

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

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

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

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

Robert Lee Observer

Now In It's 59th Year It Is Coke County's Oldest and Largest Newspaper

WEST TEXAS' NEATEST WEEKLY PAPER—COMPARE!

FIFTY-NINTH YEAR—ESTABLISHED JUNE 13, 1889

SUBSCRIPTION PRICE \$2.00 A YEAR IN ADVANCE

Vol. 58, No. 45

Robert Lee, Coke County, Texas, Friday, April 23, 1948

Published Weekly

Robert Lee Water Problem To Get Early Consideration

Robert Lee's new city officials held their first meeting Wednesday night of last week, the session also being attended by members of the old city commission.

A check of the records showed cash balances on hand as follows: Water fund \$1,601, General fund \$1,407, Sinking fund \$908. Former Mayor Bruce Clift said an electric pump for a new water well had been purchased in Ballinger for \$500. The sum of \$200 had been paid and the remainder is to be paid \$100 per month.

It was also brought out that the city recently purchased 100 new water meters. One shipment of 12 has been received and put into use and others will be shipped as needed and when funds are available to pay for same. They cost \$16 each. The meter deposit was recently raised from \$3 to \$5.

Records show that the city has \$31,500 bonds outstanding and they draw 5 per cent interest. The bonds were issued in 1937 as refunding bonds and some of them will not mature until 1961. A \$1,500 bond due this year has already been retired. Next year \$2,000 will be due and a few of the last maturing bonds are for \$3,000 each.

Before the session ended Mayor McNeil Wylie and Commissioners Fern Havins and T. A. McMillan agreed that the water problem will get their immediate consideration. They plan to engage competent engineering advice as to the requirements of both a water supply and distribution system, and leave it up to the people to vote necessary bonds to make the desired improvements.

Mayor Wylie said the new commission plans to follow a middle of the road path in the matter and not recommend top heavy expenditures that would be a hardship on the taxpayers.

Mrs. Russell Resigns As Postmaster Here

Mrs. Carroll Russell has resigned as postmaster in Robert Lee and requested the department to be relieved of her duties by June 30.

At that time she will have completed 13 years in the office, having succeeded Myrtle Hurley as postmaster on July 1, 1935.

The office pays \$2,800 a year at present and appointments are for life.

Usual procedure in making post office appointments is for the Civil Service Commission to conduct examinations, with either of the three highest applicants being eligible. Final selection is usually made by the congressman.

Nancy Fay, small daughter of Mrs. Bertrice Woods, was taken to the Bronte hospital Sunday night for treatment of an infection which followed recent bruises.

Mrs. Elmo Bell submitted to a major operation Thursday morning at a San Angelo hospital. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Davis.

O. W. Davis, Jr., 21 months old, has been a hospital patient in San Angelo with pneumonia. He is much improved.

Blackwell Coming Sunday

The Blackwell Independent base ball club will cross bats with Robert Lee on the local diamond next Sunday afternoon. Game time is 3 o'clock and there will be admission charge of 40 cents to help the base ball fund. Managers of the Robert Lee team are still anxious to round out a strong club for the opening of the Concho Basin league on Sunday, May 2.

County Convention

Dr. J. K. Griffith, county chairman, announces the Coke County Democratic convention will be held in Robert Lee at 2 p. m. May 4, when delegates will be named to the state convention in Brownwood.

Mrs. Gale Brown, 76, Mourned By Many

The McKenzieville and Silver communities were deeply saddened this week by the sudden death of Mrs. G. A. Brown. She was stricken with a heart attack Sunday and immediately taken to a San Angelo hospital where she passed away Monday afternoon.

Services were conducted Tuesday at 3 p. m. at the McKenzieville cemetery in charge of Bro. Austin Varner of Snyder, Texas.

Dolly Lucinda Conner was born in Williamson county, Texas, Aug. 21, 1871, and departed this life at San Angelo, Texas, April 19, 1948. She had reached the age of 76 years, 7 months and 29 days.

She was married to G. A. Brown, at Silver, Texas, Oct. 25, 1903, and they resided in the community for 37 years. "Aunt Doll" was held in high esteem by everyone and her passing is mourned by a wide circle of relatives and friends. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Surviving are her husband, two daughters and two sons, Harold Brown of Van Court and Mrs. Vera Jameson, Mrs. Faye Moore and Grover S. Brown of Silver. She also leaves two sisters, Miss Emma Conner of Silver and Mrs. Docia Brown of San Angelo. There are seven grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Steers Win 2 Games

Robert Lee high school won two base ball games on the local diamond this week. The Steers ran over Blackwell 29 to 5 on Tuesday and the following day defeated Norton 13 to 0. Bronte plays here next Wednesday at 2 p. m.

Buys New Home

County Judge Bob L. Davis has purchased one of the new homes recently constructed by John Brown and Earl Roberts in the Riverview Drive addition at the south edge of town. Bob and his family are now occupying the property.

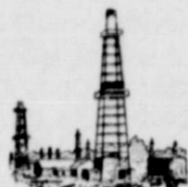
Benefit Party

The American Legion Auxiliary is sponsoring a benefit party Saturday, April 24, in the Masonic building. There will be games of dominoes, '42, bridge, etc. The public is invited to attend.

For Sale—28 ft. trailer house with Frigidaire, \$500 down J. H. Escue, 2025 N. Magdalen, San Angelo, Texas.

Mrs. C. M. Byrd is receiving medical treatment at San Angelo, following a light case of pneumonia and complications. She is at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Gladys McClure.

Notes from the Oil Field



R. L. English, superintendent of production, and E. B. Hudson, director of purchasing, were out from the Dallas regional office this week.

Raymond K. Jones of Dallas has been transferred to Sun's office at Silver, succeeding Paul Machel, who resigned and returned to his home in Wichita Falls.

Jack Maxwell, chief clerk at Silver is spending the week in the Dallas office. His family is visiting at Gladewater.

J. B. Hamilton, district superintendent of Midland, and his clerk, Geo. C. Lesler, spent some time this week in the Coke county field.

Sherman Anderson is completing another new business building next to the new post office at Silver. He hopes to lease it for a grocery store. "Red" is also working on a fine new filling station across the street.

The Garner cafe will be enlarged and greatly improved during the coming week. The kitchen is to be moved into a new addition to the west, leaving a dining room with dimensions of 20 x 30 feet. New booths, tables and counters will be installed.

Buck Bond recently moved from San Angelo to Robert Lee and has his trailer house parked at the home of Mrs. Pearl Rutherford. Buck was a driller for Roberts & Hawkins who brought in Sun's No. 1 Allen Jameson discovery well late in 1946. He says he has missed only 22 days of work since the middle of September, 1946. By making the additional 60 mile round trip to and from San Angelo every day the past year and a half, Buck drove more than 30,000 miles.

