

Post Office Moving To New Location

Robert Lee's post office will be moved. New location is the new J. C. Snead building on the east side 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 years, gave notice a short time ago that the rent would be raised from \$15 to \$50 per month.

Last week J. D. Whitt, post office inspector, made a visit to Robert Lee to investigate the matter. He conferred with the Masons but was unable to come Mr. Snead followed

Rental on the Snead building will be \$35 per month. The 50 feet long. It will be ready for anxious to return home. He thinks occupancy at once and Postmaster Melrose Russell said yesterday the office would probably be mov- Bunyan Millican Weds ed Saturday afternoon

persent location since 1934 when Myrtle Hurley was postmaster. It Johnson of Waldron, Ark., and previously was located in the Mr David Bunyan Millican, of Feed store.

Henry Childress Buys Cafe

last week with Henry Childress with white accessories.

Coming Back From Guam

Ray Eugene Rives, Ptr. 3rd to terms, and negotiations with class, of the Naval Air Transport who assisted in arranging housing Station on Guam, son of Mr. and facilities. Two of the men and Mrs. Pat Rives of Robert Lee, is to fly back from Guam as soon as a plane is available after July 4. structure is just nearing comple- He has been stationed on Guam others of the party are coming tion. It is 12 1.2 feet wide and the past 18 months and is very from a location in Louisiana.

> he will be here around July 20 for his furlough.

The post office has occupied its Arkansas Young Lady

The marriage of Miss Evie Jo June 11 at First Baptist church in Fort Smith, Ark., with the Rev. B. V. Ferguson officiating. The

The Club Cafe changed hands bride wore a light blue crepe dress

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 possibilities 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.

their wives arrived Thursday morning from Oklahoma, while

Bridal Shower

Mrs. Irven Escue was honored recently at a bridal shower in the home of Mrs. Carl Brock, with 30 guests present. Mary Pearl Bearden and Ione Davis were co- denced the past week when they hostesses. Mrs. Jack Cowley was paid a bonus of \$12.50 per acre for in charge of the register and Miss Bearden presided at the sherbert bowl. Mrs. Escue, who was Retta building occupied by the Key Silver, Texas, took place at 3 p.m. Braswell before her recent marriage, way cuts the quarter section in received many beautiful gifts.

Car Wreck at Bridge

Elmer Eckert of Fluvanna, a nephew of Mrs. Mattie Tinkler, stored on the location. buying the business from his son- The couple spent the night in ran into a railing at the Colorado

Court House Bond Vote Official canvass of ballots cast at the recent special election on the proposal of issuing \$275,000 bonds to build a new court house, showed that the proposition was defeated 569 to 136. Four boxes not reported last week resulted as follows: Olga 16 to 2, Walnut 14 to I, 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 elsewhere in the county. Not a single vote for the bonds was cast at the Divide and Lometa.

Union Pays \$12.50 The Observer is grateful to those For Meek Lease

Although Union Oil company of California failed to bring in a producing well in their recent test on the Jim McCutchen place, 3 miles east of Robert Lee, it is very likely they contemplate putting down additional tests.

That Union is still interested in their 20,000 acre block to the east and north of Robert Lee was evia lease on Millard Meek's 160 acres just east of town. The paved highhalf.

The rotary equipment used to drill the McCutchen test is still

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Here's Latest Coke **County Oil News**

Sun No. 2 Allen Jameson is failing to show production in the Ellenburger following acidizing with 5,000 gallons. Swabbing operations 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 recovered on a drillstem test ten days ago from 7,085 to 7,110 feet. Casing was cemented at 7,085 feet and testing was from the open hole below. In case sulphur water has not been encountered the test may be drilled deeper. If the Ellenburger fails, there is a possibility that additional tests will be made up in the Pennsvlvania at a depth around 6,300 feet where oil showings were recovered.

Ray-Harris rotary rig was released Monday from Willie I. Tubb No. 1 and moved one location north. The new location is Tubb A-1. Walter Tucker in charge of the rig spudded in at 9 p. m. Wednesday.

Tubb No. 1 showed a 24-hour test of 184 barrels last week It 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 showings were recovered around 5,700 feet but no tests were run

demands his full attention. Henry taurant folks and they will con one of Waldron's popular young to the side by another motorist. tinue to give good service.

Robert Lee Plays At Veribest Next Sunday

Robert Lee journeys to Veribest next Sunday for a contest with Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Millican of long experience in the grocery and one of the Concho Basin league's Silver. He is a graduate of the meat business. Mr. McChristial strongest clubs. Veribest occupies Robert Lee high school and for the has a wife and two children and third place in the standing with last two years has been the school will move his family here as soon six wins and only two losses while bus driver. Robert Lee is one peg lower in They left Elm Park on June 13, fourth position with five victories stopping at Texarkana, Dallas and Masons Install In and three defeats.

last week by the loss of Gene Bond, their home for the present. For cil field employee who had a fin- the past week they have been ger cut off while working on one visiting in the parental D. M. of the drilling rigs. Gene played a Millican home. couple of games and looked mighty good. He is a crack shortstop and can fill in behind the bat, too. He liked base ball and one of the first things he said after getting hurt was that he couldn't lawn Monday eve, to be followed ert Lee: play ball any more. Gene is a by the group's annual business younger brother of Buck Bond, a meeting and election of officers. 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.

Next Sunday's games: Bronte in Eola. Robert Lee in Veribest. Ozona in Maverick Eldorado in Miles. Ellis Parts in Sonora.

Recent guests of Mrs. W. M. Johnson were Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Pennebaker and son of West Point, her sister, Mrs Kate Vaughn, at Simpson. Miss., and Mrs. J. L. Watkins of Lubbock. Holly Springs, Miss. The ladies are nieces of Mrs Johnson, who company last week installed an Lee returned Tuesday night from accompanied them on a pleasure 8,000 cubic feet air conditioner for a three weeks' motor trip to Calif-trip to Carlsbad Caverns. 8,000 cubic feet air conditioner for a three weeks' motor trip to Calif-the Roach dry goods store. 0 ornia and the Pacific northwest. 0 average from 12 to 18 bushels. 0 N. Mex., after a week's visit with Coke county relatives and friends.

ladies. She spent all of her school days at Waldron, except for a short time at Niles, Calif. She is

the past.

Fort Worth, and arrived in Robert The home club was weakened Lee June 17 where they will make

Jaycee Meeting

Members of the Junior Chamber Legion park of Commerce will have a fried State Rep. W. H. Rampy will address 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

Ivey Motor Company this week delivered two new Ford trucks. D. P. Key purchased a 11-2 ton truck with 134 inch wheel base. Other new cars purchased here and two inches were reported at the ladies. and a 158 inch wheel base 1 1-2 ton model went to J. D. Ivey.

in-law and daughter, Mr. and Ft. Smith and then returned to the River bridge here Wednesday af-Mrs. Burl Childress. The cafe has home of the bride's parents at ternoon. He escaped with slight had a fine patronage, but Burl Elm Park where they were greeted cuts but his car, a 1936 Ford, was Property Valuations owns some heavy machinery that by a host of relatives and friends. badly damaged. Eckert was ap-The bride is the daughter of proaching the bridge from the and his wife are experienced res- Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Johnson and south and said he was forced over sitting as a board of equalization

Takes Position Here

a sister of Mrs. Francis Millican manager of the meat market at of Silver and has visited here in the M System store in Robert Lee, having assumed his duties the The bridegroom is the son of first of the week. He has had living quarters are available.

