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UGH! TRY IT SOMETIME. INCHES TO GO



It took three downs as the Longhorns stiffened on their own goal line. We think that's as well as to make some threat in the air, and offered a stout wall to defend their goal line, holding the Steers to inches time and again.

## TO WIN BI-DISTRICT Steers Play Knox City Friday at Sweetwater

Except for the nip and tuck battle here with Loraine, the most powerful football team in the history of Robert Lee High School swept to a comparatively easy victory in Class B, and a lopsided 8 wins to no losses in their whole 1963 season.

They meet Knox City, District 7-B champs, at Sweetwater tomorrow, Friday, night at 7:30 to decide the Bi-district, and if successful there, will have one more hurdle in the regional.

Knox City romped away 53-0 against Roby to cinch the 7-B title last Friday. Robert Lee scouts who have seen them play report a strong team, and from reports we have, it again appears that Robert Lee's superb defense may prove the difference.

As it was with Loraine, the two

### Town To Turn Out

If you hear the siren Friday after dinner, it means that the town is turning out to give the Class 8-B Champion Steers a send-off to win the bi-district game at Sweetwater. Catch a bus or drive your car to the school house and join the kids in an all-out pep-meeting at 2:15. Just chase the fire truck — it isn't against the law here, Friday, anyhow.

teams have not met the same teams in opposition, and there is very little statistical basis for comparison, but, as in the Loraine game, we give the Steers the edge to win the bi-district, the breaks being about equal, and barring unexpected illness or injuries.

The game is apt to be fully as exciting as that one with Loraine, and a big crowd of Robert Lee people is expected to make the trip.

#### Used Familiar Plays

At Bronte, Coach John Malone ran his troops through about the same maneuvers they have used through the season. Conceded by all to be considerably the stronger team in every respect, and with some of Bronte's best men either out or weakened from injuries, the Steers had the game well in hand from the beginning, though the Longhorns in the finest traditions of good sportsmanship made it a good game and showed ability to make gains on the ground

### TODAY'S EDITORIAL

Three major projects in which our readers are very much interested are still alive, and we may be able to report more definitely on developments next week.

None of these are anything you can just up and do, like that. All three of them take long and careful work.

The Hospital Board, through the efforts of Mr. Vandiver, hospital administrator, have been steadily working at contacting a doctor and a dentist who might look into coming here, while at the same time proceeding with study of plans on the size and type of enlargement most likely to be needed.

This is indirectly related to the fact that the nursing home project is being considered by a re-organized firm, with whom contract negotiations are under way.

As to the dam on the river, engineers are studying the sites. We cannot publish any accomplished fact yet, but information we have indicates that the project of building a dam on the Colorado River in Coke County is still very much alive.

### Ellenberger Try Could Mean Three Field Designation

The possibility of a three field designation opening the way to future drilling in the Northeast IAB Field depended early this week on the completion attempt in the Ellenburger Lime in Standard of Texas No. 1-1 Lura Reid, about two miles northeast of Sanco.

Reports, unofficial, from this well indicated the Menelle sand at around 5,000 feet, from which the rest of the Northeast IAB produces was not present, and that the Gray sand, found to the west on the Boswell lease did not appear.

The Boswell well which the No. 1-1 Reid offsets, is flowing from the Gray at about 6,400, and is the only well in the area producing from that level.

The Reid well in a drill stem test showed 360 feet of free oil, 46 gravity; 200 feet of mud cut oil, and 90 feet of heavy oil cut mud.

A test in the Caddo lime on Nov. 12 showed no oil, according to local report, but when shut in had 3,000 pounds of gas pressure.

This well changes the picture of the northeast trend, and oil men as well as local people are watching it with considerable interest.

### VANDIVER SAYS DOCTOR, DENTIST EXPECTED HERE

We can expect to have another doctor and a dentist in Robert Lee by the first of the year, and should have some definite program underway to repair the existing facilities and enlarge the hospital. R. B. Vandiver, Hospital Administrator, told members of the Board of Community Development Tuesday.

Mr. Vandiver recently returned from a trip to Fort Worth, Dallas and several other centers to interview doctors and dentists, and found several interested in Robert Lee as a possible location.

The Robert Lee City Lake caught 6 inches of water Tuesday morning, amounting to some 10 acre feet, or about 3,000,000 gallons.

