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Robert Lee, Coke County, Texas, Friday, June 27, 1947


Ray Eugene Rives, Ptr. 3rd Station on Guam, son of Mr. and
Mrs. Pat Rives of Robert Lee, is to fly back from Guam as soon as
a plane is available after July 4. He has been stationed on Guam the past 18 months and is very
anxious to return home. He thinks
he will be here around July 20 for

## Bunyan Millican Weds

Arkansas Young Lady




The Club Cafe changed hands
last week with Henry Childress buying the business from his son in-law and daughter, Mr. and
Mrs. Burl Childress. The cafe has had a fine patronage, but Burl
owns some heavy machinery that demands his full attention. Henry
and his wife are experienced res-
taurant folks and tinue to give good service.

## Robert Lee Plays At

Veribest Next Sunday
next Sunday for a contest with
one of the Concho Basin league'sstrongest clubs. Veribest occupies
third place in the standing withsix wins and only two losses whileRobert Lee is one peg lower in
fourth position with five victoriesand three defeats.
 oil field employee who had a fin-
ger cut off while wcrking on one of the drilling rigs. Gene played a
couple of games and tooked mighty
geod. He is a crack shortstop and
can fill in behind the bat, too. He can fill in behind the bat, too. He
liked base ball and one of the first things he said after get piay ball any more. Gene is driller for Roberts-Hawkins
Last Sunday's scores:
Veribest 8; Eldorado 3.
Bronte 7; Robert Lee 2.
Miles 14; Ellis Parts 8.
Sonora 8; Lowake 3.
Eola 13: Maverick 2.

## Bronte in Eola.

## Bronte in Eola <br> Ozona in Maverickest.

Eldorado in Miles.
Ellis Parts in Sonora.
Recent guests of Mrs. W. M
Johnson were Mr. and Mrs. F. E Pennsobaker and son of West Point Miss., and Mrs. J. L. Watkins of
Holly Springs, Miss. The ladies are nieces of Mrs Johnson, wh trip to Carlsbad Caverns.

## Post Office Moving To New Location

 moved. New location is the new J. C. Snead building on the eastside of the street between Ivey Electric and S. R. Young's office. Trustees of the Masonic lodge,
owner of the corner building which has housed the post offie for many that the rent would be raised from $\$ 15$ to $\$ 50$ per month. office inspector, D. Whitt, post Robert Lee to investigat Masons but was unable to come Mr. Snead followed Rental on the Snead buildin structure is just nearing comple 50 feet long. It will be ready for occupancy at once and Postmasta the office would probab
ed Saturday afternoon The post office has occupied
persent location since 1934 whe
Myrtle Hurley Myrtle Hurley was postmaster. It
previously was located in the with
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d Ft . Smith and then returned to the lm Park where they were greeted
by a host of relatives and triends.
The bride is the Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Johnson and
one of Waldon's popular adies. She spent all of her school days at Waldron, except for a
 last two years has been the school Th. y left Elm Park on June 13, Fort Worth, and arrived in Robert Lee June 17 where they will make
their home for the present. For their home for the present. For
the past week they have been

$\qquad$ of Commerce will have a fried by the group's annual fusiness meeting and election of officers.
State Rep. W. H. Rampy will adState Rep. W. H. Rampy will ad-
dress the group. Several important matters will be up for discussion and a report made on the fire
truck whick will be delivered in the near future. A full turn out of members is requested.

## New Ford Trucks

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\begin{aligned}
& \text { Ivey Motor Company this week } \\
& \text { delivered two new Ford trucks. }
\end{aligned}
$$ De P. Key purchased a I $1-2$ ton truck with 134 inch wheel base, and a 158 inch wheel base $11-2$

ton model went to J. D. Ivey, Mrs.W. J. Cumbie is visiting her sister, Mrs Kate Vaughn, at Ivey Electric Home Appliance 8,000 cubic feet air conditioner an the Roach dry goods store.

## Stanolind Sends In Exploration Crew

Stanolind Oil and Gas company
this week is sending an exploration
crew into Coke county to launch
extensive investigation of oil pos-
sibilities on their leases.
It is understood Stanolind has
leased a considerable amount of
land in the vicinity of Edith as
well as the divide county including
the ranches of Fred McCabe, Mark
Chumley. Earl Smith, Hugh Smith,
A. B. Sheppard and others.
The exploration crew includes
nine men and their families and
they will reside in Robert Lee.
The Observer is grateful to those
who assisted in arranging housing
facilities Two of the men and
their wives arrived Thursday
morning from Oklahoma, while
others of the party are coming
from a location in Louisiana.
Bridal Shower
Mrs. Irven Escue was honored

## Mrs. Irven Escue was honored recently at a bridal shower in the

 home of Mrs. Carl Brock, with 30guests present. Mary Pearl Bearden and lone Davis were co-
hostesses. Mrs. Jack Cowley was
in charge of the register and Miss in charge of the register and Miss
Bearden presided at the sherbert
bowl. Mrs. Escue, who was Retta Braswell before her recent marriage,

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Car Wreck at Bridge
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## Elmer Eckert of Fluvanna,

 ran into a railing at the Coloradbadly damaged. Eckert was ap.
south and said he was forced over Takes Position Here

## manager of the meat market at the M System store in Robert Lee,

 having assumed his duties thefirst of the week. He has had long experience in the grocery and has a wife and t wo children and

Masons Install In Ceremony at Bronte

## were instalied in a joint ceremony

## at Bronte on Tuesday night, fol-

## lowing a barb Legion park

Following is a roster of officers rt Lee:

## R. S. Crum, W. M.

John Brown, J. W.

