

This Newspaper Has More Readers In Coke Co. Than Any Other Paper

A newspaper of Age, Coverage, News, Features, and Typography—a booster every week for the BEST county in West Texas

When your subscription EXPIRES postal laws require that your paper be STOPPED. This we do. Please renew promptly

Now In It's 57th Year It Is Coke County's Oldest and Largest Newspaper

Published At The County Seat—Only Legal Paper In The County

Robert Lee Observer

WEST TEXAS' NEATEST WEEKLY PAPER—COMPARE!

FIFTY-SIXTH YEAR—ESTABLISHED JUNE 13, 1889

SUBSCRIPTION PRICE \$2.00 A YEAR IN ADVANCE

Vol. 57, No. 23

Robert Lee, Coke County, Texas, Friday, November 22, 1946

Published Weekly

Robert Lee Battles Bronte For Title Of B-7 Conference

The stage is set for a great football game on Thursday afternoon of this week when Bronte meets Robert Lee on the latter's field. When these traditional rivals meet on the gridiron a good game is always in prospect, and it is the most important contest on the schedule for both.

But this year each school has a high powered outfit and a rip snortin' battle is sure to take place. The Longhorns and Steers played earlier in the season at Bronte and the result was 13-7 win for Robert Lee. Bronte is out for revenge, while the Steers plan to make it two in a row and by a more impressive score, so that's the picture that will attract one of the biggest local football crowds in history on Thursday afternoon.

Reports from both camps indicate that the squads are in good physical condition. Robert Lee rested some of its first stringers in the game at Stanton last Friday night, and they all seem ready and eager to undertake the difficult task that is waiting for them.

Some persons think the Steers were over confident at Bronte a few weeks ago, and didn't really get down to business until the going got tough. At any rate the boys will enter this game with a grim determination to fight hard from the opening kickoff.

Robert Lee and Bronte are easily the class of the B-7 conference. Both have won all their conference games quite easily, but the first meeting of the Longhorns and Steers did not count in the conference standing.

The winner of this week's game will get to play Ozona of 8-B in a bi district playoff. This will be followed by a regional Class B game. Inter-scholastic league officials announce that bi-district games must be played by Dec. 7 and regional by Dec. 14.



Weldon Schooler Wins Chicago Trip

Weldon Schooler, 16 year old Coke county youth, has been announced as a winner of one of the coveted Sante Fe trips to the National 4-H Congress which meets in Chicago in connection with the great International Livestock Show the first week in December.

He won on his record covering seven years of 4-H club work, principally in livestock enterprises. He was in state wide competition for a place among ten boys to be given all expense trips to Chicago lasting about ten days, with the Sante Fe railroad as host.

It is a signal honor to receive one of these national trips, but any boy has an equal opportunity to qualify by consistently carrying on a good 4-H program year after year and keeping a record of his enterprises. Weldon will give a full account of his trip at the annual Coke county 4-H club achievement banquet next month.

During the seven years of 4-H club work Weldon has received \$224.50 in prize money, and his gross sales were \$3,093.28. His financial statement shows a net worth of \$1,662.81. Weldon's most outstanding work has been with a range flock of sheep. From this enterprise he received a gross income of \$2,947. In this connection he has been a consistent winner at the Sonora Wool Show since 1941.

Weldon is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Schooler, residing 18 miles west of Robert Lee in the Edith community. He is a senior in high school and plays an end position on the Robert Lee Steer football team.

\$51,200 Paid For Two Section Lease Starts Oil Boom

It didn't take long for some very definite results to follow the Sun Oil Company's strike at their No. 1 Allen Jameson last Sunday. In less than 48 hours Victor McCabe was paid \$51,200 by Sun for signing a lease on two sections of his ranch. Payment was made at the rate of \$40 per acre for the block of 1,280 acres.

Closest corner of the McCabe land is two miles from the Jameson test. It lies to the north, while most of the block previously under lease extends south and west across the river. Victor and his wife own seven sections which they purchased ten years ago for \$8 an acre.

There is a lot of activity from outside oil men coming in and Rob Lee seems to have been one of the most talked of oil spots in the state this week. S. E. Adams, abstractor, is the only local person who has been active in handling leases.

Within a few days the Jameson test will be further developed and should it prove a producer steps will be taken immediately to drill more wells. Folks are not overly excited, but everyone is in hopes that a big field has been discovered.

Other tests have been in Coke county, but never has there been a producer of any consequence. A well in the east part of the county near Blackwell pumped some oil, but not in a worth while quantity. Another 5,300 ft. test near Blackwell the past summer was a failure. Territory in the vicinity of Edith has also been considered good oil land.

But what the old timers say or what you or I may think are merely guesses which might be contrary to oil concerns, who make use of scientific instruments and well trained geologists upon which to base their calculations. Sun came into Coke county with all their data pointing to an oil pool and they seem to have struck it. They were prepared to drill 7,000 feet and more if necessary to explore the formations underlying Coke county and it cost them \$50,000 to drill the hole. Sun must pretty sure they have discovered a field or they wouldn't have been so generous with Vic McCabe.

For Sale—Good 2 room house 14 x 32 ft., to be moved; price \$450. I. M. Austin, Robert Lee, Texas. Box 311, phone 2712. 1p

Legion Auxiliary Plans

Plans for the organization of a unit of the American Legion Auxiliary were discussed at a Legion meeting Tuesday night. Frank Bell and Mrs. Opal Kenley of San Angelo, prominent Auxiliary leaders, were present to explain the purposes of such a unit. A number of ladies at the meeting were enthusiastic over the proposal and another meeting will be held next Monday night at the home of Mrs. J. C. Strickland to take additional steps in organizing the unit. Wives, mothers, sisters and daughters of service men are eligible and everyone is invited to the meeting next Monday night.

L. S. Bird remains in a critical condition at a San Angelo hospital, although attending physicians announce there has been some improvement.

Mrs. Milton Wylie submitted to a major surgical operation at San Angelo Monday. Her condition is reported as very satisfactory.

Jameson Test Near Silver Showing Oil

Sun Wildcat Located High Gravity Oil and Gas Pressure at 6,230 Ft.

Sun Oil Co. wildcat test on the Allen Jameson ranch near Silver struck oil and gas Sunday, and prospects are bright for opening an oil field in northwestern Coke county. Such a prediction is based on the recovery of 500 feet of sweet, green, high gravity oil, with gas estimated at two million cubic feet daily, on a 45 minute drillstem test from 6,206 to 6,230 feet.

The company immediately rushed in pipe from other fields and began setting a 7-inch casing. Installation of the casing was completed at 6:30 Wednesday morning, being cemented in. After a wait of 72 hours the cement plug will be drilled out at the bottom and deeper explorations made.

The Sun company's test, which is known as its No. 1 Jameson, was started Sept. 25 and drilling has continued on a 24-hour basis. Five men crews worked in 8-hour shifts to keep the big rotary drilling outfit in operation.

No. 1 Jameson is 660 feet from south and west lines of the middle 323 acres of section 253, block 1-A. It is one mile southeast of old Silver, three miles east of a big bend in the Colorado River and 16 miles airline northwest of Robert Lee. Elevation at that point is 2,080 feet.

Geologists state oil was found in the crinoidal of the Strawn section of the Pennsylvania strata of limestone. The crinoidal was struck at 6,200 feet soon after noon on Sunday. Samples from the next ten feet showed a trace of porosity, stain and fluorescence. A core from 6,210 to 6,230 yielded five feet of lime, the bottom two feet of which was very porous and saturated with high gravity oil.

Gas came to the surface 29 minutes after the tool was opened on the 45-minute drillstem test from 6,206 to 6,230 feet through a five-eighths inch bottom hole choke

and a quarter inch top opening. There was a strong blow of gas the remainder of the period and the gas volume was estimated to rate 2,000,000 feet daily. Flowing pressure was 150 pounds.

Recovery was 500 feet of sweet, green oil that tested 44. The oil and gas bearing formation in Sun No. 1 Jameson is believed by some oil men to be equivalent of the pay section in the Page field in Schleicher county. The producing formation in the Todd field in western Crockett county also is listed as crinoidal.

Opinion in informed quarters was that Sun No. 1 Jameson has a fair chance to develop into a discovery producer. The test is on a block of 20,000 acres on which Sun took 10-year commercial leases in 1944. During the past few months extensive geophysical surveys have been made in that area as well as all over Coke county.

Mr. and Mrs. Lem Cowley returned Monday from a few days' visit in San Antonio with the former's mother, Mrs. J. F. Cowley, and his brother, George.

F. C. Clark, J. C. Snead, Jr. and Dr. J. K. Griffith are back from a deer hunting expedition on the W. S. Hay ranch down in Mason county near Hilda. Freeman and J. C. bagged an 8-prong flagtail buck. It was a partnership deal as the animal was 200 yards away and shots from both rifles were necessary to bring him down.

Mrs. Ford Hallmark has returned home following a successful operation at a San Angelo hospital.

Mike Ross returned Sunday from New Iberia, La., where he has been working with a geophysical surveying concern.

Meta Eubanks and Jeanie Ramsay were visitors in San Angelo on Saturday where they visited friends and did some shopping. They recently enjoyed a visit from their sister, Mrs. Tom Davison and son, Troy, of Sweetwater.

Mrs. N. C. Brown, Jr. was called to Lubbock Tuesday to help care for Mrs. S. J. McSpadden, Sr. of Marfa, who underwent an operation.

Practical Gifts For Christmas

For lovely Gifts for the entire family we suggest Blankets, Rugs, Towels, Bedspreads, etc.

For Men and Boys—Jackets, Sox, Ties, Billfolds, Shirts, Underwear, Hats, Trousers, Belts, etc.

For Women and Girls—Dresses, Robes, Hosiery, Bags and Purses. Belts, Negligee, Costume Jewelry.

See our Gift line of Toys, Glassware, Bookends, Trays and Pictures.

Free Gift Wrapping Lay Away Plan

ROACH'S

The Friendly Store

Quality Cleaning

Our prices have not advanced

Suits 65c, Plain Dresses 65c

Quick Service
Your Business Appreciated

Leave Clothes at Lewis Produce House

Kemp Cleaners

Phone 101

Bronte, Texas



By EDWARD EMERINE
WNU Feature

"We do not live, but only stay,
And are too poor to get away."

Life on the frontier is always hard. It was doubly hard in Kansas where the pioneers had to endure border wars over slavery, bad men, drouths, grasshoppers, blizzards and dust storms, in addition to the ordinary hardships of a new country. But they stuck it out.

They stuck it out—and "sticking it out" until the battle is won is still a characteristic of Kansas people. Perhaps it was the crucible of those early years that steeled and tempered the Kansas spirit which conquered the prairies. They stuck it out, rose above the trials of the hour and developed that rare sense of humor which enables Kansas people to laugh at themselves and the foibles of mankind.

Despite Coronado and other Spanish explorers, and French traders, Kansas remained Indian and buffalo country for two centuries after English colonists settled in New England and Virginia.

Slow in Settlement.