Ceremony at Bronte

New officers of the Masonic lodges of Robert Lee and Bronte were installed in a joint ceremony sion and personnel of the body the livestock association grounds at Bronte on Tuesday night, fol- was still in doubt. Mayor Clift in Robert Lee Saturday afternoon. lowing a barbecue supper at the

Following is a roster of officers chicken supper at the court house of Hayrick Lodge No. 696 of Rob-

> R. S. Crum, W. M. Fred D. Blake, S. W. John Brown, J. W. W. B. Clift, Treasurer. W. B. Yarbrough, Secretary. O. B. Jacobs, S. D. R. L. Read, J. D. E. D. Jordan, Tyler. Melvin Childress, S. S. Fred McDonald, Jr., J. S.

Fred McDonald, Jr. has a new Ford station wagon which he recently purchased at Fort Worth.

Otis Smith and family of Bronte Ivey Electric Home Appliance and Dale Stephenson of Robert

Tax Boards Ponder

The county commissioners court Monday heard a number of property owners whose renditions had O. M. McChristial is the new been raised. No serious objections were registered and in each case the increase set by the board was allowed to stand.

property owners.

Some raises have been made, but it is doubtful if the total will be sufficient to meet current expenses, according to Commissioner Ben Brooks.

Early this week a city board of equalization had not been in sessaid very little change in assessments was contemplated, except the vacant lots which are going to be raised a plenty. Since owners boys from all over this section of of vacant business and residential the state. properties have set such high valuations on their holdings, author- the roping match between Wayne ities feel justified in assessing them accordingly.

More Good Rains

Some sections of the county reeeived good rains early in the week, as much as 2 inches falling during the past month include an Bronte. Rains delayed the grain Oldsmobile Eight by S. E. Adams, harvest but no serious damage Mrs. W. J. Cumbie is visiting and a Packard Clipper by Marvin resulted. Late oats and wheat are the year from the county associanow being combined and fair tion. yields are reported. Oats are run-

Taken to State Hospital

Earnest Taylor, 41, was taken to the state hospital at Wichita Falls Saturday by Sheriff Paul Good 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 The commissioners will be in much worse after his brother, session again Friday to hear other George, was killed in a tractor accident two weeks ago. The men were bachelors and resided near Tennyson.

Crowd Expected For Roping Contests Here

Arrangements have been completed for the roping contest at

It is the first roping event to be staged this year and is expected to draw a large crowd of spectators and a big field of top notch cow-

Much interest centers around McCabe and James Counts of Coke county vs. Bob McGuire and Clay Man Smith of Mitchell 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 in the Valley View community, jackpot roping events and some Other localities had rain last week goat roping and barrel races for

> In charge of the affair are Raymond Schooler and Delmir Sheppard, who leased the grounds for

Russ Lord and family returned ning from 20 to 30 bushels per Monday to their home at Eunice,

THE ROBERT LEE OBSERVER

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Gene of Thoughi

ain't It So?

Some men blaze a way; others only blaze away.

Man may have more courage 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 it's a wise child that knows its own fatherland.

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20 ACRES, N. DeKalb, Bowie County, fruit and vegetable land; on mail and school bus route; electricity avail.; heavi-ly timbered; no improvements; ¹/₂ oil and gas rights; \$1,000; \$10 cash, \$10 monthly.
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MISCELLANEOUS

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REAL ESTATE-BUS. PROP.



Bound and Gagged

ORDINARILY at this stage of the first session of a congress, a freshman congressman is a disillusioned representative of the people. He is bound with red tape and gagged by the traditional rules of the house and his zeal for "saving



the country" has been quenched by the seniority system, the magnitude of government operation and the "opinionated, hard-headed and unreasonable viewpoints" of the small band of seniors, 25 of them or less, who run the show in the lower house of congress.

Generally, however, this attitude of freshman congressmen does not hold true in this session.

In the first place, there are about 90 of them, an unusually large number. About 80 of them are World War II veterans and these young men, Democrat and Republican, are bound together by ties welded in the crucible of all-out war. So despite political differences, they are socially compatible, have the same general viewpoints on life, and their own problems, the problems of their families and of their constituents, largely follow the same pattern.

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With the Republican national convention already set for Philadelphia, a good bet would be that the Democratic convention will be staged in San Francisco. Gossip is that Democratic chieftains will pick San Francisco to "cash in" on defections because of reclamation and other appropriation cuts affecting Pacific coast and other western states.

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Business Booms

The report on business conditions by Senator Taft's economic committee knocks the props from under his contention that tax reduction is necessary as a means of stimulating investment and increasing consumer purchasing power. The committee report said industry is booming, profits are high, plant expenditures higher. It gives little credence to depression talk; rather, it shows likelihood of increased productivity, sales and profits.



ONE of the illusions of life is that the present hour is not the critical, decisive hour. Every day is the best day in the year. . . . Life doesn't consist of the abundance of things you possess, but in grasping your many opportunities of being of service to others. Unlike other things, words gain with every weighing. The test of a person's strength is the knowledge of his weakness. . . . All fame is dangerous-good brings envy, bad shame. Let's Have a Party With Games, Tricks Parties that Click WHO said the summer's no time for parties? Make yours a hot-weather hit with cool drinks, light refreshments and games. Pencil and paper games are appropri-ate for summertime. So are magic tricks and fortune-telling stunts. Word games are popular, too, because they can be played while sitting down.

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Some 15 million tenants in rental properties will be affected by the rent control bill. If approved as it passed the senate, the bill will result in a rent hike of 15 per cent, 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 law expires June 30. . . .

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Farm cooperatives are being placed in the realm of Socialism. Perhaps the Communism brand will come later. Congressman Walter Ploeser, Missouri, chairman of the house small business subcommittee, says his group will probe special advantages conferred on cooperatives and 'will open the eyes of the American people to socialistic trends in America." Hearings on cooperatives will begin in the fall.

Once He Cursed

CONGRESSMAN George Smath-ers of Miami, ex-marine lieutenant who says he made up his mind to run for congress while sitting on a lonely Pacific island curs-

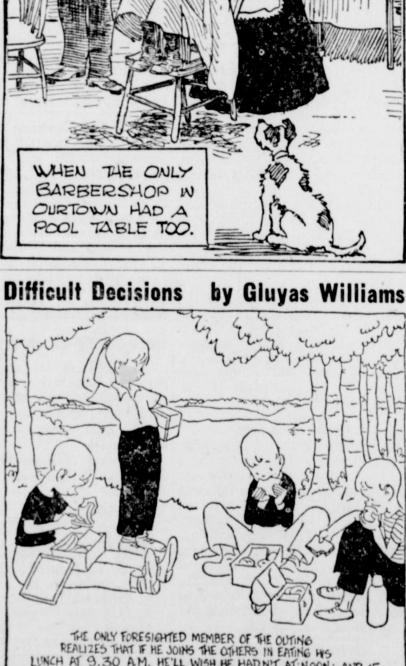
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ing the ineptness of congress, probably is typical of the new group of freshmen.