## W. B. Yarbrough, Secretary

O. B. Jacobs, S. D.
E. D. Jordan
E. D. Jordan, Tyler.
Melvin Childress, S. S.

Fred McDonald, Jr., J. S.
Fred McDonald, Jr. has a new Ford station wagon which he re-
cently purchased at Fort Worth Other new cars purchased here during the past month include an
dercher Oldsmobile Eight by S. E. Adams, and a Packard Clipper by Marvin
Otis Smith and family of Bronte
and Dale Stephenson of Robert Lee returned Tuesday night from ornia and the Pacific northwest.

## Court House Bond Vote mant anms or balos

 bonds to build a new court house, showed that the proposition wa defeated 569 to 136 . Four boxes follows: Olga 16 to 2 , Walnut 14 to 1 , Silver 11 to 1 and Divide 11 to 0 . Robert Lee voted in favor of the bonds 95 to 51 , but the issue was strongly opposed else-
where in the county. Not a single ote for the bonds

Union Pays \$12.50 For Meek Lease and testing was at 7,085 feet hole below. In casem the open er has not been encountered the Ellenburger fails, deeper. If the bility that additional tests will be made up in the Pennsylvani be depth around 6,300 feet where oil showings were recovered
Ray-Harris rotary rig was releas ed Monday from Willie I. Tubb No. Th meved one location A-1. Walter Tucker in charge of the rig spudded in at $9 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$.
Tubb No
Whowed a 24 -hour was due to complete its potential 24 -hour test Thursday afternoon. The hole will probably be acidized. Fred Jameson No. 3 was drilling ahead Thursday morning at 5,757 feet in lime and shale. Slight oil


Taken to State Hospital to the state hospital at Wichita Fans and Judge Bob L. Davis, following a jury trial the previous day when the man was declared insane. He had suffered from a a mental derangement for some years, and his condition became George, was killed in a tractor ac cident two weeks ago. The men
were bachelors and resided near

Crowd Expected For Roping Contests Here
pleted for the roping contest at the livestock association grounds It is the first roping event to be staged this year and is expected to draw a large crowd of spectators boys from all over this section of the state
Much interest centers around
the roping match between Wayne McCabe and James Counts of Coke county vs. Bob McGuire and Clay Man Smith of Mitchel county. Each contestant will
rope two calves, and a good sized purse has been hung up for the winners.
There will also be a number of goat roping and barrel races for the ladies.
In charge of the affair are Ray pard, who leased the grounds for the year from the county associa tion.
Russ Lord and family returned Monday to their home at Eunice,
N . Mex., atter a week's visit with Coke county relatives and friends.

## Here's Latest Coke County Oil News

to show production in the Ellenburger following acidizing with 5,000 gallons. Swabbing opertions continued until Thursday and very little showing of oil was

recovered. Crews were standing by at noon Thursday waiting for further orders.
A good showing of oil was reovered on a drillstem test ten ays ago from 7,085 to 7,110 feet.
 producing well in their recent te on the Jim McCutchen place, miles east of Robert Lee, it ting down additional tests.
their 20,000 acre block to the eas
and north of Robert Lee was evi
paid a bonus of $\$ 12.50$ per acre for
lease on Millard Meek's 160 acres
just east of town. The paved high-
half. the quarter section
The rotary equipment used

Tax Boards Ponder
Property Valuations
sitting as a board of equalization
Monday heard a number of prop
erty owners whose renditions had
been raised. No serious objec
tions were registered and in each
case the increase set by the board
was allowed to stand.
The commissioners will be in
session again Friday to hear other
property owners.
Some raises have been made
be sufficient to meet current ex
Ben Brooks

## equalization had not been in se

was still in doubt. Mayor Clift
said very little change in assess-
ments was contemplated, except
the vacant lots which are going to
be raised a plenty. Since owners
of vacant business and residential
uations on their holdings, author ities feel justified in assessing them

## More Good Rains

Some sections of the county re week, as much as 2 inches falling in the Valley View community. Other localities had rain last week and two inches were reported at Bronte. Rains delayed the grain harvest but no serious damage now being combined and fair yields are reported. Oats are run ning from 20 to 30 bushels per acre, while wheat is expected
Cin't gt So?
Some men blaze a way; oth-
ers only blaze away.
Man may have more cour-
age than woman, but he
doesn't get half the chance to
show his backbone.
The man who admits it
when he is wrong is wise,
and the man who gives in
when he is right is married.
Over in Europe they're
saying that its a wise ehild
that knows its own father-
land.
A gold-digger is the hard-
est known femate. It takes
a diamond to make an im-
pression on her.