Commissioner Henry Varnadore was a visitor at camp one day this week. Oil field folks are still waiting for completion of a road from the pavement to the school house.

Clifford Ramsey is a new switcher for Sun in the Jameson field at Silver. Ramsey comes from Delhi, La., and for the present his family is residing in Robert Lee. Clifford is a ball player, too, and was in Robert Lee's lineup Sunday.

Another new Sun employee at Silver is Jack Mowbray of Odessa, who has been assigned here as production foreman. He and his family will occupy the new residence which is nearing completion at Jameson Camp.

Tex Garner's welding truck was badly damaged by fire Tuesday of last week. The machine was being used at the pipe yard when sparks ignited flames under the hood. The engine and cab were damaged considerably before the blaze was extinguished. Tex was covered by insurance.

Farrell (Butch) Ray, Jr. arrived last week to spend a couple of months working with the Ray-Harris Drilling company which has two rotary rigs drilling for Sun in northwestern Coke county. Butch is a student at Massachusetts Institute of Technology and will return east in June for the summer session.

W. A. Payne recently visited his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Snyder, at Van Horn.

Bank Shows Gains

Elsewhere in this issue appears a condensed statement of the Robert Lee State Bank showing its condition on April 12th. Since the first of the year footings gained more than \$100,000 and passed the million dollar mark. Deposits are up \$109,000 and loans have increased more than \$60,000.

Grade School Operetta

The elementary grades of the Robert Lee public school will present an evening of entertainment on the night of Friday, April 30, beginning promptly at 7:45. The program will include rhythm band numbers, choruses and the operetta "The Maid and the Golden Slipper." Everyone is cordially invited to attend this free program.

Grant 5 Divorces In District Court

The spring term of district court for Coke county opened Monday with Judge John F. Sutton presiding.

Jim McCutchen served as foreman of the grand jury which returned two forgery indictments against Darwin Ashlock. The 21 year old Wichita Falls youth cashed a number of forged checks in Bronte and Robert Lee last fall.

He was later apprehended at Van Horn and already been sentenced to nine years in prison for similar crimes in other counties. He is now in jail at Beckenridge and will be brought here for trial next Monday.

A jury was drawn Monday afternoon to try the damage case of M. B. Chastain vs. Edgar E. Martin. Before presenting any evidence plaintiff dropped the suit and the jury was excused until next Monday.

Five divorces were granted, as follows: Billie Whitley from Jay W. Whitley.

Bertrice Woods from Leroy Woods, defendant to pay \$40 per month as child support.

Ernest Meek from Dorothy Meek.

Evona J. LeBarre from Joseph D. LeBarre.

J. M. Sims from Iva Sims.

With the Wildcats

Algord's No. 1 Jack Lassiter, 2 miles northwest of Sanco, was drilling ahead Thursday at 3,624 feet in lime and shale. Log shows formation is running 130 feet higher than the Arledge tests a few miles to the north and east. J. M. Myers, pusher on the contract for Helmerich & Payne, has moved to Robert Lee and lives at the new trailer camp opened by Mrs. Littlefield.

Allen Guiberson, one of the Algord Oil Co. owners has been on the lease this week watching operations. They own a 3,400 acre block in the area.

Al Hill's No. 1 Ralph Harris estate had reached 1,200 feet in its first week of drilling. Location is south of the Colorado River on the upper end of the old Saul Ranch. It is a half mile east of No. 2 Central National Bank, an offset test in Sun's South Jameson field.

Seaboard-Southern Minerals joint test on the M. G. Reed place 10 miles southeast of Robert Lee, was drilling Wednesday at 5,520 feet in lime.

Shamrock's test on the Wendland Ranch, 8 miles southeast of Robert Lee, was drilling at 4,230 feet.

Dan Auld's No. 1 E. C. Rawlings 1 1-2 miles west of Bronte, began drilling this week.

H. Jameson No. 6 Makes 231 Barrels For 24th Producer

Flowing 231 barrels of 47.8 gravity oil in an official 24-hour test Sun's Homer Jameson No. 6 was completed last week as the 24th producing oil well in Coke county. After getting sulphur water in the Ellenburger the test was plugged back to 6,394 feet where production was secured in the Strawn section of the Pennsylvanian.

Fred Jameson No. 6 tested 23 barrels to become the 23rd producer and is the only pumper in the field.

Indications are that No. 2 Arledge will make a producer of some kind, possibly a pumper. After failing in the Ellenburger it was plugged back to the Marble Falls around 6,600 feet. Formations were very tight, but 14,000 gallons of acid have been used. The well flowed a barrel an hour Tuesday and is showing very strong heads of gas.

Ray-Harris company's rotary rig was released Sunday night and moved to No. 3 Arledge, a south offset to Arledge No. 1. Drilling started early in the week and 9 5-8 inch casing was set Thursday to 1,200 feet.

No. 1 Central National Bank, south of the river, is still coring and testing in the Ellenburger, having reached 7,314 feet. Formations are reported tight with little show of oil. The Ellenburger was topped at 7,197 feet.

No. 9 Homer Jameson was drilling this week at 6,603 feet in lime and is continuing to test the Marble Falls. A good oil show was encountered around 6,100 feet.

No. 4 Mathers found the top of the reef at 5,858, about 100 ft. high. Some good oil and gas showings are reported.

No. 8 Homer Jameson had reached 4,157 feet in shale and was fishing for five drill collars.

No. 1 H. L. Bloodworth set 9 5-8 inch pipe to 1,235 feet with 500 sacks.

No. 2 Central National Bank was drilling in shale at 5,363 feet.

No. 1 Elwood on Spade ranch in Mitchell county was drilling in shale at 5,473 feet.

School Still Without New Superintendent

At a special meeting last Thursday night L. B. T. Sikes was hired as superintendent of the Robert Lee schools. However, a telegram was received from him Thursday morning stating that he would be unable to accept the position. Sikes is high school principal and coach at Ozona. The school board has a list of applicants and will no doubt make another selection in the near future.

Mrs. Jodie Devoll and little daughter, Sharon, of Happy recently visited here in the J. N. Baugh home. Mrs. Devoll's sister, Mrs. Jim Smith of Dermott, motored to Robert Lee with her.

Robert Lee Observer

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

Published Every Friday

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

Subscription \$2.00 a Year
Six Months \$1.00

When Your Subscription Expires This Paper Is Promptly Discontinued

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

COL-TEX

Gasoline



Wholesale

Phone 127

Varnadore Bros.

Your Home Town Gas and Oil Men

Prevent Colds

Start taking oral cold vaccine. It comes in tablet or capsule form.

Protect your health by taking vitamins.

BILBO DRUG



Hayrick Lodge
No. 696 A. F. & A. M.

Meets second Tuesday night in each month. Visitors welcome.

