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## Big Crowd Attends Edith Homecoming

The Edith Homecoming, su-
spended during war years, was re-
vived again Sunday with a big at tendance in spite of hot weather. The event, permanently scheduled for the third Sunday in August,
was held at the Edith Tabernacle was held at the Edith Tabernacle, at noon. Twenty-one goats and feast.
A program in the forenoon opened with prayer by R. B. King of
EI Paso, welcome address by R. B. Allen, response by Will King of Stanley, N. M., taks by old time
residents, and an address by State Senator-elect Dorsey Hardeman of invited
San Angelo
The afternoon program included
a vocal solo by Mrs. Bryan Yarbrough, accompanied by Mrs. J. C Campbell, address by Rev. Camp.
bell, memorial by Rev. Horace Belloodworth, and quartette selec
tions by Claude Lawrence, Marie Wallace, Willie Wallace and Emory Davis.
Hand painted plaques made of
mesquite from Edith were awarded to the following
Oldest woman present, Mrs. J
D. Kidd, 88 yrs. and 8 months. Oldest Man, J J. S. Smith, 8 yrs.
Persons coming from greates
distance, Mrs. Blair, Water Valley distance, Mrs. Blair, Water Valley
Miss.

## Mrs. C. P. Stev/art

 Mrs. C. E Daniels. Largest family present, childrenall over 30 yrs. of age, the D. M. Millican family with 9 present
and the Sam King family als with 9 members present Officers of the Homecoming com mittee are Ed Hickman, president, and Mrs. Sam Powell, secretary treasurer. The committee will meet soon coning.
Guests in the home of Mrs
J.S. Gardner the first of the week included D. L. Buchanan and wife of Colorado City, Harry Hall and
wife of Lubbock and Gladine Wife of Lubbock and Gladine
M. E. Cook and wife of Okla homa City were guests here the first of the week
D. R. Campbell.

## Robert Lee, Cok REA Making Progress

REA Making Progress
Construction of the Coke count
Rural Electificication lines in Cok
county is progressing satisfactorily
according to County Agent T. B
according to County Agent T. B
Hicks. Work was started in the Hicks. Work was started in the
Tennyson locality and a sub-station
will be built at 7 -mile Hill between Robert Lee and Bronte. Mr. Hicks advises all persons desiring REA service to make application a once, since these applications must
be sent to Washington, D. C., for
Party at Green Mt.
There will be a party spons There will be a party sponsored
by the Green Mountain P. T. A. at the Green Mountain schoo
house August 30. Ice cream an cake will be sold. Ice cream 10c dish, cak
invited.
Sil Cobb and sister, Cynthia, of
Bakersfield, Calif., and L. E, Pat Bakersfield, Calif., and L. E. Pat-
terson of Riverside, Calif. arrived
Tuesday for a visit among Robert Tuesday for a visit among Robert
Lee relatives. Mr. Patterson, who is a guest in the home of his broth-
er, Bob, left here in 1914 and this is his first trip back. Mrs. Bill Ratliff and daughter Billie Fae, of Tatum, N. M., are
visiting in the parental S. G. Dan
Robert Lee Truck Line
Sold To C. E. McDonald

## chased the Robert Lee Truck Line from A E. Latham The company from A E. Latham The company

 operates a daily hauling servicebetween San Angelo and Robert
Lee, and also makes trips between Lee, and also makes trips
Robert Lee and Bronte. The business changed hands Tuesday and Archie McDonald
will operate the truck line for his
father. Archie worked for Lathams several years and is well acquainted
with the business. The truck line also handles pickup laundry and dry cleaning
service, and headquarters for same service, and headquarters for sam
will be continued at the feed

handles a large portion of the frieght that comes into Robert Lee. Aaron

## Jones Filley Wins

## Samaria, two year old owned by Aubrey Jones,

owned by Aubrey Jones, wo
first in her class at the Quarter
Horse show
Two yearling stallions shown by James Burrus also looked might out in the field of 40 entries.

## FLASH!

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ROACH'S

## David Key Buys Latham Feed Store

An important business deal too when the Latham Feed Store was

sold to David Key. Stock was in voiced and the new owner took Dossession at once.
David is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Key and returned
home in February after serving home in February after serving
31.2 years in the army. He wat in the Air Corps and held the rating of staff sergeant at the time of
his discharge. He plans to give the community a first class feed stor and is well quatified to make
success of the business success of the business.
The Lathams opened
The Lathams opened the stor
four years ago and have been four years ago and have been very
successful. They are grateful fo successful. They are grateful for
the excellent patronage that has
been given them, and feel that David will continue to operate th
business in a manner that will b business in a manner that will b
a credit to himself and to the con a credit to himself and to the com-
munity. and Mrs. Latham have
Mr. and
 The Observer extends congratu
lations to Mr. Key who is em lations to Mr. Key who is em-
barking into the business world and at the same time we wish the
Lathams continued success and
 hospital Tuesday for a few days
treatment.
Mrs. D. T. McClesky and littl
daughter, Dee Anna, left Sunday

they. For the past three weeks H. Havins and other relatives in the Robert Lee locality. Captain
McClesky is an army personnel McClesky is an army personne
director and has been assigned to Second Army headquarters which were recently moved to Fort
Monroe from Washington, D. C The family will reside in Newport

Strickland Is New
Legion Commander

## J.

 ommander of Pammie Lander Legion of Robert Lee at a speciameeting Monday night. The new set of officers who will serve during the coming year are divided among veterans of World Wars I and II. follows: Commander-J. C. Strickland. Vice Commander-Brya
brough
Adjutant-A. M. Tubb Adjutant-A. M.
Sgt. at Arms-Jodie Williams Finance Officer-A. J. Kirkpat rick.
Service Officer-Bob L. Davis Service Officer-Bob L. Davis
Adjutant Hubert Buchanan re Adjutant Hubert Buchanan re-
ported a balance of something
over $\$ 1,900$ in the post treasury, ported a balance of sometry
over $\$ 1,900$ in the post treasury, and an auditing committee was
named to make a detailed finan named to make a detailed finan-
cial report at the next meeting The post membership was announc ed at 103
A new entertainment committee
was named to include Garland Green, Woodrow Gardner, Sam Williams, C. S. Brown and Bryan Yarbrough. The Legion is plan!
ning numerous entertainment feaning for the coming year.
tures former

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Voters To Choose
Jester or Rainey
Local interest is growing in the
second primary election Saturday, second primary election Saturday,
Aug. 24, with the governor's race drawing wide attention. While Coke county had 1600 votes in the first primary a month ago, the number of ballots cast this week is expected to be considerably less There are no local contests ex
cept the run-off for supervisor in cept the run-off for supervisor in
Precinct No. 2 where the incumPrecinct No. 2 where the incum
bent S. A. Kiker is opposed by W. J. Eads.