Said Smathers: "First impression is the magnitude which is so vast the young congressman takes some time to realize that instead of an apparent lack of purpose, there is a definite program going on;"

"The freshman congressman must keep his sense of humor, for God help you if you lose it," Smathers says.



REALIZES THAT IF HE JOINS THE OTHERS IN EATING HIS LUNCH AT 9.30 A.M. HE'LL WISH HE HADN'T AT NOON; AND IF HE DOES N'T EAT IT NOW HE'LL WISH HE HAD WHEN MIDDAY COMES AND THE OTHERS, HUNGRY AGAIN, WANT TO SHARE IT WITH HIM

CAN'T DRINK 'PATIENCE'

Bride (interviewing new maid)-Are you efficient?

Maid-I am that. In the last place I worked, every morning I got up at four, made the fires, put on the kettle, prepared the breakfast, and made up all the beds before anyone was up in the house.

A NEAT TRICK

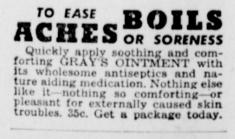
"Give me some milk! Give me some milk!" the little girl yelled, banging her cup on the table.

"Why, Daughter, haven't you any patience?" one of her parents mildly chided her.

"Yes, I have," shouted the child "but I haven't any milk!"

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Bronte Wins Over Robert Lee 7 to 2

Robert Lee was defeated at played four innings at first, then Bronte 7 to 2 Sunday afternoon in took the mound to relieve Corley. a Concho league game. The win- He got three hits out of four trips ner took a lead at the start scoring to the plate, one of them a three twice in both the first and second bagger. innings, and managed to bring in three more tallies in the eighth. turn game in Robert Lee later in Robert Lee was held scoreless un- the summer. til the ninth when they pushed across two runs to prevent a shutout.

ond inning caused a big row, and during the argumet Leroy Scott, O. Campbell, 1st-----4 0 2 12 0 0 manager and shortstop of the F. Campbell, 3rd-----4 0 0 0 4 Bronte team, disgraced himself by Hickman, rf-----4 1 1 0 0 0 at Eagle Nest Lake in northern striking the visiting manager. Roy Tinkler, 2nd 2 0 0 2 0 1 New Mexico. On their return Deputy Sheriff Frank Kessee took Green, c-----4 1 1 6 2 0 Grande valley and also visited a hand and restored order. Dis- xChapman _____ 1 0 0 0 0 Grande valley and also visited more was removed from officiating J. L. Tinkler, p-----4 0 2 1 4 0 over night with their brother-in-law behind the plate and "Chief" Chapman called balls and strikes the remainder of the game.

Chilly Tinkler pitched for the BRONTE---7 Lees, with Clarence being station- L. Scott, ss------5 0 1 5 2 ed at short Scratch hits over the Card, cf------4 1 1 0 1 infield accounted for most of the Coalson, rf-----4 1 0 0 0 damage in the early part of the J. Corley, c-----4 0 0 7 0 game. Tinkler allowed only one Spoonts, 1st-p 4 0 3 2 2 hit from the third to the eighth Bagwell, 3rd-----4 1 1 3 0 bat two men were out when Bag. Modgling, 2nd-----3 1 1 4 2 well bounced a hit to left field. Percifull, 2nd _____1 0 1 2 J. Scott was hit by a pitched ball M. Corley, p_____1 1 1 0 0 0 for having written that amount of filled the bases. Proctor then laced a hit to deep left field and three runs scored.

Pete Hickman led off the ninth inning for Robert Lee by banging bell. Three base hit, Spoonts. Struck a hit over third. Green was safe out: By Tinkler 4, by Corley 3, by on a fielders choice Chief Chap- Spoonts 4. Bases on balls: Off Corley 1, was out on a grounder from second off Spoonts 1. Hit by pitched ball: Hig-is manager of a large life insurance to first, with Hickman scoring. Chapman and Dismore

Chilly Tinkler drove a hit to center and Green came home with the second run.

Bon Spoonts was the outstanding performer on the field. He

The two teams will play a re-

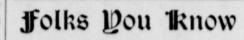
Sad and Bad!

ROBERT LEE --- 2 ABR H PO A E Objection to the decisions of Conley cf------ 5 0 0 1 2 0 36 2 7 24 15 3

x Batted for R. Tink'er in the ninth

ABRHPO A 34 7 9 27 10 3 Score by innings:

Bronte -----7 220 000 03x---7 Summary: Two base hit, Otis Camp-



day morning, June 19. The baby of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Harwell and Mrs. Ethel Green has been help-has been named Mary Pearl. Mr. is a student of Robert Lee high ing out with assessment work in and Mrs. Marvin Smith are the school. paternal grandparents.

Methodist young folks society met at the church Friday evening. Games and singing were enjoyed and refreshments included punch and cookies. They will meet again next Friday night and are hoping for a larger attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Chism Brown returned Friday from a two weeks' vacation, most of which was spent and sister, Mr. and Mrs Russell McBroom, at Quemado, N. Mex.

Rial Denman and son, Bill Rial, of Texas City came to Robert Lee last Saturday for an over night visit with relatives and friends. The former's mother-in-law, Mrs ⁰ W. H. Bell, accompained them ⁰ home for a visit. Rial, who is a former Coke county resident, has made an outstanding success in the ⁰ insurance field. He has become a ⁰ member of the Million Dollar Club two other Texas men are members of the club, one of them being Mrs. J. K. Griffith of Robert Lee.

> Dr. and Mrs. J. K. Griffith left Wednesday for a week's visit in the home of their son, Byron S Griffith, at Galveston. The latter agency there.

Barbara Harweii was brought home Friday from Shannon hos-Mr. and Mrs. Floyd W. Smith was quite serious for some time are the proud parents of a fine but she is now recovering satis-7 1-2 pound baby girl born Thurs- factorily. Barbara is a daughter ation.

Mr. and Mrs. Ell Hatley and son, Bobbie, spent Sunday in the pital where she underwent a Delbert Vestal home at Ballinger. goitre operation. Her condition They report Mrs. Vestal to be recovering nicely from a recent oper-

the sheriff's office this month.





Friday, June 27, 1947

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS Sugar Rationing Ends in Nation; U.S. Denounces Hungary Grab; Record 1947 Wheat Crop Is Seen

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



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

IT'S OVER:

Sugar Is Back

For the first time since April 28, 1942, Americans, and especially housewives, could go shopping without ration coupons as the government called a halt to the rationing of sugar for households, restaurants and hotels.

Secretary of Agriculture Clinton Anderson announced the move, explaining that it was made possible by the appearance of larger supplies of sugar than previously had been thought available.

