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## Sun Price A-2 <br> Flows 126 Barrels

## Sun No. A-2 Foster S. Price west and north of Edith, has bee

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barrels of oil. Gauge was through a quarter inch choke. Gas-oil ratio was $1,224-1$.
A. 2 Price topped the lime reef at 5,856 feet and was completed in opt.
feet.
Sun A-1 Price was treated with 2,000 gallons of acid recently. An increased flow was reported. It had previously filed a daily potential flow of 121 barrels.
In the same area Sun No. 8 G .
W . Davidson was drilling Tuesday W. Davidson was drilling Tuesday in shale at 2,245 feet.
Sun A-3 Price was in shale at depth of 2,537 feet
Southwest of Silver Sun Jewell Brannan No. 13 was drilling in shale at 5,975 feet
Sun No. 13 C. E. Mathers was making hole at 4,771 feet in shale. Sun No. 1 Ralph Harris Estate

## was in shale at 5,128 feet

## Bridge May Open Dec. 15

Present indications are that the new highway bridge across the of Robert Lee, will be opened to fraffic about the middle of Decem traff. All of the middle or Decem ber. All of the concrete is expected to be poured by Dec. 9 and only few days will be required there-
after to finish the project. Thomas after to finish the project. Thomas
\& Ratliff of Rogers, Texas, is the contracting firm and the above information was furnished The Observer by Leroy Willmann.chief clerk on the Coke countyoperation.

## Personals

## Arthur Tubb was honored with

 Arthur Tubb was honored witha birthday surprise Wednesday night of last week in the home of his son-in law and daughter, Mr and Mrs. Vincent Hanna. Twenty four guests enjoyed dominoes and 42. Delicious refreshments were served.
Dick Collier of Big Lake was in Robert Lee on a business mission Friday and visited among his many old friends. He is a former Coke county resident and previousbought cattle in Robert Lee. He left here 20 years ago. Mr. Collier left here 20 years ago. Mr. Coller Big Lake and also has a Kaiser, Frazer dealership at Crane.
Mr. and Mrs. Felix Puett and son, Leland, are here from Los Angeles, Calif., for a visit with Coke county relatives and friends. A former editor of The Observer Mr. Pruett is now a locomotive engineer with the Santa Fe rai way.

## Garden Club Benefit

As a means of raising funds to Memorial Hospital grounds, the EI Valley Garden club of Rere Lee will soon launch a fruit cak sale. A canvass will be made cake sale. A canvass will be made for
orders. The cakes are of high quality and will come from a well known bakery at Corsicana.


#### Abstract

Thanksgiving Holiday Robert Lee will observe Thurs day, Nov 23, as a legal Thanks giving Holiday. Some parts of the tate have designated Nov. 30 a Thanksgiving and Gov. Shivers has proclaimed either date or both Observer is being printed Tues Observer is being printed Tuesday night this week in order that i will be in the hands of reader Wednesday.


Cotton Still Coming In
The Robert Lee cotton gin ha rocessed 1,050 bales this season and is expecting to exceed the 1,100 mark before the crop is entirely harvested in this territory The gin is still operating every day.

## Hunting Party Bags

## 5 Bucks in Mason Co.

## The Robert Lee cold storage

 ocker plant has five deer which Robert Lee hunters bagged las veek down in Mason countyTwo of the bucks were shot by Johnnie McDaniel, 14 year old son of Dr. and Mrs. J. D. McDaniel, while the others were brought in by F. C. Clark, Dr. J. K. Griffith and Bill Craddock of Colorad City.
Others in the party were J . C. nead, Jr., W. T. Roach snd H. C. Allen.
Dr. McDaniel and his sons Charles and Johnnie, were on hand Thursden the season opened las Thursday morning. Johnnie got both his bucks within 40 minutes father then returned to Robert Lee. Charles remained in the camp until Sunday and the other came home Sunday evening.

## Births

Mr. and Mrs. Teddy Pitcock o Sanco are parents of a son born a y Mem Nov. 18 at Coke Coun weighed 8 pounds 11112 ounces and has been named Darrell Bertram. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Gartman Sanco.
Mr. and Mrs. James Hill of Midland are parents of a daughter born last week. Mr. Hill is a son
of Mr. and Mrs. Houston Hill ofr. and Mrs. Houston Hill of
Midland. The named Martha Sophronia Anne after her great grandmother, Mrs J. C. Newton, of Robert Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Martin of of a son, Dennis Wayne, bor Nov. 8 in a San Angelo hospital. He weighed 5 pounds, 12 ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Duke. San Angelo, and Mr Mex.
Strayed-Red heifer, white face and white stripe down back. Brand ed with cross on right hip. Wt about 300 lbs. Notify J. C. Strick
and. and.
For Sale-New 3-room modern house with bath, furnished or unurnished, half block east of Rob-
ert Lee Gin. Inquire of Kermit Hardcastle. Inquire of Kermit
For Sale-Two kerosene heating oves, good as new. Frank Dickey If you don't get The Obse
You don't get The News