Dr. John D. McDaniel, hospitalized for a few days in San Angelo, is back on duty this week.

## Ranch Folk Happy As Soaking Rain Covers Coke County Tuesday

A steady, soaking rain started falling after midnight and continued until daylight Tuesday morning. Yellow Wolf Creek was barely passable at 5:45 and wouldn't have been forded right then except that the editor was in the middle of it before he saw the water — rain on the windshield and lights blared.

From 2 to 2½ inches was re-

ported in Robert Lee by seven o'clock.

The gauge at Sanco Store registered 2.2. At the Wayne McCabe ranch place 4 miles north of Silver, one inch was reported, at Arledge Ranch, near the north county line, there was 1.4, according to Mrs. Jeff Blair, at the ranch house.

Mrs. Finnell Smith said they got 1.6, about 9½ miles west of Robert Lee, while at the Ben A. Boykin farm 5 miles south, 1.9 was registered.

W. E. Burns ranch in the Edith community reported 1.8.

Previous rains this fall had been spotted, but on ranches that received earlier rain, this will insure some green grass to go into the winter, given another week of mild weather.

Some small grain up and needing moisture will get a good start. The rain fell over a period of about 5 hours.

### Williams Becomes Owner of Clift Funeral Homes

Bruce Clift, who came to Robert Lee as a young man from Fort Chadbourne and has spent his mature life in business here, sold Clift Ambulance Service and Funeral Home last week to Sam L. Williams, who has been employed by Clift for several years.

Mr. Clift started his work as funeral director when he was working for W. K. Simpson & Company around 1935, or earlier. He was licensed in 1935, and later went in the business here for himself.

About seventeen years ago, he bought out Frank Keeney at Bronte, and since then has operated the only funeral service in each town.

The agreement to sell to Mr. Williams was made some time ago, and the details completed last week. Mr. Clift is critically ill in Shannon Hospital, San Angelo, at present.

During his business career here, beginning as a clerk in the old McCollum Reed store, where his brother, Jim, was for some years in business, Mr. Clift operated a service station, where the Clark and Brown station was later operated.

Mr. Williams, a resident of Coke County the last 42 years, received his funeral director's license from the state following attendance at Dallas Institute of Gupton-Jones College of Mortuary Science.

He and Mrs. Williams, the former Ruth Casey, have two sons, Sherman, who lives at Silver, and Gary Sam, 14, a student in Robert Lee Junior Hi.

He has been mail carrier on the star route, Robert Lee to Sanco and Silver for a number of years, and spent some years in the grocery management business.

The Board of Community Development voted last week to hold a Christmas party again in Robert Lee this year, and this week worked on details.

### Program Set on Christmas Cooking

Would you like some ideas and recipes for new and different foods for the coming Holiday Season?

"Keeping Christmas" is the theme of a Christmas Foods Program to be given by Miss Jimmie Temple, home economist for Lone Star Gas Co. The program will be held in the Bronte School auditorium on Monday, Nov. 25, at 1:30 p.m.

Miss Temple will present traditional recipes of the gas company in the "Keeping Christmas" program. She will present ideas for packaging foods for gifts, and other Yuletide food ideas. The list of goodies will include candies, nuts, cookies and cakes.

Everyone is invited to attend.

### ALL TIME GREATEST SEASON FOR ROBERT LEE FOOTBALL CLUBS

From what we can learn from the Observer files in the time we had to check them, the Steers this year have established an all-time record.

District champions in 1957, the Steers have had it up and down since. They led the district in 1958 until Loraine trounced them 20-6, then Bronte came from way behind to upset the Steers 31-8.

In 1959 the locals had a bad season. Bronte won everything they played until they hit Wink in the bi-district and lost 40-14.

Then in 1961 Bronte was still the big boy, winning the district title, then bi-district over Canutillo and falling to powerful Eden in the regional.

In 1962, coming back up the ladder, the Steers won most of their games by top-heavy scores but that durable Loraine came up district champions after all.

In 1963, the Steers have swept the field, Loraine being by far the hardest to convince, the other games by such decisive scores as to leave no doubt which was the superior team.