It was not until the Kansas-Nebraska bill was passed in 1854 that the land was opened to settlement. At that time the entire white population of Kansas consisted of about 700 soldiers, based at Forts Leavenworth and Riley and Walnut Creek



CHIEF EXECUTIVE . . . Gov. Andrew F. Schoeppel is a native Kansan, born in Claffin in Barton county. A former lawyer and veteran of World War I, he was a member of the Kansas Corporation commission until he was elected governor in 1942.

post office on the Santa Fe Trail, and an equal number of civilians at Indian missions, stage stations and trading posts.

The question of slavery immediately plunged Kansas into bloodshed. Even before the Kansas-Nebraska bill was signed, Missourians who favored slavery slipped across the border and founded Leavenworth and Atchison.

But Eli Thayer found 29 men in New England who were willing to emigrate to Kansas, settle on the prairie, be neighbors to Indians and fight slaveholders. Dr. Charles Robinson brought a second party of anti-slavery emigrants, including four musicians, from Boston to settle at Lawrence. Congress had decreed that Kansas would decide the question of slavery for itself. And Kansans set out to do it in their own way.



BREAD BASKET OF THE WORLD . . . Kansas is the No. 1 wheat producing state of the nation, yielding almost a fourth of the entire U. S. crop.

Whether for or against slavery, Kansas settlers lived in log huts, shake houses, sod shanties, dug-outs and other humble shelters, using grass, brush and buffalo chips for fuel. The "sod crop" was corn—and corn they ate! Corn bread, parched corn, hominy, corn-meal mush—they boiled corn, fried it, baked it, stewed it. Fortunately, they had beef, pork and milk to go with it, and a coffee substitute, made of dried sweet potatoes, dried green okra and parched wheat ground together and boiled.

Would Kansas be slave or free territory? On its first election day in 1855, hundreds of Missourians "with rifles on their shoulders, six-shooters in their belts and a liberal supply of whiskey in their wagons" crossed the border and voted. All of the pro-slavery candidates except one were elected! And when the "bogus legislature" met in July, the Missouri slave code was the law of Kansas.

The curtain-raiser to the Civil war was fought in Kansas. Men were murdered in cold blood. Border ruffians ravaged anti-slavery settlements. John Brown and his sons took up the challenge and took after the slaveholders. "Bleeding Kansas" was no misnomer during the next few years. But gradually the anti-slavery forces won and Kansas became a free state. Only two slaves were listed in the census of 1860.

Many notables have trod the Kansas stage. Heading the list is Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, great military leader of World War II.

Frontier Personages.

The history of the Old West is represented by such Kansas personages as "Wild Bill" Hickock, the marshal of Abilene, and Buffalo Bill, the scout. Carrie Nation and her saloon-busting hatchet also brought the state into the limelight.

In Statuary hall in the nation's capitol is the figure of John J. Ingalls, senator, orator, essayist, poet. Ed Howe, the sage of Potato Hill, and his contemporaries, Walt Mason and William Allen White of the Emporia Gazette, were Kansas folks.

But the unknown soldier, the unhonored hero, of Kansas is the man who introduced the plow. He was not a glamorous figure, and his hands were gnarled and blistered and bent to the shape of a plow handle.

Kansas is ideally situated for agriculture, but it took a plow to break the sod. Where William F. Cody used to hunt buffalo are the greatest wheat lands in the world. Kansas produces more wheat than any other state in the union—almost one-fourth of the entire United States crop. It is first in milling and wheat storage. Corn, alfalfa, hay, sorghum, broom corn, sudan grass, potatoes, sugar beets, barley, flax, rye, soybeans, vegetables, fruits, truck crops—Kansas produces almost everything that is grown on a farm.

Rich in Resources.

Kansas finds riches below as well as above the surface of her rolling, fertile acres. Kansas is one of the leaders in oil production, with its companion, natural gas. Lead and zinc are mined extensively. Coal is produced in most parts of the state. Under Kansas is enough salt to last 500,000 years! Volcanic ash, gypsum, limestone, clays and other resources are mined in Kansas. It is an important source of helium gas.

As the geological center of the United States, Kansas was—and is—the land of trails. Those who sought land in Oregon, gold in California or Colorado, trade with the Mexicans in Santa Fe, or cattle from Texas, used Kansas as a highway.

The Santa Fe Trail, the California and Oregon Trails, the Butterfield Trail, the Smoky Hill Route, Overland Trail, Pony Express Route, Jim Lane Trail and the cattle trails from Texas, including the Chisholm, Old Shawnee, Ellsworth and Western Trails, all used Kansas for a right-of-way.

Kansas today bears some of the scars of long ago—ruts made by thousands of covered wagons and hooves of cattle among them. Lonely graves still may be found, and bridge bits, parts of wagons and other mute reminders of the past are picked up occasionally by grandchildren of the pioneers.

Kansas is great, not only as one of the food-producing states of the nation, but as a great family of people who retain much of the pioneer spirit. They stuck it out a few generations ago. And Kansans are still "sticking it out" for freedom of thought and of action, and for the right to progress by their own efforts.



Insure Cows' Health By Fertilization

Provide Plants That Satisfy Bovine Taste

"Cater to the cows' taste in developing soil treatments for pastures," is the advice of Dr. William A. Albrecht, University of Missouri.

Pointing out that soil fertility determines how serviceable grass will be as a feed for the cow that converts it into cash, Dr. Albrecht declared that "pasture renovation calls for the manure spreader or the lime and fertilizer distributors, as the cow's taste tells us."

"Grazing animals have so often demonstrated their discriminating taste that almost any farmer can report startling observations of the choice cattle make between forages, according to the differences in the fertility of the soils that grow them." Dr. Albrecht declared that he have not yet come generally to

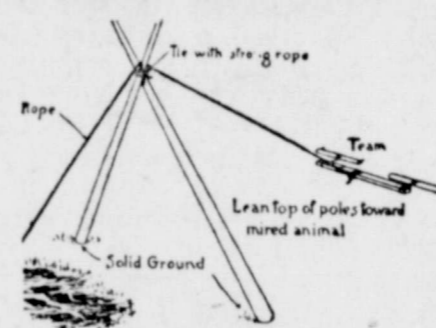


Good health, good cows, good milk on well fertilized pastures.

believe that by feeding fertilizers into our soils we make them healthy bodies, to the same degree as we believe for our own bodies the old adage that "to be well fed is to be healthy."

"Yet when it is almost axiomatic that there is much immunity to infectious disease in our own good health, might we not consider that good health of soil through fertility may represent in it an immunity to invasion or infection by weeds? he asked.

Rescue Mired Animal



Equipment for Rescuing Mired Animals.

Hauling out an animal that has become mired is not an easy task, at least not if the animal is frightened and struggling to free himself. This drawing shows equipment erected for this purpose.

Outdoor Cellar



This type of cellar may be constructed at a cost of about \$100. The one shown was built by F. B. Crockett, Dickens county, Texas. The size of the cellar will depend upon the amount of fruit and vegetables to be stored. Ventilation is of prime importance with this type of storage.

Co-Operative Spraying Of Cattle With DDT



Tests of power spraying of cattle and other livestock with DDT to control flies and lice has proven so effective that the Farmers union, Concordia, Kans., has two power-spraying machines in operation on loan to members, according to USDA, FCA.

Gems of Thought

HE that does good for good's sake, seeks neither praise nor reward, but he is sure of both in the end.—William Penn.

No man is such a conqueror as the man who has defeated himself.—Henry Ward Beecher.

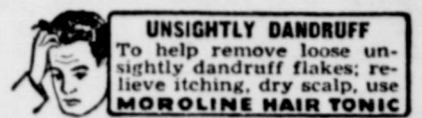
You can never see the sun rise by looking into the west.

He who is false to present duty breaks a thread in the loom, and will find the flaw when he may have forgotten its cause.

Chaff is usually at the top and grain at the bottom. Go down deeper.

Gas on Stomach

Relieved in 5 minutes & double your money back
When excess stomach gas causes painful, suffocating gas, sour stomach, heartburn, doctors usually prescribe the fastest-acting medicine known for symptomatic relief—medicines like those in Bell's Gas Tablets. No laxative. Bell's Gas brings comfort in a half or double your money back on return of bottle to us. See at all drug stores.



★ FIREWORKS



all kinds
FREE CATALOG!

New Dixie Assortment
\$9.50 Value
for only . . \$4.95

by buying direct
Also Pistols and Caps in stock and plenty of Zebra Firecrackers soon. Send for FREE CATALOG at once—these items will go fast.



BOX 1008 POLK, OHIO

ARE YOU PALE WEAK, TIRED

due to MONTHLY LOSSES?
You girls and women who lose so much during monthly periods that you're pale, weak, "dragged out"—this may be due to lack of blood-iron. So try Lydia E. Pinkham's TABLETS—one of the best home ways to build up red blood—in such cases. Pinkham's Tablets are one of the best blood-iron tonics you can buy!

Buy and Hold Your U. S. Savings Bonds



Bring me DR. DRAKE'S for my cough due to colds

Thoughtful mothers, for more than 50 years, have relied on Dr. DRAKE'S Glessco to relieve their children's croupy coughs and throat irritations due to colds.

Dr. DRAKE'S is prepared to give children quick relief from annoying coughs. Youngsters like its taste. Don't wait for the first hoarse "back" that usually comes at night—get Dr. DRAKE'S today and be prepared. 50c at drug stores.

Money Back Guarantee
Take this coupon to your druggist for a FREE sample of

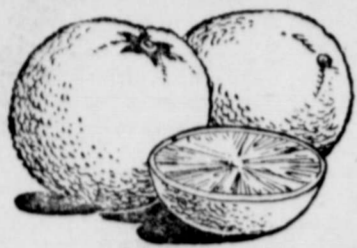
DR. DRAKE'S GLESSCO

NAME
ADDRESS
CITY STATE



STOP and SHOP at Your M STORE

Buy Here With Confidence; Compare Our Prices and Save Money



TEXAS

Oranges 10 lb bag 49c

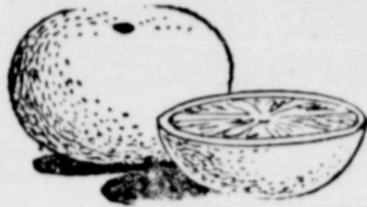
ORANGES, thin skin, doz 19c

NUTS

Brazil Nuts, lb 49c - Almonds 39c
Walnuts, lge Diamonds, lb. 49c
Peanuts, Jumbo roasted, 12 oz 27c
Peanuts, Jumbo raw, 12 oz 25c

Texas Marsh Seedless

Grapefruit Doz 39c



Washington Delicious

Apples Fancy quality lge size, lb **12¹/₂c**

GRAPES, Calif. Red Emporers, pound . 14c
Honduras COCOANUTS, each . 19c & 25c



Large bunch Home Grown

Turnips & Tops 7¹/₂c

Green Onions bunch **5c**

YAMS, U S No 1 quality, finest available, lb 9c
SPUDS, 10 lb mesh bag 45c

Shop our Fruit and Vegetable Departments for
Most Everything the Market Affords



Fresh Country

Butter Lb **65c** | **Steak** Lb. **45c**

T-Bone or Club

PRESSED HAM, lb - 55c

Fleischman's Yeast, 2 for 5c

Brisket

Roast Lb **24c** | **Roast** Lb **33c**

Seven Bone

Pure Louisiana Ribbon Cane

Syrup half gal 95c

Golden Brand

Whole Peeled Apricots, No. 2 1/2 can 29c

Moon Glow East Texas Solid Pack

Blackberries, No. 2 can . . . 29c

Silver Valley

Black eye Peas, No. 2 can . . . 19c

Whitsons Tamales, can . . . 24c

16 oz Ireland's Mexican Style

Beans 2 cans 29c

Adams, sugar added

Orange Juice, 46 oz. can . . . 35c

Ma Brown's Mincemeat, 18 oz. jar 39c

Cuban Long Shred

Coconut, fresh shipment, 1/2 lb. pkg. 49c

Heinz Tomato Soup, can . . . 10c

Tomato Juice, Libby's new crop

No. 2 can . . . 13c 46 oz can . 27c

Grapefruit Juice, Tropic Gold

No. 2 can . . . 10c 46 oz can . 23c

Armours Star with beans Chili, can 19c

Libbys Deviled Ham, 2 cans . 29c

Armours Star Corned Beef Hash 25c

Sunny Harbor Smoked In Oil

Sardines, 2 cans 39c

L'Art Saur Kraut, No. 2 1/2 can . 15c

Bakery Goods



Honey Macaroon Cake . . . 59c
Date Cookies 15c
San Tarts 15c
Apple Coffee Cake 23c
Dutch Holland Bread 12c

DRUGS! DRUGS!