## Notes <br> From The <br> Oil Field <br> Union Oil Co. of California

 City of Robert Lee was drilling ahead Tuesday morning at 1,635 feet. The wildcat test is on a 240 acre tract bought 20 years ago for a waterworks site. Location is one mile southeast of the city limits. Spartan Production Co. No, E. Smith, 14 miles southeast of Robert Lee, was drilling Monday night at a depth of 1,160 feet. Advance Drilling Co. is the contractor and Clay Newell, tool tractor and Clay Newell, toolpusher. Spartan is making the test pusher. Spartan is making the test
on a farm out from Seaboard and Southern Minerals, who own joint lease on a large block in that

Amerada No. 1 Frank McCabe, wildcat three miles northwest of Silver, was drilling Tuesd
000 feet in black shale.

## Veterans Xmas Gifts

The American Legion Auxiliar wishes to again call attention to the fact that Christmas Boxes for veterans at Legion Hospital must Bexes to send away by Dec. Boxes may be left at Roach pick them up.

## Personals

Mrs. Lee Latham left Sunday or St. Louis, Mo., to join her husband who is a student in a diesel engineering school. Their daughter, Monnette, remained in school here and is living with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Latham.
Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Schooley and family of Ft . Worth visited over the weekend with the former's , Mister, Mrs. T. W. Casey, and family and other relatives and
friends.
Glenda, 9 year old daughter of Mr and Mrs. Bill Beaver of Big Lake, former Robert Lee residents, was treated at the hospital here last Saturday. The child fractured her right should $r$ and wrist two eeks previous when she fell from horse on the Foster Price ranch near the Sterling county line.

## Buys Florida Cattie

C.N. Webb, Tennyson ranch ate summer and early autumn and n both occasions purchased three loads of cattle. The animals were raised by the Camp Ranch near Gainesville, Fla, and consisted mostly of high quality Brahma mostly of high quality Brahamans. Mr. Webb sold three loads mmediately after they were shiped to Texas but plans keep the remainder on his Coke county ranch.

## U. S. Berlins

America has more than a dozen towns of that name are locally pro nounced Berlin.

Lac, the base for shellac, is a
natural resin secreted by insects which live on the sap of certain trees in oriental countries.

## Starting Lineups Bronte Longhorns <br> J. Lee Ensor <br> Bobby Evans .-..........-Left Guard <br> Billy P. Thomason <br> John Rusk <br> Bobby Lasswell <br> J. W. Caudle <br> Lyndon Waldrop Bally McCutchen Billy Jack Genty Gerald Sandusky <br> Robert Lee Steers <br> Norman Roberts........ Left End Addison Davis Weldon LoftonWaymond Davis Tommy Kirkpatrick Alfred Austin <br> Bill Havins <br> Ronnie Baker .--- Wilton Robertson <br> Donald Hamilton <br> - Right Guard <br> Right Guard Right End Quarterback Halfback Fullback Left Tackle -_-Center Right Guard Rt. Tackle Quarterback ... Halfback Halfback Fullback <br> Robert Lee Principal Heads County Teachers

Annual meeting of the Cok place in Robert Lee Tuesday night of last week. A business session and program followed dinner serv ed at the school lunch room. Main speaker of the evenin was Miss Ruth Hillyer, mathe matics teacher at San Angelo high school, a former president of the district teachers accociation. She was accompanied to Robert Le by Miss Parr and Miss Floyd.
All teachers employed in th ing and the following officers wer lected:
P. E. Webb, President
H. N. Gaddy, Vice Pres. H. N. Gaddy, Vice Pres.
H R. Gassiott, 2nd Vice Pres. Mrs. P. E. Webb, Secretary
Jack Price, Treasurer

## Coke County

## Hospital News

## Bell admitted. S. W. Lord dis

 missed.Nov. 18-Mrs. Daisy Mc Cutchen, Mrs. Teddy Pitcock ad mitted. Mrs. Pitcock gave birth to a son at $2: 10 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. Don Bell dis missed.

## S. W. Lord, G.

## ohnson of Bronte admitted

## YOU Can Change the World

he district court room of the court house in Robert Lee, Friday Nov. 24, 7:30 p. m. Admission ree. Based upon the much dis cussed book bearing such title Sponsored by the Ark and Dove study club of Robert Lee under auspices of the Catholic Church.
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Claffey an son, Steve, of Indianapolis, Ind are visiting relatives in Bronte and Robert Lee. Mrs. Claffey the former Jane Cumbie and is ister of Mrs. R. D. Garrett,
Mrs. Carl Grubenman of Silver pent a few days last week wit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, while her husband was
attending a meeting of petroleum engineers in Dallas.