## Classified Department

BUILDING MATERIALS
BUSINESS \& INVEST. OPPOR.

FABM Macurtery
RUBRERTEE BICGT
mRs. thomas. Rete. 1 S. midiothian, Ter
FARMS AND RANCHES



28 Acres, 1 Mile Meridian


HELP WANTED-MEN, WOMEN
Teachers' Powi. kindergarton thru ewilege:
Weatherve Exch.i. Denver 2. Coto. Wree res.
Livestock


## MISCELLANEOUS


REAL ESTATE-BUS, PROP.


REAL ESTATE-HOUSES



Buy U.S.Savings Bonds!
ALCOHOLIC THERAPY WITH A
FO:LOW UP

SANDY LAKE LODGE


GIRLS! WOMEN! NERVOUS

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Bound and Gagged
O $\begin{gathered}\text { RDINARILY at this stage } \\ \text { of the first session of a }\end{gathered}$ congress, a freshman con-
gressman is a disillusioned representative of the people.
He is bound with red tape and

the country" has been quenched by
the seniority system, the magnitude of government operation and the reasonable viewpoints", of the small who run the
of congress.
Generally, however, this attitude of freshman congressmen ion. not hold true in this ses

In the first place, there are about 90 of them, an unusually large numWer. About 80 of them are World men, Democrat and Republican, are
bound together by ties welded in the crucible of all-out war. So despite political differences, they are social-
ly compatible, have the same general viewpoints on life, and their
own problems, the problems of ents, largely follow the same pat-

With the Republican national conven-
tion already set for Phildelphid, a gond Yion alreaty set tor Philadelphia, a good
bet would be that the Democratic conen-
tion will he stased in Sult tion will be stased in San Francisco. Gos-
sip is that Democratic cbieftains will pick
San Francisco to "tain in San rasie of reclamation and other appro.
becations
pration cuts atecting Pacific foat and

Business Booms


Some 15 million tenants in rental rent control bill. If approved as it
passed the senate, the bill will re probably higher in some instances.
In case of a veto, there will be a last minute scramble for passage of
a new law or no rent control, since
the present


Once He Cursed

ing the ineptness of congress, prob


Said Smathers: "First im-
pression is the magnitude which pression is the magnitude which
is so vast the young congressman takes some time to realize
that instead of an apparent lack that instead of an apparent lack
of purpose, there is a definite of purpose, there is, a definit
program going on;",
"The freshman congressman God help you if you lose it," Smathers says.

##  <br> MOPSY by GLADYS PARKER



UP ${ }^{-}$
hOME-TOWN EGMOES By C. Kessler


Difficult Decisions by Gluyas Williams


THE ONL FORESIGTED MEMBER OF THE OTING
REAUZES THAT IF HE SONS THE OTHERS IN EATNG HS LUNCH AT 9.30 AM. HE'LL WISH HE HADNT AT NOON; AND IF
HOESNT EAT $T$ NOW HELIL WISH HE HAD WHEN MIDDAY COMES AND THI OWIRS, HUNGRY AGAIN, WANT TO SHARE IT WTH HIM



Let's Have a Party
With Games, Tricks

YOU'RE YOUNG

Parties that Click
$W_{\text {time for parties? Make yours }}^{\text {Ho said the summer's }}$ a hot-weather hit with cool drinks,
ate tor summertime parer sames are approp maric tric
 To ${ }^{\text {Tive }}$ a really sucesstul party, send


## St.Joseph 

Gas on Stomach vaveratiz

Dogs I've Known.


Hunger Striker Doesn't like the lood he' setting and makes no secret
of it. If only his mistress would dish up Gro-Pup Ribbon! Crisp. Toasted. nomical, too. One box supplies as much food in dry weight as five $1-1 \mathrm{lb}$. cans of dog food! Gro-Pup also comes
in Meal and in Pel-Etts. Feed all three


Dogs Go For GRO-PUP
relloggs




30 TV


| Bronte Wins Over |  | Jfolks @ou lknow |  |
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| Robert Lee 7 to 2 |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Mrs. Ethel Gree has been help. |
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| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Robert Lee was held scoreless un- } \\ & \text { til the ninth when they pushed } \\ & \text { across two runs to prevent a shut- } \\ & \text { out. } \end{aligned}$ |  |  | , |
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| more was removed from officiai ing behind the plate and t.chief |  |  |  |
| behind the plated balls and Chapman calle the remainder of the game. |  |  |  |
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| hit from the third to the eighthinning. In Bronte's last turn atbat two men were out when Bag- |  |  |  |
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|  |  |  | San Angelo, Texas |
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| Fresh Corn ${ }^{\text {ears }} 17 \mathrm{c}$ |  |  |
| ss, Calif. lb. 190 | osas Plums, li. 21c |  |
| les lb. 14, Pe Potatoes, pound |  | Peas 3 cans |
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|  |  |  |
| Steak lb 43c | Pot Roast lb 42c | Corn 2 cans 29c |
| Bacon lb 69c | Ham lb. 49c |  |
| Longlorn Chese lb. 45 c | Hot Barbecue Daily | Admiration Coftee |
| CELERY, |  |  |
| CARROTS bun | sc |  |



This bevy of school children are inhabitants of a Jewish detention eamp on the island of Cyprus where they have been detoured to await admittance to Palestine under British quota. It is their first experi-
ence in school, most of them having spent the first years of their
lives in Nazi concentration camps. lives in Nazi concentration camps.



