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Oil Pays Two-Thirds County Tax Load

Oil development has resulted in an enormous increase in the tax revenues of Coke county.

Of the total taxing valuation of \$12,358,940, exactly two-thirds or \$7,412,500 is assessed against oil properties. All other property in the county including ranch land, livestock and city property has a combined assessment of only \$4,946,440.

Sun Oil Company alone had an assessed valuation in Coke county of \$5,204,550. Their tax bill for state, county and schools was \$169,863.67.

Sun paid \$37,472 in state taxes, and \$49,443 went into county funds. They paid the Water Valley school district \$120 and Green Mountain's share was \$8,635. Sun contributed \$68,986 in taxes to the Silver school district this year.

Next largest taxpayer among the oil companies was Humble with \$9,745. Hickok & Reynolds had a tax bill of \$2,965, and both will pay additional to the Bronte independent school district.

Here are some others:
Phillips Petroleum, \$545.
Seaboard of Delaware, \$379.
Shamrock, \$139.
Southern Minerals, \$508.
Stanolind, \$1,117.
G. W. Strake, \$441.
Strake & Barnsdall, \$200.
Amerada, \$603.
American Republics, \$448.

Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald C. Allen observed their 25th wedding anniversary Sunday with open house from 3 to 6 in their ranch home, northeast of town. They were married Oct. 15, 1925 at the Baptist parsonage in Bronte and have been continuous residents of the community since that time. Mrs. Allen is the former lone Cumbie, daughter of Mrs. W. J. Cumbie, and Gerald is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Hawley C. Allen. He is executive vice president of the Robert Lee State Bank and was engaged in the drug business here for 20 years. Many guests called during the afternoon to extend congratulations. The Allen's son, Bill, senior at A & M college, was here for the event.

Explosion Damages Parsonage at Stratford

A new \$17,000 parsonage erected by the Methodist congregation at Stratford, Texas, was recently badly damaged by explosion of a gas floor furnace. Information concerning the calamity was received here by Mr. and Mrs. John Snead, whose daughter, Ethel, is the wife of the Methodist pastor at Stratford, the Rev. H. A. Nichols.

The new structure of brick and tile was nearly completed and was to have been occupied by the pastor and his wife within another week. Some workmen and several church ladies were in the new parsonage when the explosion occurred, but none were injured.

Mrs. Nichols said she had been detained at the old parsonage by some guests. Estimates place the damage at \$10,000.

The Rev. and Mrs. Nichols have been at Stratford four years and last year their congregation completed a new \$150,000 church. His first pastorate was in Robert Lee 25 years ago.

Pansy Brown returned this week from a months vacation with relatives at Valentine, Texas.

Accepts McCamey Position



Bob L. Davis, former Robert Lee resident, has been named city secretary-manager at McCamey. He resigned as city secretary at Peros to accept the McCamey position at an increased salary.

Amerada Stakes Test On Frank McCabe Ranch

Contractors are now rigging up for a wildcat test on Frank McCabe's ranch near McKenzieville.

Amerada No. 1 J. F. McCabe, projected to 7,500 feet, will be in the center of the southwest 40 acres of the NW quarter of Section 3, blk 1-A H&TC.

Location is about 3 miles northwest of Sun's oil field at Silver. If production is found it will force offsets on Victor McCabe to the south, also on Magnolia's Ross Dixon lease and Barnsdall's Gail Brown lease to the west.

Amerada has a leased block of 5,000 acres owned by Frank McCabe and his son, Victor.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis H. Owen of Eden are the proud parents of a son born at 9 a. m. Oct. 11. The baby weighed 7 pounds, 15 ounces and has been named Lonnie Herbert. Mrs. Owen is the former Lucille Shropshire of Robert Lee. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Shropshire of Eden and Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Owen of Odessa. Maternal great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Shropshire of Robert Lee.

WSCS Meeting

Fourteen members were present when the WSCS met Monday afternoon at the Methodist church. Mrs. Ray Lee conducted the first lesson in the new study course, "We Seek Him Together." After the lesson the ladies were invited to the parsonage where Rev. Lee served refreshments. All ladies of the church are invited to attend the study each Monday.

Post Office Moved To Larger Quarters

The U. S. Post Office in Robert Lee was moved last week to the R. C. Russell building at the north end of the block on the west side of the main business street.

Postmaster H. S. Lewis, Jr. said the government will pay \$40 per month rental. The building is 25 feet wide and 42 feet in length and a modern rest room is to be installed.

The J. C. Snead building on the opposite side of the street was vacated because its narrow width of 13 feet caused a badly crowded lobby. The Snead building was rented for \$35 per month.

Two Indictments By Grand Jury

Investigations by the grand jury in session here Monday resulted in two indictments. Ed Rawlings of Bronte was foreman of the jury.

Robert Magill, Jr. of San Angelo was indicted for his attempt to burglarize the Brown & Clark filling station in Robert Lee last June 29th.

Magill's companion, John Thomas Yount, is now serving in the Navy and complaint against him was passed without action.

Bill Rose, Ft. Worth car dealer, was indicted for auto theft. He allegedly sold a car to R. R. Rust of Bronte, then came to Bronte Oct. 10 and took the car claiming Rust had not made the October payment.

S. P. Snow, San Angelo bus driver, was charged with theft of a hog near Water Valley. The grand jury reduced the complaint to misdemeanor and his case was transferred to county court.

Judge Sutton is presiding over the court term which opened Monday. Pettit jurors have been called for next Monday. The first case set for trial is the stolen cigarette charge against Paul Davis Lagrone. Re-trial was ordered when a jury failed to agree here last June.

In civil matters Monday the court continued the divorce action brought by Melrose Murtishaw against Floyd R. Murtishaw. Defendant is with the American army in Korea. His lawyer, Marvin C. Hanz, said Floyd had requested that his previous waiver of service be withdrawn.

The couple were married April 4, 1942, and lived together until April, 1948. They have a daughter, Merna Loy Murtishaw, 7 years old.

Divorces granted were Dora Arbuckle from Truett E. Arbuckle and Tommy Grace Clanton from John R. Clanton. Frank C. Dickey appeared for the plaintiffs in both actions.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Mack Mathis came down from Childress for a weekend visit in the parental Ernest Varnadore home.

Frank McCabe and B. A. Austin are serving on the federal jury in San Angelo this week.

Bill Ratliff of San Angelo, former Robert Lee resident, will report for active duty in the armed forces this week. He has a Master Sergeant rating in the Air Corps Reserve.



Notes

From The Oil Field

Union No. 4 Daisy McCutchen, five miles east of Robert Lee, was drilling Thursday morning at 3,610 feet in lime. Pits are now being prepared for location of No. 5 to the east.

Lion Oil Co. No. 1 Runie Waldrop, wildcat six miles northeast of Robert Lee near Hayrick, was plugged and abandoned this week, bottomed at 6,638 feet in the Ellenburger. Recovery on the final drillstem test was 450 feet of slightly salty muddy water and 1,290 feet of slightly gas-cut salt water. Prince Bros. rotary equipment is moving to Hamlin.

Humble No. 1 E. H. Schuch, slated Ellenburger wildcat on top of the Divide south of Robert Lee, was drilling at 6,000 feet in shale and lime.

U-N Flag Day

United Nations Day will be observed with a program at the court house square next Tuesday, Oct. 24, at 3 p. m. A United Nations Flag will be presented to the Commissioners Court and the American Legion will be in charge of a brief program. The Bronte school band will furnish music. Programs will also be held in the Silver, Bronte and Robert Lee schools.

One Cent Sale

The original and only Rexall One Cent Sale is going on at the Farris Drug Store and will continue through Monday.

Clarence Mitchell was released from the local hospital this week and is spending some time with friends around town. Clarence received a serious skull fracture two weeks ago when he was hit with a steel boom on one of the H & L trucks.

Sun No. 6 Mathers Flows 310 Barrels

Sun No. 6 C. E. Mathers, southwest of Silver, flowed 310 barrels of oil during an official 24-hour test this week. Gauge was through a quarter inch choke.

The well was completed naturally in open hole bottomed at 6,414 feet. Flowing pressures were 725 pounds on the tubing and 1,550 casing. Gas-oil ratio 1,324-1.

Both the Ray-Harris and Baker & Taylor rotary drilling rigs are now engaged on workover projects in the Silver area.

West and north of Edith, Sun No. A-1 Foster Sims Price topped the reef at 5,835 feet and was preparing to core. A west offset, Sun A-2 Price, was drilling Thursday at 2,800 feet in shale.

Three miles south of the river at Silver, Sun No. 1 Ralph Harris Estate spudded Oct. 17, but there has been a two day delay because of rig repairs. Depth reported Thursday morning was 175 feet. Empire Drilling Co. has the contract, with Pete Jones in charge as pusher.

In southwestern Nolan county, Sun No. 1 Eunice Paramore was drilling at 6,272 feet in shale.

Coke County Hospital News

Oct. 12—Mrs. J. D. McDaniel admitted.

Oct. 14—Clarence Mitchell, Mrs. J. D. McDaniel dismissed.

Oct. 16—Jimmy Arnold, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Arnold, E. J. Dick and Mrs. F. C. Wojtek admitted.

Oct. 17—B. A. Goodman, Lloyd Phelan admitted. Tom Schooler dismissed.

Concrete Seats For Football Field

Seats for 400 people will be provided by the new concrete and tile bleachers now being constructed on the north side of the Robert Lee high school football field.

It is being built in two 48-foot sections and there will be seven rows of seats. Heavy planks will be laid across the concrete tile supports. The improvement is expected to be finished for next week's game.

In charge of the work are Jack and Bill Capps, Carl Brock and B. F. Jeffries.