R. S. Crum, W. M. H. B. Yarbrough, Sec.

Coke County PLANING MILL

On Bronte Highway
Half Mile East of Robert Lee

Kitchen Cabines, Store Fixtures, Screen Doors, Window Screens, Moulding, Doors, General Mill Work

Moderate Prices
Work Guaranteed

JOE MATHIS Owner

SADDLES

We are in position to give you two to four weeks service on new Saddles. Order now!

Finest of SHOE REPAIRING—Leddy's for Leather, any kind, any time!

M. L. LEDDY Saddle & Boot Shop

24 S. Chadbourne San Angelo

Adams

Abstract & Insurance Co.

Abstracts

Fire, Auto and Casualty Insurance

Phone 21—Robert Lee, Texas

If you don't get The Observer
You don't get The News!

Bronte Takes 12-11 Game From Oilers

Bronte nosed out Robert Lee 12 to 11 in a weird base ball game at Bronte Sunday afternoon. While frequent flurries of wind and dust was a serious handicap to players and most unpleasant to the fans, backers of the Robert Lee club are still wondering whether or not their entry will amount to much in the Concho Basin league which opens May 2.

The Oilers went to work in the first inning and pounced upon the offerings of Marvin Corley for five runs. Bowman led off with a single to center and Bond followed with a single past third. Green was safe on an error at first, loading the bases. Clarence Tinkler singled to left to bring in two runs. Fred Campbell flied out to first. Higgins was safe on an error at short. John Conley hit safely to center to score Green and Tinkler and Ramsey drove a hit to left that scored Higgins. Johnson flied to center for the third out.

Johnson took the mound for Robert Lee but walked the first two batters and was relieved by Clarence Tinkler. Both Card and Percifull stole bases and scored when a grounder by Williams got past Johnson. Jack Corley, Spoons and Bagwell then struck out. Robert Lee picked up a run in the second and two more in the fourth fane and were leading 7 to 2, when Bronte came up in the last of the fifth.

Judge Sandusky led off with a hit to left. Card walked and Percifull fanned. Williams popped up to the pitcher. Jack Corley walked to fill the bases. Spoons who pitched the last six innings, was hit with a pitched ball and Sandusky scored. Bagwell walked and Card was forced in with another run. Johnson came back on the mound to relieve Tinkler. He walked Scott and forced in Corley. Craig flied to Green to retire the side. Three runs, one hit, four bases on balls and a hit batsman.

Robert Lee scored two more in the sixth. Johnson cracked a single to left, and Bowman flied out to left. Bond laced a single to left and Johnson was thrown out at the plate when Green shot a roller to Percifull. Clarence Tinkler's third hit scored Bond and Green.

Bronte came back with two runs in their half of the sixth. Sandusky grounded out to Chilly Tinkler, now playing first. Card was safe on an infield hit. Chilly let Percifull's grounder get past him. Williams struck out. Clarence Tinkler now playing third, muffed Jack Corley's grounder and Card and Percifull scored. Spoons drew a walk and Bagwell struck out to retire the side.

Robert Lee did more scoring in the seventh inning. Higgins was safe on an error by Percifull. Conley was safe on an infield hit. Ramsey was out on a pop up to Jack Corley, now catching. Johnson drew a walk. Higgins and Conley scored on Bowman's roller to short, but Johnson was thrown out at second. Bond flied to left.

Bronte won the ball game in the seventh. Scott, Craig and Sandusky each hit safely and Card was safe on a fielders choice. Percifull walked and Williams struck out. Jack Corley cleared the bases with a two-bagger. Spoons and Bagwell struck out, but five runs were in and Bronte went ahead to win the game 12 to 11.

Bowman, Bond and Clarence Tinkler each had three hits and Conley made two. The Oilers secured 14 safeties, compared to 7 for Bronte. Robert Lee hurlers issued 8 passes on balls and hit two batters, and that just about ruined things.

Death of L. I. Dean

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Dean were called to Lamesa by the illness of the former's brother, L. I. Dean, Sr., who suffered a stroke on Tuesday and passed away early Thursday morning. Jeff Dean of Bronte and his sister, Janet, went to Lamesa for the funeral on Friday. Nora May of New York and Della Dean of Ft. Worth returned with the family to Robert Lee for brief visit.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners Court of Coke County, Texas, will, on the 10th day of May, 1948, at 10:00 o'clock a. m. in its usual meeting place in the court house at Robert Lee, Texas, proceed to receive and consider competitive bids for the purchase of the following described road machinery:

One Heavy Duty Tandem Drive Motor Grader; must be equipped with full diesel motor and develop not less than 75 brake horsepower and equipped with all steel cab and weigh not less than 22000 lbs. Bidder must accept as trade-in one used Caterpillar No. 10 Patrol now owned by Coke County.

and will at such time let a contract therefor if any bid be accepted; all such bids to be made as required by law; and if any bid be accepted it is the intention of the Court to issue time warrants on said County in payment of all or part of such proposed contract, in the maximum amount of \$10,100.00, to bear per cent interest per annum, the last maturity date of such warrants to be not later than the year of 1958.

Bob L. Davis
County Judge; by Order of
The Commissioners Court

Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Sparks and family of Colorado City spent the weekend visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Walker, near Edith. They also visited Mr. Sparks' sister, Mrs. T. R. Harmon, and Mrs. Sam Duncan. The latter is an aunt of Mrs. Sparks.

Political Announcements

Rates:

Precinct Office	-----	\$10.00
County Office	-----	15.00
District	-----	20.00
Congressional	-----	20.00
State	-----	20.00

NOTE: The above prices include one write-up of not to exceed 250 words; additional wording will be charged for at the rate of 2 cents per word. This price does not include a subscription to this publication.

The Robert Lee Observer is authorized to announce the candidacy of the following persons, subject to the 1948 Democratic primaries:

For Congress, 21st District:

O. C. FISHER
(Re-election)

HOWELL E. COBB

For State Representative:

W. H. RAMPY

For County Judge and School Supt.:

BOB L. DAVIS
(Re-election)

JEFF DEAN

For County Treasurer:

RUBY L. PETTIT
(Re-election)

For District and County Clerk:

WILLIS SMITH
(Re-election)

For Sheriff, Tax Collector and Assessor:

PAUL GOOD
(Re-election)

For County Attorney:

FRANK C. DICKEY

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:

H. C. VARNADORE
(Re-election)

J. C. STRICKLAND

J. W. SERVICE

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:

OTIS SMITH
(Re-election)

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:

T. R. HARMON
(Re-election)

A. B. SHEPPARD

RALPH GARVIN

DEAD ANIMALS

Un-Skinned

REMOVED free

CALL COLLECT
San Angelo 3200

If no answer

call 4023-2

SAN ANGELO

By-Products, Inc.