Fitch's No Brush Shave Cream, giant size . . . 33c
Fitch's Ideal Hair Tonic 47c T
O. J. Beauty Lotion 59c T
Modart Fluff Shampoo, 75c size 49c
Alka Seltzer, large size 39c
Saccharin Tablets, 100's, 1-4 gr. 33c
Absorbine Jr., 4 oz. 89c
Vicks Vatronol, 60c size 44c
Listerine Antiseptic, 14 oz. 59c
Tooth Brushes, Pepsoden and Dr. West . . . 47c
J & J Baby Powder, 25c size 21c T
Lantene Blue, 85c size 56c
Trushay Lotion 39c T
Colgate Cup Soap 5c
Free 25c Woodbury Lana Lotion with 75c
Woodbury Special Dry skin Cream . . . 59c T



SYSTEM STORES



Bring Us Your Eggs - Top Prices

Three Blind Mice

The visitor to a provincial town stopped by a group of three men and asked the way to the public library.

"You want to go to the public library?" asked the first man. "Well, you turn down the next turning on the right and—"

"Oh, no, you don't!" interrupted the second man. "You take the second turning on the right—"

"Don't be daft!" said the third fellow. "If you keep straight on this road for three blocks, you'll find it's right in front of you."

At that moment a policeman appeared. "Here, you," he said brusquely, "move along there; you're obstructing the entrance to the public library!"

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Tax Cut Tops GOP Legislative Program; States Vote Labor Curbs; Foreign Trade at Peak

Released by Western Newspaper Union

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.



Almost a year and a half after the end of the conflict, Germans continue to feel the tragic effects of the war. Carrying all their earthly possessions with them, these Germans return to battered homeland from Denmark, whence they fled before allied armies.

CONGRESS: Act Fast

Hardly had the election din attending the Republican landslide subsided than Rep. Harold Knutson (Rep., Minn.) revealed that he would move for a 20 per cent cut in personal income taxes as soon as the 80th congress assembles January 5.

In addition, Knutson said that the ways and means committee, which he is scheduled to head as the ranking majority member, will open hearings sometime in February to pare or eliminate excise taxes on a long list of consumer goods, including jewelry, furs, cosmetics and liquors.

Republican intentions to slash taxes ran counter to President Truman's position to maintain high levies to balance next year's budget estimated at 40 billion dollars. By lopping off unnecessary expenditures and trimming the payroll, Knutson said, the GOP hopes to scale down the budget to 32 billion dollars, thus permitting the tax reduction and allowing for a substantial retirement of the national debt of 262 billion dollars at the same time.

More to Do

Reduction in taxation was only one of the many issues facing the new GOP congress.

Briefly, others included terminating the President's wartime powers to restrict government by executive decree; widening management's rights under the national labor relations act and providing for impartial administration of the law; hastening abolition of controls to re-

give way to a GOP nominee. He said he intended to introduce a constitutional amendment which would permit congress to authorize a presidential election if the two parties divided legislative and executive control.

Marshall Field, crusading New Deal publisher, joined Fulbright in asking President Truman to step down. By turning the job over to the GOP, Field said, the Republicans would be charged with full responsibility for development of a national program, and the issues in the 1948 election would be clear cut.

CANNED GOODS: Big Packs

Housewives can look to appreciable supplies of canned fruits and vegetables through the coming year as a result of heavy packs in 1946, trade spokesmen attending the ninth annual convention of the Super-market institute in Chicago declared.

Over 190 million cases of canned vegetables will be produced this year compared with 163 million last year, it was predicted. The canned fruit pack will total 75 million cases compared with 40 million in 1945.

Despite adequate supplies of frozen foods, distribution has been hampered by a lack of warehousing space, a large carryover from last year and a shortage of refrigerator cars equipped for low temperatures, it was said.

Vote Labor Regulation

Four states, including a heavy industrial region, reflected popular sentiment for regulatory labor legislation in the face of the growing strength of unions in the economic pattern of the country.

By heavy majority votes, Nebraska and South Dakota adopted constitutional amendments banning the closed shop, which requires all employees of a shop to join the prevailing union. Arizona passed the same law but by a closer vote.

Despite the dominant position of labor in industrial Massachusetts, the electorate voted to require unions to make public their financial records, with 406,827 for and 227,307 against. In all cases, organized labor fought the amendments.

FOREIGN TRADE: Near Peak

Spurred by U. S. loans, foreign countries, seeking material for reconstruction of war ravaged economies or fulfilling pent-up demand of war scarce goods, promise to buy more from Uncle Sam in 1946 than in the banner export years of 1919 and 1920.

With practically all areas of the world sharing in our expanded overseas trade, commercial exports have been running two to three times above the volume of the late '30's. Of total exports of approximately 8 billion dollars, U. S. loans probably will finance 35 per cent or 2.8 billion dollars.

Indicative of the heavy overseas business, Canada is buying almost 200 per cent more than before the war; Latin American countries 300 per cent more; continental European nations, 150 per cent more; and the United Kingdom, 50 per cent more.

Decorated Bulletin Board of Plywood Has Many Practical Uses in Home



BIRDS and stenciled lettering decorate this useful bulletin board. It also has a decorated trough at the bottom to hold chalk

and thumbtacks for you can write on it as well as use it for pin-ups. It is made from a piece of plywood painted with a special black mixture that you can prepare easily from the formula given on the pattern. The decorative piece at the top and trough may be cut out with a hand coping saw or a jig saw. Pattern 267 gives complete directions for making with actual-size cutting guides for all shaped pieces. Stencil designs and color guide are included. The stencils for the quaint Dutch birds and hearts may be used over and over in decorating many different articles. To get this pattern, send 15 cents with name and address direct to

MRS. RUTH WYETH SPEARS
Bedford Hills, N. Y. Drawer 10
Enclose 15 cents for pattern No. 267.
Name _____
Address _____

60 Million Fingerprints on File; Six Million Criminal

The fingerprint files of the Federal Bureau of Investigation now contain the prints of approximately 60,000,000 persons, only 6,000,000 of whom are individuals arrested for criminal offenses or as suspects, says Collier's. Of the others, 5,000,000 are men, women and children whose prints were registered voluntarily for the purpose of personal identification.

The remaining 49,000,000 consist largely of persons whose prints were obtained under wartime regulations such as aliens, defense workers, government employees and military personnel.

You needn't study long lists of gift suggestions nor devote long, hard hours Christmas shopping for friends who enjoy the pleasure of cigarette or pipe smoking. Not at all! Now you can get two great gift items that are sure to please the most discriminating smokers. For the friend who prefers mild, mellow, fresh cigarettes, select a carton of Camels, a national favorite. And for the pipe-smoker, wisely choose a pound tin of the world's largest-selling pipe tobacco, Prince Albert. Both Camels and Prince Albert come in handsome holiday dress. No other gift wrapping or decorations are necessary—Camels and Prince Albert are "ready to give." See them on display at your dealers.—Adv.



This Home-Mixed Cough Relief Is Wonderful

No Cooking. So Easy. Saves Dollars. To get the most surprising relief from coughs due to colds, you can easily prepare a medicine, right in your own kitchen. It's very easy—a child could do it—needs no cooking, and tastes so good that children take it willingly. But you'll say it's hard to beat for quick results.

First, make a syrup by stirring 2 cups of granulated sugar and one cup of water a few moments, until dissolved. Or you can use corn syrup or liquid honey, instead of sugar syrup. Get 2 1/2 ounces of Pinex from any druggist, and pour it into a pint bottle. Fill up with your syrup. This gives you a full pint of really splendid cough syrup—about four times as much for your money. It never spoils, and lasts a long time.

And it gives quick relief. It acts in three ways—loosens the phlegm, soothes the irritated membranes, and helps clear the air passages. Pinex is a special compound of proven ingredients, in concentrated form, well known for quick action in coughs and bronchial irritations. Money refunded if it doesn't please you in every way.

IF YOU FEEL
Choked Up
WITH A
Cold

Breathe in These Medicated Vapors

When a cold makes you feel all stuffed up, just melt a spoonful of Vicks VapoRub in a bowl of boiling water. Then enjoy the grand relief that comes as you breathe in the steaming medicated vapors, which penetrate to cold-congested upper breathing passages, soothe irritation, ease coughing, help clear stuffy head.

VICKS VAPORUB

How Sluggish Folks Get Happy Relief

WHEN CONSTIPATION makes you feel pink as the dickens, brings on stomach upset, sour taste, gassy discomfort, take Dr. Caldwell's famous medicine to quickly pull the trigger on lazy "in-nards", and help you feel bright and chipper again.

DR. CALDWELL'S is the wonderful senna laxative contained in good old Syrup Pepsin to make it so easy to take.

MANY DOCTORS use pepsin preparations in prescriptions to make the medicine more palatable and agreeable to take. So be sure your laxative is contained in Syrup Pepsin.

INSIST ON DR. CALDWELL'S—the favorite of millions for 50 years, and feel that wholesome relief from constipation. Even finicky children love it.

CAUTION: Use only as directed.

DR. CALDWELL'S SENNA LAXATIVE
CONTAINED IN SYRUP PEPSIN

St. Joseph ASPIRIN
NONE FASTER
WORLD'S LARGEST SELLER AT 10¢

Starts Relief in 5 Seconds from All 6 usual Cold Misereries

666
COLD PREPARATION TABLETS OR LIQUID
Caution: Take only as directed

Kidneys Must Work Well-

For You To Feel Well
24 hours every day, 7 days every week, never stopping, the kidneys filter waste matter from the blood.

If more people were aware of how the kidneys must constantly remove surplus fluid, excess acids and other waste matter that cannot stay in the blood without injury to health, there would be better understanding of why the whole system is upset when kidneys fail to function properly.

Burning, scanty or too frequent urination sometimes warns that something is wrong. You may suffer nagging backache, headache, dizziness, rheumatic pains, getting up at night, swelling.

Why not try Doan's Pills? You will be using a medicine recommended the country over. Doan's stimulates the function of the kidneys and help them to flush out poisonous waste from the blood. They contain nothing harmful. Get Doan's today. Use with confidence. At all drug stores.