Dr. J. K. Griffith, Fern Havins, John Harvey and S. B. Cragin promoted the improvement.

Injuries Plague Steers As They Battle Loraine

Gloom settled over the Robert Lee Steer corral this week when injuries sidelined several first string players. The football squad suffered another serious blow when Alfred Austin quit school. He played right end and was doing a fine job.

Donald Hamilton fullback, will be unable to play for at least another week because of injuries to his ribs. Bobby Hood, also out last week, is still under medical treatment for a throat infection. Donald Mauldin, who played at Hobbs although he was not in good physical condition, has not been out for drill this week.

Coach Charlie Dennis has been doing a lot of shifting in his lineup for the game at Loraine Friday night. While the Bulldogs are not considered too strong this season, it will be a conference game and the Steers don't want to lose it.

Notice to Fans

Football fans are advised to make a change on their schedule card. Next week's game with Hermleigh in Robert Lee has been moved up to Thursday night, Oct. 26. The change was made due to the Halloween Carnival scheduled for Friday night of next week. Game time will be 8 p. m.

Everyone was pleased with the Steers 26-0 victory at Hobbs last Friday. Hobbs had defeated Bronte handily the previous week and a close contest had been expected.

The Hermleigh game here next Thursday should draw another big crowd as Hermleigh is one of the main contenders for top honors in District 6-B. The Cardinals licked Coahoma 7 to 0 last week.

Bronte lost to Stanton 37 to 13 in another conference game, with Sandusky scoring two touchdowns for the home club. Marlon McCutchen, who works with Sandusky in the Bronte backfield, is reported to have suffered a fractured bone in his leg.

His loss will be keenly felt as the Longhorns are short on top material this year.

Former Coke Resident, Ellen V. Andrews, Dead

Mrs. Ellen V. Andrews, 65, former Coke county resident, died at 1:32 p. m. Tuesday at the home of a daughter, Mrs. F. E. Markwood, in Abilene.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at 2:30 from the Emanuel Pentecostal church in Robert Lee with the Rev. Herman Massey of San Angelo officiating.

Burial was in Robert Lee cemetery in charge of Clift Funeral Home.

Mrs. Andrews was born Jan. 7, 1885, at Llano, Texas, and moved to Bronte when a young girl. She married A. B. Andrews Dec. 31, 1908, in Edith. He died at Bronte in 1921.

Surviving are three children, her daughter and two sons, R. M. Andrews of Bronte and A. V. Andrews of Junction.

Mr. and Mrs. John McAdon and children, John and Jane, were guests here Tuesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Cragin. The ladies are sisters. Mr. McAdon is employed by Humble Oil & Refining Co. at McCamey.

Ain't It So

"Women don't understand men. They are always sympathizing with or praising them. They think that is what men like, but it only means that it is what they would like. Men like to be left alone."

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Personal To Women With Nagging Backache

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Bake with Yeast

NO MATTER HOW simple a meal, its appeal can be enhanced greatly with freshly baked, yeast-leavened bread or rolls. There's a certain home-like charm about baking with yeast and the wonderful fragrance that fills the kitchen with baking of this kind which most homemakers enjoy.

With a good basic recipe that you have learned to perfection, you can turn out many different styles and varieties of rolls. They're fun to make, and it's nice to serve them fresh and sweet-smelling right from the oven.

HERE'S A GOOD recipe for bread type rolls which is easy to follow:

- *Rolls**
- 3/4 cup milk
 - 1/4 cup sugar
 - 2 1/4 teaspoons salt
 - 4 1/2 tablespoons shortening
 - 3/4 cup lukewarm water
 - 1 package yeast, compressed or dry granular
 - 4 1/2 cups sifted all-purpose flour

Scald milk, add sugar, salt and shortening; stir until dissolved. Cool to lukewarm. Place lukewarm water into a large bowl and sprinkle or crumble in yeast. Let stand until dissolved, about 5 to 10 minutes. Add lukewarm milk mixture. Stir in 2 1/4 cups flour and beat until smooth. Add remaining 2 1/4 cups flour and mix thoroughly. Turn dough out on lightly floured board and knead until dough is tightly stretched and shiny, feels springy and elastic and does not stick to the board. Place in a lightly greased bowl and brush top with melted shortening. Cover with towel, let rise in a warm place, free from draft, until double in bulk, about one hour and 25 minutes.

When doubled in bulk, punch down and turn out on lightly floured board. Shape rolls as desired. Cover with a towel and let rise in a warm place until double in bulk. Bake in a hot (425°) oven for 20 minutes.

DAD AND THE youngsters will love these little doughnuts, and they're no chore to make since you simply have to drop spoonfuls of the batter into frying fat, thus saving the fuss and bother of rolling and cutting. They are made from a yeast-leavened batter that will keep nicely in the refrigerator for a day or two, so you can have nice, fresh doughnuts for several days. Glaze them, if you want to be fancy, or toss them in plain or cinnamon or orange sugar.

- Kitchenette Doughnuts (Makes about 3 dozen)**
- 1 package yeast, compressed or dry granular
 - 1/4 cup lukewarm water
 - 1 cup milk
 - 1/4 cup sugar
 - 1/2 cup melted shortening
 - 1 teaspoon salt
 - 2 eggs
 - 3 1/4 cups sifted flour (about)

LYNN CHAMBERS' MENU

- Glazed Smoked Butt with Apple Rings
- Baked Potatoes Green Beans
- Pear-Grape Salad
- *Hot Rolls Butter Beverage
- Coconut Tapioca Pudding
- *Recipe Given

1/2 teaspoon vanilla Fat for frying

Soften yeast in lukewarm water. Scald milk; add sugar, shortening and salt. Cool to lukewarm. Add 1 cup flour and beat well. Add eggs and beat well. Add softened yeast and mix until dough is smooth. Add remainder of flour to make a stiff batter. Add vanilla and mix until smooth. Cover and let rise until light and bubbly, about one hour. Stir down and cover; let rest for 10 minutes, while heating fat to moderate temperature (350°). Drop batter from teaspoon into hot fat and fry doughnuts about 1 1/2 minutes on each side until golden brown.

SUGARY CINNAMON Twists are a good way to keep cool weather meals interesting as well as nourishing. Try them, too, for refreshments, with a mug of hot mulled cider, milk or a cup of steaming coffee.

- Sugary Cinnamon Twists (Makes about 2 dozen)**
- 1 package yeast, compressed or dry granular
 - 1/4 cup lukewarm water
 - 1/2 cup milk
 - 1/4 cup sugar
 - 1 teaspoon salt
 - 2 tablespoons shortening
 - 1 egg
 - 3 cups sifted flour (about)
 - 1/4 cup melted butter or substitute
 - 1 cup sugar
 - 1 tablespoon cinnamon

Soften yeast in lukewarm water. Scald milk; add sugar, salt and shortening. Cool to lukewarm. Add flour to make a thick batter. Mix well. Add softened yeast and eggs. Beat well, add enough more flour to make a soft dough. Turn out on lightly floured board and knead until smooth and satiny. Place in a greased bowl. Cover and let rise in a warm place for about 1 1/2 hours, until doubled. When light, punch down. Let rest for 10 minutes. Mix together the 1 cup sugar and cinnamon. Prepare a 12x9-inch pan by greasing with butter and sprinkling with 3 tablespoons of the cinnamon sugar. Roll dough into a rectangle 10 by 20 inches. Brush lightly with butter; sprinkle a thin layer of cinnamon sugar over the dough. Fold the dough over in thirds so as to have long narrow strips of dough in three layers. Seal edge and flatten strip with rolling pin or hands. Cut crosswise into 1-inch strips. Roll each strip under hands. Place hands at each end of strip and twist by moving hands in opposite directions. Pick up dough at the two ends at the same time to let dough shape itself into a twist. Place twists side by side into prepared pan. Brush tops of twists with butter and sprinkle with remainder of cinnamon sugar. Let rise until doubled in bulk. Bake in a moderate (375°) oven for about 25 minutes.

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Robert Lee Steers Take Conference Tilt at Hobbs, 26-0

Robert Lee Steers defeated Hobbs last Friday night by a score of 26 to 0. A large crowd of Coke county fans made the 90-mile trip to the Fisher county rural consolidated school and were rewarded with an excellent game.

It was the fifth straight win for the Steers and their first victory in District 6-B conference play. Bobby Hood, first string halfback and linebacker, was not in uniform because of illness and two reserves, Clayborn Montgomery and Bill Havins, were also sidelined.

Donald Mauldin was ailing somewhat but played most of the game and Milburn Wink, Wilton Robertson and Garland Davis saw a lot of service.

Hobbs took the opening kickoff on their 35. They failed to make sufficient yardage and Robert Lee took possession of the ball on the Hobbs 38. Hamilton and Baker in three plays made it 1st down on the 28. On the next play Hamilton went through right tackle for a touchdown. He circled end to convert. Score Robert Lee 7, Hobbs 0.

Taking the kickoff again Hobbs had to punt and Robert Lee fumbled. Hobbs recovered on the Steer 29 and then completed a pass for a 1st down on the 6 yard line. Two pass attempts failed and on the third try Lofton dropped the passer for a 10 yard loss. Duncan knocked down the fourth aerial and the Steers took the ball on their 15.

Hamilton went 8 yards on a handoff and Baker made it 1st down on his 28. A lateral to Mauldin was good for a 1st down on the Hobbs 34. Hamilton went off right tackle for a 1st down on the 22. Robert Lee's offense bogged down and a fumble lost 7 yards. The ball went over to Hobbs on their 26 yard line.