LOONEY

Lumber and Hardware Co.

—SEE US FOR—

Lumber, Building Materials of All Kinds, Paint, Windmills, Well Supplies, Hardware, Plumbing Fixtures, Home Appliances.

Wool Market

We will pay good prices for 12 months wool clips of any size. Will buy also Clippings, Tags, dead, pulled etc.

Warehouse at the Cotton Oil Mill
BALLINGER TEXAS

Fields & Johnson

Vernon C. Lammers

BUILDING MATERIALS

Bronte, Texas

Let us do Your Building of Lumber,
Concrete or Masonry

Lammers & Lammers Constr. Co.
Phone 145 Bronte, Texas

A TRIBUTE

The other day your San Angelo Telephone Company received a letter from one of its subscribers praising the unusual service he received from one of our operators. When we mentioned it to the operator, she blushed prettily and said, "Oh, it was nothing—just part of the job."

That answer is typical of telephone workers—the lineman who works through all kinds of weather and dangerous emergencies—the business office representative, unfailingly courteous—the operator, the voice with a smile. We're proud of our telephone workers—and proud of their true-to-tradition following of the telephone workers creed of service—courtesy—efficiency.

THE SAN ANGELO TELEPHONE CO.

"Fifty Years Serving West Texas"

We Appreciate Your Business

FURNITURE

FOR THE HOME

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE CO.

PHONE 5157 SAN ANGELO

SILVER NEWS

By Juanice Jameson

April weather, but no showers! This is the time of year you see the typical West Texan lean on the fence with one hand, slowly push his hat back and scratch his head with the other, while making the remark that maybe this wind will blow up a rain. Some say the south winds bring rain. At any rate there were clouds Tuesday morning.

Clouds. Yes, and sadness in the community, too. Mrs. G. A. Brown passed away Monday, April 19. She was the mother of Mrs. Allen Jameson and Skeet Brown of Silver, Harold Brown of Van Court and Mrs. Russ Moore of McKenzieville. Mrs. Frederick Maxwell is a granddaughter whom she raised. Miss Emma Conner of McKenzieville is a sister.

Aunt Dolly, as she was lovingly known, was truly a pioneer of Silver, having lived in the community many years.

Bro. H. L. Bloodworth, who is a patient at Shannon hospital in San Angelo, is reported to be improving.

Correction on last week's column. Bill Blair is a junior at Robert Lee high school, instead of a senior as stated in this writing of last week. Sunday brought to the Silver

Baptist church a record attendance for Sunday School with 44 present.

Next Sunday Bro. C. B. Underwood of Buford will preach. He will be remembered by many as both he and his wife taught in the Silver schools several years ago. Sunday School at 10 and preaching at 11.

Services were held last Sunday at the Church of Christ at 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. Preaching days are the first and third Sundays.

Let's make this Sunday a record one. Try to be in church somewhere. If you are in the Silver community you will find a friendly welcome at either church.

Visiting with the A. E. Rose family over Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brumlow and son, Bob, of Kermit.

Mrs. Fred Jones is assistant postmaster at Silver until Mrs. Odom's school term is out.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones were their daughter and family, Mrs. Victor Justice, of Odessa.

Anyone who wishes a mail box at Silver is requested to sign up as soon as possible. The order will be sent away soon.

Mrs. Jeffie Garrett of Big Spring and Mrs. Landon Dorn of Colorado City visited here Saturday night with the former's mother, Mrs. W. H. Bell.

Learn Son's Body Buried in France

Information that the remains of Verdon T. Allen lie buried in a United States Military cemetery in southern France, has been received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Allen of Silver. This was the first word that the body had been recovered after his plane was shot down Aug. 20, 1944, off the south coast of France.

Verdon, 28 year old First Lieutenant in the Air Corps, was a bombardier on a B-26 based on Sardinia. He was on his 39th mission when the plane was hit by enemy fire and fell into the sea. All four of the crew members went down with the disabled plane, while three gunners parachuted to safety and were rescued. Mr. and Mrs. Allen later received letters from some of the gunners which recited details of the crew's fate.

Now the War Department writes from Washington April 7 that the remains of Lieut. Allen and others of the crew were washed ashore three days after their bomber went down. Positive identification was made by dental comparisons and a bracelet inscribed with Verdon's name and army serial number. The remains were originally buried in an isolated grave at La Seyne, France, but were later disinterred and properly identified as a result of subsequent investigation.

Richard B. Coombs, Major QMC, wrote: "I am therefore gratified to inform you that the remains of your son are now resting in Plot E, Row 2, Grave 594, in the United States Military Cemetery, at Luynes, France. This cemetery is located 24 miles north of Marseille, and is under constant care and supervision of our government."

Mr. and Mrs. Allen were further notified that they may have the remains sent home for permanent burial, and it is probable they will make such a request. In the meantime they will contact families of the other members of the crew who were lost.

Verdon had been employed four years by the Sante Fe railroad at Winslow, Ariz., when he entered the service in March 1943. He went overseas the first of April in 1944 and got into action a short time later. He was awarded the Air Medal and 12 Oak Leaf Clusters.

Folks You Know

H. L. Scott is here from El Paso this week visiting home folks. He had been at Phoenix, Ariz., the past few months. Mr. Scott and his brother are distributors for Toddy, a new malted milk canned product recently put on the market by the Wander company. The Scotts have established their headquarters in El Paso.

Ivey Motor Co. recently delivered a new 2-ton Ford truck chassis to Varnadore Oil company.

County Agent Hicks says he failed to mention in the article concerning the recent shearing school that animals for the demonstration were furnished by Tom Schooler, Delmir Sheppard and C. E. Arrott.

Maurice Yarbrough and wife of Abilene spent the weekend here with her sister, Mrs. B. B. Pierce, and family.

The Boyd Yarbrough family of Snyder visited over the weekend among their relatives and friends in Robert Lee.

Benny Gilbert, who was seriously injured in a truck accident several months ago, is now back at his home in Bronte.

The Bill Allens and baby son of Abilene, the Bill Archers and little son of San Angelo and the Durward Allen family of Van Court were Sunday guests in the parental R. B. Allen home at Silver.

Mary Pearl Bearden spent the weekend at Lamesa with her parents, the O. R. Beardens. Her father has improved from a recent illness.

Mrs. Sherm Anderson recently visited at Slaton with her sister, Mrs. O. O. Burlison.

ABERDEEN-ANGUS

"The Supreme Beef Breed"

1. Good rustlers . . . if there's a bite to eat, they'll make beef out of it!
2. Hornless . . . no dehorning!
3. No eye trouble . . . that's something!
4. Heavier calves at weaning time!
5. Early and consistent breeders!
6. Uniform type and color!
7. Quiet and easy to handle!