Derwood Coalson, Lynn White, John Jacobs, Eddie Parker, Robert Holland, Bill Roach, all are Seniors and will not be here next year. But Dennis Gartman, Rusty Dodson, Terry Thetford, Charles Askins, Ricky Hatch, Mike Ledbetter, Mike Malone and C. L. Sparks all have one more year, Robert Wink has two, and ten Freshmen are coming on with three years to go.

We are rather short on deer stories this year so far. Anyone having been lucky and cares to have it written up is invited to call us.



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**Anyway, Suppose You've Heard Nelson's Running**

From time to time we have been encouraged to continue editorials and comments on public questions, but lately have been so occupied with the mill run news work and details of the business that we have not found much time to meditate on anything outside of our own bailiwick.

Maybe we can get back on the big problems, after awhile, and try to unravel some of the political questions that are pretty important to us all.

National and international affairs have become so complicated lately that we wonder if somebody isn't working the hidden ball trick. Every time we read anything from Mr. Krushchev he's running in a different direction, and J.F.K. is toddling along like little brother.

The Reds are stepping up their efforts in South America and Vietnam while peacefully co-existing with our government.

Mr. Nelson Rockefeller says he's runnin' right down the middle of the road, but appears to us like he's trying to run all over it.

Trading Kennedy for him would be like swapping twins, one of them with a mole on the left cheek and the other with a mole on the left cheek.

Our personal opinion is that Mr. Rockefeller might of as well stayed in the grocery and oil business, which he is, for that matter, with politics something to play with. He's got all of JFK's faults and a few others thrown in for good measure.

Never heard of anything JFK ever said or even thought that Nelson didn't say or think, and Jack does know how to mobilize an army for a "confontation," while we'd say Nelson knows about as much about being commander-in-chief of the military as your editor knows about a cyclotron.

All Nelson Rockefeller has done in government actually is to be governor of the worst misgoverned state in the United States

No, neighbors, if the GOP nominates Rockefeller, we'll just vote er straight down the Demo column and pray, "God save us all."

**Lunchroom Menus**

**BARN DANCE**

Monday Nov. 25: Hot dogs with chili, buttered corn, combination salad, milk, potato chips, apple-sauce cake.

A Barn Dance was held at the Frank Tillman Ranch last Saturday night for the High School students. It had been planned earlier but postponed.

Tuesday, Nov. 26: Turkey and dressing with giblet gravy, green beans, candied yams, celery sticks, hot rolls and butter, milk, fruit salad and whipping cream.

Punch and cookies were served to the guests and sponsors.

Wednesday, Nov. 27: Vegetable beef soup, cheese sticks, peach Jello on lettuce, milk, cinnamon rolls.

While horseback riding, Sunday, Rita Tillman was raked off by a tree branch. She suffered a dislocated kneecap and was not able to come to school until Friday. She has a cast on her leg.

**Congressman Says Country Better Off Because Congress Hasn't Done Much Of What Has Been Proposed**

By O. C. FISHER

Right now, with Christmas only six weeks off, it begins to look like the 88th Congress will end up in a blaze of confusion, with little to show for a year of work. Perhaps the most redeeming things that can be said about it is that it hasn't done anything. After all, it's not so much what is done up here—it's what is NOT done, that really counts.

In terms of failure to accomplish what the leadership set out to do, this Congress stands to break all records. The leadership promised Martin Luther King & Company a Civil Rights bill this year, come hell or highwater. But if one is passed before Santa Claus makes his annual calls it will be a miracle.

And there was the promise of a tax bill — this year. But now they're saying—more likely next year.

Federal aid for mass transportation, a domestic peace corps, a depression-type CCC, a job re-training program, an expanded ARA (WPA), increased pay for federal workers, and a dozen others that were put on the "must" list for 1963, face uncertain fates, to say the least.

So it may turn out that this "do-nothing" Congress will have done something worthy of notice—just by failing to act on most of a program which everyone knows is either premature, political, or non-essential. But we will have

to wrestle with these same things next year.

Take, for example, the federal pay raise. Last year the Congress voted a billion-dollar-a-year raise for most federal workers, with much of it to become effective on January 1, 1964. But before that raise goes into effect they're back clamoring for another raise —this one to cost about half as much as the one last year.