Hobbs was stopped and punted to the Steer 24 as the second quarter opened. Robert Lee fumbled again and Hobbs recovered on the Steer 26. On the fourth play Etheredge made it a 1st down on the 14. Bud Austin intercepted a pass and was downed on his 34.

Duncan passed to Hamilton for 5 yards and a 15-yard clipping penalty was called on Robert Lee. Helms, Hobbs guard, intercepted a pass on the Steer 30. Hobbs was stopped and the ball went over to the Steers on their 23.

Hamilton lacked six inches of a first down on the third try and Duncan punted to the Hobbs 26. After gaining only 4 yards in three plays Hobbs punted to the Steer 33.

Baker cracked thru center for a 1st down on his 43 and Hamilton followed suit to the Hobbs 45. Neeves, Hobbs end intercepted a pass on his 34. Mauldin intercepted a Hobbs pass in midfield as the half ended.

Duncan took the kickoff on his 15 and ran 85 yards for a touchdown. He waited for his blockers and finally got in the clear on the left side of the field. A line play failed to convert. Score: Robert Lee 13, Hobbs 0.

Etheredge brought the kickoff back 15 yards to his 40. Three line thrusts failed and Hobbs punted to the Steer 24. The Steers were stopped in two line plays and Duncan was thrown back on his 12 yard line when he couldn't spot a pass receiver. Duncan punted to Etheredge on the Robert Lee 38.

Etheredge lost 12 yards because of a bad pass from center. Hobbs punted to Mauldin on the Steer 29. On an end around play Austin gained 40 yards, making it 1st down on the Hobbs 32. Hamilton and Baker each gained a few yards thru the line. Duncan pulled a fake play and ran through the left side of the line for 26 yards and a touchdown. Hamilton carried over to convert. Score: Robert Lee 20, Hobbs 0.

Hobbs was again unable to advance the ball after taking the kickoff on their 35. Robert Lee downed a punt on its 41. The Steers punted on the 4th down to Hobbs 36 as the third quarter ended.

Three pass attempts failed and Hobbs kicked to the Steer 26. Hamilton hit right tackle for 8 yards and Duncan made it a 1st down on his 48. Hamilton gained 12 yards in two plays and had a 1st down on the Hobbs 40. Wilton Robertson replaced Hamilton. Robertson and Duncan in four tries got a 1st down on the 29. Duncan passed to Austin for a touchdown. Duncan's placekick was blocked. Score: Robert Lee 26, Hobbs 0.

Etheredge brought the kickoff back 15 yards and was stopped on the 35 by Sheppard. A pass netted 9 yards and Etheredge carried to midfield for a 1st down.

Austin downed Eaton for a 7 yard loss. Hamilton stopped Etheredge at the line of scrimmage. Hobbs punted to Mauldin who returned 15 yards to his 30. Robert Lee punted on the fourth down to the Hobbs 26. Etheredge hit the center of the line for 4 yards as the game ended.

Sunshine 4-H Club

The Sunshine 4-H girls met Wednesday, Oct. 11, with their leader, Zona Mae King. There were 31 members present. The club made plans for their meeting Oct. 25 when they will make beads and small books.—Joy Adkins, Reporter.

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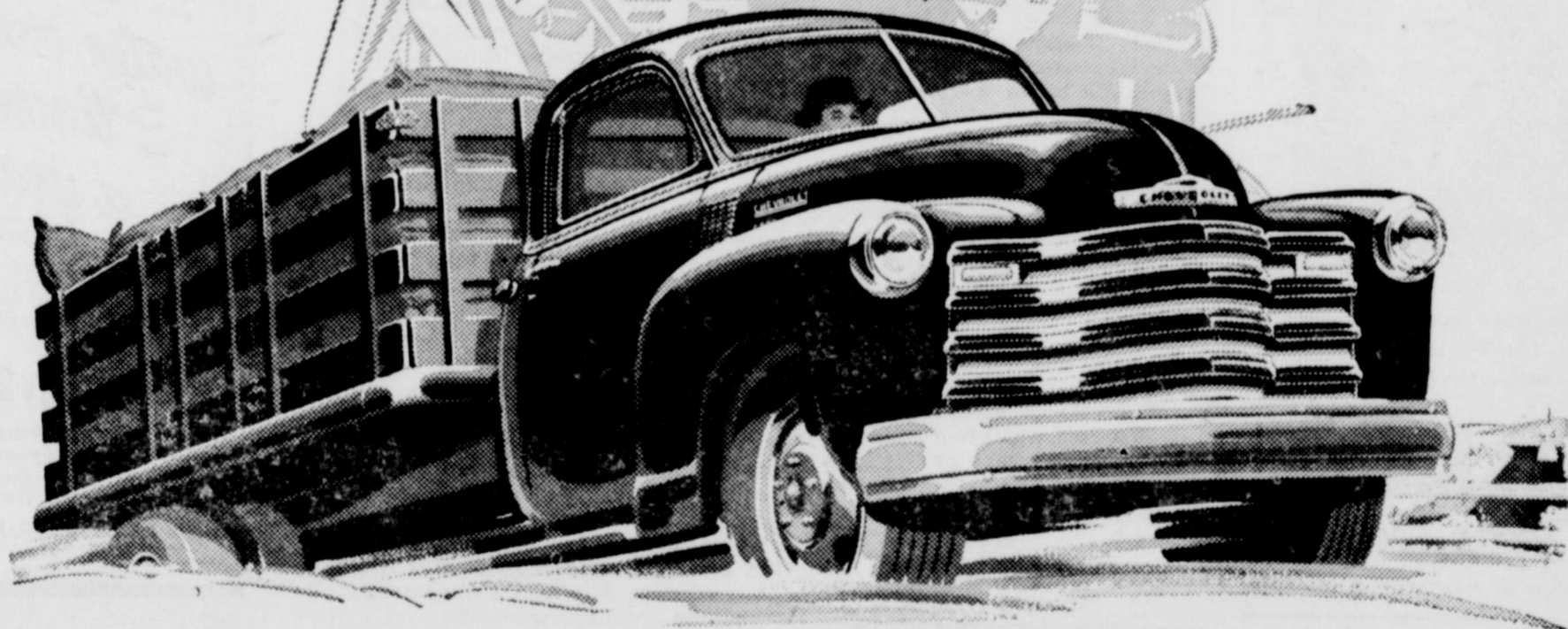
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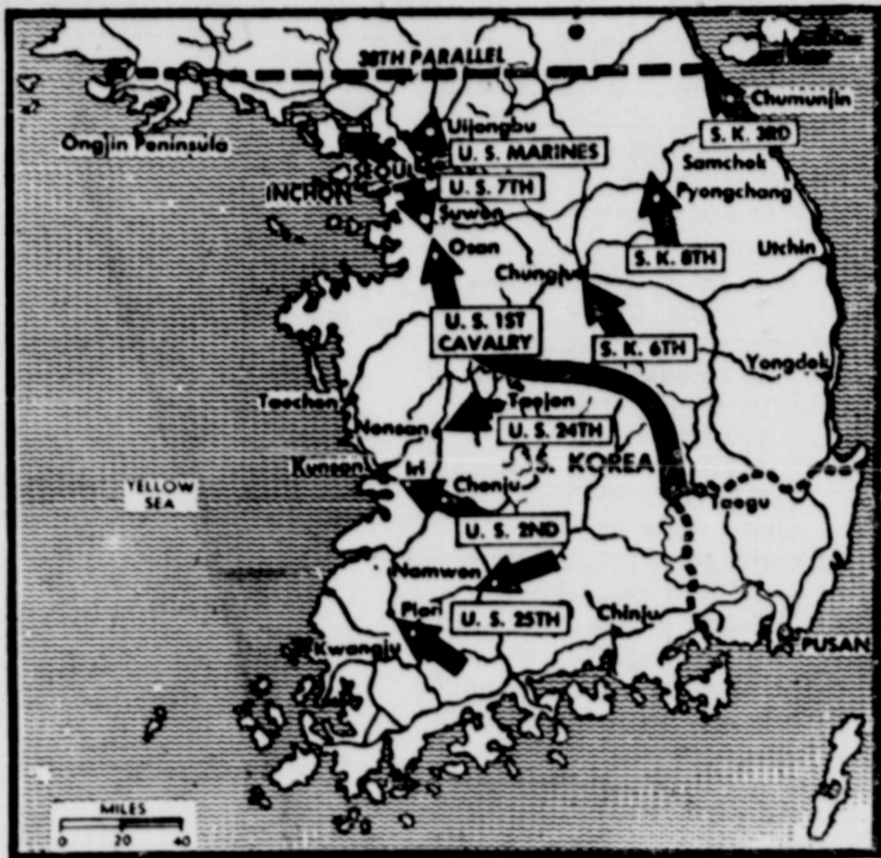


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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Korean Unification Big Question In General Assembly Discussions; Defense Gets Resources Priority

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After three months and two weeks the war in South Korea was virtually over, with only small pockets of resisting Communists to be eliminated. The above map shows how United Nations forces broke out of the Pusan beachhead and linked up with troops landed at Inchon. Communists not trapped in the quick advance fled north of the 38th parallel.

KOREA:

What's the Next Move?

Three months and two weeks after Communist forces from North Korea plunged south of the 38th parallel in an attempt to conquer the republic of South Korea, United Nations forces won a victory in the south, destroyed a large part of the invading army, and advanced to that imaginary line dividing north and south Korea.

And although South Korean troops crossed the 38th parallel, U. N. forces sat on their heels awaiting word from the general assembly of what to do next. The assembly was faced with a question it was reluctant to answer: Should U. N. forces go beyond the 38th parallel?