## Longhorns Meet Steers Thursday In Pigskin Finale

Robert Lee high school Steers and the Bronte Longhorns clash in and the Bronte Longhorns clash in ootball game Thursday afternoon of this week. Fair weather and a ast field is predicted and a record crowd will be on hand for the kickoff at 2 o'clock.
It is the final gridiron contest of the year and both teames are hoping for a victory. The 6 B district championship has already been ecided, but the Coke county grid itle is also something worth crapping for
A comparison of records gives Robert Lee an edge over the Longhorns. Bronte started slow with a bunch of new players but they have improved with exper-
ience and are just about at their ience and are just about
peak as the season ends.

Last week they battled Coahoma almost to a draw, losing by a count of 14 to 12 . It was the conversion points that cost the Longhorns a tie.
Bronte has a great player in the person of Gerald Sandusky

Republicans Make Sweeping Gains For Both Senate and House Seats; Korean Situation Is Called Serious


An estimated 80,000 Chinese Communists are reported driv-
ing southward (broken arrows) in an attempt to split U.N. forces. ing southward (broken arrows) in an attempt to split U.N. forces.
U.N. troops withdrew, although some units were surrounded and ELECTION:
Republicans Gain
Taking the administration by sur-
prise, the Republican party made
sweeping gains in the senate and
house in one of the most hotly con-
tested national elections in years.
As final tabulations were being
completed, observers believed that
the Democrats would retain 49 sen-
ate seats and the Republicans would
have 47. To all practical purposes
the Republicans will have a work-
ing majority in the senate and will
control legislative voting with the
aid of rebellious southern Demo-
crats.
In the house the Republicans
made sweeping gains, but not
enough for control.
enough for control.
Most startling aspect of the elecin the opinion of most ob-
ervers, was the defeat of such men as Democrat Sen. Millard E. Tyd-
ings of Maryland and Sen. Scott Lucas was the Democratic ma ings was a strong supporter of the
administration and the state depart

In Ohio, Sen. Robert A. Taft won
a resounding victory over the labor Truman purge attempt. Foreign Thet sampaign and the results o
the batte may shake the founda-
tions of the Republican party. Some observers saw Taft's wictory as a
plain indication that the people were not happy with
The administration took another
blow in Connecticut. Republican
John Davis Lodge ousted Fair Deal Democrat Chester Bowles in the
governor's contest. Democrat Sen Brien McMahon, however, was re
elected.
In New York, Gov. Thomas E,
Dewey, twice-defeated Republican Dewey, wor president, won a thirr
nominee for
term as governor of that state. The overnor's running mate, Lt. Gov Sen. Herbert Lehman. Here again wither Republicans trend where were able to sweep all offices. This in many sections of the country.
In California, Republican Gov Earl Warren, seeking a third term, velt, son of the late President. Rep Richard M. Nixon also defeated
Democrat Helen Gahagan Douglas In a congressional fight that at racted nation-wide attention, Amer-
can-Labor party Rep. Vito Marcantonio of New York, the only
minor party representative in the cratic-Republican-Liberal coalition ng him. Marcantonio's foes charged hat he followed every twist and
turn of the Communist party line during his service in the house
As final tabulations were com-
piled, observers agreed that Democratic control of the senate and stitute a safe working majority. As a result, the next two years will see a number of bitter battles on legisor killed by incredible small mar-
zins. gins.

## Headliners

 of the most offensive acts of in-
ternational lawlessness of historic said in his report on Chinese in-
tervention in North Korea. George Bernard Shaw, Irish au
thor and wit, who died at the age in a whirl with his use of worls,
Here are some Shavianisms: Suc cess-"The secret of suceess is to
offend the offend the greatest number of peo-
ple;" Truth-"The truth is the ple; Truth- The truth is the one
thing nobedy will believe;" Love
"Sir, there are two tragedies in sif, there are two tragedies
life. One is to lose your heart's de
sire. The or KOREA:
Situation Serious
The war in Korea which seemed on the verge of complete victory
for the United Nations forces too a dangerous turn with the inva-
sion of Chinese Communists. Political observers termed the situa-
tion serious, including Gen. Doug-
las MacArthur, mander.
According to available reports, between three and six Chinese d
visions crossed the boundary between Manchuria and Korea and
went into battle beside the North Koreans. The immediate military re
sult was a withdrawa sult was a withdrawal of U. N.
troops south, in some instances as
much as 50 miles. MacArthur summed up the sit uation by reporting that the North
Korean army was finished as a fighting force in October by the in-
ficting of 335,000 casualties. This
included included 135,000 Reds who were
captured. His communique on the situa
tion said: "In the face of this vic tory of U.N. arms, the Commu-
nists committed one of the most offensive acts of international law There are available in Manchuri
Thecord about 300,000 troops- veterans of the Chinese civil war-which could be thrown into the battle immed
iately. Another 300,000 are believed to be either in Manchuria or North China.
The The dangerous question now facing the ree nations is what att
tude Chinese will take to Mac Arthur's charge that "alien Com munists" have entered the war. Whether the Communist world is is a secret, most probably locked in the depths of the Kremlin. If the Communists are ready to take this risk it may mean the
start of World War III and the of the world as we have known
it.