And this one includes a raise of \$10,000 a year for members of Congress, an item to sort of ride piggy-back on the other raises, and cover enough people to pick up support. I am opposed to any increase for anyone — including members of Congress. We face a \$10 billion deficit this year, and this is certainly no time to be monkeying around with pay raises. And the same is true of a dozen other pending proposals that can be side-tracked or discarded, and as a result both the treasury and the country would be better off.

Take a Look at the Ads. A little time spent in reading them is time well spent.

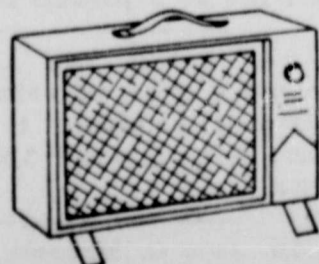
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## Let's Win This Bi-District

(We've been looking through the old Observers and just can't find any year Robert Lee ever had such a football team or season.)

LET'S GO NOW, AND FINISH THE REST

### Sweetwater - Friday - 7:30

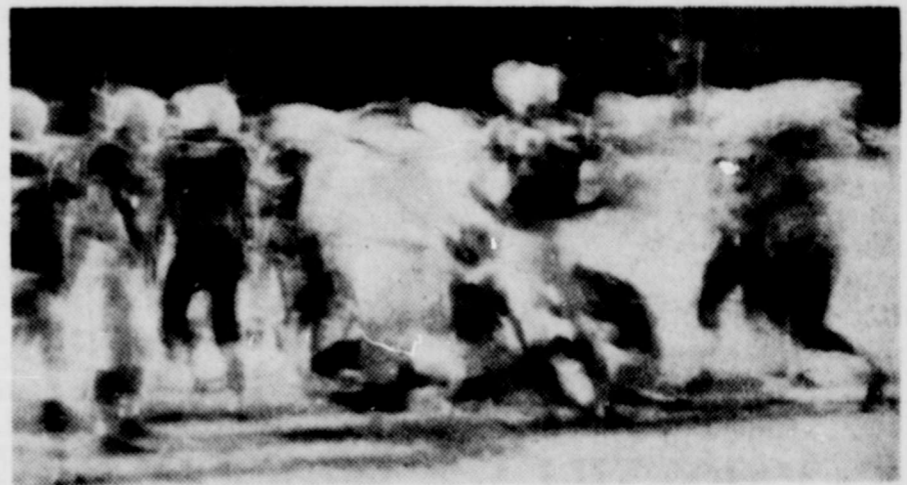
FIRST TOUCHDOWN AT BRONTE FRIDAY



That's Lynn White out there with a Longhorn on him and a Steer on top of the Longhorn. Lynn had bucked the Bronte

line four yards and that much more. The official is walking down the goal line.

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## Observations

(A Personal Word  
By The Editor)

Every inch of a newspaper costs money, especially pictures. Whatever you want in the paper somebody has to pay for. We don't carry anything like as many pictures as we would like or you would probably like.

We cannot increase this service without raising considerably subscriptions and advertising rates which we may have to do anyhow, as costs have been rising and many other papers have raised their rates.

It is only your understanding and helpfulness in regard to news and paying up your subscriptions and advertising accounts that has enabled us to stay with the old rates as long as we have.

We do appreciate your cooperation in furnishing news and pictures, and use all that our space and budget will permit. Please do not be too disappointed, however, if we have to limit the length of articles and the space given to pictures where the space for article and picture is not paid for.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones left early Saturday morning for Ft. Hamilton, New York. Their son has just landed there after being stationed in Germany for 16 months. They will be sight-seeing, visiting friends and relatives along the way as well as pick Alton up to bring home. On this 10 days to two weeks trip they plan to attend the "Grand Old Opry" at Nashville, Tenn., Saturday, Nov. 23rd.

Progress means people working and getting somewhere with it.



"I spend hours trying to look beautiful and all you want to do is sit in the dark!"

## AMONG THE MEN

Did somebody tell the turkey hens that they weren't to be shot? At any rate, several around Robert Lee have reported seeing them at the park and on premises at the edge of the city limits.

Last year, according to one of our unofficial reporters, Wayman Robertson went hunting for turkeys, had no luck, came back home, and as he got out of his car saw a flock of thirty in his yard — all hens.

Don't tell Warden Flannagan but it does look like we may have to start shooting in self defense.