Those who favored crossing the parallel argued that failure to do so would mean a hollow victory for the U. N. The enemy would be saved from the knockout punch. He would be able to regroup his forces, await the time for another invasion attempt. At the very least, the Communists, safe behind their parallel, would be able to keep the country divided. Thus, occupation of North Korea is necessary if the assembly is ever to fulfill its aim—unification of the country under a democratically chosen government.

Those against the crossing argued that a U. N. military campaign to take North Korea might be regarded by Moscow and Peking as a provocation—a reason for marching south. That might mean the war. Even if the dreaded intervention did not materialize, military operations by General MacArthur in North Korea would have a bad effect in the Orient. It would be interpreted by many Asians, with deep-rooted suspicions of western intentions, as another example of white imperialism.

Added to the confusion was the roar of Red China, threatening to send troops into North Korea if U. N. forces advanced north of the 38th parallel. Many observers pointed out, however, that Red invasion of Korea would offer the Nationalist the opportunity to invade south China.

Appointment



Secretary of Defense George C. Marshall (left) is shown talking with Robert A. Lovett, Jr., appointed by President Truman to serve as undersecretary of defense.

Headliners

"... I am certain that with time and patience, and with devotion and sacrifice on the part of the free nations, the United Nations will steadily grow in strength and capacity to fulfill its central function, the preservation of international peace and security," former Secretary of State Cordell Hull said in a statement released on his 79th birthday.

"The roots of Communist aggression cannot be left to grow again into a poisonous tree," a voice of America program beamed to North Korea said.

"... The aggressor's forces should not be permitted to have refuge behind an imaginary line because that would recreate the threat to the peace of Korea and of the world," Warren R. Austin, U. S. delegate to the United Nations, said in a speech before the general assembly.

DEFENSE:

Military Gets First Call

In the first sweeping priorities regulation issued by the national production administration, the government gave the atomic energy commission and the military first call on the nation's factories and raw materials to assure success of the rearmament program.

The order required producers to put military orders ahead of everything else—even if civilian production such as automobiles and refrigerators must be shunted aside.

Effective immediately, the order covers most of the goods and materials the military will need for rearmament. It does not, however, cover electric power, farm equipment, fuels, gas, petroleum, and transportation.

In executing the order, the defense department, or the atomic energy commission, will put a D.O. (defense order) priority rating on war contracts with a business firm. This means the company must give first attention to fulfilling the contract, whether or not it wants to.

The firm with the priority contract has the right to extend its priority to other concerns from which it must get parts or materials to fulfill his contract. This puts the war contractor in the position of requisitioning anything he needs, with the government back of his authority.

The automobile industry was the first to comment on the order. A spokesman for General Motors said a cut of 10 to 15 per cent in truck and car production may take place within the next 12 months.

Already hampered by a shortage of certain materials, the spokesman said "now that much scarce materials will be diverted to the rearmament program, there's nothing we can do but plan ahead for a drastic cut in production of civilian goods."

"We'll feel the worst of it in about a year," he said.

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SILVER NEWS

A new Sun Oil Company employee is Don Hallingsworth of Beaumont, who is a roustabout in the Gas Dept. He began his work here Monday and he and wife will live in Colorado City. Don is a '50 graduate of Texas University and holds a degree in Chemical Engineering.

Mrs. Hallingsworth was the former Dorothy Damm of Waco who has been a student at T. U. The couple were married last month.

The M. D. Millers returned Tuesday from a three weeks vacation with their daughter, Mrs. Chester Mitchell, and family at Lockney.

The Stanley Kerbows moved here last week from Hobbs, N. Mex. He is a cementer with the Halliburton Co. and replaces R. F. Gunn who was transferred to Hobbs. The Kerbows have a son Roger, who attends the local school and is in the 6th grade.

Elna Jameson spent the weekend in Abilene with Barbara Keener.

Two Silver girls were represented at the Harvest dance Saturday night in Colorado City which was sponsored by the Lone Wolf Annual staff. They were Mary Ann Snyder, who was chosen by the freshman class and Colleen Sole by the Juniors to represent their respective classes.

Mrs. Fred Jones and Freddie and Mrs. Victor Justus and children of Odessa spent the weekend in Dallas.

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San Angeloans who were visitors in Silver Sunday were the Henry Spencers guests of the H. W. Keeners, the Finis White and R. D. Allen families, who visited the R. B. Allens and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shelton and Scott who spent Sunday and Monday with the W. L. Carrs. Mrs. Carr returned home with them to spend the rest of the week.

Mrs. Florine Bardwell and little daughter, Martha, of Midland spent the weekend with the P. P. McGees.

The Jack Mowbrays and the E. E. Hughes family returned the last of the week from annual vacations.

M. Sgt. and Mrs. W. D. Bolin and children of San Angelo visited the E. L. Lowes on the weekend.

Sunday guests of the H. R. Gassiot were Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Gassiot of Talpa.

Visitors in the E. E. Snowden home the last of the week were Mr. A. E. Moore and Mrs. G. T. Lenay of Bridgeport, Texas, Mrs. P. B. Copeland of Sundown and Mrs. S. A. Devine of Riverside, Calif.

Mrs. H. H. Jameson was entertained at her home with a surprise birthday dinner Sunday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hooks, Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. John McMeekin and Aaron, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Jameson, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jameson and Robert, and Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Jameson and Jerry.

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Kimbell Flour	10 lbs.	89c
Argo Fancy Cut BEANS	2 cans	33c
Ambassador TOILET TISSUE	roll	5c
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Sliced Pineapple, Valley Rose, No. 2 can		33c
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CHEESE, Swifts Brookfield	2 lbs.	79c
SALT PORK, For Seasoning	lb.	33c
BOLOGNA	lb.	39c
Hormel Slab Bacon	lb.	49c
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Report of Condition of

Robert Lee State Bank

of Robert Lee, Texas, at the close of business Oct. 4, 1950

A state banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this State and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authorities and by Federal Reserve Bank of this district.

ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection.	378,595.40
U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	284,822.63
Obligations of states and political subdivisions	121,096.67
Corporate stocks (including \$1,800.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	1,800.00
Loans and discounts (including \$308.30 overdrafts)	305,816.53
Bank premises owned \$1.00; furniture and fixtures \$2,550.00	2,551.00
Other assets	442.50
Total Assets	1,095,124.73

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	887,649.63
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	4,157.09
Deposits of states and political subdivisions	108,601.80
Deposits of banks	23,518.72
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	1,754.75
Total Deposits	\$1,025,681.99
Total Liabilities	1,025,681.99
(Not including subordinated obligations shown below)	

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital	25,000.00
Surplus	35,000.00
Undivided profits	9,442.74
Total Capital Accounts	69,442.74
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	1,095,124.73
This bank's capital consists of: Common stock with total par value of \$25,000.00.	

MEMORANDA

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes 140,000.00

I, T. A. Richardson, cashier of the above named bank, hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
T. A. Richardson.
Correct Attest: G.C. Allen, Victor Wojtek, R.C. Russell, Directors
State of Texas, County of Coke, ss: Sworn to and subscribed before me this 14th day of Oct., 1950.

Maudie Killam, Notary Public

Sun Gas Plant Has 26 Employees

Twenty-six permanent employees are on the payroll of Sun's natural gasoline plant at Silver. A list of the personnel follows:

Plant Superintendent
John M. Shimer, Jr.
Plant Engineer
Bobby L. Short
Plant Foreman
J. D. Gilbert
Plant Chemist
E. T. Cotham
Distillation Operator 1st Class
H. W. Keener
O. W. Newell
G. D. Screws
O. L. Snyder
Engine Operator 1st Class
C. E. Butcher
G. E. Conner, Jr.
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W. McDuffie, Jr.
H. R. Mitchell
Roustabout
J. O. Anderson
B. J. Davis
H. E. Schilling
Donald Hollingsworth

Women of the Coke County HD clubs will visit all the landscaping demonstrations on their annual tour scheduled for Thursday of this week. The tour will start at the home of Mrs. L. E. Smith and continue east and west.

Friendship HD Club

The Friendship WHD club met in an all day session October 12 in the home of Mrs. Willis Smith. Six members were present with Mrs. J. R. Johnson, Mrs. Gilmore and Miss Gladys Waldrop, visitors.

The program was on the making of a tile top table.

During the business session officers for the coming year were elected as follows:

Mrs. O. B. Jacobs, president
Mrs. Wilson Bryan, vice Pres.
Mrs. Linzy McDorman, secretary.
Mrs. Willis Smith, delegate
Mrs. Frank Bryan, alternate
Mrs. Lowell Roane, reporter

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Personals

(Intended for last week)

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Tinkler and children were called to Bertram last Wednesday to attend funeral services for Mrs. Tinkler's grandmother, Mrs. Mattie Hampton. She was 91 years old and had lived with a daughter in Abilene for several years.

Mrs. Elizabeth Scott and daughter, Mrs. C. B. Ferguson, of Houston were guests over the weekend in the home of their son and brother, H. L. Scott. The Horace Scotts of Del Rio also joined the group.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Cole and three daughters came out from Fort Worth for a weekend visit with Robert Lee relatives. Maurice reports he recently sold his Jacksboro drive-in theatre at Ft. Worth. His future plans are indefinite.

J. F. McCabe, Jr. was released Sunday from the Coke County Hospital where he was a patient for 12 weeks with a fractured leg. He was permitted to go home but will be confined to his bed several weeks longer.

Coke County Boys Win At Sear's Pig Show

Coke County boys showed eight gilts and a boar at the annual Sear's Pig Show Saturday, October 14. As usual they gave a good account of themselves and demonstrated to the crowd that they had been training their pigs. All pigs handled nicely and were in good show shape for breeding classes.