GERM-WARFARE:
Infected Rats Found
One of the most frightening and
horrible discoveries of the Korean conflict was made public when the army disclosed it had found five
thousand rats and mice innoculat-
ed with deadly ed with deadly plague and other
germs in a secret laboratory near germs in a secret laboratory near
Pyongyang. The army reported more than
5,000 rats and mice were inoculated with such diseases as buboni plague, encephalitis, and eurirra
waddy fever immediately after the W.N. landing at Inchon. Only 380 of the carriers were
alive when discovered and 200 of alive when discovered and 200 of
these were mad from hunger. Nose were mad were believed to have been
turned loose or to have escaped from their sealed cages, though
fleas from the dead animals might spread disease. The project was reported unde an scientist who fled northwar
after the landing. in groups of from two to 20 . They
were well fed and their furs sprayed with a chemical that
couraged the multiplication The discovery will provide a clue
to the type of germ-warfare experimentation Communist coun-
tries might be carrying out and
give the free nations of the world an indication as to what horrors
the Communist will resort. SPAIN
Ban Is Liffed
After four years the United Na-
tions had lifted its diplomatic ban
against the Spanish government. against the Spanish government. 1. It withdrew the 1946 recom
mendation to all U. N. members
that they withdraw ambassadors that they withdraw ambassadors
and ministers from Madrid.
2. It lifted the 1946 ban against
admission of Spain to the U. N.'s admission of Spain to the U. N.
specialized agencies.
The United States, however, wil not return an ambassador to Mad-
rid. President Truman said publicly recently he would not appoint
one.
The U. N.'s resolution left intact the condemnation of the Franc
regime for its aid to the Axis dur
ing World War II. The United States voted in favo
of removing the boycott which was
spearheaded by Catholic Latin Revolutionist


Pard graduate, leader of the Nuenonanst party that thre ested after the attempt to sassinate President Truman FBI agents were trying to con nect him with the attempt o

WORLD WAR III
Thunder Can Be Heard
The capitals of the world trem
bled because many observers be lieved they heard the thunder of The thunder was caused by Com munist China which adopted tion in Korea signaliz
tion to invade China.
All Communist dispatches and broadcasts hammered
same recurrent themes 1. The Chinese Communists wil gressors" with concrete action 2. American use of the atom
bomb will mean retaliation in kind Observers were further troubled because the Chinese evidently meant business. From three to six
Chinese divisions had been iden tified in action in Korea agains
United Nations forces. Tiey force U. N. troops to make withdrawals and, from early reports, intende to continue their march south. No one in his right mind can
overlook the fact that China could be the strongest nation in the world. The Chinese Communis armies already are estimated a
$5,000,000$ men of whom $1,000,000$ are in Manchuria. Peiping recently an armed militia, bringing the coun try's armed strength to more tha



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## Stanton Grabs 6-B Conference

 District 6-B gridiron title last Fir day with a 266 victory over th Hermleigh Cardinals. They will meet winners of District 5.B in bi-district playoff.The Buffaloes completed their ten game schedule undefeated and an rough shod over six conference oes Their closest batcle in loop play and a $13-6$ decision over
Robert Lee.
|night the Buffaloes played a super $/$ Koonce intercepted a Cardinal pass recovered a fumble in midfield. brand of football to lead 20.0 at on his 10. They marched past Gibson shot a pass to G. Koonce half time. Early in the first period midfield, then Henson's pass to E. on the Cardinal 10 and Earl circl Hermleigh was compelled to kick Koonce carried to the 12. Another ed his left end for a touchdown and Stanton took the on their 35 . aerial was completed to G Koonce There was no scoring in the final On the Buffaloe's first olay from for a touchdown and a conversion period, although Hermleigh recovscrimmage, Earl Koonce tossed a followed. $\quad$ ered a fumble near the center of picked up blockers and raced down all through the second half but fore they were stopped. the sideline for a touchdown. Con- they had already lost the game. version failed. Pefore After taking a punt on their 45 the Before the quarter ended Gearl $\begin{aligned} & \text { Cardinals drove to the } 20 \text { and }\end{aligned}$ handed off to Earl who started a threw a long pass to Gearl who time later in the third quart scored again Henson's placekick when Dickie Wall in ercepted was good.