The run-off for governor be tween Beauford Jester and Dr. H P. Rainey has turned into vicious campaign and The Obser-
ver feels that the best interests of ver feels that the best interests of
the state of Texas can be far better the state of Texas can be far better
served by the election of Jester In the first primary Jester received 495 votes in Cuke county, com-
pared with 358 for Rainey, with several hundred votes scattere among the other 12 candidates
What Coke county will do this time, we do not know. Some of the Rainey campaign
argument is hard to swallow. Thi week the former university presi dent said it was a disgrace that the state treasury had such a big
balance of cash on hand. When balance of cash on hand. When
building materials are available building materials are available
much of this surplus will be used up, and it's always a good sound policy to have some funds avail able for an emergency. But Rainey
says let's spend it, and quick. says let's spend it, and quick.
Another vicious attack is that Jester is rich. Since when has it
become disgraceful for a man to be a success in business? Jester
stands all right with his folks at home, and thats about all the endorsement anyone needs. The election of a governor is
important and everyone should get out and vote next Saturday

## Baptist Meeting At Silver

 The Baptist meeting will startat Silver Friday night, Aug. 23, with Rev. Fred Blake of Robert Lee doing the preaching. Basket lunches will be served at the church
both Sundays. Everyone is cordially invited to attend the 10 day meeting.

To Play Student Officers Robert Lee is scheduled to play fellow Field next Sunday. The game may be shifted to Robert Lee, but Manager Chilly Tinkler did not have definite word when
The Observer went to press.

## Announcement

I have bought out the Latham Feed Store and am going to try to keep a good supply of Feed at all times. I will sppreciate your business. Come aronnd and see me.

## David Key



Weak New OPA Bill Controls
By 'Psychological' Means
$\mathrm{E}_{\text {bill, weak as it it is, may have a }}^{\text {NACTMEN }}$ Dsyill, weak as it is, may have a
pychoogiaclit not an actual hand
in controling prices. this report-
en believes er believes. Although, it is a nodge-
podge of conflicting ideas, it is detpogese of conticting nothing.
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practical purposes, Agricultural
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P. Anderson becomes Sec. Cunton P. Adderson becomes
the new boss of the food price con-
trol. Although the law places fina arot. Athough the taw places inn-
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trol board, the cumbersome admin. istrative process qives the secre-
tary exclusive authority to recom-
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mend to the board In all likelihood
the policy of the board will be set in accordan
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Anderson.
One of the secretary's well known
views is the elimination of food subvieus is the elimination of food sub-
sidies.
sis a matter of tact present prices on foods, except some
wibech have soared beyond all reason and which are in short supply,
are believed by the agricultural are believed by the agricultural
boss to reflect the ceiling prices of June 30 , when OPA control went
off, plus subsidy costs. Elimination of government subsidies are be-
lieved to accunt tor an approxi-
mate mate 10 per cent increase on foods
formerly subsidized, ando. with an-
other 5 per cent added on, the prediction is that most foods will level
oft at about a 15 per cent increase. off at about a 15 per cent increase.
Benefit to
Thittle Man'
Trings into endiess argument, is is it chaper for
the geneal public to pavern-
ment subsidies than to po pay for a
to 10 per cent increase in tood prices
at the retail level? And the an.
swer is, it is cheaper tor the litle
tellow, thoce millons whose tincome is $\$ 3.000$ a year and under. be-
cuase he doesn't pay the subsidy in
federal At any rate, the government at
this writing gis not paying out a dime
for food subsides on meat dary


The mere fact. however, that the
decontrol board has the author
under the new law to reinstate
cal threat which at least wilt make
industry and producrsa a litte cau
ituos about boosting prices beyol
Opposed to Subsidies
elimination of food subssidies
years, declaing the.
should not pay the the thes

have amounted to a little ove
thrze billion dollars annually
beory farmers are supposed to
make up for loss of this three billion
in increased prices. But will this be
There is every reason to belleve
that the cost of everything the farm.
er buys old OPA cone, cost ab-
With the old OPA
sorption by indusiry is also out and
this means quick price gains for
many goods to as high as 9 per cent.
by elimination of s'jsidies. And in
addition there will
which later will be seen in the re tail selling price...encing, build
ing materials, all kinds of farm mind chinery, commodities of every de-
scription .... and there are many experts here who predict at leas the farmer buys to equal the 15 per Firmer May Feel Better
farmer is better off with or with out subsidies is still a moot ques
tion and likely will be. One thing however, the average farmer, in
dependent as he is, may feel bet dependent as he is, may feel bet
ter in knowing that the price he re ceives from his products, whether
they are high or low prices, is not in part a government hand-out.

## By EDWARD EMERINE <br> New Jersey, the Garden State, is more than the 90 -mile trip from New York to Philadelphia. It

 or by dashing over to "the Jersey side" for a fow hours. But the vacationist and the sportsman, as well as the farmer, laborer, industrialist or homeseeker, will find North Jersey, South Jersey, and all points in between, well worth the time it takes for a Visit and inspection. New Jersern is an empire in it itsownright, the "Mighty Atom" ameng the states of this nation. right, the "Mighty Atom", among the states of this nation.
It has great industrial areas where "Made in New Jersey" is stamped on thousands of products. Its agriculture is hishly developed. New Jersey provides homes
for its own workers as well as for ten or thensand who for its own workers as well as for tens of thousands who
have a business address in New York City or Philadelphia have a business address in New York city or Philadelphia.
It broad highways, each a acenic and historic route, offer motor trips along the coastline of the great Atlantic, or through the hills and valleys, forests and farms, orchards
In New Jersey, one
In New Jersey, one may have the bustle of the eity,
the vibrant ilie of seashore resorts, or the quietude of quaint, forgotten towns where time has stood still.
There is Bordentown, where the There is Bordentown, where the 19th century still
lives on every street, as well as small villa ges resting ives on every street, as welt as smam mountains.
solidily in the pockets of northern m
There is There in much for every American to te-live in New
Eersey, where Gen. George Wahingt Jersey, where Gen. George Washington spent a fourth
of his career as commander-in-chiet during the Revolu tionary war. Its scores of historic shrines are rich in early American lore and legend.