WORLD CAPITAL TO RISE HERE . . Striking aerial view shows the seetin of New Manhattan-where the world capital, headquarters of the United Nations, is scheduled to rise on the site donated by John D. Rockefeller and New York City. The site, as outlined, runs from 42nd street to 49th


So IT'S NOT IMPOSSIBLE . . There was a great flurry of brushes and pigment as 100 painters in Salt Lake city ganged up on a two-story, seven-room house and painted it-including trimming for win-
dows, eaves and doors-in nine minutes and seven seconds. The stunt was part of the civic beautification program for Utah's centennial celebration and it resulted in a new record for a fast brush-of.


HANDS ACROSS THE SEA .... Lord Inverchapel, Britich ambassador to the United States, and his young American farm friend, Roger Newburn, got together again at the latter's farm home near Eagle since he met Roger while the lad was on a 4 -H tour in Washingtone D. C., a year ago. Lord Inverchapel spent three days with the NewHere, the ambassador examines an car of famous Iowa corn,
heroine
Marcke, Maria Van who was decorated for helgian girm the U. S. army during invasio of Antwerp, arrives in New Yor as hostess on Belgian airline plane. She was a member of the
Belgian underground forcesand re eeived her army decoration guiding an advance pariy of Amer ican trops inte the Antwerp dock
area under enemy fire.


## Billy Meek Marries

 Tahoka Young WomanThe marriage of Millard W (Bill) Meek of Robert Lee and Miss Bonnie Flint of Tahoka occurred Saturday, June 21, at the First Baptist Seminary in Fort Worth. They became acquainted a number of years ago when both were employed at Consolidate
airplane factory in Fort Worth. The bride is a daughter of Mr and Mrs. W. M. Flint of Tahoka The bridegroom is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Millard Meek
of Robert Lee. He saw more than of Robert Lee. He saw more than three years army service, and after his discharge resumed his work at Consolidated.
The couple visited his parents here Sunday and continued to
Odessa where Bill has taken a position as bulldozer operator for Sinclair Oil company.

## SANCO NEWS

Thelma June McKinley w honored on her eighth birthday with a picnic and swimming party Mrs. McKinley took the group in her car, including Joy Adkins, Sammie Jo and Patricia Fowler, Glyniece McCutchen and Mrs Fowler. Everyone enjoyed a picnic spread and a big watermelon.
Bro. Ulmer Bird preached at one is invite.d to hear him again one is invited to hear him again
next Sunday at $4 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. at the next Sunday at 4
Sanco Bible church.
Sammie Jo and Patricia Fowler
and Glyniece McCutchen visited
Sunday afternoon with Joy Adkins.
Sunday afternoon with Joy Adkins. Mrs. Reed R. Jones is visiting
with home folks this week. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Vowell are doing some fishing together.
Men are repairing and cleaning the tabernacle at Sanco this week, getting

Mrs. Raymond McCutchen and Mrs Jim McCutchen visited this week with relatives at Odessa.
The former's sister, Alene Olsen, accompanied them home for a few days visit.
Ivey Electric has added a complete line of latest phonograph SIEEP


You don't appreciate how wonderful sleep is until you have had one or two wakeful
nights. When occasionally nernights. When occasionally ner-
vous tension keeps you awake half the night, or when you arel Try Miles NERVINE It has been making good for It has been making good for 1
more than sixty years. CAU-I more than sixty years. CAU-1
TION-use only as directed. TION-use only as directed.
Get Miles Nervine at your drug Get Miles Nervine at your drug and 75 c -Liquid, 25 c and $\$ 1.00 .1$ Miles Laboratories, Inc., Elkhart, Indiana.