In the county show the following placed in order:

Gerald Clint Harmon, 1st
Neeley McCarty, 2nd
Norman Roberts, 3rd
Martin Lee, 4th
Dale Massey, 5th
J. W. Caudle, 6th
Jerry Wilkes, 7th
Lloyd, Sparks, 8th

In the District Show, Gerald Clint got 3rd on his gilt while Terry Frank Bryan won second on his boar.

An interesting fact was that the Grand Champion boar at San Angelo was purchased from Kenneth Bradbury, a 1949 Sear's boy from Coke County. Likewise boars sold to Sweetwater and Abilene store areas from Coke County were also grand champions in their respective shows.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank everyone for the kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our mother.—The Family of Mrs. W. K. Simpson.

Hazel's Cafe observed its third anniversary one day last week by serving free coffee and donuts to all friends and customers who stopped in.



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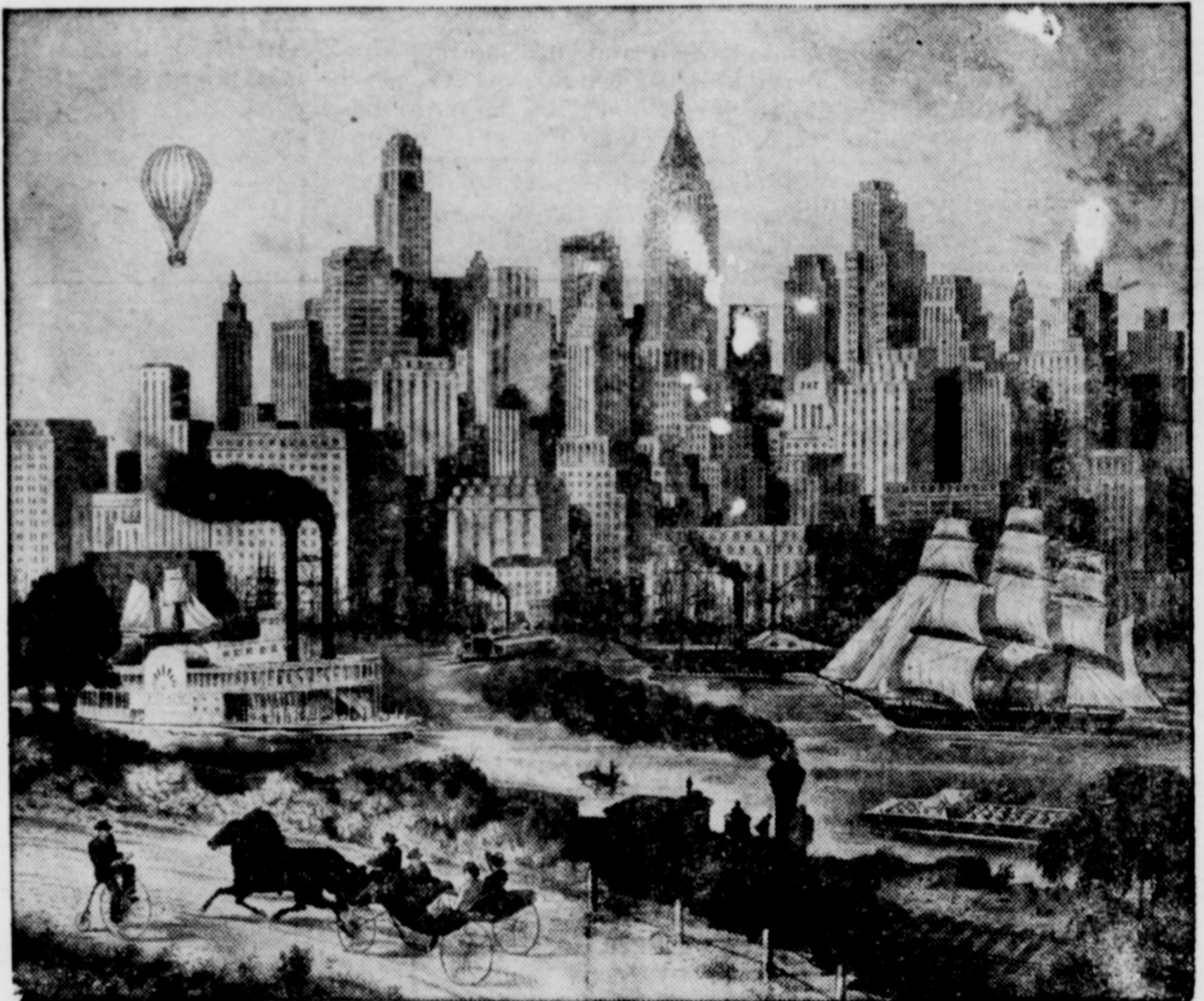
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Sun Employees Have Two Camps At Silver Field

Permanent employees of Sun Oil Co. are housed in two separate camps at Silver, while excellent modern homes were constructed for pumpers out in the field.

The first group of houses, known as Jameson Camp, was established on the Homer Jameson lease south of the school house. Each married employee has a separate home for his family, while bunkhouse quarters are maintained for single men.

Tubb camp, a mile north of the school house, was completed for employees of the gas department. Production and pipeline employees reside in Jameson Camp.

Following is a list of permanent employees of the Production and Pipeline departments for Sun at Silver:

Production Dept.

H. D. Smith, asst. field supt.
 J. L. Legg, foreman
 Jack Mowbray, foreman
 R. K. Beggs, foreman
 Jean Rowland, foreman
 Jack Peret, foreman
 W. H. Devine, geologist
 Carl Grubman, petroleum engr.
 D. J. English, junior pet. engr.
 J. E. Prendergast, jr. pet. engr.
 A. P. Gilbert, chief clerk
 J. D. Keith, field clerk
 Frank Haughton, clerk trainee
 Phillips R. Johnson, clk. trainee
 Loren W. Houtchins, roustabout
 G. B. Gebhart, R. H. Godwin

M. D. Miller, W. W. Paul, W. A. Preston, C. A. Ramsey, A. E. Rose, Adam Sole, C. G. Walker, pumpers

Pipe Line Employees

C. L. Price, field gauger
 H. J. Robichaux, assistant
 H. H. Newton, assistant
 Jim Hereford, field pumper
 Eddie Hughes, field pumper

Future Homemakers To Send Gifts Abroad

The spirit of Christmas prevailed in the homemaking cottage at Robert Lee high school Tuesday, when girls of the local Future Homemaking chapter wrapped Christmas gifts for girls their own age in foreign countries.

Thirty-five boxes were wrapped and packed.

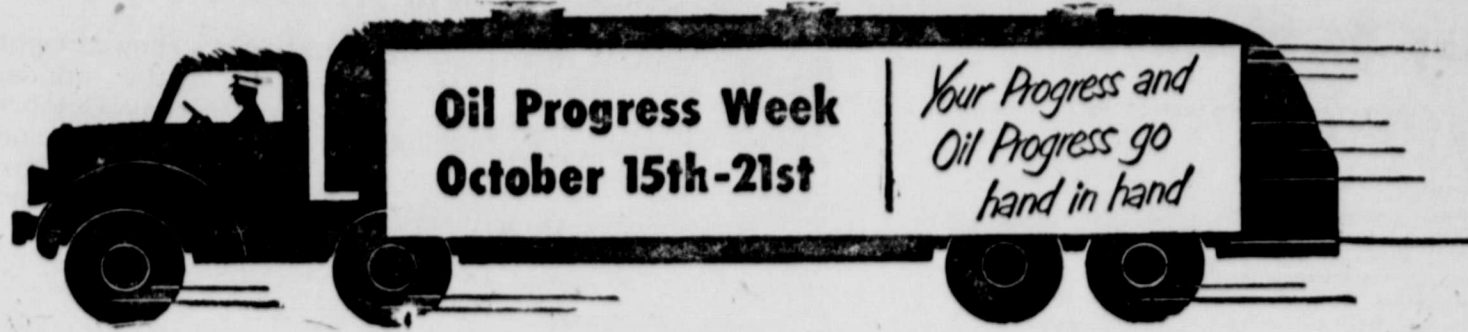
One of the purposes of the national chapter is to promote international good will.

Chapter members all over America help celebrate the festival with the hope that it will help to keep the true Christmas spirit alive and bring peace and good will to earth.

Personals

Billie Roberts visited over the weekend at Abilene with Joy Milligan, who is a student at Hardin-Simmons University. The young ladies witnessed the HSU-Arizona State football game Saturday night.

G. B. Gebhart of Silver was among the group of 181 novices initiated by the new Suez Shrine Temple in San Angelo Saturday. Mr. Gebhart, Sun Oil company employee, holds his Scottish Rites membership at Dallas.



