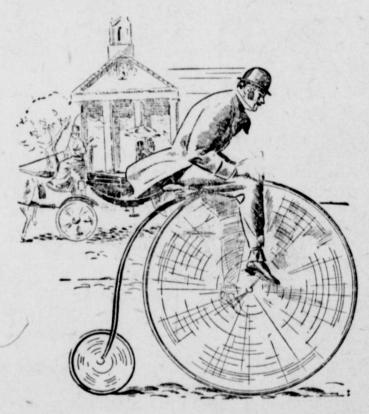
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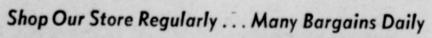
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