Take Cue From Indians.
When the early settlers arrived in New Jersey from
Europe, they found the Indians gourds, tobacco and beans. Taking a lesson from the na tives the settlers cleared the land, imported seed and livestock from across the sea, and developed an impor-\%
tant agricultural colony. It became "the Garden State" of the colonies. Today, New Jersey has prosperous small farms and
high types of agricultural specialization. Dairy and poul-
try farms abound. Small grains and field crops are try farms abound. Small grains and field crops are grown
in most parts of the state. Most of New Jersey's farm products are consumed by its own cities, or by Philadelphia
and New York. It is but a step from farm to market


Alexander Hamilton selected the
ite of Paterson for an industrial
ity. Early New Jersey scientists $\begin{gathered}\text { Despite three centuries of de- } \\ \text { velopment, about } 46 \text { per cent of }\end{gathered}$ city. Early New Jersey scientists
and inventors accelerated the trend
toward industrialization-John $\begin{gathered}\text { velopment, about 46 per cent of } \\ \text { New Jersey still is in forest! } \\ \text { Of great significance }\end{gathered}$


VACATION PARADISE ... Nature has provided abundant attractions to beckon vacationists to New Jersey. Sparkling lakes and moun-
tains lure many to the inland areas while the thrill of a seashore vacation draws countless others to the New Jersey coast, with its 120 miles of sandy beaches.
Fitch and Col. John Stevens with
their steamboats, and Seth Boy-
den with malloable iron and patent leather-to be followed later by the genius of Thomas A.
wizard of Menlo Park.
Today at Newark, brick and terra cotta yards at Camden, ceramic plants at Trenton, woolen mills at Passaic,
textile plants at Paterson, and many others in such cities as and Eliz-
abeth, Bayonne and Jersey City. The state ranks first in smelting and re-
fining fining of copper, dyeing and finish-
ing of textiles, and ranks high in ing of textiles, and ranks high in
rubber goods production. It is second in manufacture of silk, rayon
and chemicals. New Jersey ranks and chernicals. New Jersey ranks
sixth in the nation for value of mansixth in the
ufacturing.
Few people regard New Jersey as
a mineral state. However, in 1685 iron was mined in Monmouth county, and this basic resource has been
mined ever since. Zinc deposits at Franklin Furnace and Ogdensburg, Sussex county, are world famous. Trap rock, sandstone, argillite
granite, slate, marble, talc and congranite, slate, marble, talc and con-
glomerate are quarried in New Jersey, and it has unlimited quanti-
ties of sand and gravel, lime, treensand marl and peat.

 side.
New Jersey is a great state-
great in agriculture, in industry, in


WALTER E. EDGE
education, in historical lore, in present opportunity, in hope for a coninued greatness in the future. Its
incomparable seacoast, its beautiful lake and mountain country, its exlensive fishing and hunting grounds, as well as the innate hospitality of
its people-two out of five of whom its people-two out of five of whom
own their homes-furnish proot enough of the greatness of New Jer-
sey, the "Mighty Atom" sey, the "Mighty Atom" among the
states of this nation.

It appears Ezra Knew Right Jactic Down in a certain southern town
the prize loafer of the community went away on a trip and returned
with a brand-new wife. "Well, Ezra," remarked the
mayor, on meeting the new bridegroom, "so you've gone and got he added: "And here I am, a lone-
ly bachelor. It seems no one will have me."
"Think I can help you get a "Think I can help you get
wife," Ezra suggested hopefulty.
"PD "Really!", cried the mayot.
Ezra glanced around cautious Ezra glanced around cautiously,
then whispered, "Do what I did,

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Potatoes, pound 3 lbs . 14c

| Onions, 3 lbs 140 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Onions, 16. |  |  |
| 11 |  |  |
|  |  |  |
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Size 300 can Brown Beauty
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Libbys Spinach No. 2 can - 17c
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Tomatoes lge. 2 1-2 can . . 21c
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Pickles full quart . . . 33c
West Bay red pitted Cherries No. 2 39c Del Monico Dinner Spaghetti plgg. 27c Va. Dare French Dressing 8 oz. 19c Kwik Brand
Incect Spray 5 ptc. DDT 8 qt. - 56c Plenty Pinto Beans, Biack eye Peas Rice

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25c Lavoris_........ 19c 60c 1ce Mint ....... 49c 35c Freezone....... 29c 50c Medicinal
Mineral Oil _--.-.-29 39c Medicinal Isopropyl 50c Barbsol .-...-...............- 39c Alcohol 70\% -.-- 19c $\begin{array}{ll}\text { 50c Mennen Shave Cream_-..- 39 } \\ 50 \mathrm{c}\end{array}$ 5 lb . Epsom Salt_-..-19c 50c Pepsodent Antiseptic_-.... 39c
Bring us your butter and eggs. We pay highest market prices.

| WeEkLY NEWS ANALYSIS |
| :--- |
| House Group Proposes New Farm |
| Program to Aid Agriculture; |
| Drouth Strikes Mid-West States |



Among big-wigs attending peace parley in Paris are Herbert Evatt
of Australia (at left); Georges Bidault of France (top center); Ethiopian
representative (bottom center): Paul Henri Spaak of Belgium (top of Australia (at left); Georges Bidaa
representative botiom econter):
right) and Trygve Lie of Norway.
FARM PROGRAM
New Proposals

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and $\left.\begin{array}{l}\text { and } \\ \text { and } \\ \hline\end{array}\right]$
Reexamination of the out-
moded parity price formula decome on a par with industrial
 program.

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Remaining militant in its post-
war program to aid the interests

## of more than five million mem. bers. the col announce an all. out drive on risisn prices to pre. vent further dippreciation of the

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plans for another big wave drive rising living costs, the union stated
that demands for more money probably would result in still high-
er prices. In forecasting additional price
rises of 1 to 20 per cent during the next few months, the CIO said
that the corresponding reduction in
purchasing purchasing power of the con-
sumer's dilar would represent a
wage cut of 17 per cent. A successful eonsumer strike a azainst
higher prices would terminate cur rent infation within the next 18
months at the worst and three to to
six months at the best, it said. UNRRA:
U. S. to Quit


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 that UNRRA supples were being
used to bolster toreign govern-
ments. Clayton tatet that the U. S
was withdrawing future assistance was withdrawing future assistance
to the agency because the pe-
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rishment was passing and the the
U. $S$. and other contries had sup. erishment was passing and the
U . and other countries had sup.
plied sufflient credit mediums for plied sufficient credit mediums for
financing recovery.
No less than 30 billion dollars No less than 30 billion dollars
have been made availabe for loan.
ing through such aigencies as the ing through such agencies as the
international bank and monetary
fund tet up at
fretton Woods, funds set up at Betton Woods,
Clatyon said. Furthermore, pros-
pective borrowers now can ap. peroach worrowerrs now nan ap
vances if necessary, he for ad vances if necessary, he added.
In all, the U S. provided
less than $21 / 2$ bilion dollars of to UNRRA, sumficient for supplies
to fill 2.000 cargo shipg.

## OPA:

More Price Boosts Reflecting the termination of sub-
sidy payments ammonting to $\$ 339$,
200,000 yearly,
OPA booted 200,00 yearly, OPA bosted the
price of No. sized cans of peas
and tomat price or No. sized cans on peas
and tomates two cents and corn
and tomato pate one cent. The
price of a 1 -ounce bottle of catsup price of a 14 -ounce bottle of
was upped one cent alomg with
ounce cans of tomato paste.