TERVINE

Student Transfer

## Deadline July 31

July 31 is the deadline date for ransfer of public school students from one district to another with cording to the new equalization aw.
Parents or guardians of the students involved must personally ar range for transfers with the county superintendent's office to guaran ree that the $\$ 55$ per capita state money will be available for their harges. The new law does away with split contracts and the truscholan no longer contract Transfer of students may
ompleoed now or any time up to pleted by then. County Supt. Bob pleted by then. County Supt. Bob
L. Davis says that wherever it is possible, transfers should be arranged at once.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rieger of Harper, Tex., spent Wednesday night with her brother, Ell Hatley. They were enroute home from a week's visit at Lubbock.
Freeman Clark has a new 1947 Ford two-door sedan which he dock Motor Co

## WANT ADS

For Sale-Dobbins bucket spray umps; also shower bath stalls. $\frac{\text { For Sale- } 1940 \text { Plymouth 4-door }}{\text { Leeper Supply Co. }}$ sedan with radio and heater, $\$ 900$. Would consider trade in. Ogdon McGinley, Gen. Delivery, Robert
Lee, Texas. For Sale-Garden supplie
kinds. Leeper Supply Co.
For Sale-All of Lots 5, 6, 7, 8

and 9 in Block No. 4 by | Write P. O. Box 121, Pecos, Texas |
| :--- | A limited quantity of 30 inch screen wire now on hand. Also

copper base, chromium finish copper base, chromium finish tea
kettles, aluminum dish-pans and enamel wash pans. Leeper Supply.
Male Help Wanted-Reliable man with car wanted to call on ful opportunity. $\$ 15$ to $\$ 20$ in a day. No experience or capital required Permanent. Write today. McNess Company, Dept. A, Free-
port, III. Just received-Pabco Linoleum. rugs or yard goods. Leeper Supply Lost-SDare tire mounted o
rim, off 1938 Dodge, between Edit rim, off 1938 Dodge, between Edith
and Bronte last Sunday. J. T. and Bronte last

For Sale-Every house needs Westinghouse. 25, 40 ind 60 watt light bulbs, 11 cents each, plus tax. $\frac{\text { Leeper Supply Co. }}{\text { If driving, or if you want a ride }}$ any place, call AAA Travel Bureau in San Angelo, 123 South Oakes. Phone 3213 . 52 w 4 p
For Sale-Radion Electric Irons,
adjustable for rayon, silk, wool adjustable for rayon, silk, wool,
cotton and linen. Guaranteed for 1 year, only $\$ 9.95$. Leeper Supply

For Sale-Two choice lots on highway. Write 609 N. Tom Green Ave., Odessa, Texas

Just arrived-A few plumbing fixtures, also butane water heaters, cane bottom chairs and folding lawn chairs. Leeper Supply Co. For Sale-Late model Hotpoint electric range. Fred McDonald, Jr. For Sale-For the first time in more than a year we have Pyrex
Percolators. They're only $\$ 295$. Percolators. Leeper Supply Co.
For Sale - "We Sell Used Cars." 1936 Chev coach; 1932 Plymouth convertible; 1937 Buick Special; 1932 Chev, sedan. Glenn Simpson. Westinghouse electric irons, light weight; also Westinghouse radios, electric and battery sets. Leeper Supply Co.

## The State of Texas 592 The State of Texas County of Coke County of Coke In the County Court of

 County, TexasNOTICE of Application to Ma
Oil Gas and Mineral Lease Oil, Gas and Mineral Lease Richard Reed, a minor, Wilma Reed, a minor, and Kenneth Reed, a minor, or their estates. You are notified that I have on
the 28 th day of May, A. D. 1947 , filed with the county clerk Coke county, Texas, an application under vath for authority to make
to R. W. Ford, as Lessee, an oil, to R.W. Ford, as Lessee, an oil,
gas and mineral lease on the undivided one-sixth interest of each of said minors, aggregating a total
undivided one-half interest, in and to the following described real estate, lying and being situated in Coke county, Texas, to-wit: The East one-half of Sectio HE Block 1, Cert. No. HE\&WT Ry. Co. Survey,
ented to A. J. Petross, by ented to A. J. Petross,
ent No. 512 , recorded in ent No. 512, recorded in Vol 47,
Page 468, Deed Records of Coke county, Texas, being the same land described as "First Tract" in deed from L. H. Reed and wife, Lou H Reed, to Willis L.
Reed, dated August Reed, dated August 13, 1934,
and recorded in Vol. 54, Page and recorded in Vol. 54, Page
550 , of the Deed Records of Coke county, Texas, and co taining 388 acres of land; That Bob L. Davis, Judge of the county court of Coke county, Texas, on the 25 th day of June,
A. D. 1947, duly entered his order, designating the 14th day of July A. D. 1947, at 9:30 o'clock, A. M. A. the county courtroom of such county, as the time and place when
and where such application would and where such application would
be heard and that such application will be heard at such time and
place.
Guardian of the Estares of Ris

## Schooler \& Sheppard

Jack Pot Roping \& Ladies Events
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For Further Information Contact
Bob McGuire \& Clay Man Smith Of Colorado City

Wayne McCabe \& James Counts Of Robert Lee

# Roping Contests 

 ROBERT LEE, TEXASSaturday, June 28
Starting at 2:30 P. M. Sharp
Matched Roping th Reed, Minors.

FOR
"Transportation Unlimited"
See the New
Advance Design Chevrolet Trucks


> Here are the trucks you've been waiting to see, with new styling-from road to roof. The new Chevrolet trucks have increased load space longer wheelbases . . . .stronger, sturdier frames. Chevrolet's new fleximounted cab is cushioned against road shocks, torsion and vibration. Chevrolet's heating and ventilating system, the Cab That "Breathes," (optional at extra cost) inhales fresh air, exhales used air, giving greater driver comfort.