Price controls on sugar, as well as rationing of the product for industrial use will continue, however. All sugar controls are scheduled to expire October 31 unless congress dictates otherwise.

Three reasons which acted to bring about an end to sugar rationing were:

1. Allotment by the International Emergency food council to the United States of 350,000 tons of sugar from Cuba in addition to that which was allotted earlier in the year.

2. Presence of still more surplus sugar in Cuba, which will help cut down demands from other parts of the world.

3. About 200,000 tons of Javanese sugar now will be offered

WHEAT CROP: Inconceivable

"Almost inconceivable" is the way grain men have described the prospective size of the 1947 wheat crop in the United States.

According to a government forecast as of June 1, a total wheat crop of 1,409,800,000 bushels is indicated this year, the largest on record. That compares with the 1,155,715,000 bushels harvested last year, which was an unprecedented high up to that time.

The forecast showed the winter wheat prospect to be 1,093,071,000 bushels and 316,822,000 bushels for spring wheat.

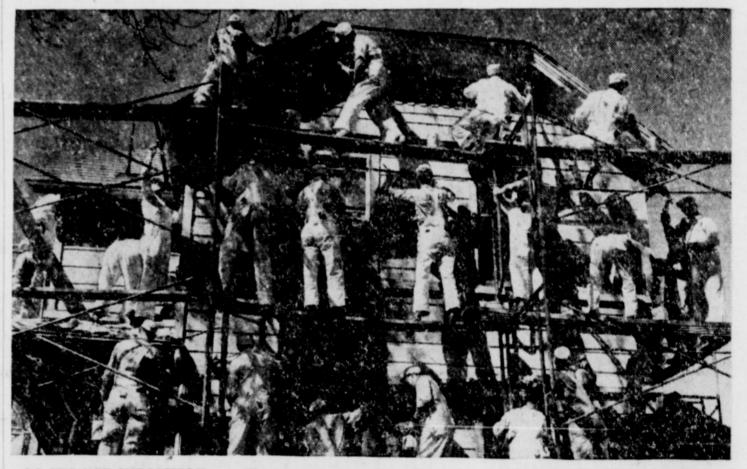
Unequalled winter wheat crops are in sight for all of the great plains area, as well as Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas, Nebraska and Colorado. Although the cold, wet spring delayed growth and development of the crop in all but the Pacific coast states, losses from wet weather have been slight so far.

At the same time, however, the unseasonable spring weather was responsible for a reduced acreage of oats, the government report said. A crop of only 1,247,333,000 bushels is seen this year as compared with the 1,509,867,000 bushels harvested last year.

LITTLE CHAT:



WORLD CAPITAL TO RISE HERE . . . Striking aerial view shows the section of New York-midtown 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 street and from First avenue to the East river. View is looking east.



to world users.

Secretary Anderson said that he "did not dare" end rationing until he learned of the extra sugar in Cuba.

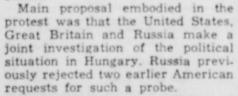
HARSH WORDS:

Note to Russia

The United States has accused Russia of using threats and coercion to instigate the recent Communist coup d'etat in Hungary.

A strongly worded note to the Soviet union charged the Soviet commander in Hungary with violating terms of the Yalta agreement which guaranteed that liberated nations would retain their sovereignty.

Implicit, but not specifically stated, in the note was a warning that the United States will call for a United Nations investigation of the circumstances under which Hungary's democratic regime was overthrown and Communist rule installed.



The U. S. position is that Hungarian Premier Nagy was forced into exile and was compelled to resign in order to make way for the Communist seizure of power. Hungarian Communists were fully supported by the Soviets in this move, the American note claimed.

PUSHBUTTON:

Look, No Hands

"Pushbutton" automatic flight, a new field in aviation, was ushered in when a pilotless four-engine army transport plane landed at Wilmington, Ohio, after a 2,000-mile trip from Long Beach, Calif., during which no member of the crew touched the controls.

It was the longest flight of its kind to be completed wholly by means of the pushbutton automatic system, not to be confused with drone planes or remote control flight.

In the automatic flight set-up, all necessary flight data was fed electrically into a master control panel from within the plane itself.

With Molotov

United States diplomats might not be able to get a word in edgewise with Vyacheslav M. Molotov, hardboiled Soviet foreign minister, but one of the "common men," M. E. Schroeder of Oelwein, Iowa, did so simply by calling him long distance at the Kremlin in Moscow. Feeling in a convivial mood;

Schroeder, a fireman for the Chicago Great Western railroad, decided to make the call at 2 o'clock one morning after coming in from his run

After explaining to a battery of minor officials in the Kremlin that he just wanted to be

sociable, Schroeder finally got Molotov on the wire and suggested that they talk about railroads. He said Molotov sounded like he would hang up if he had advanced politics or world affairs as a conversational topic. Molotov Said Schroeder: "I got

in a good plug for Iowa's tall corn. He talked to me about three minutes and then turned me over to a secretary in his office. Two or three secretaries horned in then. . . . Everybody seemed very friendly and happy to talk."

UP AGAIN:

Meat Prices

Rapid, and in some cases unexplained, advances in the retail prices of meat have been reported from many sections of the country. Some of the reasons offered for the price jumps were: Seasonal influences, higher feed costs, heavy foreign purchases. In a number of instances, however, packers admitted that they were puzzled over the sharp increase in retail prices.

Steak, which sold for 70 to 80 cents a pound six months ago, was being listed as high as \$1.25 in Scranton, Pa., and a dollar in New York. In Chicago, retail meat prices experienced a general increase of 10 cents or more on popular and scarce cuts in mid-June.

There was one bright prediction, however: When the autumn beef run begins, prices are expected to drop as much as 25 per cent.

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 windows, 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-off.

HANDS ACROSS THE SEA . . . Lord Inverchapel, British ambassadoe to the United States, and his young American farm friend, Roger Newburn, got together again at the latter's farm home near Eagle Grove, Iowa. It was the diplomat's second visit to the Newburn home since he met Roger while the lad was on a 4-H tour in Washington, D. C., a year ago. Lord Inverchapel spent three days with the Newburn family while on a speaking tour through Nebraska and Iowa. Here, the ambassador examines an car of famous Iowa corn.



HEROINE . . . Maria Van Marcke, 25-year-old Belgian girl who was decorated for heroism by the U. S. army during invasion of Antwerp, arrives in New York as hostess on Belgian airlines plane. She was a member of the Belgian underground forces and received her army decoration for guiding an advance party of American troops into the Antwerp dock area under enemy fire.



Billy Meek Marries Tahoka Young Woman

a number of years ago when both

airplane factory in Fort Worth.

work at Consolidated.

Sinclair Oil company.

Student Transfer Deadline July 31

The marriage of Millard W. July 31 is the deadline date for (Bill) Meek of Robert Lee and transfer of public school students Miss Bonnie Flint of Tahoka oc- from one district to another withcurred Saturday, June 21, at the out having to pay tuition fees, ac-First Baptist Seminary in Fort cording to the new equalization Reed, a minor, and Kenneth Reed, Worth. They became acquainted law.