Gearl Koonce was the outstanding player for the winners, and xcelled his brother Earl, who was till nursing injuries from the Robert Lee game. Kenneth Henson

In the finale at Stanton Friday
for Stanton
Fullback Fritz of the Cardinals was nursing a sore knee from the previous Bronte contest and conributed little to the Hermleigh offense. Soon after the game startde was in the lineup only on defense as a linebacker. Chorn Hermleigh end, was a standout.

## Draft Call Nov 24

Thirty-one men have been called for induction Nov. 24 by the local draft board which includes Coke,
Tom Green and Irion counties, Coke county youths in the group Coke county youths in the group
are Douglas Dean, who now resides at Weatherford, and Billie Joe Luckett and Cecil Lloyd Coalson

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abandoned childre
Officer Raymond Pope kneels by David Boyle, 18 months, who, with his sister, Patricia, 3 (left), was found hungry and unclothed in a downpour of rain in a back yard in
San Francisco. At right is another member of the family, Faith, 6 , who was at school when the police San Francisco. At right is another member of the family, Faith, 6, who was at school when the police
investigated the situation of the children at the request of neighbors. When police questioned neighbors about the whereabouts of the parents, they explained that the children's parents had left home
three days before the officers were called.


CHINESE COMMUNIST TROOPS CAPTURED IN KOREA . . Lt. M. H. Allen, Spokane, Washington and Lt. C. O. Grewe, Porland, Oregon, interrogate a group of prisoners at Hamhung, North Korea
This group was among the first of the Chinese Communist troops to be captured and taken into custody during the fighting in North Korea near the Manchurian border. Gen. Douglas Macarthur sent a strong
note to the United Nations protesting the interven Ion of Communist China into the Korean conflict.

gloating rebel chief Pedro Albizu Campos, Puerto ly gives his story to press after his arrest in San Juan. Full probe has been started into activities of
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## 1951 Fords $\mathrm{Go}_{0} \mathrm{On}$ Display Nov. 24

The 1951 Fords, featuring Ford omatic Drive, the new trans mission, will be introduced in Ford dealerships throughout the nation Friday, Nov. 24
"Ford cars for 1951 accomplish notable refinements in styling beauty, engineering, riding qual ries, economy, safety and ease of handling,' L. D. Crusoe, vice president and general manager of Ford Division, announced.
Addition of the new automatic device will make avaiible to Ford buyers a choice of three trans missions and two engines-six

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Introduction Introduction of Fordomatic
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The distinctive styling of the 1949 and 1950 models has been retained, but with refinements and improvements both in interiors and exteriors.
A lowered hood, a new dual. spinner grille and a wider, longer wrap-around bumper give a more massive appearance to the front end. Parking lights are restyled and larger chrome headlamp rims extend beyond the lenses. Added chrome and new, larger tail lamps add to
end.
Rear deck lids on the new Fords have been counter balanced and are opened by a new key release lock. Springs then assist in raising the lid and hold it in the position. The new models have a wide range of color combinations, and a choice of upholstery, headlinings monize with body coors har wide choice is a Ford exclusive the low-price field
The '51 "Safety Glow" instrument panel is completely new. A "Chanalited" instrument cluster adds safety and convenience, and
the speedometer pointer has a the speedometer pointer has a glowing ring which encircles and
illuminates the figure showing the illuminates the figure showing the
speed. The instrument control knobs are mounted in cups, each individually lighted.

## SILVER NEWS

Bob Short, engineer at the gas plant, returned to work Monday morning after a week's vacation in Dallas with relatives and friends. Spending the weekend here with the M. D. Millers were their daughter, and family of Lockey. Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Allen left early Monday morning to attend the Farm BureauState Convention at Minerals Wells from Nov. 20th through the 22 nd.
Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Walker Claudia and La Rue attended a birthday dinner and tea honoring Mrs. Walker's father, C. A Ballard of Big Spring, on his 80th birthday on Nov. 12th. The affair was given by Mrs W. K. Scuddy, another by Mrs
daughter, at her home in Garden daughter, at her hallard's children were City. Mr. Ballard's children were
all present except one. His two all present except one. His two
sisters, one age 76 and one 78 sisters, one age Walker's daugh-
were there. The We ter and family, the J. K. Eatons of Fort Worih, came here for a visit with her parents and attend. ed the reunion also.
Ford Shropshire and family, of Post were visitors at the Church of Christ services Sunday morning. They were on their way to Robert Lee to visit his parents before moving to Oklahoma where he will serve as minister for a church there.
Mr. C. G. Walker returned Saturday from a week's vacation with relatives in his old home place, Jewett, Texas, and he returned by way of Gladewater and
Longview for a visit with friends.
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P.T.A. Notes