## its removal of price control from snap beans packed after March 1 by freeing frocen and eanned snap . beans processed before that date. While congess had slashed the administration request for two bil. lion dollars for subsidies by half in lit line eving opar, the apency had de- reided to discontinue vegetale pay- ments in July, it was reported. mes. <br> With the lapse of the old pria control act in June, subsidies e ed on the 1946 apak and later w stopped on the 1945 supply. <br> Study Meat Control <br> As the new super price control board undertook to etermine whether meat should continue free <br> ing marketst upons dipped in the lead receips of low-cost beef and consumer resist- <br> ance to rising pork prices. Taking cognizarce. of depart. ment of agriculture charges that <br> whole earloods of meat were spoil- ing on rairoad siding in the East because of a buyer's strike in pro- test <br> because of a buyer's strike in pro- test against high pries. ppackers state that present prices includ- sint the

 ing former subsidies actualy arelowe than under OPA reguation.
Because of the large volume of tonnage available, some ship-
ments my bearrivn faster than
distributors can handle them, it

National Income Near Peak
 month were at a near record
annual rate of silo 600000000 ,
the department of commerce reported.
Included in income payments
to individuals are wages and to individuals are wages and
salaries, net return of unincor.
porated businesses, dividends porated businesses, dividends
and interest and net ret rents re ceived by landlords.
Indicative of whirng post-
war industrial activity, wage war industrial activity, wage
and salary payments for
June were estimated at $\$ 8,701,000,000$
and dividend and interest dis-
dursemints were put at $\$ 2,263$,

## HIGH SEA:

## Seek Prize

 A British steamship companystod th gain three million dollars
and the Latvian captain and crew of one of its tugs another million
if their claim to the abandoned 15essel is upherican Former carchor
vering the de-
serted ship 600 miles serted ship 600 miles of of Eng-
lande, the British crew later was
forced to give it up to U S. sea men. the American Farmer was spot-
ted by RAF planes as she drifted aimlessly after being abandoned by
her U. S . Crew following a collision her U. S. crew following a collisision
with the U. S. William Ride. Val.
ued at almost two million dollars herself, the American Farmer bore cargo estimated at an additional
two and one-half million dollars.
The British tug located the American Farmer after several U. S. ves-
sels had passed the ship up. Shortsels had passed the ship up. Short-
ly after the tug captain had put a
毕解 aboard and statd to tow the
huge rrize in, the U. S. Ranger huge rrize in,
drew alongide and sent seamen to
take possession of the craft.

## HIDES

Hit Hoarding
Led by Reconversion Director
Steelman, the government moved to spur the lagging sale of hides
and leather which was said to and leather wh
threaten an imm
shoe production.
shoe production.
Delclaring that
would use every

## would use every means for strik- ing at hoarders who held back shipments in the hope of raising

 prices, Steelman revealed that thejustice department would investigate rumors that distributors were
withholding supplies to gain great withholding supplies to gain great-
er profits and OPA would check
inventories so that it could order inventories so that it
release of excess stocks.
Reaffirming OPA's determination
not to grant further increases in prices of domestic hides and leathOPA ceilings production of these
items between V-J dey and June 30, 194s, reached the highest level
in history. With the temporary in history. With the temporary
lapse in OPA, prices of hides sky.
rocketed an average of 50 per cent and approximat
were sold, he added.

## Washington Digest GOP Leaders Intrigue Press With Election Prospects by baukhage



I hasten to explain that former Senator (now Supreme court just-
ice) Burton and ice) Burton and I had the unpopu-
lar side. Anyhow, Brown (may-theReece and Brown didn't talk on-
the-record at the luncheon but I the-record at the luncheon but I
have a good idea of how things
looked to the Republicans at that
congenial gathering of radio folk. congenial gathering of radio folk.
If the elections were held as of
that moment, they claimed the that moment, they claimed, the Re-
publicans would win a majority of
seats in the house of representatives seats in the house of representatives
and would make very heavy inroads on the Democratic majority in the
senate. Since then many of the prisenate. bithce hen been of fught and
mary batles
I'll report the reactions later. Gallup Poll
Heartens GOP
In the first place I understand that In the first place I understand that
the Republicans took considerable
satisfaction in the Gallup poll which the Repubicans ock
satisfaction in the Gallup poll which
showed that, excluding the oneshowed that, excluding the one-
party Democratic states, 46 per
cent of the persons interviewed showed a Demorratic preference
and 54 per cent a Republican prefThe GOP leaders believed they 15 to 17 senatorial seats from their opponents. In New York, they say
Governor Dewey's good record and Governor Dewey's good record and
the campaign he is planning ought
to pull in a Republican senator (they won't say whom). They be-
lieve Democratic Senator Mead will have to run or the governorship.
They felt they had a chance in
Delaware and West Virginia and that moment they would win in Mis-


Carroll B. Reece and Rep. Brown
souri (I'm still talking about the senatorial race). They called Mon-
tana and Washington probabilities rather than mere possibilities. O'Mahoney knows he has a fight,
they say, and they believe the Republican candidate, John Henderson, has a chance against the popu-
lar gentleman from Wyoming. lar gentleman from Wyoming.
I heard a lot of talk too the interesting possibility in Connecticut where Repr. Clare Luce was expected to oppose former OPA
Administrator Chester Bowles, which would be a colorfful affair
with all the technical skill of her with all the technical skill of her
publisher husband, and all the skill publisher husband, and all the skill
of an advertising man, Mr. Bowles, of an advertising man, $M$
pitted against each other.
As to the house of representatives,
Republican machinery has been Ol' Kentuck
Bloody Battleground
Kentucky was catalogued as still
a dark and bloody battleground a time of the luncheon, Repre sentative May's foncheon, Repre.
to feel, according to seemed to feel, according to press reports,
that he was a martyr. If something should come out to change their minds on that score, he might go
down to defeat. And we are redown to defeat. And we are re-
minded that, as one Republican put it: "every 20 years
tucky changes its mind."
Other debatable districts were
listed in Pennsylvania, Indiana, Del. listed in Pernsylvania, Indiana, Del
aware, Maryland, West Virginia and New York. Republicans seem to
What the Rep count on most is the natural re-
action, the "throw the rascals out" action, the "throw the rascals out"
theory which Americans always have reverted to after so long a pe-
riod of any party's incumbency In addition, say the GOPundits there are the usual mistakes of the
party in power which result in the well known attitude of one of Clar ence Brown's constituents who told
"I don't know who I'm FUR, but
know durned well who I'm
The Republicans think they have discovered a trend away from centralized government which may
turn the voters turn the voters against the admin-
istration and into Republican pas istration.
H. J. R. No. 6
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION
proposing an Amendment to Article II proposing an Amendment to Article III
of the Constitution of the State of Texas by the addition of a new Section to be
known as Section 49-b, creating a known as Section 49-b, creating
Veteran's Land Board and establishing Veteran's Land Fund; providing for an election and issuance of proclamation
therefor.
BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGIS
LATURE OF THE STATE O TE LATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
Section 1. That Article 111 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new Section
to be known as Section 49-b which will read as follows:
Board to be known is hereby created Land Board, which will be composed Land Board, which will be composed of
the Governor, the Attorney General, and the Commissioner of the General Land Office. The Legislature shall provide by law for issuance by said Board of not to exceed Twenty-five Million Dollars
$(\$ 25,000$
$000)$ in bonds or obligations of the State of Texas for the purpose of creating a fund to be known as the
Veteran's Land Fund. Such bonds shall be executed by said Board as an obligation of the State of Texas in such form,
denominations, and upon such terms as ever, that said bonds shall pear a red, how interest not to exceed three per cent pct.) per annum.
"In the sale of any such bonds a preferential right of purchase shall be given
to the administrators of the various teacher retirement funds, the Permanent
University Funds, and the Permanent Free School Funds; such bonds to issued only as needed, in the opinion authorization.
"The Veteran's Land Fund shall be used by the Board for the sole purpose purchasing lands suitable for the purpose
hereinafter stated, situated in this Stat (a) owned by the United States, or any government agency thereot; (b) owned
by the Texas Prison System, or any other H.J.R. NO. 49 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 49 proposing an amendment to Articl of Texas by adding thereto a new