> See the new Chevrolet trucks Saturday. The Casey Chevrolet Company will be glad to give you the facts about Chevrolet trucks for your business.

> And remember . . there is a Chevrolet truck to meet your hauling needs.

CASEY CHEVROLET COMPANY
Robert Lee, Texas

## BRONTE NEWS

## By D. M. WEST

died at Blackwell Thursday, wa the grandmother of Grady Vest of Bronte.
Rev. J. W. Edwards of San Angelo was in Bronte Friday afternoon. Rev. Edwards had been to Blackwell to attend the funeral of
Grandmother Vest who died in that town Thursday.
A carnival that had been in
Bronte all last week left town Monday morning, after all the loose coin of the children, and a large per cent of the coin
the adults had been spent
the adults had been spent.
A wreck late Friday afternoon
between Bronte and Tennyson on highway 70 seriously injured the highway 70 seriously injured the
occupants of the car. Clift ambulance rushed a man and woman to Sweet water where the injured were hospitalized. Their injuries were
not as severe as thought at first. not as severe as thought at first.

- Whitley \& Frazie, owners of the new laundry on East Main street, have had them a large sign painter
on their place of business, which on their place of business, which
can be seen down in the business part of town. They have named
their laundry, the Helpy-Selfy.
Mrs. Callie Thomas of Abilene was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. I. E Lloyd the latter part of last week Mrs. Thomas is the sister of Mr.
Lloyd.
An estimtaed 200 persons of the family reunion at Legion park ilies given us are Will Hickman and family, San Antonio; Mrs. T.
M. Modging, San Angelo, and her children and families at San Angelo and Bronte; Mrs. Sallie Long and
Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Rogers and family, Eunice, New Mexico: Mr family, Eunice, New Mexico; Mr
and Mrs. Alex Rogers, Hobbs, N. Mexico; Earl Turner, Artesia
New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Ed
Hickman, Sr Hickman, Sr., Edith, Texas; Mr.
and Mrs. Ed Hickman, and Mrs. Ed Hickman, Jr., from
the Valley and the several families of Bronte belong to the Hickman
family. A sumptuous lunch picnic style was served at noon. Mem
berg of the family spent the day
in happy social intercourse, and in


weekly newspaper plubished at
Christoval. First issues of the
paper reveal that the editor knows
the country publishing business editorial features, and that he is past master of the printer's art
Mr . Riser was with the writer in newspaper work in former years
hence we wish him much success. In Robert Lee recently it was "oldtimer meeting oldtimer" when the writer met the Hon. Frank C.
Dickey, who has established a law office in the county seat, Cob producers as it wants, but one thing sure it is on the front sea painstaking lawyer. Welcome out about Edith and maybe you can find some of your boyhood footprints still showing in them
thar hills. thar hills.
Last Friday was a day that Rev again and again in memory and in his dreams for a long time to come It was Rev. McWhorter's 75 th birthday and his children, Mrs. Katherine Maris of San Angelo and Mrs Jeff Dean and Mr. Dean of Bronte, with whom Rev, and
Mrs. McWhorter now make their home, decided to honor him with birthday celebration. Mrs. Parris came and brought a large delicions cake which bore 75 candles. Among those present whose names we were able to get were the parent of Mr. Dean from Robert Lee and McWhorter finished 47 years in the ministry of his church before he retired and now he sits in the eveningtide of life, happy in the deep satisfaction that he wrought well throughout the years of his strength. He has spent most of
his years in West Texas, and is therefore widely known, and his friends are legion.

Robert Lee 4-H Girls Miss Mary Pearl Bearden and Mrs. Victor McCabe met with the Robert Lee 4-H club at the Meth odist church Thursday, June 19,
at $2: 30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. Members discussed camp plans for the July encampment and played games. Miss Bearden demonstrated manicuring to the girls. Those present were: Miss Bearden, Mrs. McCabe, Nelda Shep. pard, Melba Rives, Thelma Jo Bryan, Lawana Harmon, Billy Hester and Betty Sue Mitchell. th at the Methodist church at 2:30-Lurlyne Pettit, Reporter.