The Robert Lee Parents-Teach was feciation meeting Nov. 16 y the Lakeview school belection Mr. Charles Ludwig. The Red Mr. Charles Ludwig. The Rev
Ernest Stewart spoke on the sub ject, "Where Do Teen-Agers Get eir Standards?"
The finance committee announc dhat after nearly $\$ 200$ was de Carnival netted $\$ 518$ for the shool. Two projects to be carried at with this money were approvchase of more books for the library ground to protect children from the many cars that drive up to shool.
Mrs. Fred McDonald, Jr., president, gave a short report on her impressions of the state PTA convention held recently at Mineral Uells.
A room count showed the sixth grade had the most parents preent and won first prize of $\$ 100$. The fourth grade was second inning 50 c .
All parents are especially invit d to attend the Christmas PTA neeting Dec. 21. Elementary grades will present the program
and Mrs. J. D. McDaniel will speak on "Does Religion Make a Difference."
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about 350 acres farm land. Will sign up to three-year lease at $\$ 3$ acre. Contact the owner, Mrs. J . Collier, 427 Spaulding, San

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| KIMBELLS TAMALES | can | 25 c |
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| 16-Milburn Wink |  |
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| 28-Tommy Kirkpatrick |  |
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| 40-J. A. Brown |  |
|  |  |
| 19-Royce Wallace | End |
|  |  |
| 46-Elmer Greathouse --------------------------- Tackle |  |
| 46-Waymond Davis $\star$ | Center |
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| 35-Addison Davis | Tackle |
| 29-Bobby Roberts |  |
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| 43-Wilton Robertso | Halfback |
| 18--Bill Havins | Quarterback |
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| Charles Dennis.-------------------------------------Coach |  |
| 38-Donald Mauldin | in picture |



1950 Robert Lee High School Football Squad

## We're Mighty Proud Of The Robert Lee Steers

 A Great Football Team! - A Fine Group of Fellows!The 1950 Steers have had a highly successful season-6 victories and 3 defeats. That's the best record Robert Lee has made since 1946. Competition
was tough but you were never defeated by more than one touchdown! A flock of injuries kept you from being District Champions.


## TO THE SENIORS:

We are especially proud of these Seniors who will finish their High School football careers against Bronte on Thanksgiving

Day: Lofton, Sheppard, Kirkpatrick, Waymond Davis, Baker, Hamilton, Hood and Mauldin.

Best Wishes and Congratulations From Your Friends Listed Below:




Bake Fruit Cake Early to Ripen It
Holiday Desserts IT MAY SEEM early to think of the holidays, but not if you're go-
ing to have fruit cakes and plum puddings on hand for the big feasts.

making some for
your own family your own family,
don't forget that don't fo
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wrapped
dings dings and pudcakes make ex-
cellent gifts to
to
spots on the list which are difficult, especially at the last minute.
Rich in flavor and fruits, both cakes and puddings need time to their very best. Make them four to
six weeks in advance, and dessert' six weeks in advance, and dessert s
ready and off your hands when
time is at a premium.
PUT THE * * * * gether the following day, steam and
bake them at a leisurely pace, and by the time you want to start supper. Dark Fruit Cake
${ }_{4}^{12} \mathrm{eggs}$
4
2
2
cups sifted flour
cupsh butter
2 pound brown sugar
2 pounds ras
1 pound brown su
2 pounds raisins
2 pounds currants
2 pounds currants
1 pound pecans
1 pound peeans
1 pound citron
1 pound almonds
1 teaspoon nutmeg
1 teaspoon mace
1 teaspoon mace
$1 / 4$ cup lemon juice
1/4 cup canned peach juics
6 -ounce glass jelly (black-
berry, currant or grape)
$1 / 2$ cup cream
Whe cup cream
Wash and dry raisins and cur-
rants. Blanch almonds, drain and cut with pecans into quarters. Cut
citron into thin slices. Place fuit
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 add sugar grad-ually. Add beaten eggs and jelly. Next stir in the nately with fruit juice first, then
Line pans with heavy waxed pa per and butter lightly. Fill pans
almost to the top. Bake small loa almost to the top. Bake small loal
cakes for 3 to $3_{1 / 2}$ hours at $275^{\circ}$ Bake large loaf cakes 4 to $4^{1 / 2}$ hours at $250^{\circ}$. The cakes will shrink Cool cakes on a wire rack, without removing the wax paper. When