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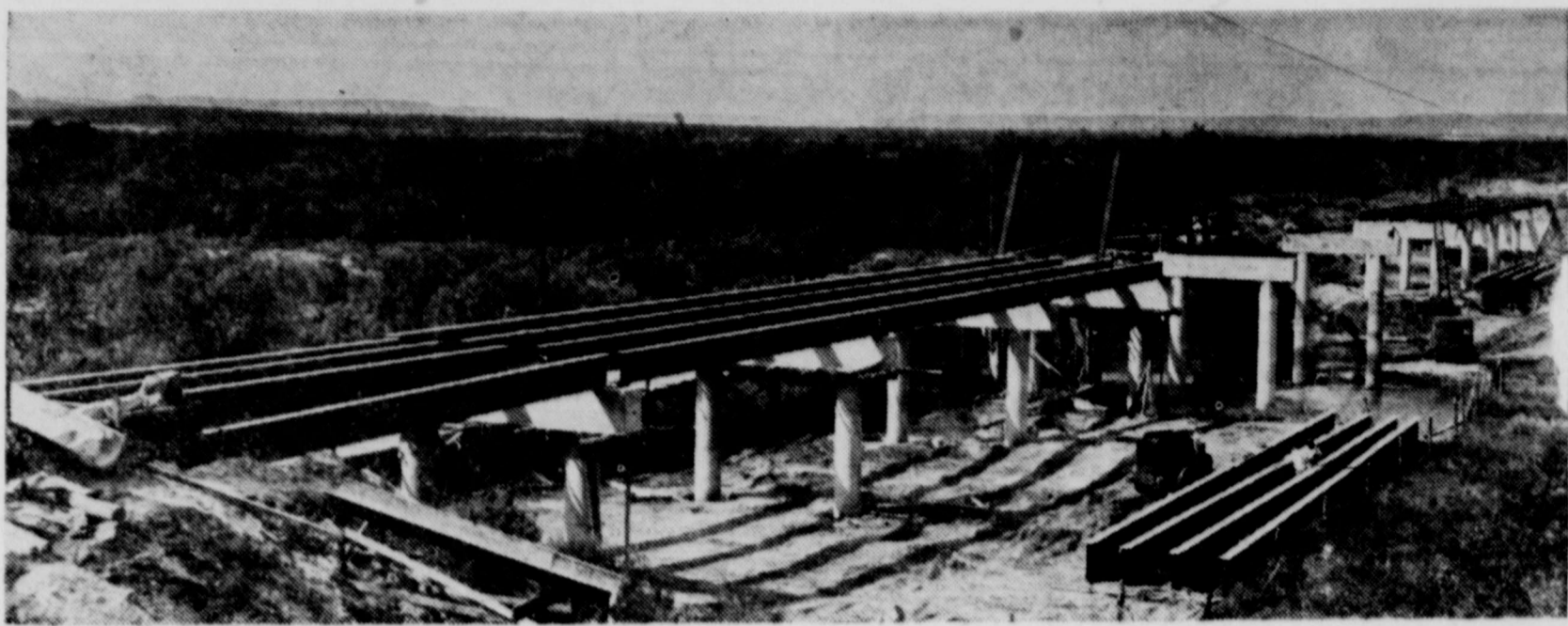
New River Bridge May Be Finished By November 15

Completion of the Colorado River Bridge on the Robert Lee-Edith highway, 3 miles west of here, is scheduled for Nov. 15, according to Leroy Willman, field clerk for Thomas, Ratliff & Rogers, contractors, reported recently.

The above picture borrowed from the San Angelo Standard-Times shows progress of construction Oct. 1.

Two smaller bridges, a 225 foot structure over Paint Creek two miles farther west, and a 150 foot bridge over Mess Box Creek, were both completed some time ago and are now open to traffic.

Willman said the work, which started last May 22, had not suf-



ferred much delay from high water and that construction was progressing according to schedule.

The new bridge is to be 592 feet long with the center span across

the river being 230 feet. This section is one continuous I-beam unit. There are four 45-foot approach spans at each end.

Height of the bridge, costing \$102,000, including the two smaller structures, is 35 feet above the normal water level.

Material going into the new bridge includes 312,000 pounds of structural steel, 104,000 pounds of reinforcing steel and around 700 cubic yards of concrete.

Foundation piers for the bridge were built under a method new in Texas bridge construction, Will-

man said. Shafts were drilled for some of the piers extend as much as 35 feet in depth. Concrete was poured after the holes were drilled.

R. S. (Bob) Baker, Brownwood, is project superintendent.

Dr. J. K. Griffith and H. C. Allen accompanied W. B. Clift to Brownwood on Monday where they visited Dr. C. E. Eaton. The former Robert Lee physician is critically ill and was recently moved from Temple to Memorial Hospital in Brownwood. Dr. Eaton is past 69 years of age.

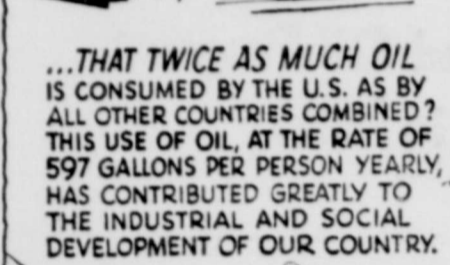
Oil Progress Meeting

Sun Oil Company sponsored a district meeting at Colorado City Monday night in observance of Oil Progress Week. Many company employees and royalty owners of Silver and other parts of Coke county were in attendance. In charge of the meeting was J. B. Hamilton, district superintendent of Midland Main speaker was Wesley Weed of Sun's land department at Dallas. R. J. Kirkpatrick of the public relations office showed colored slides and moving pictures.

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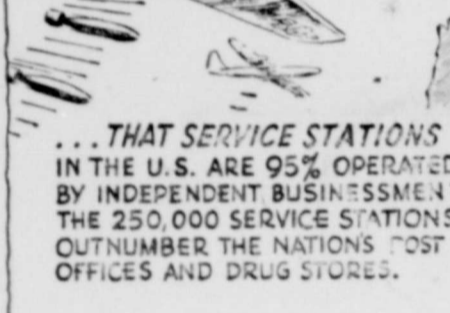
...THAT PETROLEUM EMPLOYEES ARE 3 TIMES SAFER AT WORK THAN AT HOME? THE INDUSTRY'S SAFETY TRAINING PROGRAM AND SPECIAL SAFETY CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT HAVE SHARPLY REDUCED ACCIDENTS. LAST YEAR'S SAFETY RECORD WAS THE BEST IN THE INDUSTRY'S HISTORY.



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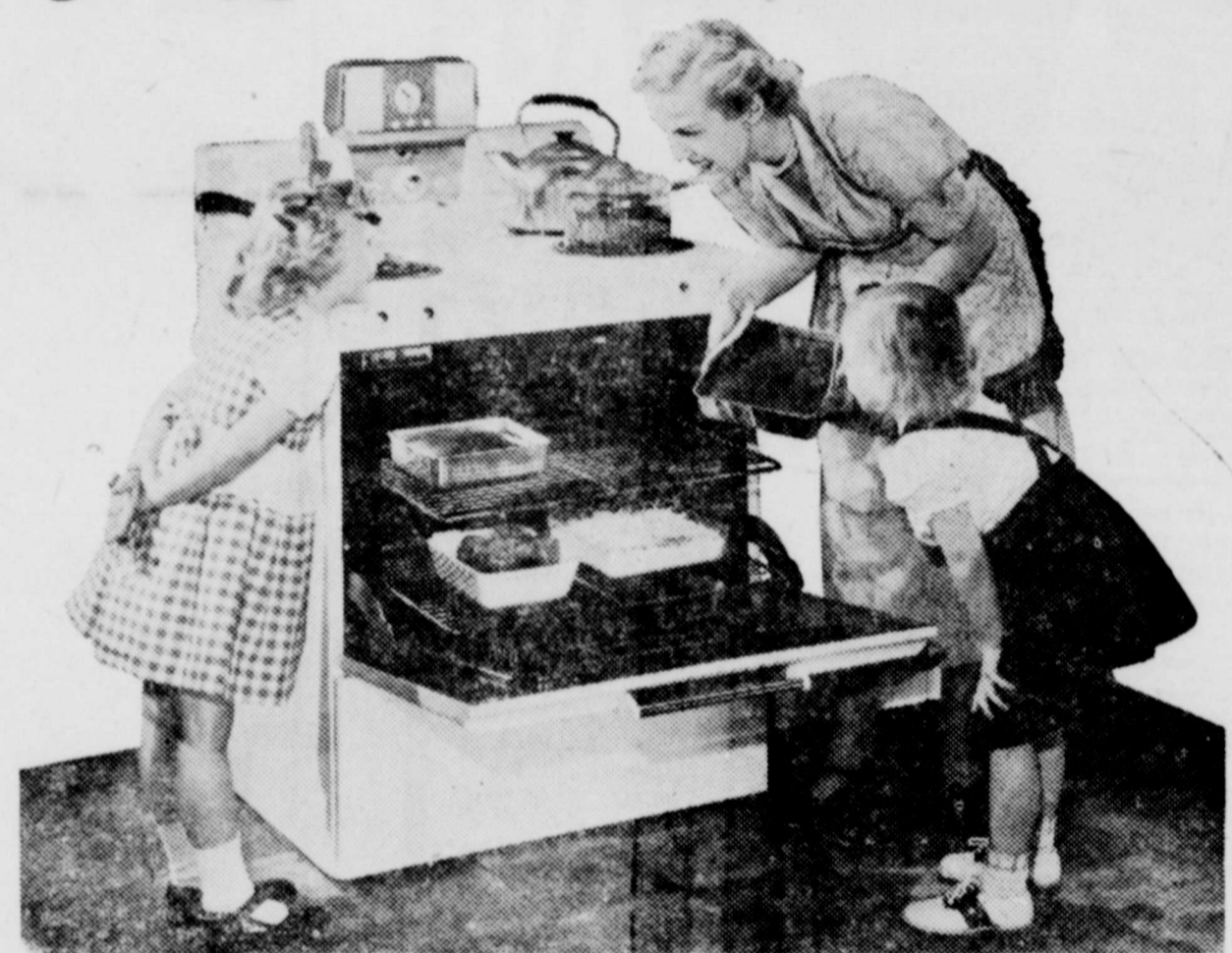
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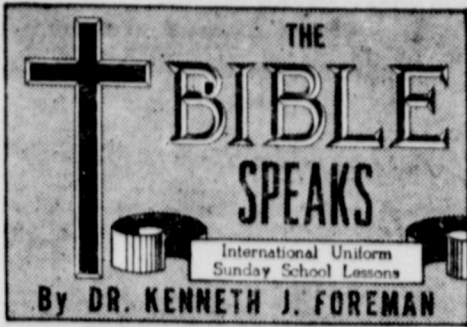


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SCRIPTURE: Matthew 6:5-15; Luke 11:1-13; Philippians 1:3-11; Colossians 4:2-4.
DEVOTIONAL READING: Matthew 6: 5-15.