Parents or guardians of the stuwere employed at Consolidated dents involved must personally arrange for transfers with the county The bride is a daughter of Mr. superintendent's office to guaranand Mrs. W. M. Flint of Tahoka | tee that the \$55 per capita state The bridegroom is the youngest money will be available for their. of Robert Lee. He saw more than with split contracts and the trusthree years army service, and tees can no longer contract for after his discharge resumed his scholastics for rural districts.

Transfer of students may be The couple visited his parents compleoed now or any time up to here Sunday and continued to August 1 but they must be com-Odessa where Bill has taken a pleted by then. County Supt. Bob position as bulldozer operator for 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 purchased last week from Craddock Motor Co.

> > WANT ADS

For Sale-Dobbins bucket spray pumps; also shower bath stalls. Leeper Supply Co. For Sale—1940 Plymouth 4-door

edan with radio and heater, \$900. Guardian of the Estates of Rich-Sammie Jo and Patricia Fowler McGinley, Gen. Delivery, Robert neth Reed, Minors.

Lee, Texas. 10 For Sale-Garden supplies of all Mrs. Reed R. Jones is visiting kinds. Leeper Supply Co.

For Sale-All of Lots 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 in Block No. 4, by owner.

A limited quantity of 30 inch screen wire now on hand. Also Men are repairing and cleaning copper base, chromium finish tea

Male Help Wanted-Reliable

No. 592 The State of Texas County of Coke In the County Court of Coke County, Texas

NOTICE of Application to Make Oil, Gas and Mineral Lease

To all persons interested in Richard Reed, a minor, Wilma a minor, or their estates:

You are notified that I have on the 28th day of May, A. D. 1947, filed with the county clerk of Coke county, Texas, an application under oath for authority to make to R. W. Ford, as Lessee, an oil, gas and mineral lease on the unson of Mr. and Mrs. Millard Meek charges. The new law does away divided 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

The East one-half of Section No. 6, Block 1, Cert. No. 583, HE&WT Ry. Co. Survey, pat-ented to A. J. Petross, by Patent 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 13, 1934, and recorded in Vol. 54, Page 550, of the Deed Records of Coke county, Texas, and containing 388 acres of land;

That Bob L. Davis, Judge of the county court of Coke county, Texas, on the 25th 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. in the county courtroom of such county, as the time and place when and where such application would be heard and that such application will be heard at such time and place.

KIRK REED

Would consider trade-in. Ogdon ard Reed, Wilma Reed and Ken-

Saturday, June 28 Starting at 2:30 P. M. Sharp **Matched Roping Bob McGuire & Clay Man Smith** Of Colorado City VS Wayne McCabe & James Counts Of Robert Lee Jack Pot Roping & Ladies Events Admission 60c, incl. tax For Further Information Contact Schooler & Sheppard

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SANCO NEWS

By Mrs. Sam Fowler

Thelma June McKinley was 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 Sanco Sunday afternoon. Everyone is invited to hear him again next Sunday at 4 p.m. at the Sanco Bible church.

and Glyniece McCutchen visited Sunday afternoon with Joy Adkins.

with home folks this week. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wyatt. She and Mrs. Ena Write P. O. Box 121, Pecos, Texas Vowell are doing some fishing together.

the tabernacle at Sanco this week, kettles, aluminum dish- pans and getting ready for the big revival enamel wash pans. Leeper Supply.

Coke county, Texas, to-wit:

meeting.

Mrs. Raymond McCutchen and Mrs Jim McCutchen visited this ful opportunity. \$15 to \$20 in a week with relatives at Odessa. The former's sister, Alene Olsen, accompanied them home for a few days visit.

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man with car wanted to call on farmers in Coke county. Wonderday. No experience or capital required Permanent. Write today. McNess Company, Dept. A, Freeport, Ill. w2p

Just received-Pabco Linoleum. rugs or yard goods. Leeper Supply Co.

Lost-Spare tire mounted on rim, off 1938 Dodge, between Edith and Bronte last Sunday. J. T. Thetford, Edith.

For Sale-Every house needs Westinghouse. 25, 40 and 60 watt light bulbs, 11 cents each, plus tax. Leeper Supply Co.

If driving, or if you want a ride any place, call AAA Travel Bureau in San Angelo, 123 South Oakes. Phone 3213. 52w4p

For Sale-Radion Electric Irons, adjustable for rayon, silk, wool, cotton and linen. Guaranteed for 1 year, only \$9.95. Leeper Supply Co.

For Sale-Two choice lots on highway. Wrlte 609 N. Tom Green Ave., Odessa, Texas. 2w3p

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. Leeper Supply Co.

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BRONTE NEWS

By D. M. WEST

Mrs. Charlotte Vest, 97, who died at Blackwell Thursday, was the grandmother of Grady Vest of Bronte.

Angelo was in Bronte Friday after- onstrated manicuring to the girls. noon. Rev. Edwards had been to Blackwell to attend the funeral of Grandmother Vest who died in that town Thursday.

Bronte all last week left town Hester and Betty Sue Mitchell. Monday morning, after all the loose coin of the children, and a large per cent of the coin of the the adults had been spent.

A wreck late Friday afternoon between Bronte and Tennyson on highway 70 seriously injured the occupants of the car. Clift ambulance rushed a man and woman to Sweetwater where the injured were book review on "The Egg and I" hospitalized. Their injuries were not as severe as thought at first. Whitley & Frazie, owners of the new laundry on East Main street, have had them a large sign painted on their place of business, which Powell, Fred McCabe, Raymond can be seen down in the business Schooler, Delmir Sheppard, Crowpart 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 Hickman family gathered in a at the big fishing party at Buchfamily reunion at Legion park anan Lake sponsored by the W.T. Sunday. Among the names of fam- McClure Machinery company. 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. and Mrs. Alex Rogers, Hobbs, N. Mexico; Earl Turner, Artesia, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hickman, Sr., Edith, Texas; Mr. 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. Members of the family spent the day in happy social intercourse, and in late afternoon the families went to their homes to think over again the happiness of the day.

Through courtesy of W. David

Robert Lee 4-H Girls

Miss Mary Pearl Bearden and Mrs. Victor McCabe met with the Robert Lee 4-H club at the Methodist church Thursday, June 19, at 2:30 p.m.

Members discussed camp plans for the July encampment and Rev. J. W. Edwards of San played games. Miss Bearden dem-Those present were: Miss Bearden, Mrs. McCabe, Nelda Sheppard, Melba Rives, Thelma Jo A carnival that had been in Bryan, Lawana Harmon, Billy The next meeting will be July 7th 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 was given by Mrs. W. B. Clift. Those present to enjoy the program were Mesdames L. E. Smith, Hugh Smith, S. G. Danaford, Sam ley Harmon, Floyd Harmon, L. D.

Schooler and the Misses Lawana Harmon and Eula Faye Smith and the hostess.