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Texas on the first Thursday in Novem-
ber, 1946, at which election all voters favoring the proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the owing words
"FOR the Amendment to Article III
the Constitution of the State of Texas by the Constitution of the State of Texas by
adding Section 49-b creating a Veteran's Land Fund for the purchase of lands in Texas to be sold to Texas Veterans of
World War II." Those opposing said proposed Amend ballots the following words: ballots the following words:
"AGAINST the Amendme III of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding Section 49-b creating a Veteran's Land Fund for the purchase of
lands in Texas to be sold to Texas Veterans of World War II."
If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast same shall become a part of the State
Constitution and be effective from the
date of the determination of such result date of the determination of such result
and the Governor's proclamation thereof. Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of
Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and shall have the
same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.
Sec. 4. The sum of Ten Thousand
Dollars $(\$ 10,000)$ or so much thereof as
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## Robert Lee Wins

 From Lowake 16-5Robert Lee's base ball team got back into the winning column Sunday when they defeated Lo wake here by a score of 16 to 5 . This was the first Concho Basin league victory for the Lee's in one-sided contests and several close ones.

Chilly Tinkler was on the mound all the way gave up only 7 hits which were well scattered, and Jodie Williams turned in a fine Jodie had more pep than anybody Jodie had mand and anybody last Sunday and was the team's real spark plug. Hitting honors went to Fred Campbell, who con times at bat, besides doing a bangup job holding down first base. Johnny Hickman also made good use of the stick, getting a home
walk in five trips to the plate. The ball game went blooey for Lowake
in the sixth inning when Robert Lee made 8 runs and 13 men bat
ted before the side was retired The Lee's made a total of 16 hits. Clarence Tinkler was jolted up a bit and had to leave the game Wheme he attempted to slide into juries were not serious. His in Bagwell took his selaces. Aut third and turned in
the game.
Mrs. Sam Powell has returned from Harlingen where has returned her sister, Mrs. Claude Carter She went on the Continental air Rev. and Mrs. G. B. Shelburne the home of her parents. Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Key. The Shelburne recently moved from Abilene to Kerrville.
Pete Davis is enjoying a week'
vacation from vacation from his work at the City and with his family is visitin Robert Lee relatives and friend

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King Family Enjoys Annual Reunion Here The six sons and two daughters The six sons and two daughter Lee verer the weckered for foabily funion. The occasion was featured the S. B. Plumilee home, while they also took part in the ho
coming at Edith on Sunday. The children on Sunday. Petersburg, Texas, Wiill S. King, Stanley, N. M., Mrs. S. B. Plum lee (Vela) of Robert Lee, Frank King, Madgalena, N. M., Georg King of Rotan, Mrs. Bob Gaines Lilly) of Robert Lee, D. O. King
of Edith and R. B. King of ElPaso of Edith and R. B. King of ElPaso A number of nieces, nephews and
in-laws brought the number to 4 n-laws brought the number to 4
who were on hand for festivitiesa the Plumlee home Saturday. Also present were two sons-in-law of
Mr. King, Jesse Gaines of Mr. King, Jesse Gaines of San
Angelo and Jim Blair of Robert Angelo and Jim Blair of Rober
Lee. Also Mrs. Alva Lawrence of Snyder, a sister of the late Mrs. Sam King.

## Mr. Kin

Mr. King, who is 82 years old He formerly resided west 54 years but moved to Robert Lee three years ago following his wife's death The kings observed their golde
wedding anniversary in 1940 .
The reunion was a happy
The reunion was a happy event for everyone participating and the
family is planning to make it an annual affair.

## 3 Club Boys Going To

## Texas State Roundup

County Agent T. B. Hicks announces that three Coke county
youths will attend the Texas $4-\mathrm{H}$ Roundup at College Station August 28-30. They include the follow ing:
LeDrew Arrott, 17, son of Mr and Mrs. C. E. Arrott of Bronte He was last year's winner of the
Sheep \& Goat Raisers trip to Chi cago, awarded on his range project. Weldon Schooler, 16, son of
Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Schooler of Green Mountain. Weldon has a fine 7 year record in $4-\mathrm{H}$ activities and is a candidate for one of the
Santa Fe trips to Chicago this year. Bobbie Vaughan, 16 year Bobbie Vaughan, 16 year old
son of Mr. and Mrs Homer Vaughan of Bronte, will attend the Roundup upon special invention. He was high man in the District 6 rif.e shooting contest at the recent encampment at Foster Park and will compete for state honors next week. Company the boys to the will ac company the boys to the Round-

Mrs. N. C. Brown and little daughter, Judy, left Friday night
to join Mr. Brown at Amarillo, to join Mr. Brown at Amarillo,
where he will take medical treat. ment for the next six months. For the preasent their headquarters are with his sister, Inez Sullivan, at 1012 Caroline St. Than's many home town friends hope he will be restored to health
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Finley and Doris, of Dallas visited the former's aunt, Mrs. T. E. Rives and cousins Pat, Tom and John Rives and Mrs. Edward Trimble, here last week.
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Service and sons arrived home Saturday from a week's vacation trip through New Mexico and Colorado. They visited Colorado Springs, Pikes
Peak and the Royal Gerg Peak and the Royal Gorge and
other places of interest and found it dry everywhere except in irrigated sections.
Pvt. O. C. Wojtek arrived Sunday from Ft. Eustis, Va., for a visit with his parents. Mr. and
Mrs. V.V. Wojtek. He has been in the army nine months and is enjoying a 21 -day furlough
Edith and Agnes Walker, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Walker,
are enjoying a vacation with friends are enjoying a vacation with friends
near Sioux City, Iowa, and in the Dakotas. The Walker sisters have good positions in Abilene.
Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Ayers and dsughter, Lena of Ravia, Okla. are visiting relatives here this week Mrs. Ayers is a daughter of Mr, and Mrs. J. S. Ross
The L. E. Smiths have returned
from the Texas Plains from the Texas Plains where they attended a family reunion.