If YOU want to produce more beef on less feed, ABERDEEN-ANGUS ARE WHAT YOU NEED!

START YOUR ANGUS HERD NOW!

Registered and commercial breeding stock for sale

Marvin Simpson

"It's Beef That Counts"



Styles Change

..... but good grooming is the most important factor in what you wear. A garment that is kept clean and smartly pressed will always be stylish, even though it may be several years old. You can rely on us to give your garments the kind of service that will keep them in style. Each one is given personalized care to guarantee satisfaction.

Y-Mack Cleaners

Genuine CHEVROLET

Accessories

See our display of Clocks, Spot Lights, Fog Lights, Mirrors, Windshield Washers, Kleenex Dispensers, Bumper and Fender Treads, Radios, Heaters, Seat Covers, Etc.

Casey Chevrolet Co.

ROBERT MASSIE CO.

Everything In Furniture
Ambulance Service Funeral Home
San Angelo, Texas

The Observer Is Coke County's Oldest Business Institution

Save Money

At Dupre's Bargain Store

In making this announcement we wish to acquaint ourselves with the people of Robert Lee and all the surrounding communities, so come in and get acquainted with us.

We have Bargains for Everyone Every Day of the Week.

You are always Welcome at our Store.

DUPRE'S BARGAIN STORE

Robert Lee, Texas

Fishing Tackle

Good stock on hand, and more coming in soon.

Enamelware Sale

Our stock of high grade enameled Double Boilers must be reduced. These splendid \$2.75 values

Reduced to \$1.49

Dinnerware Sale

Don't miss this special on Hollywood Ware. Attractive and high quality 20-piece sets, regular \$7.50, now

Only \$4.95

Pabco Linoleum Rugs
Pittsburgh Paint & Varnishes

Leeper Supply Co.

Remember back when

(From files of The Coke County Rustler, April 20, 1898)

W. A. Stepp and H. M. Bennick have dissolved partnership.

Attention of the voters is called to the announcement of C. L. Hughes for re-election as county treasurer.

On last Tuesday night we had a sleet that killed the fruit and we understand A. C. Gardner of Edith lost some young lambs.

From Edith came word that Mr. J. E. Ackelson and Miss Arizona Childress were married, J. C. Newton officiating.

Wm. Davis and family have arrived from Madisonville, Ky., and will locate among us. He is a son of our townsman, M. H. Davis.

In this paper appears an announcement of H. E. Johnston for re-election as county tax assessor.

We are informed that Rev. Tom Williams, a Christian preacher of Comanche county, who has been preaching a series of sermons here for some, will probably locate in Robert Lee if he can find a suitable house to live in.

R. I. Kirkland and two brothers W. M. and G. P. Kirkland, were in the city the first of the week. One of the brothers has bought the old I. M. Bennick place on

Boozer Creek.

Rufe Whitesides was in town Thursday on his way out to his ranch on Boozer. He has just returned from a cow buying expedition in the east where he bought three or four hundred head of cattle.

On last Sunday morning Mr. T. J. Yance and M. E. Green were married at Elder Graham's residence. The ceremony was solemnized while the couple remained in their buggy. The contracting parties are two of Sanco's most estimable young people.

Jurors drawn for the first week of court next week: M A Richard, N C Lucas, M Reed, I E Adams, John Sayner, Don Allison, P W Hudman, A S Eubanks, W A Robbins, John Barron, John Cornelius, J A Pettross, S S Coster, G W Moore, W R Hagerton, Henry Bennick, Joe Linley, B F Montgomery, Will Cumbie, W W Norman, Jim Allison, W A Sewal, R M Henderson, Jerry Reed, Jessie Black, Jim Burroughs, J B Cotten, Ben Bilbo, J R McDonald, Rufe Whitesides, J L Hyde, Jack Adkins, A Bennett, W B Harrison.

Manuel Reunion

The Manuel children held a happy reunion Sunday, April 18, at the L. O. McGallian home, where they enjoyed a birthday dinner honoring Mrs. McGallian, who was formerly Susie Manuel. She received a number of nice gifts. Guests present included Mr. and Mrs. George Manuel of Christoval, Mrs. Ella Hammond of El Centro, Calif., Ida Hooten of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Manuel of Maverick, Mrs. Joe Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Clark of San Angelo, Mrs. L. M. Service and Mrs. Emma McGallian.

Hayrick HD Club

The Hayrick Home Demonstration club met April 11 in the home of Mrs. Weaver Mitchell, with everyone answering roll call. Mrs. Bus Robbins gave a talk on "Respect Your Feet." Six members and four visitors were present. Guests from out of town were Mrs. Bob Patterson and Mrs. Crowley Harmon of Robert Lee. Others present were Miss Gladys Waldrop, Mrs. Weaver Mitchell, Mrs. Bus Robbins, Grandmother Waldrop, Mrs. Aubrey Denman, Mrs. Ray Coalson and Jenna Kay and Lannie Denman.—Mrs. Ray Coalson, Reporter.

Opens Store Here

L. L. Dupre is proprietor of a new general merchandise store opened in the building across from Y-Mack Cleaners. He plans to carry a full line of apparel for all members of the family, as well as yard goods, notions, etc. Mr. and Mrs. Dupre have previously been in business at Junction, Coleman, Ballinger and Del Rio. Mrs. E. H. Hurley is helping in the new Dupre store here.

Wed at Mertzton

Mr. Jack Pritchett of Mulhall, Okla., and Miss Mildred Jamison of Robert Lee were married Saturday at 2:30 by the Rev. B. Schilling in Mertzton. They were accompanied by Archie Gentry and Norma Hodges who were also married in a second ceremony.

Mrs. Pritchett is a daughter of Mrs. Mary Barton of Coleman and has been employed in Robert Lee at the Club cafe. She wore a pink and white wedding dress with white accessories. Mr. Pritchett is employed in the Coke county oil field by Baker-Taylor Drilling Co.

Mr. Gentry is also an oil field worker and his wife resides in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ellison and daughter, Darline, of Balmorhea were guests Saturday night in the Linzy McDorman home. They were enroute to Mexia, Texas, to take part in a wolf hunt.

ORDER OF ELECTION To Consolidate Districts

The State of Texas
County of Coke

Whereas, on the 12th day of April, A. D. 1948, a petition was presented to me for an election to be held in Robert Lee Independent School District of this county, on the question of determining whether or not a majority of the legally qualified voters of said District desire that Robert Lee Independent School District of Coke county, shall be consolidated with Sanco Common School District No. 5, of Coke county, for school purposes; and

It appearing that Coke county contains a population of 4500 according to the last United States Census; and

It Further Appearing that said Robert Lee Independent School District has been heretofore properly established by order of the Commissioner's Court as passed on the 27th day of July, 1929, which order is of record in Commissioner's Court Minutes; and

It Further Appearing that said District, as so established, contains an area of 1603 square miles and that no other District has been reduced in area below nine square miles by reason of the creation of this District:

Now, Therefore, I, Bob L. Davis, in my official capacity as county judge of Coke county, Texas, do hereby order that an election be held on the 8th day of May, A. D. 1948, at School Tax Office, in Robert Lee Independent School District of said County, as established by order of the Commissioner's Court as passed on the 27th day of July, 1929, which order is of record in Minutes of Commissioner's Court to determine whether or not a majority of the legally qualified voters of said District desire that Robert Lee Independent School District of Coke county, shall be consolidated with Sanco Common School District No. 5, of Coke county, for school purposes.