DOAN'S PILLS



Senator Vandenberg (left), Representative Martin (center) and Senator Taft.

store free enterprise, and formulation of a farm program adjusted to postwar conditions.

In the field of foreign affairs, Republicans were expected to adhere to the current bi-partisan policy mapped by the administration with the help of Senator Vandenberg (Rep., Mich.) as representative of the GOP congressional bloc.

Minority Leader Martin of Massachusetts was scheduled to take over speakership of the house, with Senator Vandenberg of Michigan becoming president pro tem of the upper house and Senator Taft of Ohio, majority leader.

Seek Unity

As the Republican avalanche set up a Republican congress during a Democratic administration, liberal Democratic leaders called upon President Truman to resign in favor of a GOP nominee to assure harmony in the forthcoming session.

Remembering the unhappy results of previous divisions of legislative and executive power between the two parties, when solution of pressing problems gave way to indecisive bickering and both sides maneuvered for political advantage, Senator Fulbright (Dem., Ark.) was the first to call upon Mr. Truman to

Keeps for weeks ON YOUR PANTRY SHELF



NOW! Bake any time...at a moment's notice with New Fleischmann's Fast Rising Dry Yeast



IF YOU BAKE AT HOME—baking day is any day you feel like it, with New Fleischmann's Fast Rising Dry Yeast. Easy-to-use, extra-fast, New Fleischmann's Fast Rising stays fresh, full strength for weeks on your pantry shelf. Always ready for instant action. Get New Fleischmann's Fast Rising Dry Yeast today. The menfolk will brag about your baking more than ever. At your grocer's.

"COLD BUG" GOT YOUR CHILD?

TIGHT, ACHING MUSCLES ARE MY SPECIALTY!

Get **MENTHOLATUM** quick!

Poor little chest muscles all sore and "achey" from hard coughing? Quick, Mentholatum. Rub it on back, chest, neck. Your child will like that warm, gently stimulating action. Helps lessen congestion without irritating child's delicate normal skin. At same time comforting vapors lessen coughing.

Coke County's Annual Gridiron Sensation

BRONTE vs ROBERT LEE

At Robert Lee, Thursday, November 21, 1946
 PEP SQUAD PARADE AT 1 P.M. KICKOFF AT 2:30

We Honor These Seniors

And the entire starting line-up as they take the field in the final game of the regular season



10—Randle Harmon, end
 11—Jarvis Littlefield, fullback
 13—L. C. Day, tackle
 14—Bobbie Baker, backfield

15—Charles Fowler, backfield
 17—Weldon Schooler, end
 20—Will Percifull, quarterback
 22—Howard Varnadore, end

23—Lawrence Cole, guard
 24—Isaac Devoll, tackle
 26—Harold Sheppard, end
 28—Jack Snead, center

29—Jack Austin, guard
 30—Billy Bert Duncan, backfield
 31—Douglas Dean, center
 33—Bill Blair, tackle



M. G. Hannaford OUR COACH

Mr. Hannaford is a new man in Robert Lee this year, having been elected last summer as superintendent. However, when the regular coach resigned two weeks after school started, Supt. Hannaford was compelled to take over the reigns. His specialty is track and basket ball, but he has done well with the football team, too.

Hats Off to the PEP SQUAD

One of the pleasing features of this year's football season has been the Girls Pep Squad, directed by Miss Pauline Peek. The squad has 40 members and besides taking care of the songs and cheers, they do some intricate drilling between halves.

Shown in the picture are left to right, Janet Bilbo, Joyce Littlefield and Lurlyne Pettit. The little Miss in front, who always takes part in the drills, is Sandra Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Genie Baker.



The following Boosters are proud of Coke County's good schools and fine athletic programs. Good luck to Steers and Longhorns and—

May the Best Team Win!

Brown & Clark
 Virginia Jay & Willie Skipworth
 Genie Baker
 L. G. Campbell
 Hubert Buchanan
 Ruth & Jodie City Cafe
 Bilbo Drug
 Williams & Roberts
 H. C. Varnadore

L. R. Schooler
 J. C. Snead
 A. E. Latham
 Casey Chevrolet Co.
 Looney Lbr and Hardware Co
 John H. Brown
 Billie Higgins
 Ivey Motor Co.
 J. D. Green

S. E. Adams
 Willis Smith
 Paul Good
 Palmer Leeper
 Marcus Turner
 T. B. Hicks
 Retta Braswell
 Dale Stephenson
 Jessie Faye Brock

Billie Campbell
 Wilma Roberts
 M. System
 Bruce Clift
 Club Cafe
 R. L. Truck & Tractor Co.
 Dr. J. K. Griffith
 O. C. Wojtek
 Key Feed Store

Victor McCabe
 Ava Lou Tubb
 Marie Wallace
 J. C. Strickland
 Black's Grocery
 Bob L. Davis
 Fred Campbell
 Frank Percifull
 Robert Lee State Bank

Robert Lee Wins Over Tough Stanton Outfit By 24 to 14

Robert Lee found a worthy foe in the Stanton Buffaloes last Friday night, but came back from Martin county with a 24-14 victory. The Steers led 18-0 at half time, but were unable to hold the lead because of some lucky passes manipulated by Stanton.

Neither of the teams was at full strength. Will Percifull and Junior Devoll, two of the Steers star players, were not even in uniform and several other first stringers saw but little action. Jarvis Littlefield and Howard Varnadore were standouts in the game which was just about as rough as you would want to see. Stanton is a Class A outfit but found Robert Lee one of the best clubs they had been up against this season.

The game opened with Sheppard kicking off to the Stanton 35 and the Steers recovered a fumble. They were penalized 15 yards for roughness and had a first down on their 45. Baker plunged for a first down and then Littlefield got loose for a touchdown. They failed to convert and led 6-0.

Stanton took the kickoff on their 30. They moved for a 1st down on three plays, then punted out on the Robert Lee 40. The Steers got a 1st down on Stanton's 47 and Fowler went around his right end to the 20. Fowler rambled to the 6 on the next play.

The Steers were penalized 5 yds. On the third play Littlefield went for a touchdown. A line play failed to convert. Score: Robert Lee 12, Stanton 0.

Taking the kickoff on their 35, Stanton went forward for a 1st down on the Steer 47. Another 5 yds. penalty against Robert Lee. Jones went around left end to the 30 and a flat pass to Avery was good on their 20. Baker made 8 yds. and a pass was good for a first down on the 40. The Steers punted to Stanton's 30. Varnadore recovered a fumble on the Buffalo 25. Royce Smith fumbled and Stanton recovered on their 22. They moved for a 1st down on their 33 and then Varnadore dropped Fullback White back on the 20. The Steers were penalized 5 yds. White took a pass to the 33. Stanton punted out of bounds on the Steer 25. Baker circled right end to the 40. Littlefield rambled to the Stanton 29. Baker picked up 8 yds. around right end and a 15 yd. penalty gave the Steers a first down on the 10. Littlefield went over for a touchdown. A placekick conversion attempt was wide. Score: Robert Lee 18, Stanton 0. Stanton downed a poor kickoff in mid-field. Littlefield intercepted a pass on his 30 as the half ended.

Schooler downed the kickoff on his 30. The Steers made only 5 yds. in three attempts and their punt was blocked. But the play was called back and a 15 yd. penalty on Stanton gave the Steers a first down on the Buffalo 41. Robert Lee was penalized another 5 yds and lost the ball on downs on the Stanton 30. The Buffaloes executed a pass which carried to mid-field and on the next play Henson caught another pass and ran for a touchdown. A placekick converted the extra point. Score: Robert Lee 18, Stanton 7.

Fowler returned the kickoff to his 42. On the next play Frankie Percifull was tackled and the referee gave the ball to Stanton, although there hadn't been a fumble. It was robbery. Stanton suffered a 5 yd. penalty and lost the ball on downs on their 45. A 5 yd. penalty went against the Steers. Fowler caught a pass and moved to the 35 and a 15 yd. penalty

placed the ball on the Buffalo 20. Another 5 yd. penalty against Robert Lee. Littlefield went around right end for a touchdown, but the conversion placekick failed. Score: Robert Lee 24, Stanton 7.

Stanton downed the kickoff on their 30. Standefer got loose for 1st down in mid-field. They moved for another 1st down on the Steer 39. The Buffaloes failed to connect with a pass attempt on the fourth down and lost the ball on their 43. Stanton was penalized 5 yds. and then a 15 yd. penalty was ruled against the Steers. Stanton recovered a fumble on the Robert Lee 25. They moved for a 1st down on the 15 and then executed a basket ball double pass for a touchdown. A placekick converted. Score: Robert Lee 24, Stanton 14.

Littlefield brought the kickoff to his 44. Fowler took a pass and was down on the 18. On the next play he went to the 9, and Littlefield made it a first down on the 2. The play was called back and a 15 yd. penalty was assessed against the Steers. They lost the ball on downs on the 20. Varnadore recovered a fumble on the 14 and Fowler went to the 5 yd. line as the game ended.

Mr. and Mrs. Rogers and Mrs. Lovey McMullan of San Angelo were dinner guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. McDaniel.

Mrs. A. W. Littlefield was hostess at a party for her Sunday School class of the Baptist church last Thursday night after which the group went roller skating.

Mrs. Jay McCollum of Colorado City was a guest of Mrs. George Pennington on Friday.

Mrs. R. R. Ellis and daughter, Mrs. Wesley Edwards, of Coleman visited last week at Silver with the former's sister, Mrs. Lloyd Phelan.

Mrs. Elmer Modgling and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Walker Good and daughter, Sammie, of Weatherford visited the past week with relatives and friends in Robert Lee and Bronte. Walker is a brother of Deputy Sheriff Paul Good.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Allen and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Allen spent the weekend with Bill Allen at Waco where he is a student at Baylor University.

Ivey Motor Co. delivered a new Ford club coupe Saturday to Tom Peay, Jr.

Friendship WHD Club

Miss Mary Pearl Bearden met with the club in the home of Mrs. Willis Smith and mincemeat was made. Spiced tea and cookies were served to the following members: Mrs. Alfred Fields, Mrs. Tom Rives, Mrs. A. V. Hughes, Mrs. Howard Eaton, Mrs. Willis Smith and Mrs. Ell Hatlev. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Fields on Dec. 12th. in the afternoon. This will be the only meeting in December.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Campbell and Mrs. Otis Campbell returned Monday evening from Dallas where the former consulted a specialist. Examination disclosed that he is making a very satisfactory recovery from a recent eye operation.

Rev. J. Howard Estes announces that special Thanksgiving services will be held at the Methodist church next Sunday morning at 11 a. m. There will be no services on Thanksgiving Day.

Winter Underwear

Hanes Unionsuits, sizes 36 to 46.....	\$1.95
Hanes Winter Drawers, sizes 32 to 44.....	1.29
Hanes Winter Undershirts, sizes 36 to 46.....	1.39
Unionsuits, boys', short sleeve and leg.....	79c to 1'19
Sweatshirts, boys, all sizes.....	98c
Sweatshirts, mens, all sizes.....	1.39 and 1.49

Women's Snuggies

Fine quality, Chambers brand, regular sizes.....	75c
Extra sizes, to.....	88c
Vests.....	62c

Coveralls

Olive Drab, blue, white and khaki.....	4.14 to 4.98
Boys, 1 to 6.....	1.98
Painter's Overalls, white, 32 to 38.....	2.98
Blue Jeans, boys,.....	1.98

8 South
Chadbourne
SAN ANGELO

BARBEE'S

ROBERT MASSIE CO.