Incidentally, Freeman Clark brought in a nice gobbler for Thanksgiving.

The turkeys have a tendency to follow the creeks and river courses, where they are tall trees to roost in, and more protection.

We heard this on Foy Askins, but aren't guaranteeing anything. It seems Foy has had some mighty good coon dogs, and thought a lot of them.

Awhile back a fellow asked Foy what he would take for his hounds, and Foy said they weren't for sale.

"Well, you WOULD put a price on them, wouldn't you? How much are they worth?"

Foy hauled off and named a price he thought nobody would pay.

"I'll take 'em," said the man, and he did.

If Foy denies that, then it was two other fellows.

The Colorado City chapter of Beta Sigma Phi is staging a masquerade ball at the Silver Recreation Hall Saturday, November 23, at 8:00 o'clock, charging \$1.50 per couple.

Buster Faris and Dick Skipworth went into Mitchell county Saturday on a Deer hunt. They report good luck, bringing back with them two does and a buck.

If the man who lost his hat in the barber shop Monday will come to the Observer office, we will introduce him to the guy who stole it.

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lar for top costume entries at the Halloween carnival. They are Denzil, the devil, aged 7, second grader; Sarah, the witch, age 3; and Mary, the ballerina, age 4.

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# COUNTRYSIDE

By STERLING LINDSEY

The Coke County Livestock Protective Association is duly organized now, with officers, directors, and rules and regulations in force. The organizations membership, though in its infancy, has increased steadily. The directors hope every stockman in the County will study the program and its purpose. They believe the program can mean a lot to the county — particularly if a large number of operators join the group.

The screwworm is still not out of the picture. In the State, the last report received showed 349 cases three more than the previous week. One of the cases was from Tom Green County.

An outbreak now could prove most costly to the program. If the screwworm gets a chance to overwinter in this area, next spring may be like starting over — this years work could be lost. With this possibility in mind, we should report all worm cases found. So far all Coke County cases have been declared non-screwworm during the past four months. Coke County's last confirmed screwworm case was confirmed on July 3. We have had a total of 20 cases confirmed during the year.

Chemicals have been used against agricultural pests since earliest times. Homer described the

use of sulfur to destroy crop pests more than 3,000 years ago. Paris Green and Bordeaux mixture was used in the mid 1800s to control pests.

We are nearing the number of herds required for Coke County to be certified as Modified Brucellosis free. Mr. Charles Parks, of Sweetwater, who is testing Coke County at the present time, stated recently that only three herds remain from the list of suspect or reactor herds of the first test. He expects to complete Coke County at the convenience of the operators concerned and by our deadline in January.

## Ernest Varnadore Says Feed Scarce In Colorado State

Ernest Varnadore, in Robert Lee over the weekend with Mrs. Varnadore, from Del Norte, Colorado, where he is ranching now, said they had very little snow so far, real pretty weather.

It is drier than usual, and stockmen who depend on grazing their alfalfa, then putting up the last cutting, didn't have any last cutting this year, and are going into the winter without enough feed.

He pulled his stock off and put the next to the last cutting away for the winter, so he has feed. But feed generally is scarce and high.

Ernest sent his cross-bred lambs to Denver about two weeks ago. They weighed over 100 pounds and brought \$19.95.

He says the country looks dry all the way from Del Norte to Robert Lee.

While Mr. and Mrs. Varnadore were here the children of Mrs. J. J. S. Smith, formerly Mrs. Trimble, got together for a visit with her. Mrs. Smith is improved and left the hospital for the day.

## MORE DEER THAN PEOPLE IN SUTTON COUNTY NOW

The Parks and Wildlife Department estimates that Sutton County has 98,000 deer. The screwworm program is credited with cutting the mortality rate.

Approximately 2,900 antlerless deer permits had been issued last week before the opening of the deer season for that county, according to the Devil's River News, Sonora.

## PICTURES MADE FOR ANNUAL

Wednesday was a pretty hectic day at RLHS. The photographer came to take retakes and the activity pictures for the annual. Among the photography subjects were the various clubs, Cheerleaders, Football and Basketball teams, and Band. There were many "costume changes" for some of the students.

## Our Home Circle

By FAY C. ROE

New double-faced fabrics have made their appearance this season.