Monroe Parker is hereby appointed Presiding Officer for said election and he shall select two Judges and two Clerks to assist him in holding the same and he shall, within five days after said election has been held, make due return thereof to the Commissioner's Court of this county as is required by law for holding a General Election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and of this County and who are resident voters in said District shall be entitled to vote at said election, and all voters who favor the proposition to consolidate the said Districts for school purposes shall have written or printed on the ballots, the words: "FOR CONSOLIDATION"

And those opposed to the proposition to consolidate the said Districts for school purposes shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words: "AGAINST CONSOLIDATION"

Notice of said Election shall be given by posting three notices thereof in three public places within the boundaries of said District for twenty days prior to the date of said election.

Bob L. Davis, County Judge
Coke County, Texas

Herbert Conner Dies After Long Illness

Death Monday afternoon brought relief from a long illness to Herbert H. Conner, 40, former well known Coke county resident. His passing occurred at his home in Colorado City at 5:40 o'clock. He was afflicted with a brain tumor.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday at 5 p. m. at the Colorado City Church of Christ in charge of Bro. Woodie Holden of Midland, assisted by Bro. Craig. Burial was at Colorado City.

Hebert was born June 4, 1907, at Silver, the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Conner. He grew up in that community and resided in Robert Lee a number of years and for the past 12 years lived in Colorado City. He was employed as a city mail carrier until forced to give up his work a couple of years ago because of illness. Herbert was a member of the Church of Christ. He was united in marriage to Thelma Carpenter of Colorado City on April 26, 1928, and they were the parents of a daughter, Neva Rue, who resides at home. Besides his widow and daughter he is survived by his mother, Mrs. S. M. Conner, of Robert Lee.

He also leaves three brothers and five sisters, as follows: J. Roy Conner, Ft. Stockton, Tex., Harney T. Conner, Glenrock, Wyo., Latham Conner, Bakersfield, Calif., Mrs. Bessie Mathers, Silver, Tex., Mrs. Evah Gray, San Antonio, Mrs. Ethel Green, Robert Lee, Mrs.

Pauline Garrett, Alamogordo, N. Mex., and Mrs. Verna Davis, Bakersfield, Calif.

Smith Funeral Friday

Funeral services for J. J. S. Smith Jr., whose body was recently returned from the South Pacific, will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Baptist church in Merkel. Smith enlisted in the Marines on Jan. 27, 1944, and was killed on Iwo Jima March 2, 1945. His twin brother, Samuel, enlisted at the same time and returned safely after the end of the war. Smith was born at Edith Feb. 6, 1926. His parents now reside in Sweetwater, but the funeral will be in Merkel where the boys graduated from high school.

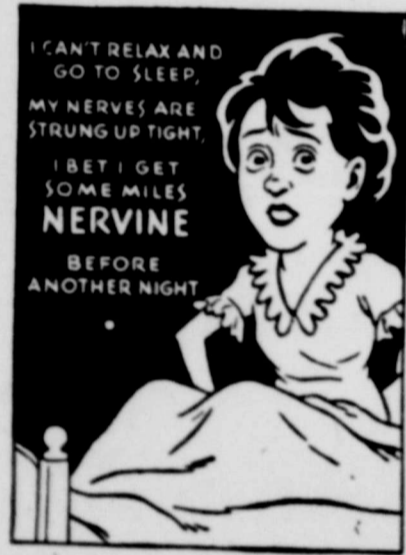
Why Not Use the Best?

Ethyl Gas
24c

Why Pay More?

COX
Station

Just East of Robert Lee on
Bronte Highway



At one time or another most of us become upset and jittery due to overwrought nerves. This makes us irritable, restless and wakeful. You can't do your work well the next day, if you toss and tumble through the night and don't get the rest you need. At such times why not do as so many thousands have done for over sixty years—try

Miles NERVINE

Miles Nervine is a mild but effective sedative that helps soothe overwrought nerves and permits refreshing sleep. It has brought restful nights and peaceful days to thousands. Ask your druggist for genuine Miles Nervine. Have it on hand and be prepared next time tense nerves threaten to keep you awake or make you nervous. CAUTION, use only as directed. All drug stores have Miles Nervine.

Effervescent Tablets, 33c-75c
Liquid Nervine 25c-\$1.00



MILES NERVINE

It's Time For Air Conditioning

We have various sizes to suit your needs for home or office

Penquin, Masters and Utility Evaporation Coolers

18 MONTHS TO PAY

Plumbing and Electrical Fixtures

Ivey Electric

Home Appliance Store

Robert Lee, Texas

Rail travel made easier



Ask about these special features now available for Santa Fe travelers

Rail Travel Loan—Travel Santa Fe now—pay later in easy monthly installments. Funds available for rail accommodations and other expenses for your trip. Simply make application for this service with your railroad ticket or travel agent.

Travel Credit Cards—Charge Santa Fe tickets as easily as you would department store purchases. Anyone with proper credit rating may have a rail credit card. Present it at any Santa Fe ticket window to charge rail, parlor-car, or sleeping-car tickets (amounting to \$5.00 or more) to any part of the country. Bills rendered monthly.

Rail Auto Service—Enjoy the comfort and economy of rail travel—and still have the convenience of a late-model automobile at your destination. Moderate cost. This plan now in operation in many U. S. cities.

Prepaid Tickets—Tickets can be delivered to any point in the U. S. by making a deposit with your Santa Fe ticket agent. Pullman accommodations, incidental cash included, if desired. A particularly attractive service for transportation arrangements of elderly people, invalids, students, etc.

Parmelee Transfer—Passengers holding tickets through Chicago may ride Parmelee coaches from the Dearborn station to any out-going depot, hotel, or downtown destination. Baggage included. This service available by presenting the Parmelee coupon which is a part of your through rail ticket.

For complete information
just call your Santa Fe Agent

Senior Class to Visit Hardin-Simmons U

Senior students of Robert Lee high school are among those invited to be "collegians for a day" at Hardin-Simmons university Saturday April 24, when the University plays host to several thousand students in annual Senior Day.