Growing in Prayer

Lesson for October 22, 1950

LIFE MAGAZINE, which does not set up as an authority on religion some years ago carried a story about a little girl who was going to be confirmed in the Episcopal church. In describing the requirements for confirmation, the reporter said she had "graduated from 'Now I Lay Me' to the Lord's Prayer."

Most Christian ministers, including those of the denomination in which she was confirmed, would agree that (1) if that is as far as she had "graduated," she still had a very long way to go in learning about prayer, but (2) the little girl had got about as far as thousands of "Christians" ever go. They learn the Lord's Prayer when they are children and that's that. When they grow up they don't actually pray, themselves; they leave it up to Grandma or the preacher—or the tiny tots who "sound so cute" saying "Now I Lay Me."



Dr. Foreman

The Lord's Prayer

THIS is not meant to say anything against the Lord's Prayer, or to imply that we are wrong every time we use it. But our Lord did not mean that prayer to be used as a magic formula, he did not intend it as a substitute for our own free prayers. We know this is so, because in the first place he himself never used that prayer again.

It is his suggestion as to the lines along which, and the spirit in which, we ought to pray. (See the book by William Douglas Chamberlain on the Lord's Prayer, "The Manner of Prayer.")

One truth suggested by the Lord's Prayer is that we are not alone in the world. Every verb, every pronoun referring to the one who prays, is in the plural—OUR Father . . . forgive US . . . lead US . . . We have to remember that God is Father of others, not of ourselves alone; that we dare not be selfish in asking special favors of him for ourselves.

Maturing in Prayer

PRAYER at its lowest level is nothing much more than "Gimme." The untaught pray-er may even talk to God as if he were a personal servant, a kind of celestial bell-boy on call whenever we ring for him.

The growing Christian will grow in prayer as in all things; he will grow to the point where, even when he prays as an individual, he will be remembering how many ties bind him to other individuals; he will pray less and less for his own necessities and more and more for what he may share with others.

The beginning Christian, the childish Christian, will pray as a child prays. If his prayers were all arrows they would all point toward himself. As for the mature Christian, if his prayers were visible arrows they could be seen pointing into all the world; he will have those in every land for whom he prays, for his heart bears their names in love and faith.

Learning God's Will

A GOOD deal of worrisome argument has gone on over the question: Can prayer change the will of God? We shall be less bothered by that question when we discover two truths.

One is that in the Lord's Prayer, and in the Bible generally, we have already revealed to us the lines along which God's will moves; and the other is that prayer itself is a means of learning God's will.

If we know that God's will is against something, then, if we have any sense, we know there is no use in praying for that thing. If we know God's will desires something, then we can be confident that our prayers in that direction will be heard with favor.

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Russians Revealing Ordnance by Sending to Korea

The United States army is obtaining some valuable information on late developments in Russian ordnance from Russian equipment captured by the 25th division in Korea.

To G.I.'s, the most popular of these is the Russian jeep. Captured Moscow jeeps are fascinating to the troops in Korea. Slightly larger and more comfortable than the United States jeep, it has softer seats, double springs, better shock-absorbing suspension. The vital parts of the Russian jeep are modeled after the A and B-type Ford.

Some of the captured enemy weapons have a 1950 manufacturing marking on them. The 25th division has ob-

tained what is considered a new development of artillery shell, intended for anti-tank purposes. It is about 85 mm and has a hollow-shaped charge with an extremely sensitive fuse. It has a propelling charge never before seen by United States army ordnance experts. It is wound like thin spaghetti and tied in the shape of a whisk-broom.

The ordnance section has not yet been able to see the effect of this shell on United States armor, but it is believed the shell could have deadly effect on any armor the United States forces now have in this theatre.

The 25th division has also captured a Russian anti-tank gun that has many worthy features. It is a novel, hand-shouldered weapon for

knocking out valuable material. It can be considered expendable. It is easy to maneuver. It is really a rifle, not a gun, and can be carried more easily than our 50-calibre machine gun.

The United States has found that the Communist burp gun carries a drum-type of magazine and has an extremely rapid rate of fire.

This Korean war has been valuable in teaching United States soldiers something about the smaller type of Russian weapon. On the other hand, the only weapon the United States has thrown into the Korean ground war that was not used or developed in World War II is the bazooka 3.5-inch rocket launcher and the .75-mm recoilless rifle.



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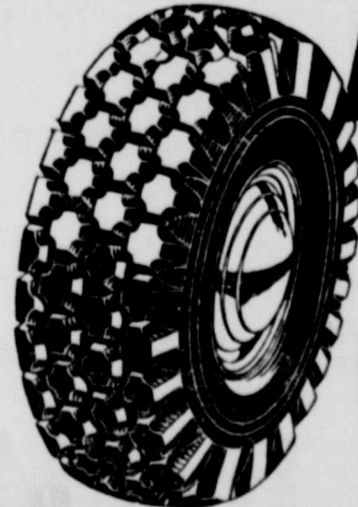


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Concessions and those in charge are:

Country Store—Mrs. L. E. Wink, Chairman, Mrs. J. W. Service, Mrs. J. L. Tinkler, Mrs. Davidson.

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Side Show—Mrs. Tom Schooler, Chairman, Mrs. Linzy McDorman, Mrs. Tom Rives, Jr. Mrs. C. G. Walker.

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Coronation of Queen—Mrs. McNeil Wylie, Chairman, Mrs. E. Hall, Mrs. E. S. Mason, Mrs. Myrtle Hurley.

Bank Statement

Elsewhere in this issue appears a statement of the Robert Lee State Bank in answer to a call at the close of business Oct. 4. The local bank makes an excellent report and has an increase in deposits of \$25,000 over its June 30 statement.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to express my gratitude for your words of sympathy and acts of kindness during the illness and death of my son, Carroll. If the opportunity ever arises, please give me the privilege of serving you.—Geo. W. Hale.

Dale Lofton recently resigned his position with Western Geophysical Co. and has taken employment with Morris & Hamilton, who are drilling for Sun near Edith.

Former Robert Lee Girl Weds Medical Student

Miss Addie Belle Fish and DeWard DeWitt McDonald were married in a single ring ceremony Sept. 2 in the study of the University Church of Christ in Austin, with the Rev. R. B. Sweet officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fish of Guion. The family formerly resided in Robert Lee where she attended high school. She has been employed as secretary at the Texas Liquor Control Board in Austin.

Now a pre-medical student at the University of Texas, the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. McDonald of Burkburnett. During the war he served with the Navy.

The couple will reside at 1410 North Congress in Austin.

Another Reservist Called

Herbie Taylor, well known Robert Lee young man, has been called to active duty as a corporal in the Air Force. He is to report Oct. 18 at Kessler Field near Biloxi, Miss. Herbie previously served a three-year voluntary enlistment and has since been a member of the Reserves. He recently completed an 8-months course in a Diesel Engine School at Nashville, Tenn., and has been employed by H & L Truck Co.

Letter From Home
Dear Editor: I am sending the money for the home town paper again. Just can't get along without it. The Observer is like getting a letter telling us what all has happen-

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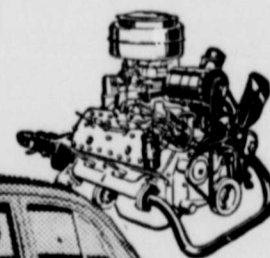
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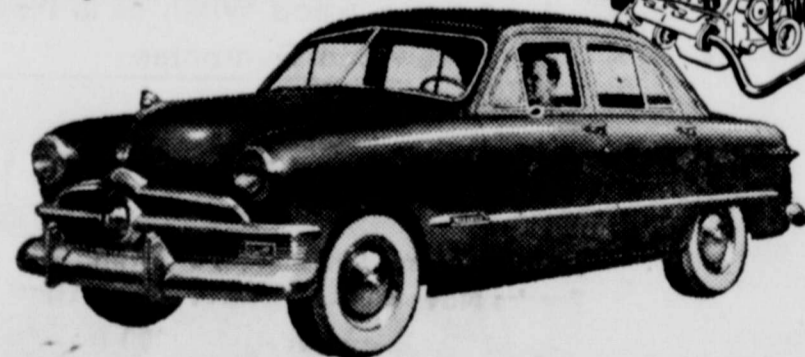
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22—Franz Listz born, 1811.

23—Sarah Bernhardt born, 1845.

24—Pony Express replaced by transcontinental telegraph line, 1861.

25—Battle of Agincourt, 1415.

26—Erie canal opened, 1825.

27—Navy day, Teddy Roosevelt's birthday.

28—Czechoslovakian independence day.