Wildcat-Edith Club The Wildcat and Edith WHD club met with Mrs. Tom Schooler
Friday afternoon, June 20 A Friday afternoon, June 20. A book review on "The Egg and I" Those present to enjoy the pro gram were Mesdames L. E. Smith, Hugh Smith, S. G. Danaford, Sam Powell, Fred McCabe, Raymond Schooler, Delmir Sheppard, Crow. ley Harmon, Floyd Harmon, L. D. chooler and the Misses Lawanda Harmon and Eula Faye Smith and County Judge Bob L. Davis and W. E. Burns were guests last week folks Dou know Mr. and Mrs. Dave King and daughters, Gwendolyn, Zona Mae and Joyce. spent the weekend with Mrs. King's sister and brother, Mrs. Phillip Page and Jesse Ray Robertson, at Odessa. While there they attended the wedding of Douglas Anderson and Bessie taford, both Odessa.
J. L. Roe is now working as a dresser at the Y-Mack cleaners. He was employed by the firm at Winters last year after returning
from army service. Mrs. P. E from army service. Mrs. P. E. Mahon is also employed at the cleaning plant.
Mr. and Mrs. Fern Having and children returned the first of the week from a few days visit with Mrs. K. V. Odom, and family at irbyville. The ladies are sisters, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Cook and daughter, Mildred, went to Big Spring Friday to visit their da Big er, Mrs. Leroy Brooks. They returned home Sunday
Chrystelle Mather is enjoying week's vacation from her work The Observer office, and left Sunday for a visit with her sister, at the big fishing party at BuchBill Humphries of Liberty Hill,

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ancient villages prese
Fascinating villages canyon walls, are preserved in Mesa Verde National park. The cliff cities, of which Cliff Palace (above) is typical, are noted for their

NOT ONLY SCENERY

## Rain Forests, Cliff Cities Show Diversity of Parks

"National Parks" has become a synonymous phrase for
superlative scenery, but there are also many other diverse
interests represented in the national park system of the United States. In Olympic National "park in Washington, for exclimate and abundant winter rains, a tropical appearing jungle has been created far north
in the temperate zone. Here also is the home of the rare Roosevelt elk, for the protection of which ed as a a
of the park was establisher
national monument as early as 1908 . national monument as early as 1908 .
On the other hand, far to the south of the Olympics in the southwestern
corner of Colorado, Mesa Verde Na-
tional park preserves the ruins of a tonal park pred once flour
was brou
rainfall.
include include two areas famous for their
health-giving springs-Hot Springs National park in Arkansas and Plat
National park in Oklahoma.
The Olympic mountains are sound ports from the Pacific thea-
tern. From far out at sea these glistening snowy peaks were the
first welcoming sight of home.
Mount Olympus
National Parks
Eighth
In a Series

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These people apparently were peace loving, and in the 11th
century about the time that WiI-
liam the liam the Conqueror was land-
ing in Britain, they also were ing in Britain, they also were
beset by enemies. Many of
them, therefore, moved off the them, therefore, moved off the
open mesa top and constructed
their villa their villages in inaccessible
caves located high in canyon walls. These villages, many of them well preserved today, are astonishing both for their size
and excellence of building techniques.
Toward the end of the 13 th cen tury, a 24 -year-long drouth forced
these people to abandon their cliff
cities and move to more favorable HOT SPRINGS National park, lo Hot Springs National park,
coated in a mountainous region of
central Arkansas, contains in its thousand acres 47 mineral! hot


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## $\mathrm{A}_{\text {brew }}^{\mathrm{T}} \mathrm{THE}$ nation

should have
and see why
Israel was
only in part, no wd in with exile, to return
on d
ed greatness and him
What was God's purpose tor
(1) To be a repository for his truth in the earth ing of the personal Redeemer to the earth
(3) To be a national witness to the one true God
lions of the earth.
The first two they fulfilled This
kept for us the Word of God as re
from their nation came most of 1 ,
men through whom the Holy Spin
wrote the New Testament. It was


But they failed to be th
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I. The Enlightening Word of God

L ET us never forget that springs. These springs were known to the Indians and early Spaniards,
and were used by them. Within the and were used by them. Within the
national park are free campsites and there is a free government
bathhouse for people who cannot afford to pay for private baths. PLATT NATIONAL park, contain-
ing bromide and sulphur springs, is located at the town of Sulphur,
Okla. Small in area, this park is known waters are prescribed. The park is provided with free campgrounds
and picnic areas, and overnight ac-


[^0] one of the finest unspoiled
ness areas in the country.
$\boldsymbol{T}_{\text {to }}^{\text {HE prophet looks into the future }}$
when the nations shall have learned
to live in peace and righteousness.
when war shall be no more and
w he the worship of God shall be the deWhen will that day come? Will church, or by conferences of nation leaders? Not for a moment would effort to spread peace and righteous hose who faithfully try to bring conBut the clear teaching of Scriplure, which has been so abun dandy proved by experience, is
that we can expect the delightful condition of which Isaiah speak
only when the Prince of Peace only when the Prince of Peace
himself has returned to reign. himself has returned to reign,
namely, our Lord and Saviour and coming King, Jesus Christ. We look for that day:
III. The Effective Work of God

W E HAVE here words of anothof God's plain dealings with his neo
pe, his judgment upon their sin, pile, his judgment upon their sin,
and the need of a careful and a Back of all the admonition and
appeal is the remembrance of how peal is the remembrance of how God had worked on benin of israel
delivering them from bondage, give
ing them effective leaders, going be ing them effective leaders, , going be
fore tim in battle, in fact. prov ing his goodness
mighty works.
Israel's service for God and mas is an example of what God can and will co for those who
gley him and walk with him.