White Fruit Cake Makes 210 -inch layers
1 pound white raisins
1 pound crystalized cher-
ries
1 pound crystalized pine
1/2 pound pitted dates
$1 / 2$ pound currants
1/2 pound pecanil meats
$1 / 2$ pound blanched almonds
$1 / 2$ pound citron
$1 /$ pound candied orange peel
$11 / 2$ cups butter
2 cups sugar
2 cups sugar


10 eggs , unbeaten
5 cups sifted all-purpose flour
1 cup orange juice
Weigh orange juice
Weigh out fruits and nuts; chop
into desired sizes. Cream Add sugar gradually and beat until fluffy; add salt. Add eggs one at a time; beat well after each ad-
dition. Add half of flour to ation. Add half of flour to egg mix-
ture and beat until smooth.
Sprinkle remaining flour
 कित juice and blend thoroughly. Pour into two well-
greased 10x4-inch tube pans that
have two layers have two layers of greased brown
paper on botton. Bake in a very
slow oven (275 $)$ for three hours.

$1 / 2$ cup brown sugar, firmly
packed
4 eggs, well beaten
$3 / 4$ eggs, chopped dates
3
1 cup currants
11/2 cup raisins
$11 / 2$ cup chopped figs
$1 / 4$ cup finely chopped candied
orange peel
$1 / 4$ cup finely chopped candied
lemon peel
pound
$1 / 2$ pound ground suet
$1 / 4$ cup orange juice
Combine crumbs, salt, spices.
milk and sugar. Mix well and cool.
Stir in eggs, fruits, fruit peels, suet and orange juice. Mix thoroughly.
Pour into two greased quart molds; cover with lids or double thickness
of waxed paper and steam four
hours.


International Show Opens November 25 Cattle Class Prizes Largest Ever Offered The 51st International Live Stock
Exposition will be held this year in Exposition will be held this year in
the International Amphitheatre at the International Amphiseatre at
the Chicago stock yards from Nothe Chicago stock yards from No
vember 25 through December 2 . Increased prize money for the
show should help to encourage the exhibition of top livestock from
both the United States and Canada, exposition officials reported. Prizes for all cattle classes will
be $\$ 61,370$, the largest total ever
 An international grand cham-
pion steer is shown above with owners, Cleo Yoder of Iowa,
Henry W. Marshall, exposition chairman, and Dr. A. D. Weber who is slated to judge steers again this year.
offered. Many prize increases made in other breeds to mark the occasion of the golden jubilee show of
1949 are retained this year 1949 are retained this year.
Dr. A. B. Weber, of Kansas State college, will judge the steers again this year. He is the only American to judge these classes since the exposition departed from the custom
of having foreign judges two years
ago. Other features in connection with the international that have been
familiar in the years since 1900 include the grain and hay show, recognized as the world's largest comFarm Expenses Increased Five Fold in Past Decade Farm expenses have increased al-
most five-fold over the past decade

An idea that might be useful when growing next spring's plants
is the seed box with removable sides as shown in the above illustration. attached to the bottom by means plants are large enough to be transplants are large enough to be trans-
planted from the flat, the sides are unhooked and lifted up from the bottom, the soil with the plants in it remaining undisturbed on the
bottom board. The plants are then easily separated and pulled up. When ready to use again, the sides are hooked to the bottom, and the flat filled with new soil. Very little
root disturbance will result when the small plants are cut from the mass of soil with earth clinging
to their roots.

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## Soil Conservation

 District News
## Cotton Land Should

## Be Selected Carefully

FORT WORTH, Nov. 21, 1950 Louis P. Merrill, regional head of the Soil Conservation Service, has some timely suggestions for farmers who are considering expansion of their cotton acreage in 1951. Merrill fears that some farmers, with the lifting of government cotton restrietions, may undo much of the good conservation work they have accomplished unless they choose their cotton land wisely and take steps to protect it Here are Merrill's recommendations for the farmer planning to increase his cotton acreage:

1. Put cotton only on land that is suited to cotton. Cotton - land should be productive enough for a profitable yield and not easily eroded.
2. Keep cotton off land where cotton root rot is common.
3. Think it over before plowing up good stands of grass. Farmers often net more from grass than from cotton, especially when they make full use of opportunities for grazing and seed harvesting.
In most areas, information on land suited to cotton is available, Merrill said. Landowners can make us: of the help that soi! conservation districts can give them in deciding what land can produce cotton profitable and without damage. In the plains areas of Texas and Oklahoma, nearly 5,000000 acres of land now being cultivated are too shallow or unstable for cotton, a crop offering almost no resistance to the forces of erosion.
Legumes and other winter cover, planted immediately, would be worked into the soil next spring. These crops improve the soil, protect it against erosion during a danger period and offer winter grazing in addition to increasing the yields of the cotton crop that follows, Merrill said.
It is seldom wise to follow cotton with another crop of cotton, Merrill pointed out. However, when it is done, a legume cover between crops of cotton will help to control erosion, increase productivity and reduce cotton root rot.
Farmers have been getting more grass - conscious in recent years, the regional director said. More than 250,000 acres have been put in native grasses alone in Texas and Oklahoma during the last two years and still additional acreage in introduced grasses. On nearly all of this land grass for livestock is the safest and the most profitable use, and to plow up such plantings with the questionable
prospect of a high cotton yield prospect of a high cotton yreld
would be poor business, Merrill added.
Several grasses fit in well with rotations that include cotton, Merrill said. Some of these grasses