Everything In Furniture

Ambulance Service Funeral Home

San Angelo, Texas

EARL SAM Roberts & Williams GROCERY and MARKET

Thanks, folks, for the patronage and friendliness you have shown us since we have been in business. From Chicago to California, and we've been there, the Coke County People are the best yet. We want you to continue to visit us in our store. You folks who haven't been in yet, we are looking for you. Don't forget our Free Delivery twice each day.

Remember
YOU'RE WELCOME!

We Appreciate Your Business
FURNITURE
FOR THE HOME
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE CO.
PHONE 5157 SAN ANGELO

COX-VAUTRAIN Funeral Home

500 W. Beauregard San Angelo

★ ★ ★

Air Conditioned Ambulance Service

★ ★ ★

Dial 3113

Made Right Styled Right Priced Right



28-A West Beauregard

San Angelo, Texas

Continue to follow this wise rule on
"the two most important cars to you"

Protect
**YOUR
PRESENT CAR**
with our skilled
service



You'll find it pays in all ways to get skilled service, now and at regular intervals, at our modern Service Headquarters! For this will help to assure you of dependable transportation day after day—prevent serious breakdowns—save you the high cost of major repairs—and maintain the resale value of your car. Remember—our skilled mechanics, using factory-engineered tools and quality parts, are members of America's foremost automotive service organization. Come in—today!

Pending delivery of
**YOUR NEW
CHEVROLET**
giving **BIG-CAR** quality
at lowest cost

You'll be well repaid for your patience in awaiting delivery of your new Chevrolet! It alone brings you Big-Car beauty, Big-Car comfort and performance, Big-Car quality at lowest cost. And even though we can't tell you exactly when we can make delivery of your new Chevrolet, we can tell you that we are delivering cars as fast as we receive them from the factory—that we'll make delivery of your new Chevrolet at the earliest possible date—and that your patience will be well rewarded when you experience its Big-Car quality at lowest cost.

**Chevrolet Still Lowest
In Price**

The new Chevrolet lists at a price SUBSTANTIALLY lower than that of any other car in its field. This saving is BIG ENOUGH to pay for many a service checkup on your present car.



Casey Chevrolet Company

ROBERT LEE, TEXAS



That's It
Judge—What possible excuse did you fellows have for acquitting that murderer?
Jurymen—Insanity.
Judge—Really? The whole twelve of you?

Respite
A Negress had frowned on her husband for many days. Then, like a burst of sunshine from a cloudy sky, she smiled.
"Does that mean, honey," he asked, "that you forgive me?"
"Go on away, you rascal—I was just restin' ma face."

The average man's arm is 28 inches long. The average woman's waist is 28 inches. It just goes to show that nature thinks of everything.

Flowers and Flowers
An actress came off the stage after a successful first night and was surprised when the manager handed her a bunch of flowers and a packet of marigold seeds.
"The flowers are from a gentleman in the stalls, and the packet of seeds from a Scotsman in the gallery," was his explanation.

CLASSIFIED DEPARTMENT

BUILDING MATERIALS

BOLTS—NUTS, SCREWS, WASHERS, LARGE STOCKS.
Phone, Wire, Write
TEXAS SCREW PRODUCTS COMPANY
1629 North Main
Houston, Texas Preston 0211

BUSINESS & INVEST. OPPOR.
FOR SALE—Only exclusive, modern milkery shop in Abilene, Texas. Write **OWNER, BOX 1953, ABILENE, TEXAS.**

DOGS, CATS, PETS, ETC.
PUREBRED registered collie pups for sale. Bloodlines include both English and American champions. Also grown collies, price on pups \$35 up. All colors available. Contact **SPEER DRUG CO., Olton, Texas**

FARM MACHINERY & EQUIP.
IDAHO RED CEDAR POST maker wants sale, carload lots, low prices. Write **Hugh Chisholm, Bonners Ferry, Idaho.**

FARMS AND RANCHES

RANCH FOR SALE
Five section solid block, 200 miles south Dallas, Trinity County near Polk County line on Magnolia Creek. Good country road runs through it. House needs repair; big barn needs roof. Needs fence. Fine grazing; fine growth young pine timber, \$12.50 per acre. Small royalty goes with place. For sale by owner.
Write **P. O. BOX 3229, Beaumont, Texas**

PEACEFUL FARM HOMES IN ARKANSAS OZARKS. Cows, chickens, fruit will insure independence. Write for accurate descriptions 40 farms.
ROGERS LAND CO., Rogers, Ark.

47 ACRES. Stock, truck, 7 miles Greenville, Texas. Heavy grass, city convenience. Nice improvements, \$4,900.
W. E. FORD, Route 1, Greenville

GOOD FARM, 67 acres, four miles from Dardanelle, Arkansas, situated on good road, electric line, daily mail route, school bus route and milk route. Six-room house, fair barn, plenty of good meadows, farm land and plenty of good water. Price \$4,500, less long term of \$770.
MAJORS REAL ESTATE AGENCY, Dardanelle, Arkansas

460 ACRES 3 miles south of San Diego, Texas paved highway, well improved, 1 1/2 minerals reserved, will sell at \$42.50 per acre to close estate. Write **M. T. BURCHETT, Johnson City, Texas.**

2,590 ACRES, SHACKLEFORD CO., well fenced, plenty water, small set improvements. Good grass. **TOM R. BACON, Box 1287, Abilene, Texas. Phone 9517.**

FOR SALE—Grade A Dairy, now in operation; fully equipped, new, \$1,000 month business. For rent or lease only, 4 room house, lights, gas, water, on highway 3 1/2 miles from town; 110 acres good farm land with plenty of water. Phone 914F12, Dardanelle, Ark.

PARSONS BROS. DAIRY, Post, Texas
PARKER COUNTY, 150 acres grass land, fair improvements, living water, 277 acres.
DELTA COUNTY, 85 A. black land farm.
HUNT COUNTY, 450 acres well improved. Have ranches, Eastland, Brown, Tom Green Counties. Particulars, write **M. BLAND, 444 Burnett St., Ft. Worth, Texas.**

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

By **HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D.**
Of The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.
Released by Western Newspaper Union.

Lesson for November 24

Lesson subjects and Scripture texts selected and copyrighted by International Council of Religious Education; used by permission.

PAUL IN ATHENS AND CORINTH

LESSON TEXT—Acts 17:22-28a; 18:1-4; 1 Corinthians 1:22-25.
MEMORY SELECTION— For other foundation can no man lay than that is laid, which is Jesus Christ—1 Corinthians 3:11.

History repeats itself, in spiritual things as well as in secular events. The experiences of Paul at Athens and Corinth are peculiarly applicable to our day, for here he encountered the very problems which face (and have apparently stopped) the church today.

The cities were not far apart in miles, and they were both pagan, but they differed widely in their cultural and commercial development. Athens was the home of a godless culture. Corinth was a prosperous commercial center known throughout the world for grossly licentious living.

What did the gospel accomplish in such cities? We shall soon see. **I. Godless Intellectuality Meets the Gospel (Acts 17:22-28a).**

Paul was alone in Athens. He had been separated from his companions Silas and Timothy (Acts 17:14), and was to await them at Athens. While he waited he looked the city over and found it wholly given to idolatry (v. 16). This was no idle observation of a scientific mind, for it caused Paul's spirit to stir in him.

It is a bad sign when a professed Christian can live in the presence of sin and false worship and not be deeply moved by it.

Paul did something about it! He went into the great daily gatherings of philosophers and gave them some solid Christian philosophy to work on. They were curious to know more, and when the opportunity arose, Paul preached the sermon on Mars Hill.

He found them superstitiously religious, but religion does not save. They even feared lest they had forgotten some god, so one altar was "to the unknown God" (v. 23). This gave Paul his opportunity, for he declared the one true God—unknown to them—as the answer to their question.

What they had to do, and what the godless intellectuals of our day need to do, is to seek God in humble repentance and faith; then lives can become fine and noble and useful (vv. 27, 32-34).

II. Sophisticated Immorality Meets the Gospel (Acts 18:1-4).

To Corinth Paul came (evidently still alone) without friends or funds. Like all well-bred Jewish boys, he knew a trade. He was a sail maker; and tent maker. Rather than have the ungodly men of Corinth hinder his preaching by the criticism that he was doing it for money, he supported himself.

The minister who is eager for rich financial return, and who is willing to accept the gifts of the ungodly that his work may prosper, has closed the door for his testimony to many who do not believe. In fact, one wonders whether he has any real testimony to give.

In this wicked city, given over to vice and fleshly pleasure, Paul made his way to the synagogue and began to preach Christ. He reasoned and persuaded and won some for the Lord as he continued with them for a year and a half (Acts 18:11).

Paul's letter to the Corinthians reveals the struggle of the believers at Corinth to maintain moral standards and spiritual warmth in such a city, but it also clearly indicates that the gospel of Christ is "the power of God unto salvation to everyone that believeth" (Rom. 1:16), even in the midst of sin and corruption.

III. The Gospel Meets Sin—and Is Victorious (1 Cor. 1:22-25).

The wisdom of this world—for which Athens stood in a special way—becomes foolish in the eyes of men, as it is already in the sight of God, when it stands up against the gospel (read vv. 18-21).

The preaching of the cross, which looks foolish to the worldling (v. 23), is the wisdom and the power of God, and by it men are saved.

Whether Jew or Gentile, whether seeking signs or wisdom, whether "up-and-out" by way of pagan intellectualism or "down-and-out" by way of immorality—no matter what man's race, or his problem—the answer is in the gospel which we are privileged to teach and preach, for it is the gospel of "Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God" to all who are called by him.

ASK ME? ANOTHER? A quiz with answers offering information on various subjects

The Questions

1. From what ore is aluminum derived?
2. Paul Revere's ride in 1775 went unhonored for 88 years. What poet immortalized it?
3. Some of the willow trees found on high mountains and in the Arctic region are how tall when fully grown?
4. Of what is the center of the earth composed?
5. "Let us eat and drink; for tomorrow we shall die" is quoted from where?

6. Why is the adjutant bird so called?
7. Thomas Chippendale gained fame doing what?

The Answers

1. Bauxite ore.
2. Henry Wadsworth Longfellow.
3. But one inch tall.
4. A mixture of iron and nickel, it is believed.
5. The Bible (Isa. 22:13).
6. Because it walks like an army officer much impressed with his own importance.
7. Designing furniture.

"RIGHT from the Start"

You start right when you measure the required amount of Clabber Girl into your flour... You are sure to get just the right rise in your mixing bowl, followed by that final rise to light and fluffy flavor in the oven... That's the story of Clabber Girl's balanced double action.

For better baking use the baking powder with the **BALANCED** double action.

CLABBER GIRL Baking Powder

Buy U. S. Savings Bonds!