Two fabrics are now bonded together with an adhesive that makes the fabrics act as one. This method of fabric bonding eliminates the cost of the complex weaving processes used in making reversible fabrics.

The bonded fabrics are used in many ways. Wood fabrics are anchored to an acetate tricot lining for suits, coats and dresses, and there is a denim fabric backed with terry cloth for sportswear. A woven wool coating is bonded to cotton poplin for raincoats, and a tweed reverses to pile for warm winter coats.

The double faced fabrics are available as piece goods.

### Schedule:

Wednesday, Nov. 20: 8:15 a.m., Conference; 1:30 p.m., 4-H Leader Training.

Thursday, Nov. 21: 3 p.m., Christmas Foods Program, El Valle Garden Club.

Friday, Nov. 22: Office.  
Monday, Nov. 25: 1:30 p.m., Christmas Foods Program, Miss Jimmie Temple, Bronte.

Tuesday, Nov. 26: 10:10 a.m., Bronte 4-H; 12:30 p.m., Silver 4-H; 3 p.m., Robert Lee 4-H.

Wednesday, Nov. 27: Office.

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# Silver All Around The Peak

By MRS. GEORGE FUGATE

**Tuesday Evening Bridge Club**  
Mrs. Woodrow Koonce and Mrs. Harold Keller were hostesses for the regular session of the Tuesday Evening Bridge Club.

High scorer for the evening was Mrs. Bob Hughes and second high scorer was Mrs. Harold Keller.

Mrs. Hale Kincaid and Mrs. Blackie Keener will be hostesses for the next meeting of the club.

### Bake Sale

Mothers of Senior Girl Scout Troop 262 will sponsor a bake sale, Nov. 26, at the Sun Recreation Hall.

Cake, pie and coffee will be sold, beginning at 9 a.m.

### To Lions Anniversary Dinner

Members of the Silver Lions Club and their wives, who will attend the 40th Anniversary Dinner of the San Angelo Lions Club, are Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Clendenon, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Hargis, Mr. and Mrs. Hale Kincaid, Mr. and Mrs. John Conley, Rev. and Mrs. Carl Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Keller, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Coffman, Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Davis, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Paul.

The dinner will be held Nov. 25 at the San Angelo coliseum. Special guests will be Mr. Aubrey D. Green, International President, and his wife of York, Alabama.

### Silver News Briefs

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Walker were Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Robertson and children of Odessa and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Walker, Jr., and son, Mike, of Kermit.

The Bob Edwards of Dallas, former Silver residents, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. R.

Whitaker.  
Mrs. L. U. Fourmy of Monroe, Louisiana, was a recent houseguest of her brother and family, the Wayne Reeds.

Johnny Theis, a student at Texas A&M, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Theis, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Oden and family of Westbrook were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Jameson.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Bradham were Mr. and Mrs. U. N. Dale and daughter Sheila, of Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Breeden and children of Snyder.

Mrs. Blackie Keener recently returned from a visit with her daughter and family, the Clinton Herrings of LaVerne, Oklahoma.

Paul Gilbert recently attended a Sun Oil Company Clerk's meeting in Dallas.

Mrs. J. T. Stewart has been a patient at the Clinic Hospital in San Angelo.

### IF YOU KNOW BASEBALL, YOU CAN FIT A DIAPER

A Salida, Colo., man, baby-sitting while his wife was out, found this note in the bathtub:

"Place diaper in position of a baseball diamond, with you at bat; fold second base over home plate; place baby on pitcher's mound, then pin first base and third base to home plate—and you have scored again.

Snipe Conley carries this with him, a well worn old clipping he carries in his bill fold.

A lot of men who see it want it for reference, so here it is, boys. Clip it out.

## Women Included This Year In Conservation Awards

The Agricultural Extension Service of Texas A & M University System is cooperating with the Fort Worth Press in their nineteenth annual conservation award program—"Save the Soil and Save Texas."

The purpose of the program is to recognize achievements of rural women of Texas in the area of conservation of human material resources and to inspire others to cooperate in good conservation practices.

Each county in a Soil Conservation District may have one rural woman entered in regional judging per district. Coke County can have two entries. To be eligible she must live on a farm or ranch (either tenant or owner) that has a conservation plan with the local Soil Conservation District. Each contestant will prepare a record of the conservation practices carried out in the home and on the farm or ranch.