The seniors will be entertained with a program at 10:30 Saturday morning in the new Rose Field House. Following the morning program, the students will be guests at a barbecue with members of the H-SU Cowgirl band playing lunch-eon music.

All buildings on the campus will hold Open House from 12:30 to 3 o'clock. Visiting students may inspect the various dormitories, bookstore, gymnasiums and classroom buildings.

There will also be an opportunity for students to counsel with faculty members concerning their educational program.

The program will be concluded in the afternoon and evening when the seniors will be guests at the second annual Hardins-Simmons intercollegiate rodeo. There will be bareback and saddle bronc stomping, steer riding, calf roping, and wild cow milking for the waddies while the cow-lassies will vie for honors in goat tying and cow milking. All contestants will be college students.

Invitations have been sent to all senior classes in West Texas. "It is possible we have overlooked some individual or group. A formal invitation is not necessary. If you want to come, you are welcome," according to W. C. Ribble, chairman of the program.

The senior day program has been a traditional event at Hardin-Simmons. Thousands of students in the past 25 years have been guests of the school on this day.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmir Morris Sheppard and daughter, Janie Ann, came from Rankin for a weekend visit in the parental Delmir Sheppard home.

Mrs. Lee Hallmark was brought home Monday from the Bronte hospital where she was treated for several days for blood poisoning in her right hand.

Mrs. Fred Campbell returned home Sunday from a few days' stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Jameson, at O'Donnell. While there she consulted a doctor in Lubbock.

Silver HD Club

Members of the Silver Home Demonstration club met April 13 at the Silver Baptist church. Mrs. R. B. Allen led the members in a prayer and roll was called by the club secretary, Mrs. J. Jameson. Miss Bearden, county home demonstration agent, talked on house planning and distributed pamphlets on same. Members present included Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Fred Asher, Mrs. G. B. Gebhart, Mrs. J. L. Legg, Mrs. Will Carr, Mrs. Victor McCabe, Mrs. J. Jameson, Mrs. W. S. Powell and a new member, Mrs. A. E. Rose. On April 27th the club will meet in the home of Mrs. Allen at 2 p. m. Love to all.—Edith Gebhart, Reporter.

SANCO NEWS

By Mrs. Sam Fowler

Mrs. T. A. Gartman returned home last Friday from the Bronte hospital and is doing nicely.

"Waddy" Fowler became ill Friday and was taken to the Bronte hospital Sunday and is being treated for kidney trouble. He was reported Monday to be improving.

Effie Carwile returned Friday to Sterling City where she is employed.

People up this way enjoy getting their mail earlier. The papers are here while it is still cool of a morn.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Adkins and Joy visited at Blackwell Sunday.

Robert Lee people sure don't get lonesome when they go to the hospital at Bronte. They are sure to see a neighbor or someone they know. The fact is that Robert Lee and surrounding territory keep the hospital busy.

Methodist Church

In the absence of Rev. Estes, the Methodist pastor, Mr. Cecil Barnes, attorney of San Angelo, will be the guest speaker Sunday morning at the 11 o'clock service April 25th. Special music has been arranged and the public is cordially invited. Rev. and Mrs. Estes and Mrs. O. D. Dudley of Danville, Va., are spending a few days in San Antonio and Austin before Mrs. Dudley returns to her home in Virginia.

Horace Holland of Ballinger has located in Robert Lee and plans to move in a number of dwelling houses.

Financial Backing For Base Ball Club

The following donations to the Robert Lee Independent base ball club have been reported:

Ray-Harris Drilling Co.	\$25.00
Jack Lassiter	25.00
Bruce Clift	5.00
Henry Varnadore	10.00
Ralph Garvin	5.00
J. C. Stickland	10.00
M System Store	5.00
City Cafe	3.00
Red Garrett	3.00
Roach's Dept. Store	10.00
Frank Bryan's Market	5.00
A. B. Sheppard	10.00
J. C. Snead	1.00
Casey Chevrolet Co	5.00
G. E. Davis	1.00
Y-Mack Cleaners	5.00
Harmon Bros.	2.00
Ivey Motor Co.	5.00
Brown & Clark	10.00
Havins & Vowell	5.00
Frank Percifull	5.00
G. C. Allen	10.00
Palmer Leeper	5.00
Cragin Lumber Co.	5.00
Genie Baker	5.00
Bill Ratliff	20.00
Earl Roberts	3.00
Willis Smith	10.00
Paul Good	5.00
Bilbo Drug	5.00
Johnny Meyers	3.00

Notice to Bidders

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received in the office of the county judge on Monday, May 3, 1948, for the construction of a Coke Co. Court House Annex. Separate bids shall be submitted for plumbing and electrical work. A check or cash in the amount of 10 per cent of the bid shall accompany each bid, to be returned upon satisfactory completion of the contract, as approved by the Commissioners Court of Coke County. Plans and specifications are available at the office of the County Judge. The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.—By order of the Commissioners Court, Bob L. Davis, County Judge.

Mrs. O. M. Ratliff and granddaughter, Barbara Jean, of Blackwell spent Sunday here with relatives and friends.

Havins & Vowell

Complete Automotive Service

Phone 38

ROBERT LEE, TEXAS

Cosden Gas and Motor Oil
Brunswick Tires
Accessories and Parts

★ ★ ★

We specialize in General Automotive Work—whether it be replacing a spark plug or rebuilding an engine. We have a complete line of Parts and Accessories and will be pleased to give you an estimate on any work you have. All work is guaranteed and must give you satisfaction or it's our baby.

Made Right Styled Right Priced Right



28-A West Beauregard

San Angelo, Texas

The Observer Is Coke County's Oldest Business Institution

Robert Lee PLUMBING CO.

I have a good line of
Coolers, Bathroom Fixtures
and Rough-in Materials

LESLIE LOFTON

AYERS SUPREME CHICK STARTER

EXCEPTIONAL RESULTS AT NO EXTRA COST

Rapid Development

Always keep Ayers Chick Starter before your baby chicks and observe the remarkable results. Your chicks will become heavier, healthy birds and will feather out earlier.

Get Ayer Supreme Feeds At

KEY FEED STORE

ROBERT LEE, TEXAS



KANNADY PLUMBING SHOP

First Block North of High School

Plumbing Repairs & Contracting

ALL JOBS GUARANTEED

R. W. "Dick" KANNADY

Statement of Condition of

Robert Lee State Bank

ROBERT LEE, TEXAS

APRIL 12, 1948

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts	\$368,286.76
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	2,050.00
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	1,500.00
State and County Securities	9,465.96
U. S. Bonds and Securities	363,360.36
Cash and Exchange	272,433.20
Total	\$1,017,096.28

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	25,000.00
Surplus	25,000.00
Undivided Profits	11,572.86
Deposits	955,523.42
Total	\$1,017,096.28

OFFICERS:

R. W. Smith, President G. C. Allen, Vice President
T. A. Richardson, Cashier

DIRECTORS: D. R. Campbell, R. W. Smith, R. C. Russell
G. C. Allen, T. A. Richardson

MEMBER FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION

Folks You Know

A group of Robert Lee relatives including the H. L. Scotts, G. C. Allens, J. F. McCabe, Jr. and wife J. C. Snead, Jr. and family, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cumbie joined the Horace Scotts of Del Rio in a picnic on the Devil's River Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Wilkerson and son, Wayne, of McCamey were weekend guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy P. Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Counts of Karval, Colo., are visiting their parents, the Roy Taylors and Alvin Counts.