Uncle John Vestal Found |took him, but he was resting under Uncle John Vestal, 92 years old, a mesquite tree when found. He caused a lot of excitement Mon- was only a short distance from the day night when he failed to return San Angelo. road.
home from a day's fishing. He had gone down the river in the renoon and was last seen at $2 p$.

Chief Justice Atwood McDo ald and son, Paul' of Fort Worth were issist in the search which ended the home of his cousin, Fred Mcas midnight when the aged man Donald.
as found by his nephew, A. V. Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Fikes of ughes. Uncle John had stayed Sanco are the happy parents of a and darkness over daughter born Wednesday night.

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## So Many of Us Cast Our Votes For Persons We Do Not Know

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not only because of a record of a fine soldier but because, in our opinion, he will make a governor that will promote harmony and give the people of the great state of Texas a fair and honest administration.
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C. E. McDonald

## IMPROVED 



 sues of wife-Proverbs
Moral corruption has been the
ruin of the great nations of the earth,
and if history is not to be repeated
by the fall of our own nation, we
must do something - yes, something
prompt and drastic. The breakdown
of morals in our land is so evident
and so widespread as to give grave
concern to social and national lead-
ers. What then, is the Church
doing about it?
We do not tike to talk about adul-
tery and related sins. We must
speak with care and tact. but per-
haps the time has come for some
strige straightforward dealing with an un-
pleasant situation.

1. Keep Your Home Pure (Exod. As tne divinely appointed center
of man's sife. .he home holds a
place of such importance that it is place of such importance that it is
the special target of Satan's offensive. That has always been true,
but it seems that in recent years
the onslaugbt against the home has the onslaught aga
been intensifed. When we realize that in the City
of Chicago there is now one divorce
for every three marriages, and that for every theree marriagese, and that that
the ratio is rapidy becoming low. er. there can be no question that
divoree is a major evil in our day.
Statistics are positively shocking. buat they are cold and quicicky foring.
ten. But who can fail to see. and who can forget. the awfol woe,
brought into American home life by divorce.
Bad as it is, the awful effect on
parents is nothing compared to parents is nothing compared to
he nerous, moral and spiritual
shock which comes to children in
shok one broken homes. Statistics reveal that
now (1946) more than 70 per cent young people committed to prison
come from homes where divorce has entered to break down and de.
stroy family life. II. Keep Your Heart Pure (Prov.
4: $14-23$. Matt $5: 8$ ) Out or the heart are the issues of
life (Prov. $4: 23$ ) hence it is of the utmost importance that it be eept in
purity and devotion to God.
The heart in Scripture does not
refer to te physical organ which
circultes the circulates the blod, but even as that
heart is the center heart is the center of the physical
life, so there is a spiritual heart which is the
inner being.
Evil thoughts, unholy desires and
ambitions hidden in the heart will ultimately be revealed in overt acts
of ungodiness, unless God is permit. ted to regenerate that heart and
make it clean The solution for the problem of
impurity is found in our lesson verses. First of all one must avoid
the way of the wicked (Prov. 4:14. not sleep until they have misled some poor souls and brought them They make sin and immorality look look
dit mysterious and attractive. Don't be
led into sin by the enticement of
curiosity Shun the evil way, which goes
down with increasing down with increasing darkness, by
seeking the good way which "shineth more and more unto the perfect
day" (Prov. 4:18, 19). The life is a bright and shining way or.
Dont leet Satan fool youn young peo.
ple, into thinking the onposite. It's ple, int
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cupied with something of interest. are keenly aware of that fact and
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true and noble to ry mental as well as spiritual in.
terest. God's provisio ted either in scope or variety. He
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ful, the loveliest and most noble. Christ as our Savior us who knory selves in diligent effort to "think on find that they crowd out our think. ing those e hings which are sensual.
selish or selish or sinful. It is a sound
principle of pyychology as well as
eniritual admnoition



Bread Makes the Pudding!

other foods as well as make the the
dish more savory, which will be dish more savory, which will be of
interest to the palate as well as the Tangy Cheese Dish.
(Serves 8) 5 cups toasted 1 /-inch bread cubes $1 / 2$ pound american
$1 / 2$ egs, beaten boon salt
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
$1 / 2$ teaspoon paprika
$21 / 2$ cups milk
Alternate layers of cheese and
toast cubes in a greased $11 / 2$ quart toast cubes in a greased $11 / 2 \mathrm{quart}$
casserole. Combine beaten
eggs. casseroie. combine beaten egss,
salt, paprika, mustard and
Pur pilk
liauid mixture over bread and theese in masserole meer bread and
moderate ( 350 degtee)
make in moderate ( 350 degtee)
minutes.
Meat Soufle.

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2 cups ground cooked meat 14 teaspoon salt 4 easpoon pepper 2 tablespons. sthortening 14 cup chopped onion
$1 / 2 /$ cups milik, scalded
3 $1 / 2$ cups mead cebess
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4 4 egg whites, stiffly beaten
 en egg whites. Pour into a greased pan of hot water. Bake in a mod-
erate oven for one hour.
 3-ounce (Serves 8) tablespoons milk teaspeam cheese


| LYNN CHAMBERS' MENUS |
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| Salmon Salnd Potato Chips |
| Tomato Surrise |
| Watercess Salad |
| Beverage |
| Bran Mufins |
| Bluebery Cobler |
| Cream |

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 Rub tin and iron utensils with
unsalted fat and they're rust-proof $\begin{gathered}\text { Don't overcrowd the dishpan. } \\ \text { Wash one pen at a time and you'li } \\ \text { spare knobs and handles from use- }\end{gathered}$ For a good swinging - gate sup-
port, use an old wagon wheel $\begin{gathered}\text { Before dyeing a garment, it is } \\ \text { best to remove all buttons, buck- }\end{gathered}$ port, use an old wago wheel best to remove all buttons, buck-
buried and staked down so the hub les, or other trimmings and rip
is level with the ground. The gate out hems, pleats and linings so is
is bolted to the axle, which is then
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of Tarrant County
For Commissioner Agricultur R. E. McDONALD
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For Judge Court of Crimina Appeals:
JESSE OWENS
or Wibarger County
TOM L. BEAUCHAMP
of Smith County
For County Commissioner
Precinct No. 2:
S. A. KIKER
W. J. EADS
(Note: The above Sample Bal lot is a copy of the ballot to be used at the run-off primary elec tion in Coke county next Saturday, Aug. 24.)