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are blue panicum, weeping and sand lovegrass, King ranch Bluestem.
Merrill also urges that farmer keep in mind the other practices that are useful in conservation farming. Plantıng cotton in alternate strips with tall growing crops such as grain sorghums is essential in helping to control wind crosion in sandy lands. Stubble mulching, contour cultivation and terracing help conserve moisture and prevent erosion.
Soil conservation districts can help farmers needing assistance in making decisions on what lands to plant to cotton and on how to use these lands to best advantage,
Merrill said. Merrill said
Ernest Bloodworth and J. Q, Varnadore are now employed at the Sheetrock factory in Sweet water.

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## Baylor U Makes Excellent Gains

WACO, Texas, Nov, 21-Pres dent W. R. White of Baylor Uni versity told Texas Baptists in Fort Worth that Baylor assets in three cities now total $\$ 25,000,000$, It is an inerease of $\$ 3,000,000$ over a year ago, he said. In its annual report to the Baptist General Convention of Texas, meeting at Fort Worth, the Baptist school also reported gains along other lines. The 5,182 regular students at Waco, 241 dental students at Dallas, 154 nursing students at Dallas, and 343 medical students at Houston
make a total of 5,920 enrolled in the various branches this Fall, he said.

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school at Waco, which has enrolled 504 students this Fall.
"Baylor is a fountain out of
which come other institutions of which come other institutions of higher learning and elements that have gone into the whole fabric of declared in Texas," Dr. Whit 106-year history.
"Baylor has a spirit which is mosaic of good things, old and new. She is old enough to hav achieved a ripened maturity. She is progressive enough to have all the up-to-dateness of a great Benn university.
Baylor's buildings and campuses in the three cities are valued at $\$ 18,500,000$, Dr. White told the Baptists. This will be increased further with completion of the Truett Memorial Hospital, an Dallas, and of the Aspar a Dallas, and of the Arm
Browning Library at Waco.
Endowment stands at slightly less than $\$ 5,000,000$, he reported adding that this figure is far from being adequate for safe financial operation of the school. That it is growing however is indicated by the fact that this year's figure is an increase of $\$ 893,000$ over last year.

## Sunshine 4-H Club

 The Sunshine 4 -H club girls me Wednesday, Nov. 15, with their leader, Zona Mae King. Sue Henson was elected secretary to succeed Carolyn Childress who resigned. Joe Frances Box and Virginia Jones were elected song leaders. The club discussed having a Christn
## Folliks You know

 E. C. (Doo-Dad) Davis has been doing some contract painting on a group of city owned housingunits at McCamey, His crew in units at McCamey. His crew includes G. E. Davis, Martin Casey, Bill Wallace, Linzy McDorman and Orvil Childress.
Guests over the weekend in the home of Mrs. Otis Rabb were her son, Wilfred, of Odessa, and her daughter, Mrs. Garland Morris, and two children of Abilene. The a week's visit with his grand nother

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| Mr and Mrs. C. S. Schooley and daughter, Rheba June, of Ft . Worth enjoyed a recent visit with their daughter and family, the T. W. Caseys. Also Mrs. Schooley's mother, Mrs. S. M. Lewis, and other relatives. |
| Howard Parker of Eldorado and his friend, Miss Ruth Sparks of Ozona, were weekend guests in the Vincent Hanna home. |
| Bob Davis of McCamey came to Robert Lee Saturday on matters estate of the late Mrs. B. E.DavisGilbert. Bob is executor of the estate, the bulk of which was left to the Methodist childrens home at Waco. Mr. Davis says he likes his new position of city secretary manager at McCamey. |
| Mr and Mrs. O. E. Duke and daughter, Joyce, of San Angelo were here for a Sunday visit with relatives and friends. Mrs. E. G. Martin and little son accompanied them |
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| Birthday Party <br> Larry Rabb celebrated his 11th |  |
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| Otis Rabb. Party gar | Monday, Nov. 27, at 7:30 |
| played and Mrs. Rabb served |  |
| tasty refreshments. Twenty-six friends of Larry were present. | these meetings. |
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