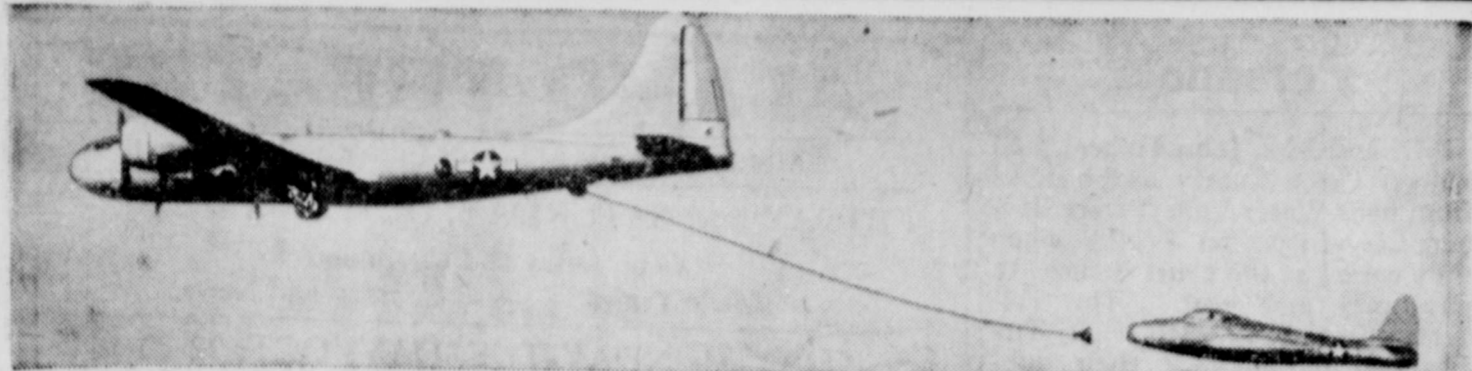
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SOVIET DELEGATION TAKES IT ON THE LAM . . . Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Vishinsky (right) leads chief soviet delegate to security council, Jacob Malik (second from right), and other members of the Russian delegation from the banquet hall of the Waldorf-Astoria hotel after New York's governor blasted Russia for keeping 10 to 15 million people living under imperialist slavery. The city of New York was giving a dinner honoring the incoming and outgoing presidents of the United Nations general assembly. As Dewey's blast began, Vishinsky arose, looked around the room and headed for the door.



SOUTH KOREAN WELCOME . . . Towns and townspeople everywhere in liberated South Korea have welcomed the victorious U.S. marines and the rest of the United Nations forces as they drove the Reds northward or bottled them up in bayonet-lined military traps. One town, as soon as it heard of the U.S. and South Korean beachhead being established at Inchon, voiced its welcome by hanging a sign across the main street leading into the village.



GENTLE RIB AT COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF . . . The United States marines have proved on many occasions that they can take it, and they also have proved they can dish it out. This marine amtrack on the Seoul front displays various signs including: "Machine, Just Propaganda" and "Truman Police Force," all good, clean fun and a tongue-in-cheek attitude toward President Truman for his letter labelling the marines a police force of the navy and claiming they have a propaganda machine equal to Stalin's.



WAR TROPHY . . . P.F.C. Luther R. Leguire, Tampa, Fla., shows North Korean flag he found flying from flagpole at former residence of John J. Muccio, ambassador to Korea, at Seoul. Flag had been run up by North Korean Communist troops.

The Way it Happened . . .

IN MILWAUKEE . . . Police Chief John W. Polcyn warned that girl entertainers in nightclubs must wear more than "a G-string and a couple of two-inch stars," and that it was OK as long as they dressed no more immodestly than ladies in audience.

IN JAMAICA, N.Y. . . Judge Joseph M. Conroy listened patiently while Donald and Mary McClay each recited reasons why the other was unfit to have custody of their two-year-old daughter, then gave his decision: "Neither of you will get custody. In my opinion you both stink."

IN LONG BEACH, CALIF. . . The Clara Lane friendship center reported that a burglar made off with a file listing the names, addresses, telephone numbers, physical specifications and incomes of over 100 unattached women.

IN DECATUR, ILL. . . The night after a touring revivalist advertised in the Decatur Herald and Review that his local crusade had "caught fire," his tent burned down.

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SANCO NEWS

(By Mrs. Sam Fowler)

Visiting in the John Allen home over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Ray McDonald and Johnnie Ray of Austin.

Miss Effie Carwile of Sterling City was a weekend guest in the parental J. L. Carwile, Sr. home.

Mrs. J. L. Reid, Sr. and Mrs. Robert Walker spent a few days last week with Lerlyne Reid in Midland.

Jimmy Killam of Winters has been visiting his grandmother, Mrs. L. S. Bird, and other relatives.

Billie Joe Gartman has been notified that he will not have to report Oct. 25 for his army physical, as they are not calling 19 year olds yet. They had got him mixed up with another youth of the same name in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Adkins of Snyder were visitors here Sunday.

Sixty-three relatives and friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Gartman, Sr., Sunday, Oct. 15, to celebrate birthdays of three of their children. Honored were T. A. Jr., Louie Jack and Jane, whose birthdays occurred on the 15th and 16th.

Those present were the R. E. and Roy Martins, Miss Melvina Huff and Effie Carwile of Sterling City, Bob Fromburg, of Big Lake, the Robert Ramage family of Colorado City, Mrs. Glenn Thomason and children of San Angelo.

Also Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Walker and Tommy of Silver, Inez Gartman of Robert Lee, Mr. H. J. and M. llage Gartman and their wives, Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Gartman and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Gartman and children, Mrs. J. L. Reid, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Reid, and children, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Denman, Merna and Gerald Smith, Benny Wyatt, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fowler, Joy Adkins, Billie Allen and the T. A. Gartmans.

Mrs. I. H. Devoll and daughter, Mrs. Evelyn Jackson, were Sunday visitors in Colorado City.

The Bryan Gartmans gave a party Saturday night. There was a nice crowd and everyone had a good time playing volley ball.

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(Doo-Dad)

OIL PROGRESS WEEK

We hear a great deal these days about the American way of life, and it is all to the good. It would be difficult indeed to think of another subject so infinitely varied or so richly rewarding. Yet it is not enough simply to go on talking about it. If the American Way is to have any valid meaning, we must live it. And before we can live it, we must understand it.

It is in this conviction that we welcome the arrival of Oil Progress Week, October 15-21. The men and women of oil have set aside this time to report to their fellow townsmen and the consumers of their products on their contributions to our well-being and their plans for the future.

Starting less than a century ago with only a hole in the ground, the oil men of this country have helped change the face of our civilization. They have given us the power for mobility and flight. Not only have they provided lubricants for our vast industrial machines but today they are providing more than half of the total energy used in this country. They have helped make possible untold hundreds of good things—from lipsticks to wonder drugs. Moreover they have established comfortable reserves of oil which add greatly to our national security. They have, in short, done much to transform the existence of yesterday to the good life of today.

However, Oil Progress Week is designed not only to remind us of what the oil industry has produced, but what has produced the oil industry. Gasoline and plastics and wax for bread wrappers are simply the evidence of a deeper, driving force—the force that has made possible our whole industrial structure. This is the American way—the determination, the initiative, the opportunity to create more and better things for all of our people everywhere. We call it Freedom.

In setting aside this week to tell their fellow-citizens about their industry, the 1,800,000 men and women of oil are performing a valuable service. In showing how progress in industry and the whole American dream have been realized, their efforts merit our attention and good will.

Pauline Roe Holland witnessed the thrilling Texas-Oklahoma football game in Dallas last Saturday, her escort being Mr. T. J. Speed of Abilene. They were guests of Forth Worth friends Saturday night.

Study Club

The Ark and Dove study club met in regular session Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Frank Percifull. A chapter of You Can Change the World entitled "Social Service" was reviewed. It was brought out that social service agencies need honest workers as they dispense public money and hence have a grave responsibility. Social service can easily become a power to increase laziness and a spirit of non-thrift. Christian charity could save the nation great amounts of money and merit more favor before God.

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Personals

Mr. and Mrs. John Tolbert, well known Coke county ranch folks from near Water Valley, were Robert Lee visitors on Friday when they called at the court house to pay taxes and visit. The Tolberts also took time to visit The Observer and advance their subscription for another year.

C. L. McDonald has plenty of minnows at C. E. McDonald residence.

Visiting over the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Harmon were their daughters, Mrs. Paul Daffern of Ft. Worth, Mrs. H. C. McMinn of Corpus Christi and Mrs. A. J. Carriger of Midland. Mrs. McMinn was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. R. B. Thompson.

Among local people who attended the State Fair over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rives Jr., and daughter, Marjorie Gladys, and Gladys Waldrop. They also visited their friends, the Sam Ezelle, Jr. family at Mesquite and continued to Honey Grove where they visited Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Roe, Jr. and Daphne. Mrs. Roe is a former Coke county home demonstration agent.

Bro. Rader Hawkins will preach at the Evangelical Methodist church in Sanco next Sunday at 3 p. m. He is a son of Bill Hawkins and for several years has been a missionary in South America.

Sonny Capps and Maudie Watson enjoyed a weekend visit with relatives of the former at Brady, Avoca and Mason. They were guests of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Lange, at Mason. Sonny's mother, Mrs. Charles Capps, returned home with them from Brady where she had visited her father, Charles Dean.

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Van Johnson-John Hodiak-Ricardo Montalban in
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Oil Progress means more progress to Coke County. We congratulate the Oil Companies and the employees affiliated with the great Oil Industry.

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THIS WEEK'S SPECIALS

VINEGAR qt. 10c

Kimbells Tamalies can 25c

Kimbells Chili No. 2 Can 55c

CORN MEAL, C. L. Green 10 lbs. 69c

PORK & BEANS, Monarch, 2 No. 2 cans for 35c

PEAS, Mission Brand, 2 No. 2 cans for 35c

DICED CARROTS, Monarch, 2 No. 2 cans 37c

BOLOGNA SAUSAGE, Sliced or piece lb. 35c

Lettuce, Nice Firm Heads each 10c

Powdered Sugar, 2 boxes 25c

Pure Lard 4 lb. crt. 79c

Velveeta Cheese 2 lb. Box 89c

We will be closed Sunday Oct. 22

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