## Married By County Judge

 Judge McNeil Wylie officiat at a wedding Saturday morning when the contracting parties were Mr. Opal M. Kirchman of Junction and Miss Annie Hines Indiana.Miss Naomi Keele of San Angelo was a weekend guest of her aunt
Mrs. T. A. Richardson, and family


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lieve he will reflect credit and honor the State of Texas.
Shivers, a war veteran of two years
overseas, during which time he earned 5
battle stars, did his best to battle stars, did his best to make this a
free country for a free people. He will free country for a free people. He will
continue that course as lieutenant governor. He has conducted a dignified campaign,
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platform appeals to every Texan: Bette farm-to-market roads, better salaries for school teachers, enlarged public safety
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agement. He is against a sales, state income or any form of new taxes.
Allan Shivers, will be $\qquad$
integrity sincerity and ability, tre has to background of training and a record of gives him the right to ask for promotion


Joe Robbins, the Hayrick cow man, was doing business here yesterday
Cliff Creighton one of Sanco's society boys, was in the burg today.
Charlie Roe attended the Tom Richards trial at Angelo this week. John Hanna Jr. ot Olga was in Angelo.
Prof. Thomas suspended school three days the first of the week on account of bad weather
B. L. Mobely, the Wildcat farm. er, called in to see the Rustler gang yesterday.
Dr. Lockhart of Brady City was in town a day or two this week prospecting. He may go into the drug business here.
There is not another town of its size in the state that has more pluck than Robert Lee.
Prof Gardner, the Silver school preceptor, was weather bound in town the first of the week.
Judge Perryman returned Thursday from San Angel where he at tended the Tom Richards trial. A hearing was held Wednesday before Judge Timmins and Tom was admitted to bail in the sum of $\$ 6,000$, which he readily gave
Jim Stewart says everybody that is taking his medicine is get ting well and that Jim Burrough will go broke on his carload of coffins.
Will Perry last week sold to Aheart \& Lee 437 yearlings steers at $\$ 11$ per head.
J. L. Elliott the Sweetwater photographer is opening a gallery in the McElroy house in Robert

Judge Brightman leaves today for Coleman City on legal busi ness.
J. D. O'Daniel, Coke county stock farmer, is making a specialty of thoroughbred and graded Galloways, of which he now has a fine
herd of about 300 , and for which herd of about 300, and for which
he has been offered $\$ 20$ a head by J. M. Shannon. That won't be gin to touch them, however, for calves to Bob Wylie at $\$ 50$ apiece one to Wm. Childrss at $\$ 50$, and a younger animal to Kearney Mayes
at $\$ 40$. That's the at $\$ 40$. That's the kind of stock to raise-you might feed them a
long time before they eat their long time
heads off.
The McKinley boom created considerable craze among the bankers for the suicide route to the happy hunting ground. They had perhaps rather be in-than in this country under a Republican administration.

Gift Tea For Mrs. Powell A gift tea honoring Mrs. Law rence Ray Powell was given Fri day afternoon at the Carl Brock home, with Jerry Thomason and
Maurine Davis as hostesses. Sand Maurine Davis as hostesses. Sandwiches, cookies and punch were served, with Miss Davis presiding at the punch bowl. Mrs. Thomason was in charge of the guest register. Many beautiful gifts were received by Mrs. Powell, who was the former Rado Jones before her recent marriage.
Mrs. Jack Stubblefield and two daughters of Winslow, Ariz., have her mother, Mrs.

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CHAPTER VII
To Flick, the northeasterly direc-
tion of the trail, toward Maxmilla City, was ominous. He remembered
what had transpired under his very nose in San Loreto. So at sundown he had split his men, che four one by Suarez, riding swiftly for he
distant town. Flick himself, with the distant town. Flick himself, with the riving in Maxmilla City, he would gather more men and come down

## Serious Situation

 Confronts Sheriff Granting that the pursued weresiding for the Maxmilla country, the move was as canny as "We'll get 'em,". was Flick's
dogged decision. "I I show that
outfit that there are some limits to outfit that there are some limits to
what they can do!" Doane was in Sand Wells that eve
ning; he loped in leisurely, and arrived at the railroad station at about
ten o'clock. He walked into Monte's office without bothering to knock,
and surprised him over his instrument. He waited while Monte took
down his message and turned off down his message and turned off
his key. Cigarettes were lighted,
chairs tipped back against the wall chairs tipped back against the wall,
"Well, senor el ranchero," smiled Monte through the smoke. Burning saddle-leather an'
down good horse flesh. An what purpose, may I ask?" "Nothing,", in mock surprise. failure," mumbled Doane. man up.

 Doane. "I don't care. My end of
this thing seems to have turned
out to pe simpe bat Noue the e ess, that blatf, with the
two thousand I gave La Rue, called hwo bliff and won the deal. 1 It wa
the only way 1 t could touch La Rue go exnept the way the girl was
going at to taking back what she
could get of her own. . What sh.
Monte, you remember a sealed envelope 1 gave you not so long ago
to ..ee ofor Miss Alvaro?
.I do. It is in safe keeping."
 to get that envelope to Dolores with
out much delay. It contains La Rue's
deed for Rancho Hermanos. TThe papers are mando over to here through
ne. Savv?? The Tanch is hers, le
隹 gaily and otherwise. There's also a
signed statement from La Rue to the efrect her are groundess. There's
against het
not much time to waste. Monte. You can give her those papers, now. And
lell her to take them and get on
Ren Relongs: to put those vacueros of of
bers back to work, and stay there hers back to work, and stay there
So far Flick hasn't a thing that
隹 plaints. And 1 guess that's about al
I've got to say, Monte." Monte studied Doane. He lighted a fresh cigarette. He smiled silighty
He sind

- From the first I say that I wil come to like you in the end. Mees
tair, deputy Jim Doane. Yes. tair deputy Jim Doane. Yes,
Jus' sout my frien'. Doane, you are
a man! Or, as we Spanish say, caballero. TThanks, Monte. Gracias. Well
this finishes things.
Rench
Ren lieaving de los Tres Hermanos by Rancho de los Tres Hermanos by
tomorrow. You might tell her that Monte.".
Mente rose gracefully, and as he bowed their hands met.
"There is jus' one thing," said Monte slowly. "I wish you had
given this young lady her lesson. given this young lady her lesson.
Why do yount rind ner to earth,
if jus' tor the fun of it, an' show


## her you can do it? My frien', ${ }^{\text {I }}$ wish that you accomphish that first, before you go away." <br> 

"Oh, no reason," said Monte.
"Only
.
ond "Only. Well, there is difference
between stealing some catte that
justice knows belong to the house justice knows, belong to the house
of Alvaro an,
or thai
or this last affair at San Lory, or this last affair at San Loreto.
You see?
". ${ }^{\text {ne }}$. "One look at the girr's face
shows she's no thiet, snapped
Doane. "Flick has no proot. I don't Doane. Frick has no proof. od don't
know what the explanation of these
other aftars, bis. but .,
hMy frien, have you thought of "My frien' have you thought of
those men riding with Dolores Al-
ore varo", asked Monte. "They are
orirtime caueros. riders trom the
ort oi-time vaqueros; riders rom the
oi rancho. or sons of those men
Good men, hard riders. no fools!
Those tree Those three I get you for the ranch
senor. they are of these vequeros,
seuld throw down their senor. They would throw down their
lives at her feet. But do you not
suppos. suppose they say to themselves
sometimes: 'We are already outside the law, why not make more or tit?
Play big. Get some money as well
as a few head of cattle!' My trien'.