## AROUND 2 THE THE

Hold a piece of cardboard Add two tablespoons of lemon against wallpaper to protect it juice to one quart of boiling water
from stains while waxing base-
to keep cauliflower white.
When putting elastic in chill- $\begin{gathered}\text { To help restore fluffiness } \\ \text { blankets, add one tablespoon }\end{gathered}$ dren's panties, sew a hook on
end and an eye on the o
Makes for easy laundering. glycerine to the rinse water for Makes for easy laundering.

You may get quick obedience When mending fine knit wear, out of scolding or spanking your to be mended, extending a little pained by taking time to under-
beyond it on all sides. Then sew stand why a child behaves as he beyond it on all sides. Then sew
back and forth over the net in
stand a child behaves as he
does and letting him come to trust

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Land Improvement Crops There has been considerable there has been considerable in- anywhere oats will grow, merest lately in the planting of fall However, for best results about crops that will improve the land. a hundred pounds of phosphate or It seems that hairy vetch and some fertilizer should be used with this companion crops such as Abruzzi crop. Rye and vetch should be rye work best as companion crops. planted in the fall just like oats This combination is well adapted or wheat. Any farmers who wish

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farmer secure seed that wants his farmer secure seed that wants his
assistance. Please
Please do not wait until plant ing time to ask for help because those seeds are scarce and will
have to be located long before have to be located long before planting time.

## Club Girls Notice

All 4-H club girls who are plan ming to attend camp in July, please meet in the basement of the Methodist church July 7, at 2:30 o'clock Do not come if you don't plan to finish your goals. Bring the article with you.-Lurlyne Pettit, club reporter.
Barbara Phillips and Dick Humphries arrived Monday from Liberty Hill for a visit with their uncle and aunt, Mr and Mrs. Bailey Russell.
Charles Ratliff and Mary Lou Barbour of San Angelo were marfried here Monday by County
Judge Bob L. Davis.

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O16 oz jar 39c
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or Beef Noodle Soup - 2 cans 35 c
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Folks Dou know
Mrs. Fred Campbell and Mrs Wayne McCabe and daughter Charlotte, and the ladies parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Jameson of Clairemont, are enjoying a vacation trip this week to various points in New Mexico.
Ogden Mckinley returned to Coke county recently after spend ing a year and a half in the Panhandle near Hereford, Tex.
Walter McDorman and son Attis, of Ballinger were Robert Lee visitors Tuseday.
Elmer Owen of Odessa arrived last Friday for a week's visit in the home of his grandparents, Mr and Mrs. T. E. Rives.
Mr. Mrs. E. B. Cowley and sons of Abilene were Sunday guests in the Bob L. Davis home. Mrs. Cowley and Mrs. Davis are sisters Rev Harry Hames and family of Brownwood will receive The Observer the coming year as a gift from Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rob arts. Rev. Hames was formerly church.
Mrs. Emory Hughes and son Phil, of East Point, Ga., visited
among Robert Lee relatives last among Robert Lee relatives last
week. They left Monday for a week. They left Monday for a
visit with her sister-in-law, Mrs. C. H. Gibbens, at Lubbock and were accompanied by Beverly Willbanks, who had spent two weeks here. Mrs. Hughes plans to stop at Merkel to visit her parents before returning to her home in Georgia.
Milbourne Lee Daffern of For Worth is spending the week in Robert Lee with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Harmon Jesse Varnadore, wife and daugh ters, Elizabeth Ann and Kay, re
turned Monday to their home turned Monday to their home at Texan after a few days visit with
Robert Lee relatives and friends, Mrs. C. H. Millican and he mother, Mrs. Betty Neagle, ar week. They accompanied their sister and daughter, Mrs. Myst Davis, of Carlsbad, N. Mex.
Marvin Simpson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Cortez Russell left Sunday on a motor trip to Okla home where they will visit relatives Edward Rives of Odessa came for a weekend visit in the home of Re
Mrs. Winston Gardner and little Mrs. Winston Gardner and little
son, Lin, are guests in the Mrs. J. son, Lin, are guests in the Mrs. J
Somparner home. having ac
companies Mrs. Gardner an Woodrow when they returned last Thursday from a visit at Kilgore
Wilfred Gardner came from Mid land for a weekend visit.

## Notice

Bob L. Read, star route mail carrier, announces that hereafter he will be unable to carry express and Robert Lee. In the future the Robert Lee Truck Line will make a daily run to Bronte and handle wishes to except mail Mr. Read patronage.

Death of James Roland James Roland, 64, a brother-in Bronte, dropped dead last Friday os t office in Fort Worth. He was
port post office in Fort Worth. He was
assistant postmaster at Fort Worth and has been in the mail service 40 pears. Mr. Roland had just completed a two month's vacation when he was stricken. He was well
known in Coke county because of known in Coke county because of
his numerous visits among local relatives. Attending the funeral at Fort Worth on Saturday were Mr . and Mrs. Fred McDonald, Sr ., Mr. and Mrs. Fred McDonald, Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Pete McDonald

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