Those attending a fish fry Sunday night in the L. B. Mahon home included Joe Dodson, Jr. and family, E. J. Thomason, James Thomason and wife, Blackie Bowen and family, R. D. Ross, Hubert Buchanan and wife, P. E. Mahon and wife and Mrs. Minnie Buchanan.

The T. M. Wylie, Jr. family spent Sunday with Mrs. Wylie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Craddock, in Colorado City.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Fields and son, Jerry, of Mertzon, spent the weekend with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Fields.

Mrs. Nell McDaniel, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley S. als and Mrs. Eva McDaniel of Floresville visited here Sunday evening at the home of Mrs. W. H. Bell. Mrs. Eva McDaniel and Mrs. Bell are sisters.

Mrs. Hubert Buchanan, who is employd in a beauty shop at Junction, was home for a visit the first of the week.

Alvin Ellison of Balmorhea visited relatives in Robert Lee on Sunday. He is a nephew of Mrs. R. C. Roberts.

Martha Kaye, 20 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Sheppard, was taken to the Bronte hospital Saturday where she was treated for pneumonia.

Turney and Mike Casey and their families enjoyed a fishing trip to the Colorado River near Ballinger on Saturday night.

Mrs. Homer Smith

Mrs. Homer Smith, a former Coke county resident, died Friday afternoon at Midland. She was the former Laura Hall and lived in Robert Lee as a girl with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Millard Hall. She was a niece of Mrs. W. H. Bell. Attending the funeral at Loraine Sunday afternoon were Mrs. Bell and Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Clark.

WANT ADS

For Sale—Five room house, three lots, 3-piece bath room, concrete dugout, garage, butane plant, etc. Phone 94 or see B. M. Mundell. w2p

Good line of pipe fitting in stock. Leeper Supply Co.

For Trade—6 ft. cedar line posts to trade for milk cow. Geo. W. Hale. w2p

For Sale—Duroc pigs. Sears Roebuck foundation stock. Phone 2712 or write Box 311. 1p

For Sale—1942 Ford truck, in good shape. D. P. Key.

TEACHERS WANTED

3 positions paying up to \$500 per month for summer vacation in educational advisory service which your training and experience equip you to do. 1 local position, 2 in another locality. Qualification 28 to 50, white, 3 years teaching experience, good record and reputation. Write immediately in confidence, giving age, experience and and phone. Personal conference arranged. Write G P, care The Observer, Robert Lee, Texas.

For Sale—Two registeted Hereford bulls, 16 mos. old, Anxiety Domino blood lines. Tom Schooler. w2p

For Sale—Electric chick brooders. Leeper Supply Co.

For Sale—Good residence property, well located, hardwood floors, built in cabinets, grass and shrubbery. Immediate possession. Inquire of Henry Childress. 40tc

Veterans Attention—2 new two-bedroom homes approved for 100% G. I. Loans—No money down—Payments like rent—If you are a veteran and want a home, see these on pavement northwest edge of town at once—Ready to move into. Maurice S. Cole.

SUPERINTENDENTS AND PRINCIPALS

A few openings for the summer vacation, paying qualified person \$1,000 to \$1,800, selling and servicing the new Compton's. Give full information about self for confidential personal interview. F. E. Compton & Company, 1110 Kirby Bldg., Dallas 1, Texas.

Lost—Ford spare truck wheel

and tire. Please return to B. M. Mundell. 1p

For Sale—2-room house in Bronte. See Mrs. M. A. Scott. 1p

Finnis Calvert was honored with a party on his seventh birthday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Calvert, on April 14 from 4 to 6 in the afternoon. Refreshments of cake and punch were served to a number of guests.

ALAMO THEATRE

Robert Lee, Texas

FRIDAY and SATURDAY, APRIL 23-24

Robert Young-Randolph Scott in Zane Grey's "Western Union" Also cartoon and late News

SUN., MON., TUES., APRIL 25-26-27

Sunday Matinees at 1:30 and 3:15
June Haver-Mark Stevens-Martha Stewart in "I Wonder Who's Kissing Her Now" In Technicolor Also Cartohn

WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY, APRIL 28-29

Tyrone Power-Gene Tierney-John Payne in "The Razors Edge" Also cartoon

BILL'S JOINT

Never Closes!

Best Food in Town. Coldest Lemonade all the time. Fresh hot rolls galore. Only Real Steaks and Fried Chicken in town.

CLUB CAFE

Where All People Meet

GIFTS...

For All Occasions

Graduation
Mothers Day
Weddings
Birthdays
Anniversaries

Free Gift Wrapping
and Mailing Service

ROACH'S

The Friendly Store

Admiration
COFFEE 1 lb. **49c**

No 2 Kounty Kist Peas - 2 for 25c

White House Apple Sauce No 2 can 21c

Sinclair Insect Spray Pt. 20c qt. 39c

Chuck Wagon

Mexican Style Beans 15 oz 2 for 25c

Cuff Washing Power - Box 23c

Tomatoes, No. 2 can - 2 for 25c

Maxwell House Tea - 8 oz. 56c

Whitsons Tamales - 18 oz can 23c

Winter Valley Pineapple Juice 46 oz 44c

Cream of Texas Spinach No. 2 can 12c

We will be closed Sunday April 25

FRED HENSON

Grocery and Market

Humble Oils, Gas & Accessories
Wash and Grease Jobs

Frank's Food Store

FLOUR, Cherry Bell 25 lbs. 1.85
50 lbs. 3.65

Tomatoes 2 No. 2 cans 25c

Preserves Tak-a-Taste 2 lb. 39c
Peach or Apricot

MILK Pet or 2 small
Carnation or 1 lge can 14c

PLENTY TOILET TISSUE

GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, TEXSUN No. 2 CAN 6c

PEACHES, HUNTS No. 1 CAN 17c

FISH FLAKES, HADDOCK TALL CAN 39c

GRAPE JUICE, PURE, QT. 39c

SHORTENING, ARMOURS 3 LB. 97c

TREND 1c sale, 2 boxes 34c

Catsup, C.H.B. 14 oz. 17c

Tea, Liptons 1-4 lb. 29c

Oxydol, Duz lge. 35c