County Judge Bob L. Davis and Mrs. J. L. Kuhn, and family at W. E. Burns were guests last week Cisco.

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 atteneded the wedding of Douglas Anderson and Bessie Staford, both Odessa.

J. L. Roe is now working as a presser at the Y-Mack cleaners. He was employed by the firm at Winters last year after returning from army service. Mrs. P. E. Mahon is also employed at the cleaning plant.

Mr. and Mrs. Fern Havins and children returned the first of the week from a few days visit with Mrs. K. V. Odom, and family at Kirbyville. The ladies are sisters. Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Cook and daughter, Mildred, went to Big Spring Friday to visit their daughter, Mrs. Leroy Brooks. They returned home Sunday.

Chrystelle Mathers is enjoying a week's vacation from her work at The Observer office, and left Sunday for a visit with her sister,

Bill Humphries of Liberty Hill, Tex., is visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Russell.

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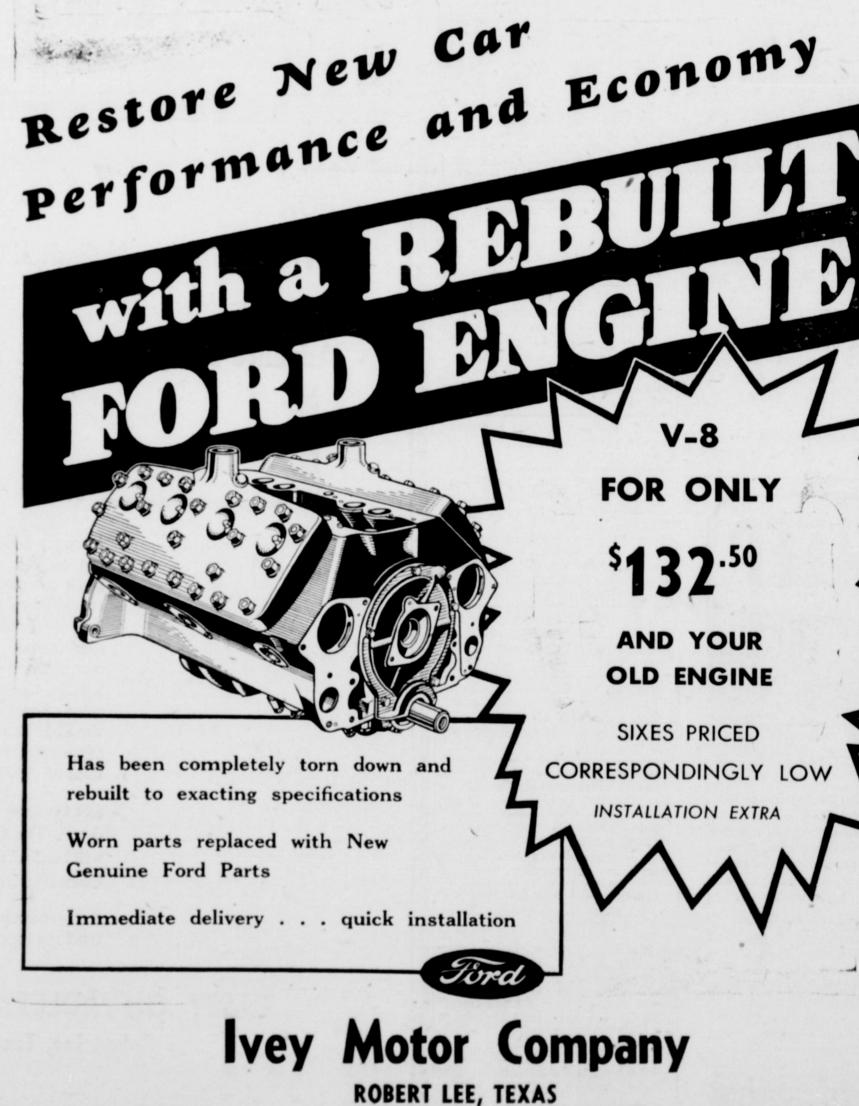
The Friendly Store

Hundreds of Other Items

Riser, its editor, the writer received first copies of The Resort, a new weekly newspaper plubished at Christoval. First issues of the paper reveal that the editor knows the country publishing business from A to Z, both in its new and editorial features, and that he is a 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, Coke county may not get as many oil producers as it wants, but one thing sure it is on the front seat when it comes to having a capable painstaking lawyer. Welcome, Frank, back to the old haunts. Go out about Edith and maybe you can find some of your boyhood footprints still showing in them thar hills.

Last Friday was a day that Rev. J. D. McWhorter will live over again and again in memory and in his dreams for a long time to come. It was Rev. McWhorter's 75th birthday and his children, Mrs. Katherine Parris 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 parents of Mr. Dean from Robert Lee and Monie Miles, San Angelo. Rev. 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.



Friday, June 27, 1947

It's an Ill Wind

When the delinquent tenant saw the sheriff coming with the eviction parers, he locked himself inside the house and refused to answer the officer's summons. The sheriff slipped the papers under the door, whereupon the tenant picked up a bellows from the fireplace and blew the paper out from under the door.

The sheriff again slipped the papers under the door, and again the tenant blew them out.

Pocketing the document, the officer turned to his deputy and said, "Come on, let's take this back to the landlord. I wouldn't pay rent either if I had to live in such a drafty old house."



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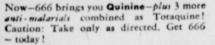


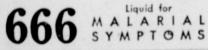
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and appearance is as important in jam as is its eating quality. If you want some good spreads

tity also saves the color of the fruit,

for next winter make fruit and berry butter, as these do not take as much sugar as some of the others.

- Blueberry-Apple Butter. 2 quarts blueberries
- 2 quarts apple pulp
- 2 quarts sugar
- 1 tablespoon ground spices

Wash and slice tart apples. Add water to cover and cook until soft. Press through a sieve and measure. Boil apple pulp, blueberries, sugar and spices until thick. Pour hot into sterile jars and process 10 minutes

in a hot water bath. Cantaloupe-Peach Conserve. 4 cups diced cantaloupe

- 4 cups diced peaches
- 6 cups sugar
- 4 tablespoons lemon juice
- 1/2 teaspoon nutmeg
- 1/2 cup blanched almonds 1/4 teaspoon salt

Cook cantaloupe and peaches to-

gether for 20 minutes. Add sugar and lemon juice; boil rapiduntil thick. lv Add nutmeg, nuts and salt. Pour, boiling hot, into sterilized jars and seal at once with paraffin.

Elderberry Jam. Wash, stem and measure, then slightly crush the berries. Add

2 tablespoons vinegar and 3 cups sugar to each quart of berries. Boil until thick and pour into hot sterile jars. Seal at once.

Concord Grape and Plum Jam. (Makes 10 6-ounce glasses) 4 cups prepared fruit 7 cups sugar

1/2 bottle fruit pectin

To prepare fruit, slip skins from 11/2 pounds fully ripe grapes. Bring pulp to a boil and simmer, covered, for 5 minutes. Remove seeds by putting through a sieve. Chop or grind skins and add to pulp. Pit, but do not peel, about 11/2 pounds of fully ripe damson plums. Cut into small pieces and crush thorough-Add ¼ cup water, bring to a ly. boil, cover, and simmer 15 minutes. Combine fruits.