PRINCE ALBERT SMOKING TOBACCO

Whether he smokes a pipe—or rolls his own cigarettes—a Christmas gift of crimp cut Prince Albert is sure to please

Dealers everywhere are featuring this 16-ounce tin of Prince Albert for Christmas gifts. It's all ready to give—gay Christmas wrapping—even space for your own personal greeting.

16-OZ. TIN
Also available in 1/2-lb. size

For pipes or roll-your-own cigarettes, there's no other tobacco quite like Prince Albert. It's crimp cut to pack better in a pipe, to draw smooth and easy—or to roll up fast and firm in a "makin'" cigarette. Cool, rich, and tasty.

FOR PIPES OR ROLL-YOUR-OWNS

THE NATIONAL JOY SMOKE

ALSO IN PCKET SIZE

CRIMP CUT LONG BURNING PIPE AND CIGARETTE TOBACCO

E. J. Reynolds Tob. Co., Winston-Salem, N. C.

Buy U. S. Savings Bonds!

IF PETER PAIN KNOTS YOU UP WITH **MUSCLE ACHE**

● Rub in gently-warming, soothing Ben-Gay for fast relief from muscular soreness and pain. Ben-Gay contains up to 2 1/2 times more methyl salicylate and menthol—famous pain-relieving agents known to every doctor—than five other widely offered rub-ins. Insist on genuine Ben-Gay, the original Baume Analgesique.

Also for Pain due to **RHEUMATISM, NEURALGIA, and COLDS.**
Ask for Mild Ben-Gay for Children.

QUICK... RUB IN Ben-Gay



If Isabella had ice cubes...

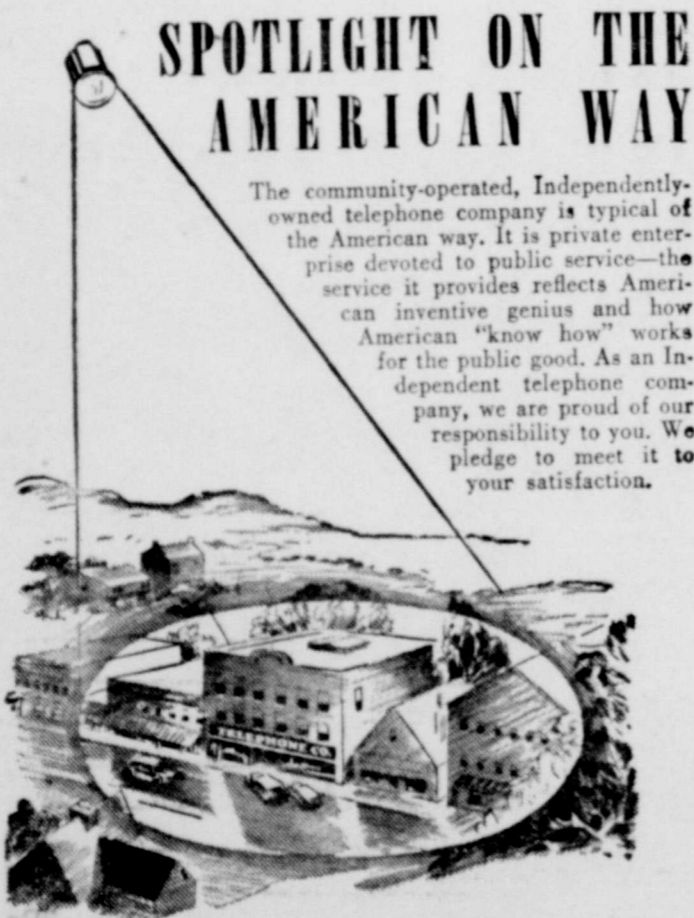
Christopher Columbus would never have discovered America!

Isabella, Queen of Spain, had caskets full of jewels. She had velvet robes and silken gowns and handsome hand-made shoes. But she had no electric refrigerator! So the jewels were pawned. Three little ships set out against the sea. And Columbus happened on America back in 1492.

Fantastic? Not really. In Isabella's day, they tried to keep food from spoiling by spices brought overland at great expense from India. Columbus believed he could reach the Indies by sailing westward on the unknown Atlantic. The rest is in history books. Poor Isabella, with all her clumsy luxuries, never dreamed of ice cubes—nor any of the miracles of modern electric living!

Though electricity plays such a great part in today's comforts and conveniences—you're scarcely conscious of electric service. That's because it's always on hand—all you want—at little cost.

West Texas Utilities Company



San Angelo Telephone Company

MRS. J. D. "GRACE" BLACK
Robert Lee Representative For

Leon's Flowers of San Angelo
Telephone Black's Grocery No. 17 for all Flower Orders.
We Telegraph Flowers

Visit Our Greenhouses When in San Angelo

Floodlights Cost \$2,492 And They Are All Paid For

Cost of providing floodlights for the Robert Lee high school football field was \$2,492, and the entire amount has already been paid in full.

Installation was in charge of the West Texas Utilities Co. which did an excellent job and they figured their contract on a cost plus 10 per cent basis.

Dr. J. K. Griffith, chairman of the committee for the Board of Community Welfare, directed the fund raising campaign, with the assistance of W. T. Roach. When Dr. Griffith handed a representative of the electric company a check for the full amount, he was told that this was the first time a lighting project had been paid for in cash.

In addition the committee has more than \$200 on hand which will be used in the construction of bleacher seats at the field.

Dr. Griffith has furnished a complete list of the contributors, as follows:

G. C. Allen.....	100.00
W. E. Burns.....	100.00
Vic McCabe.....	100.00
Robert Lee School.....	100.00
Willis Smith.....	100.00
McNeil Wylie.....	100.00
W. T. Roach.....	100.00
Frank Percifull.....	100.00
Cortez Russell.....	100.00
Dr. J. K. Griffith.....	100.00
Cumbie Ivey.....	100.00
S. E. Adams.....	100.00
M. System.....	100.00
Robert Lee Bank.....	100.00
Paul Good.....	100.00
Dan Campbell.....	50.00
Robert Lee Observer.....	50.00
Blacks Grocery.....	50.00
A. E. Latham.....	50.00
Marvin Simpson.....	50.00
Looney Hdw Co.....	50.00
Robert Lee City Officials.....	60.00
Leeper Hdw Co.....	25.00
Bilbo Drug.....	25.00
John Brown.....	25.00
J. C. Strickland.....	25.00
Varnadore Bros.....	25.00
H. C. Varnadore.....	25.00
Bobbie L. Davis.....	25.00
Ruby Pettit.....	25.00
Earnest Varnadore.....	25.00
Turney Casey.....	25.00
Girl Scouts.....	50.00
Brown & Clark.....	25.00
City Cafe.....	25.00
Delmir Sheppard.....	25.00
J. C. Snead Jr.....	25.00
Lamont Scott.....	25.00
Frank McCabe.....	25.00
Jack Walker.....	25.00
San Angelo Telephone Co.....	25.00
Claud Dean.....	20.00
Geo. L. Taylor.....	20.00
Gene Baker.....	10.00
T. B. Hicks.....	10.00
Horton Devoll.....	10.00
Calvin Wallace.....	10.00
Alamo Theater.....	70.00
Club Cafe.....	10.00
Billie Campbell.....	10.00
Carrol Russell.....	10.00
Bailey Russell.....	10.00
Fred McDonald.....	10.00
Marcus Turner.....	10.00
Jim McCutchen.....	10.00
Tom Walker.....	10.00
J. J. S. Smith.....	20.00
West Tex. Util. 50; W. B. Clift, 25; Robert Lee Truck, 5; Key Feed Store, 2.50; J. L. Tinkler, 5; Tinkler, 2; J. F. McCabe Jr., 5; Mrs. Lizzie Daniel, 2.50; Sam Powell, 5; E. C. Davis, 5; Ned Thomason, 5; Roy Taylor, 2; J. W. Service, Jr., 5; J. D. Green, 2.50; Lem Cowley, 1; Cecil Smith, 1; Lowell Roane, 1; Billie Carrol Green, 5; Otis Smith, 5; Jack Trimble, 2; Sam Williams, 5; Maxwell, 5; W. O. Eubanks, 2; Edward Trimble, 3.	

"Ironic Quest For Youth." Most of those who profess to have found the secret of longevity have died before their time. Morris Fishbein, editor of The Journal of the American Weekly, the association, discusses the problem in The American Weekly, the magazine distributed with next Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner.

Farm Credit Agencies Combined Into One

Credit facilities and services formerly provided by the Farm Security Administration and the Emergency Crop and Feed Loan Division of Farm Credit Administration are available to eligible farmers through the Coke county office of the Farmers' Home Administration, Lester J. Cappleman, Texas State Director of FHA announced today.

Mr. Cappleman also announced the designation of Oscar M. Fowler, Coke county supervisor of the Farm Security Administration, as interim-supervisor in charge of the Coke county FHA office, which is located at Robert Lee, Texas.

The Farmers' Home Administration, created by the 79th Congress, took over functions of FSA and ECFL effective November 1. The new agency will make production and subsistence loans as well as loans for farm purchases. Facilities are available only to farmers who are unable to get the loans they need at interest rates not exceeding five percent from banks, cooperative lending agencies or other responsible sources in their communities.

The farm purchase loans made by the new agency are similar to those formerly made by the Farm Security Administration. Loans are made for 100 per cent of the purchase price of family type farms.

James Monroe Moore

Funeral services were held Wednesday, Oct. 9, from the Sinton Church of Christ for James Monroe Moore, 87, retired farmer and resident of Sinton for the past 11 years, with Rev. Leonard Mullins officiating. Burial was in Sinton cemetery.

Moore was born March 22, 1859, near Pittsburg, Macnery county, Tennessee. He moved to Fannin county, Texas in 1874. He and Sarah Francis White were married September 27, 1880, and celebrated their 66th wedding anniversary last September 26. They were residents of Coke county for 20 years, having moved to South Texas in 1918, residing near Beeville until 1935 when they came to Sinton.

Survivors include his wife, a son, Stephen Moore of San Angelo; six daughters, Mrs. Euna Lewis of Llano, Mrs. McCutchen of Bronte, Mrs. W. C. Vander-slice of Kingsburg, Calif., Mrs. L. P. Shinn of Lordsburg, N. M., Mrs. I. L. Shinn of Sinton, and Mrs. D. Scoggins of Sinton. There are also 35 grandchildren, 56 great grandchildren and 1 great great grandchild.

FAST RELIEF
SIMPLE HEADACHES
UPSET STOMACH
MUSCULAR PAINS
ALKA SELTZER
COLD DISCOMFORTS

Good for So Many Common Ailments

Always keep a good supply of Alka-Seltzer on hand because you never know what time of day or night you may need the relief it offers. Alka-Seltzer is pleasant to the taste—easy to take. Ask your druggist for Alka-Seltzer today. Remember, when your tablets get down to four—
that's the time to buy some more!

Alka-Seltzer

plus needed improvements. Re-payment is scheduled over a period of 40 years, and interest rate is 3 1-2 percent.

Operating credit extended by the Farmers' Home Administration under its production and subsistence loan program includes both annual loans and adjustment-type loans at five percent interest.

A little want ad will sell it.

Club Cafe

If you're hungry or thirsty, let us serve you at the Club Cafe.

STEAKS
LUNCHESES
SHORT ORDERS
Your Business is Appreciated
DARYL CHILDRRESS

Adams

Abstract & Insurance Co.