## 

 an' his play, Awake in the daytime,I Ieel seeck-or maybe so it is only
too many cigarillos." "Take a look north", said Doane
suddenly. "Looks like something stirring along the skyline there. Too
far away to be sure."
the gaidly Monte Monted through the glasses." he said, and gave the
glassesapss., hear.."Or pertaps a litle lasses back, "Or perhaps a little
dust whirwind. But one thing "What is that? frien
troubles me mo I will be trank. It is you!' said
Monte. "I do not quite know what you intend to do."
"Do you need to ask?" Doane snapped. "A hundred thousand dol-
lars
lin lars shot, one dying. Nothing ganss
ers
than murder, that killing! Do you
have to have to ask what rm going to do
about it. it it I get the chance,
"Jus', so,", said Monte. "But I do not ni:an the tour men, who did
the robbery an shooting. I m mean
about the one called a accomplice about the one called accomplice-
the fift rider! If it turns out that
way, what would you do about-her? way, what would you do about-her?
Eht
Silence. Whid about that. Doane studied the horizon north, there was a long
moment of silence. Yet Monte knew that the gesture was only mechanical
and Doane saw nothing through the and soane saw no he whirled.
glasses, "Shaply,
"Don't ask me that!"
is In a little while Monte smiled. is true then," he said.
"What is true?" "You have seen this young lady
Ttice perhaps: maybe three
times. But you ove her. My ques.
tibe . times. But you love her. My ques-
tion is answered. I, who have seen
her many
 "Ha!" exclaimed Monte Garcia
softly. "How ele could it be?
But only as a brother. Jus.
Bike one older brother, my frien'". "finite spot
Within half hanar a dent
of dust could be traced on the flat north horizon. It did not weave like
one of te finger whirwind
had lasted too long, moving sid sowly



looked up. He lighted a fresh cigar-
ette. Then he picked up the mes.
sage, poker-aced, and handed it to
Doane. "For you," he said simply. "I
will be gone tor a little while, to
get the oday operator too take my
place tonight. Pertaps ou will wit
for me to return, senor Doane?" Doane read the telegram as
Monte slipped through the door. His
face went white as he read it: Jim Doane
Rancho Tres Hermanos
Maxmilla City Cowman's
Mortgage and Loan Bank robed
Mortgage and Loan Bank robbed
tonight. over
sion.000 securities tonight. Over
and cash gone. Four men and
ancomplice pulied job. Beat me accomplice puiled job. Beat me
to it. Hitting back for your coun-
try now. Two citizens wounded.
 time. Sam Flick The sleepy day-man came into the
oftiee and took Monte splace. But
oit oftice and took Monte's place. But
it was a full half-hour before Monte
returned, two handsome pearl
rel handied guns in holsters at his hips.
The tigerish grace of the one-time
gambler's every movement had gamber's every movement
somehow become accentuat.
"'Shall we go now?" he sai quietly.
Two men sat on a rock butte that overlooked a vast expanse of coun
ry. The hour was shortly past noon. Heat devils shimmered across the
hot landscape. Eastward there was
tiny finger whirlwind the tiny finger whirlwind that dipper a thin column of powdery dust sky. ward. One of the men searched the
north horizon with a pair of small binoculars. The other man smoke many cigarettes, and he talked.
mNevare, muttered Monte Gar-
cia, conversationally, "have I liked





study, a second seeming line of dust
sust showing on the horizon. In time
this took form, minutely but stead-
the .
ily. moving. It followed the fifst. The
actual ditance separatign the two
bands of riders was probably six or
eight miles. The vis
eight miles. The visual panorama of
the binoculars was vast.
'Flick couldn't have lost muct
"Flick colddn't have lost much
time getting on the trail last night,"
muttered Doane. "Looks
ilike halt
the population of Maxmilla City in
that opse with him.
Monte, too, studied the second line
Monte, too, studied the second line
of dust tor a long while, seeming
to smile.
"Jus' so! We wsed to say at the
gambiling tabes: Watch out for the
unlucky player when the catds once
anfucky payer when the cards once
turn to him.' It is a tue saying
my frien'.'.

The two men silently worked their
way to the base of the butte. The
ot sunlight slanted now with. not sunlight slanted now with early
ofternoon. Two mounts and a pack animal were tied in a fringe of low
nesquite shade. They watered the riding animals with a scant gallon
or two from the pack tins. Biankets or two from the pack tins. Branke
were smoothed, saddles reset and horsehair cinchas tightened. A
this was done leisurely, as though or a pleasure trip. Doane
rode the big roan animal.
They turned north, side by side
leaving the pack animal belind (TO BE CONTINUED)


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Guests in the Roy Braswell Mrs. J. H. Turner, also H. A. Turner and family of Bronte, and Mrs. Tom Braswell and daughter, Tommie, of Lubbock.
Ell Hatley recevied second degree burns on the shoulder and arm at Casey's Chevrolet garage one day last week when he at
tempted to drain boiling from a car radiator.
Mrs T. A. Ricior
Mrs. T. A. Richardson has ac cepted the position of bookkeeper
in Turney Casey's garage, succeeding Mrs. Bob L. Davis, who has resigned.
apendicitio Mauldin underwent appendicitis operation Friday at ing nicely hospital. She is recovering nicely and was brought home
the middle of the week. the middle of the week.
Mrs. L. D. Evans and sons, Lonnie Dale and Larry Dain, and
Mrs. Charlie Allen and two little Mrs. Charlie Allen and two litte
daughters, of Winslow, Ariz., arrived last week for a visit in the R. B. Allen home at Silver. Nita Allen of San Angelo also spent the weekend at home.
Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Griffith and son, Douglas, of Abilene were guests over the weekend in the home of her mother, Mrs. E. B
Creech.
Mrs. E. R. Keithley and daughter, Doris Woodmansee, returned Saturday to their home in Houston
after visiting the past two weeks with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. S. Smith and other relatives and friends.
Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cole returned last week to their farm between Robert Lee and Bronte, after spending three months with their son, Maurice, at Wichita Falls.
The latter has opened up a drive in theatre there and is enjoying a big business. The Coles report that rain is needed badly all over northern Texas and the best section they passed through was Happy Mrs. W. L. Carr of Silver spent the past week in San Angelo with Brown, Mrs. Charles Shelton and Brown, Sherill Fant. She also went
Mrs. on to Brownwood to attend a Carr reunion
Betty Jane Higginbotham, who home for a vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Higginbotham, at Bronte. She visited at week in the J. S. Walker home. Tommie ${ }^{-}$Grace Boykin is en joying a 3 weeks vacation in the D. H. Boykin. She is taking cadet nursing training at Shannon hospital. Other guests in the Boykin home are their son, Ben A. Boykin, wife and son, Benny of Midland Commissioner Ben Brooks of
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or Wednesday.

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