Measure sugar and prepared fruit into a large saucepan, filling up last

out before you start cooking, as 2 you will have to be right on the spot to watch out for scorching. With these tips in mind, the preparation will take on a simplicity you never dreamed pos-

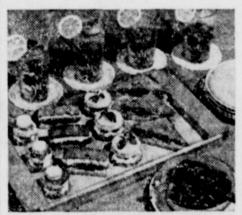
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sible. Cherry Marmalade. 2 oranges 1 quart pitted cherries

4 tablespoons lemon juice 31/2 cups sugar

Run or ges through food chopper. Cover with water and boil until soft. Cool. Add cherries, lemon juice



You can put jams and jellies to use this summer by making light sandwich refreshments from them to serve with cooling fruit juices. Fruit juices also may be canned for later use as jelly.

and sugar. Boil to jellying point. Pour into jars and top with paraffin at once

Raspberry-Currant Marmalade. 2 quarts raspberries I quart currants 9 cups sugar

Measure berries and currants after stemming and cleaning. Crush currants. Cook slowly until juice flows freely. Add raspberries and heat slowly to boiling. Add sugar and stir until dissolved. Boil rapidly to jellying point. Pour quickly into hot, sterile jars and seal with paraffin at once.

Note: The currants are cooked longer than the raspberries because they are more firm and do not lose color as quickly as the more delicate fruit.

Released he Western Newsnaner Union.



(From files of The Rustler, June 26, 1897)

A fine baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hayley last stockmen from up the river, were Sunday. And now Bob drives the in town Monday. water wagon and whips his old mule up and down the back with a broad smile stretching out across his face.

Harve Chapman was in town his wife who died that evening of week at \$10. a throat and lung infection.

a few nights since, went to W. L. Clawson's chicken house while after several had died. Mrs. Clawson was at home alone. and deliberately carried off a num- Elmo Trimble residence to his ber of chickens, and she standing farm 4 miles south of town.

Phone 86

and looking at them, afraid to try and stop them.

G. W. Payne and daughter, Lavenia, of Sanco passed through town Tuesday evening on their way to Angelo.

J. G. McCulloch moved from the C. L. Hughes residence to the W. L. Lowe place in the west part of town.

W. C. Barron and E. C. Good left Monday for Llano county to purchase steer yearlings.

Thursday night after a coffin for Gardner 28 yearling steers this showrooms."

Will Gunnels has moved the

Robert Lee, Texas

New Chevrolet Truck On Display Saturday

Featuring the cab that "breathes," the new Advance-Design line of Chevrolet commerical cars and trucks goes on display Saturday at mon by Rev. Harry Hames. the Casey Chevrolet company in Robert Lee.

"Chevrolet is the largest producer of trucks in the world,' Casey Bros. declared, "and its new line is undoubtedly the finest in the history of the company. We cordially invite truck owners, fleet operators and others interested in Dr. G. W. Martin sold to Johnnie trucks to view the exhibit in our

Produced in a wide variety of Mr. Z. Boozer, one of the most models to accommodate practically It is reported that a gang of prosperous ranchmen in the county, every hauling job, the Advancemixicans, who camped near town was in town Saturday. He says the Design line of vehicles is manufacblackleg has let up on his cattle tured in nine wheelbases with gross vehicle weights (combined weight of the chassis, body and load) ranging from 4,000 to 16,000 Office of publication: The Observer buildpounds.

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The Linzy McDorman and Lee Roberts families spent Sunday at the parental Ed McDorman home in Brownwood. Mr. Roberts and daughter, Billie, attended church services there and enjoyed a ser-

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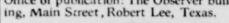
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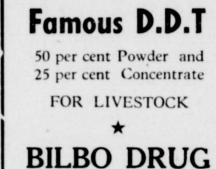
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ANCIENT VILLAGES PRESERVED . . . Fascinating villages, built by Indians centuries ago in inaccessible caves perched high in canyon walls, are preserved in Mesa Verde National park. The cliff cities, of which Cliff Palace (above) is typical, are noted for their size and excellence of building techniques.

NOT ONLY SCENERY

Rain Forests, Cliff Cities **Show Diversity of Parks**

WNU Features.

"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 example, are unusual "rain forests," where, as a result of a mild climate and abundant winter rains, a tropical appearing

jungle has been created far north . in the temperate zone. Here also is lent baskets, they had no pottery, the home of the rare Roosevelt elk, for the protection of which a part row. They lived in open caves and of the park was established as a hunted with the throwing stick. Latnational monument as early as 1908.

of the Olympics in the southwestern | rows and built simple pit houses. corner of Colorado, Mesa Verde National park preserves the ruins of a once flourishing civilization which Tours, or roughly in the Eighth was brought to an end by a lack of rainfall. The national parks also Basket Makers on the Mesa Verde include two areas famous for their health-giving springs-Hot Springs National park in Arkansas and Platt top they built hundreds of villages, National park in Oklahoma.

World War II who returned to Puget sound ports from the Pacific theaters. From far out at sea these glistening snowy peaks were the first welcoming sight of home. Mount Olympus, nearly 8,000 feet in height, and a

score or more National Parks of other icecapped moun-Eighth tains are included in the

nor did they use the bow and arer they learned the art of pottery On the other hand, far to the south making, acquired bows and ar-

About the time that Charles Martel was defeating the Moors at century, a new people joined the and together they made remarkable cultural progress. On the mesa some with buildings of mud and The Olympic mountains are others of stone. They improved known to thousands of veterans of their pottery and began the weaving of cotton cloth.

These people apparently were peace loving, and in the 11th century about the time that William the Conqueror was landing in Britain, they also were beset by enemies. Many of them, therefore, moved off the open mesa top and constructed their villages in inaccessible caves located high in canyon walls. These villages them well preserved today, are astonishing both for their size and excellence of building techniques. Toward the end of the 13th century, a 24-year-long drouth forced west, the Straits of Juan de Fuca these people to abandon their cliff cities and move to more favorable lands. . . .



Our Heritage From Ancient Israel

Isaiah 2:3.

LESSON TEXT FOR JUNE 29-Psalm 119:105; Isaiah 2:2-4; Micah 6:1-8 MEMORY SELECTION-He will teach us of his ways, and we will walk in his paths.

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A T THE end of the road the He brew nation may have-yes. should have-stopped to look back and see what it had accomplished. Israel was now in exile, to return only in part, and with greatly limited greatness and glory

What was God's purpose for Israel? It was threefold:

(1) To be a repository for his truth in the earth.

(2) To be a channel for the coming of the personal Redeemer to the earth.

(3) To be a national witness to the one true God to the other nations of the earth.

The first two they fulfilled. They kept for us the Word of God as revealed in the Old Testament, and from their nation came most of the men through whom the Holy Spirit wrote the New Testament. It was through their nation that the Son of God came as Jesus of Nazareth, our Saviour and Lord.