Abstracts
Fire, Auto and Casualty
Insurance

Phone 21—Robert Lee, Texas



Hayrick Lodge
No. 696 A. F. & A. M.
Meets second Tuesday night in each month.
Visitors welcome.

R. S. Crum, W. M. W. T. Roach, Sec.

Ambulance Service

24 Hours Every Day

Day 104 Nite 24

Clift Funeral Home

Have You Tried One Of Our

Choice Steaks—

They're THICK, Juicy and Tender.
Short Orders, Stews
Chili, Hamburgers, Coffee

City Cafe

Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Williams
Ruby and Joyce Martin

SADDLES

are in position to give you two to four weeks service on new Saddles. Order now!
Finest of SHOE REPAIRING—Liddy's for Leather, any kind, any time!

M. L. LEDDY

Saddle & Boot Shop
24 S. Chadbourne San Angelo

Famous D.D.T

50 per cent Powder and
25 per cent Concentrate

FOR LIVESTOCK

BILBO DRUG

Dead

(Unskinned) or
Disabled Animals
REMOVED FREE

Call Collect, San Angelo
7271-1, 4023-2 or 7333-4
San Angelo By-Products & Rendering Co.
Prompt Service Assured



Murder in Plain Sight

by GERALD BROWN
W.N.U. FEATURES



Duke McCale, private detective, is investigating the murder of Curt Vallaincourt, who was about to marry Veronica Bigelow, heiress to thirty million dollars. McCale extracts some damaging admissions from Shari Lynn, singer and former wife of Vallaincourt. Later Victoria, Veronica's sister, calls at his office and asks his help in recovering some letters from Vallaincourt's apartment. McCale tells her that the letters are not in the apartment, but hints that Shari Lynn may have them. Because of circumstantial evidence, the police believe that Veronica is the murderer. McCale does not think so, but has not yet formed a conclusion. There are many contradictory clues.

CHAPTER XI

The telephone was ringing insistently.

"McCale speaking," he growled.

"Rocky, boss."

"Where are you?"

"Corner of Aspinwall, opposite the Vallaincourt den. Didn't you tell me to keep a lookout?"

"Oh, yeah. All quiet?"

"All quiet now. Listen, boss, long about five this morning—"

"All right. What happened at five o'clock?"

Sleep still hugged him tightly and there was an unreasonable barb in his voice.

"Okay, okay. Around five, a girl showed up with a key to the Vallaincourt ron-day-vo."

"Who was it?"

"Hold on to your hat, now. It was Victoria Bigelow."

"Victoria Bigelow?" Surprise jerked him wide awake.

"Uh uh. She was after some letters of hers, she said."

"Well, well." Victoria had certainly had a busy night, he thought.

At eight forty-five he called Ann Marriot on the telephone.

To her cool "hello," he said, "Good morning. This is your boss."

"Oh, good morning, dar—boss. Anything important? I'm on my way in about five minutes."

"No hurry. In fact, this is just to say you might shop for an hour if you want to and then do an errand for me. I want you to drop in on Shari Lynn, Suite 802."

"... And pray what shall I use as an excuse for dropping in, as you say? Don't tell me you're sending me along to smooth the way for you—a more subtle approach, so to speak?"

"No—and that's comedy enough for now, my girl." He grew serious.

"I saw her myself late last night, for that matter."

"You rat!"

"I'd like a line on how she is this morning. You know—sad, gay, expectant? Ask her for her autograph. Anything to get in. Talk about Vallaincourt if you can without being thrown out."

"That all?"

"Yes. Just a check-up to satisfy a point that's been nagging me. She's fairly transparent. It ought to be easy."

"Oh, yes, indeed. It sounds too, too easy. All right. I'll do my best. See you when?"

"About noon. Here. 'Bye, sweet.'"

Sybil Becomes Implicated

On impulse he dialed police headquarters and asked for Donlevy. After a slight delay, the curt, incisive voice of the lieutenant came through.

"Donlevy here."

"McCale, lieutenant."

"Oh—sure. Not out yet hunting the foul criminal?"

"On the way. I'd like to know what the Bigelow women were wearing when they came in yesterday—outside of the green thingamajig Veronica sported."

"Of course. Didn't I mention that?"

"No."

"Well, here it is. Victoria, an oiled-silk affair, yellow; Karen, a black velvet suit, black cape; Sybil, a light brown raincoat. That help?"

"Uh uh. It was Sybil, then, who walked away into the fog."

"You think so? She claims to have been in the drugstore."

"Not for my money."

"I kind of think not. That family! It's almost impossible to get them to admit anything. They're all protecting one another. What? I've had a devil of a time and got nothing so far."

"You'll get less, very likely, now they've had a chance to compare notes."

There was a pause. Then Donlevy said, almost cheerfully, "I guess Veronica's our girl."

"You really think so?"

"The Lynn woman's evidence will put the finish on it."

"Oh." McCale pondered over that for a moment, then decided to add, "I'd keep a sharp watch on the Lynn woman."

"Why?" Donlevy's interest was immediate.

"I would. That's all."

"Now, Duke, you must have a reason. Why be mysterious?"

"I'll drop in to see you later in the day. Okay?"

"By all means."

McCale dropped the receiver onto its cradle. An emotion of concern crowded his mind and he sighed a sigh of sheer desperation. His brain seemed dulled, inactive, depressed. There was something there, something that would make it clear.

The police commissioner had come and asked a few pertinent questions, stayed barely an hour, and departed. At eight o'clock the district attorney had attempted to bully the police in charge as well as the suspects. He had left at eleven in a huff.

The body had been removed to the morgue and laboratory for fuller examination. Lieutenant Donlevy and his squad had finished with the preliminaries.

Then, at nine this morning, a plainclothes man had interrupted breakfast with an urgent request for Veronica. He was politely insistent that she must come at once to the office of Lieutenant Donlevy for further questioning. She was

not to be alarmed. It was a matter of routine. But—

Miss Adelaide Agrees To McCale's Plan

The library was dim and still and only the sound of a piano being played in the drawing room upstairs came through the oppressive quiet as Adelaide Bigelow finished her recital of events, and looked at McCale sadly. McCale did not speak for a minute. The weight of his senses closed down on him like a stone. He wondered idly whether it was the gloom or the helplessness in the old lady's voice that caused this feeling of futility. He wondered why Karen Bigelow was playing the Liszt Preludes so passionately—those romantic things so richly interlaced with religious mysticism. A strange woman, Karen, but merely more obviously strange than the others. Only the woman before him, resigned, determined, with great courage, seemed to belong in that house. Her voice brought him awake again with a start.

"What are we going to do?" she asked.

"I think," he answered, "that I may be able to see a little further, get a little more than the police were able to. That is, if I can gain their confidence. If you will ask them to come in"—he rose as she got up, smiled and added—"one by one, if you please. It might be easier that way."

"To trap them, I suppose," she murmured, surprisingly.

"Why, of course." He bowed, the smile leaving his lips.

He felt the subtle antagonism leap between them. Then she came over to him, impulsively putting a thin patrician hand on his sleeve.

"Forgive me," she whispered. "It's only that I am so upset. I know how things must be from now on. I see a whole way of life disappearing before my eyes, an empire slipping away. I know—"

"That below the surface, things have not been what they seemed for a long, long time," he interjected, keeping the pity carefully from his tone of voice, for he knew that this she would not have.

"Yes—yes. You won't need me again?" She spoke as if that would be abhorrent to her.

"No. It is better that I do my—dirty work alone." He smiled once more, as he watched her leave the room.

He stood by the fireplace, staring moodily into the ashes of last night's fire, until he heard the door open and close behind him. When he turned, he saw Stephen Bigelow standing irresolute and nervous in the gray morning light.

It was clear, as he sat down in the chair opposite McCale, that he was completely shaken. Although it was no doubt partly hangover, McCale intuitively sensed that not a little of it was due to the fact that he was on his own. A complex lad, this one, he thought, riddled by complexes. He had seen enough of Stephen to know that in spite of his high-nosed arrogance, he was lost without the support of his wife and silly mother. He pondered as to which one of them had been clever enough to send him in first, so that either or both could expertly deny any break he might make.

In a business like way, McCale said, "I am willing to take the police report of your actions yesterday afternoon verbatim. However, I'm more interested in something that may not seem relevant to the murder. If you will only have confidence in me, I can assure you it will probably go no further. I ask it entirely in the hope of helping your foster sister, Veronica, out of a ticklish situation. I know, of course, that you are eager to be of any assistance possible to her."

"Oh, quite." The answer came readily enough. McCale studiously ignored the contemptuous curve of the lips that accompanied the remark.

"Very well, then. I'd like to know if you had known Curt Vallaincourt before he became engaged to Veronica. What you know of him. What you thought of him, to be exact. How, for instance, did it happen that he came so suddenly to this city to be taken up immediately by your family? I'd welcome anything you can tell me."

He saw relief come over Stephen's face, relief that the question was not the one he had feared. Stephen smiled—a thin-lipped, uneasy smile.

"I met him in Chicago," he said calmly, "about six years ago. Victoria was running around with him. I had gone there for a couple of months, just to renew a few old acquaintances."

"Anyone in particular?"

Stephen Tells of His Chicago Trip

"No." His hands shook a little as he fumbled for a cigarette and lighted it. "Just a couple of fellows I had known in the navy. At one time, you see, things were not very—well, pleasant at home. I ran away and joined up. I made a few friends while I was in the service. I corresponded with them from time to time after I got out. We are not a particularly happy group, McCale, en famille, so to speak. So when things got boring again, and—er—a little squawky, I decided to hop out to Chicago and visit a chap who had since married and done quite well for himself."

"Sort of run away again, is that it?" McCale's grin was sardonic. He thought—as you've run out on everything unpleasant since you were a kid, I can bet.

"Well, I suppose you could call it that."

"You took Victoria with you?"

"No, she came to fetch me back, as it were. All is forgiven, you know. That sort of thing. Victoria had met Curt in some of her wanderings. I had met Karen by then and didn't want to leave until there was an understanding of some sort between us. We stayed almost a year, until I married her. Vicky corresponded with Vallaincourt for a while after she came home. It was she who finally got him here. Ran into him by accident in New York or something, and she brought him along for a visit. He just stayed, that's all."

He settled back in the chair, a little less jangled, as if a job had been done and rather well done.

McCale settled back in his chair and looked at Stephen Bigelow with unconcealed disgust. Then he decided to try a shot in the dark and see what it would hit.

"Of course you know that Curt Vallaincourt was married at some time in his lively career."

"Oh, yes. He was," Stephen admitted, completely off guard.

"To Shari Lynn?"

"Sarah Linsky to you," Bigelow blurted, then bit his lip, realizing the trap.

"You knew her, too?"

(TO BE CONTINUED)

AROUND THE HOUSE

For smooth looking sheets, iron four thicknesses of sheet at one time; fold in half bringing hem to fold. Iron first on the plain side, then on the hem side.

When sewing material that is slippery and hard to handle, a towel pinned around the extension lid of the sewing machine keeps the material and one's temper in place.

Clean chromium with soap and water followed by polishing with whitening paste.

Tie back curtains can be evened by pulling down window shades to the exact point where they are to be fastened. This is a perfect guide and eliminates a lot of measuring.

When baby's quilted pads are well worn, cut the best pieces from them for pot-holder padding. These make extra heavy pot-holders.

An egg beater is not so difficult to clean if it is dipped in cold water immediately after using. Immerse just the part used so that the rotating cogs will not get wet.

NEEDLEWORK PATTERNS

Gay Pajama Doll for Bedtime



TOTS adore soft, cuddly toys they can take to bed. This sleepy time doll is 15 inches high and is dressed in warm, gayly flowered pajamas with narrow ruffle trim. The hair is yellow cotton—

yawning red mouth is embroidered on, as are the long black thread eyelashes.

To obtain complete tissue pattern for doll body, pajamas, embroidery chart for face, instructions on how to make the hair of the Bedtime Doll (Pattern No. 5303) send 20 cents in coin, your name, address and pattern number.

Due to an unusually large demand and current conditions, slightly more time is required in filling orders for a few of the most popular patterns.

Send your order to:

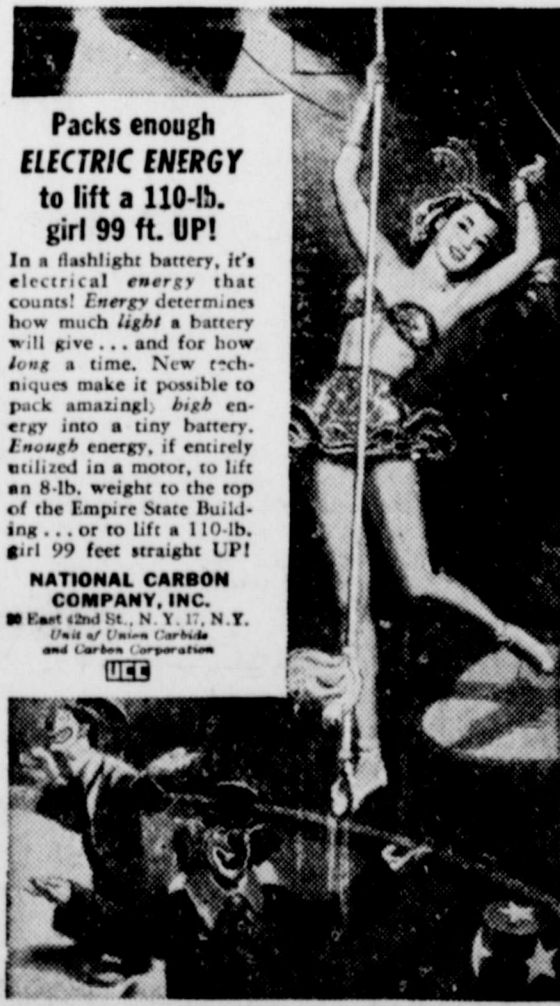
SEWING CIRCLE NEEDLEWORK
539 South Wells St. Chicago 7, Ill.
Enclose 20 cents for Pattern.
No. _____
Name _____
Address _____

Beware Coughs from common colds That Hang On

Creomulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm, and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough or you are to have your money back.

CREOMULSION for Coughs, Chest Colds, Bronchitis

NEW FLASHLIGHT BATTERY LASTS 93% LONGER!



Packs enough ELECTRIC ENERGY to lift a 110-lb. girl 99 ft. UP!

In a flashlight battery, it's electrical energy that counts! Energy determines how much light a battery will give... and for how long a time. New techniques make it possible to pack amazing, high energy into a tiny battery. Enough energy, if entirely utilized in a motor, to lift an 8-lb. weight to the top of the Empire State Building... or to lift a 110-lb. girl 99 feet straight UP!

NATIONAL CARBON COMPANY, INC.
100 East 42nd St., N. Y. 17, N. Y.
Division of Union Carbide and Carbon Corporation

IT'S NEW! Revolutionary! For sealed inside this new battery is the electrical equivalent of over 10,890 foot-pounds of energy. Yes—the total energy in the new "Eveready" flashlight battery, if entirely used in an efficient electric motor, would lift a 110-lb. girl 99 feet in the air!

That same energy means brighter light in your flashlight. And 93% longer life! Yet the new "Eveready" battery still costs only 10¢.

The registered trademark "Eveready" distinguishes products of National Carbon Company, Inc.



High Energy MEANS BRIGHTER LIGHT, LONGER LIFE!

EVEREADY FLASHLIGHT BATTERIES

It's Not Too Early

Do your Christmas Shopping early. We will be glad to help you in your selection of a gift— for Her, for Him, for Them.

City Drug Store

H. C. Allen & Son The Rexall Store

Take Advantage of our complete

One - Stop Service

And enjoy the present car you are driving until such time as we can make delivery on that new Chevrolet.

- ★ Major Repairs ★ Rebuild Engine
- ★ Motor Tune-Up ★ Lubrication
- ★ Factory Parts ★ Accssories

Casey Chevrolet Co.

Texaco Gas and Oils—Phone 71

Bring Us Your Butter & Eggs
We Pay Highest Prices

Helen Ann Fruit Cake Mix, 1 1/4 lb. jar	99c
Pitted Dromeday Dates, 7 1/4 oz. pkg.	29c
Sw. West English Peas, No. 2 can	17c
Can Camp Chili Con Carne	33c
American Sardines, flat tin	10c
Del Monte Coffee, lb.	44c
Peach Nectar, No. 2 can	20c

We have a good selection of Nuts

Plenty Cranberry and Apple Sauce

Kre-Mel Pie Filling, 2 pkgs for 13c

Closed All Day Thanksgiving, Nov. 28

Black's Grocery

Open Evenings and Sundays
Closed Sundays 10 a. m. til 12 noon

Visit The

Cactus Lumber Co.

In San Angelo

For All Kinds of Building Materials

We can furnish you with all 2 inch dimension lumber for framing, 1 inch lumber for roof decking, sub-floors and walls. We also have a good supply of kiln dried finish lumber for trim and plenty of good stained shingles and asphalt brick siding.

We Sell Everything in Materials
Strictly OPA Prices

Cactus Lumber Co.

2113-21 North Chadbourne San Angelo, Texas

Robert Lee Observer

Established 1889—Oldest Business
Institution In Coke County
A. J. KIRKPATRICK, Publisher

Published Every Friday

Entered at the post office in Robert Lee,
Texas as second class matter

Subscription \$2.00 a Year
Six Months \$1.00

When Your Subscription Expires This
Paper Is Promptly Discontinued

Office of publication: The Observer building,
Main Street, Robert Lee, Texas.

Want Ads, Readers, Cards of Thanks,
Legal Notices, Poetry, Pie Suppers, Ent-
ertainment Notices where a charge of ad-
mission is made, and all matter not news,
is charged for at rate of 2c word, each issue.

Mrs. F. C. Clark spent the latter
part of the week with her daughter,
Mrs. Bill Craddock, in Colorado
City.

Mr. and Mrs. Clell Varnadore
and little son witnessed the foot
ball game at Stanton Friday night
and then drove to Eunice, N. M.,
for a weekend visit with her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russ Lord.

Mrs. A. W. Littlefield and her
children enjoyed a family reunion
at Bronte Sunday with her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bernard. Other
guests included Gaylord Benard
of Ft. Worth, Mrs. P. R. Little-
field of Weatherford and Mr. and
Mrs. J. M. Rippetoe of Bronte.

Mary Pearl Bearden attended a
WHD officers training school at
San Angelo on Monday and was
one of the speakers. Coke county
women who attended the meeting
were Mmes. A. V. Hughes, Tom
Rives, A. D. Fields and Miss
Gladys Waldrop.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. McDaniel
made a trip to Flagstaff, Ariz., a
short time ago and were fortunate
in getting back home just ahead
of the snow which blocked high-
ways for some time.

Rev. and Mrs. J. Howard Estes
have been advised of the birth of
a son born Nov. 16 to their daugh-
ter, Mrs. James T. Rogers at El
Paso. This is Mr. and Mrs.
Rogers first child.

City Clerk Fred O. Green pur-
chased a new Chevrolet 2-door se-
dan the first of the week from Casey
Chevrolet Co., which took Mr.
Green's pickup in on the deal.

Mrs. H. L. Scott was in Dallas
Monday and Tuesday buying new
merchandise for the Roach depart-
ment store.

Notice—If the party who borrow-
ed my wheelbarrow will return it
now, I have immediate use for it.
Roy P. Ross. 1p

NOTICE

To Water Subscribers:

Our City Commission has ruled
that the collector will call on
business houses and offices only
for the collection of water ac-
counts. Residential water sub-
scribers will please come to the
City Hall not later than the 15th
of each month to pay water ac-
counts. If water accounts are
not paid by the 15th of the month
and service discontinued, there
will be a service charge of \$1.00
for turning the water on again.—
By order of the City Commission,
of Robert Lee, Texas.

WANT ADS

For Sale—Coleman irons and
lanterns. Leeper Supply Co.

For Sale—5 room residence,
bungalow type, with bath, well
located. Priced worth the money.
Frank Smith. tf

For Sale—6 and 8 foot Aer-
motor double geared windmills and
towers. Leeper Supply Co.

For Sale—Store building 20x36
ft. and lot 25x150. Inquire at The
Observer office. 1p

Notice—Beginning Mon., Nov.
25, I will gin only on Monday,
Wednesday and Friday afternoons.
Robert Lee Gin Co.

Feed—I have a limited amount
of 43 pct. cottonseed cake for sale
in truck load lots. Fred McDonald,
Sr., Bronte, Texas 1c

ALAMO THEATRE Robert Lee, Texas

FRIDAY and SATURDAY, NOV. 22-23

Zane Grey's "Wanderer of the Wasteland"
With James Warren-Audrey Long
Also two reel Comedy and News

SUNDAY 1:30 & 3:10 and MON., NOV. 24-25

Maureen O'Hara-Dick Haymes-Harry James in
"Do You Love Me?" (Color) Also cartoon

WEDNESDAY ONLY, NOV. 27

Sonny Tufts-Veronica Lake in
"Miss Susie Slagles" Also Cartoon

TEXAS THEATRE Bronte, Texas

FRIDAY-SATURDAY, NOV. 22-23

Jimmy White-Lee (Lassie) White in
"West of the Alamo" Also Comedy and News

SUNDAY 1:30 & 3:20 also MON., NOV. 24-25

Joel McCrea-Brian Donlevy-Sunny Tufts in
"The Virginian" (In color) Also comedy

TUESDAY ONLY, NOV. 26

Sonny Tufts-Veronica Lake in
"Miss Susie Slagles" Also Cartoon

Congratulations

to Sun Oil Company on their ap-
parent successful exploration on
the Allen Jameson property. We
wish them continued success in
developing a producing oil field
in Coke County.

Leeper Supply Co.

Every House Needs Westinghouse

Yes Sir!

The "Doctor" is still putting new pep into those
ailing cars, so if yours is "complaining" bring it in
at once.

We still have lots of Gasoline, Kerosene, Oil,
Anti-freeze and Accessories.

Come around and visit with us any time and
warm your feet in front of our fire.

Rob't Lee Truck & Tractor Co.

Wholesale and Retail Gas and Oil

Clell Phone 38 Morris

I have a

Laying Mash

at \$4.15. Also better grades

Watch for some new additions
in the feed line

KEY Feed Store