But they failed to be the witness that God had meant them to beand for this they came under his judgment

Were they then a complete failure? Certainly not-our lesson makes that clear in three ways. Teachers will find the scriptures not too well selected, but they do serve as a background for these thoughts. The nation Israel showed us:

I. The Enlightening Word of God (Ps. 119:105)

L ET us never forget that the pre-cious Word of God, which is our light on the way through this dark world, came to us through Jewish hands.

The Old Testament, which we come to appreciate more and more as we grow in grace and knowledge of the Lord, was committed to Israel by inspiration of the Holy Spirit, and preserved by the Jewation even at the cost of their own lives. Nothing was more precious to them than the sacred Scripture. We owe them a great debt of gratitude, and ought to honor them for their service to God and man.



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. board.

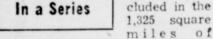
end and an eye on the other. each pair of blankets. Makes for easy laundering.

rather loose stitches.

To help restore fluffiness to When putting elastic in chil- blankets, add one tablespoon of dren's panties, sew a hook on one glycerine to the rinse water for

You may get quick obedience When mending fine knit wear, out of scolding or spanking your place a piece of net under the spot child, but the surest kind is obto be mended, extending a little tained by taking time to underbeyond it on all sides. Then sew stand why a child behaves as he back and forth over the net in does and letting him come to trust you.





Olympic National park. Occupying the heart of a great peninsula, this park is surrounded on three sides by water, the Pacific ocean on the to the north and Puget sound on the east. Within a few hours of Seattle and Tacoma are virgin forests, alpine meadows, deep blue lakes and sparkling trout streams, which constitute one of the finest unspoiled wilderness areas in the United States.

The rain forests are found in the lower valleys on the western slopes where from September 1 to June 1 there is an average annual rainfall of 142 inches, nearly 12 feet. In these rain forests are Douglas firs, measuring up to 17 feet in diameter and 221 feet in height.

There are many miles of foot and horseback trails in Olympic National park and a motor highway encircles the peninsula. From this for short distances into the park. . . .

IN THE CORNER of Colorado where the Rocky mountains meet the arid highlands of the Southwest there rises a high flat-topped tableshaped mountain. Early Spanish explorers called it the Mesa Verde, for the table top, heavily forested with pinon and juniper, was always prom. On this green mesa and in its caves and canyons peaceful farming Indians lived for 1,300 years, cultivating the soil and builttheir villages or pueblos. To preserve the ruins of these fascinating villages, Mesa Verde National park has been established. The area of the park is 80 square miles.

According to archeologists the Indians came to America from their Asiatic homeland by the northern route thousands of years ago and for many centuries lived as roving hunters. About the beginning of the Christian Era certain of early hunters arrived in the region of the Mesa Verde. They liked the security afforded by this high mountain with its peculiar cliffs, and settled down to farm. First inhabitants of the Mesa Verde were known as Basket Makers for, while they made excel-

HOT SPRINGS National park, located in a mountainous region of central Arkansas, contains in its thousand acres 47 minera! hot springs reputed to have therapeutic value. These springs were known to the Indians and early Spaniards, 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, containing bromide and sulphur springs, is located at the town of Sulphur, Okla. Small in area, this park is known chiefly by those for whom the waters are prescribed. The park main highway other roads radiate is provided with free campgrounds and picnic areas, and overnight accommodations may be found in Sulphur.

VIRGIN FOREST . . Large spruce trees abound along Hoh river in Olympic National park, one of the finest unspoiled wilderness areas in the country.

We may say then that the Bible, unsurpassed in all the world of literature, and beyond comparison as the guiding light for man's heart and life, was given to us through Israel. We could well say a hearty "Thank you" for that right now if we have never done it before!

II. The Exalted Worship of God (Isa. 2:2-4).

THE prophet looks into the future to that glorious and blessed day when the nations shall have learned to live in peace and righteousness, when war shall be no more, and the worship of God shall be the desire and the joy of men.

When will that day come? Will it be brought in by the efforts of the church, or by conferences of national leaders? Not for a moment would we minimize the value of every true effort to spread peace and righteousness through the earth. We honor those who faithfully try to bring concord in the affairs of men.

But the clear teaching of Scripture, which has been so abundantly proved by experience, is that we can expect the delightful condition of which Isaiah speaks only when the Prince of Peace 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 (Mic. 6:1-8).

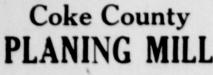
WE HAVE here words of another Hebrew prophet. He speaks of God's plain dealings with his people, his judgment upon their sin, and the need of a careful and a worthy walk before him.

Back of all the admonition and appeal is the remembrance of how God had worked on behalf of Israel, delivering them from bondage, giving them effective leaders, going before them in battle, in fact, proving his goodness and love by his mighty works.

Israel's service for God and man is an example of what God can and will do for those who obey him and walk with him. Released by Western Newspaper Union

Land Improvement Crops

There has been considerable interest lately in the planting of fall crops that will improve the land. a hundred pounds of phosphate or It seems that hairy vetch and some companion crops such as Abruzzi crop. Rye and vetch should be rye work best as companion crops. This combination is well adapted or wheat. Any farmers who wish



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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 planting time.

Club Girls Notice

All 4-H club girls who are planning 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 gift from Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rob-Humphries arrived Monday from erts. Rev. Hames was formerly Liberty Hill for a visit with their pastor of the Robert Lee Baptist uncle and aunt, Mr' and Mrs. church. Bailev Russell.

Charles Ratliff and Mary Lou Phil, of East Point, Ga., visited Barbour of San Angelo were mar- among Robert Lee relatives last ried here Monday by County week. They left Monday for a Judge Bob L. Davis.

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.

Ogdon McGinley returned to Coke county recently after spending a year and a half in the Panhandle near Hereford, Tex.

Walter McDorman and son, Artis, 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

Mrs. Emory Hughes and son, 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 Fort Worth is spending the week in Robert Lee with his grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Harmon.

> Jesse Varnadore, wife and daughters, Elizabeth Ann and Kay, returned Monday to their home at Texon after a few days visit with Robert Lee relatives and friends.

Mrs. C. H. Millican and her mother, Mrs. Betty Neagle, are

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enjoying a trip into Oklahoma this week. They accompanied their sister and daughter, Mrs. Myrtle Davis, of Carlsbad, N. Mex.

Marvin Simpson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Cortez Russell left Sunday on a motor trip to Oklahoma where they will visit relatives. Edward Rives of Odessa came for a weekend visit in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat

Mrs. Winston Gardner and little son, Lin, are guests in the Mrs. J. S. Gardner home, having accompanied Mrs. Gardner and Woodrow when they returned last Thursday from a visit at Kilgore. Wilfred Gardner came from Midland for a weekend vislt.

Notice

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

Death of James Roland

James Roland, 64, a brother-inlaw of Fred McDonald, Sr. of Bronte, dropped dead last Friday of a heart attack in front of the 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 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 and Mrs. Albert Rawlings.