A county contest has been plan-

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ned by the SCS supervisors. County winners will then enter records in the district contest which will be in February.

Any homemaker who desires more information on the contest is advised to contact Mrs. Fay C. Roe, County Home Demonstration Agent, or W. E. Jacoby of the county SCS office.

A score card, a list of what to include in the record and a reference list can be obtained from Mrs. Roe's office.

### PUT THOSE MAGAZINES WHERE THEY WILL HELP

Do you have a stack of the Saturday Evening Post, U. S. News and World Report, Time, Newsweek, or other nation-wide magazines or publications of historical interest at your home, taking up space?

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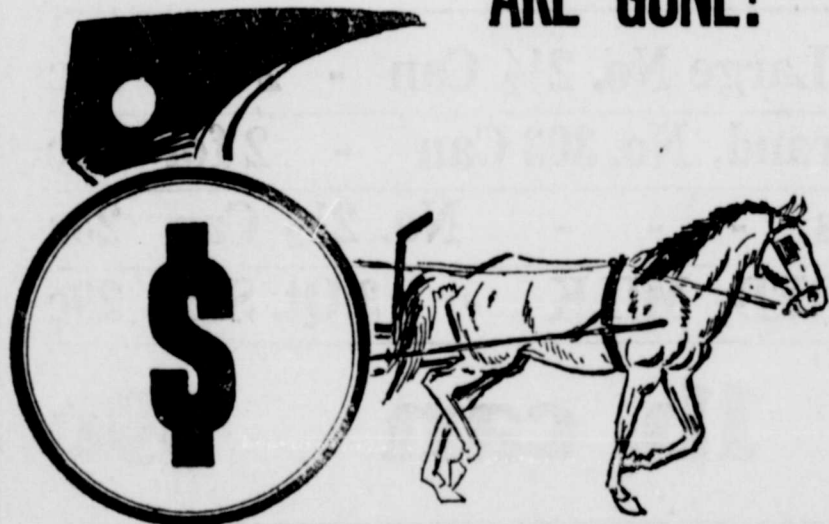


**RAMPside.** Nobody else makes a pickup exactly like this one with a ramp at the side. The ramp makes loading easy because of its 16-inch rise. Truck also has a conventional tailgate. Body and frame-floor assembly are very rigid because they are welded together. Has larger 95-hp air-cooled engine this year. Independent coil spring suspension all around.



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## Sam Williams Makes Statement

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Ruth and I do not feel that we have gone into a business for ourselves, but that we are in an essential business for the people of Coke County and anyone else that sees fit to call on us in times of need. Up to now I have had only one boss (Mr. Clift) but now you the people are the boss.

God grant us the knowledge and ability to be of service to Him and our fellow man is our prayer.

### P.T.A. MEETING TONIGHT

The P.T.A. meeting that was postponed last week will be held this Thursday night at 7:30 p.m., Nov. 21st. Mr. Douglas Dean is in charge of the program. He has selected a representative from each High School Dept. and they will have a general overall discussion on what and how each subject is taught. The emphasis will be on the academic. Mr. Bill Williams on the violin and Mrs. John Malone at the piano will furnish the music.

Everyone is invited to attend.



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## Notes From The Oil Field

### Ellenberger Production?

Standard of Texas were working early this week to complete their Lura Reid i-1 in the Ellenberger Lime, after a drill stem test reportedly had a good showing of high grade oil without water.

While several Ellenberger wells have been drilled in the area, this is the first to offer enough hope of profitable production to induce operators to make a serious try at producing it.

The Gray Sand, from which the northeastern Boswell outpost is flowing, according to local report was not found in the Reid well, leaving operators evidently puzzled as to where it heads, since wells to the north have found only salt water at the 6,400 foot level.

### New Field Designated

However, the Boswell well, a producer in both the Meneille and the Gray, has been, according to press reports, brought designation by the Railroad Commission of a new field in the Gray.

Presumably, if the Reid well actually produces in the Ellenberger, the way will be open for still a third field designation in the Northeast IAB.

How much more drilling will result from this is anybody's guess, outside the councils of the oil companies, and maybe inside them as well.

Some men in the business have told this writer in the past few years that experiments in producing the Ellenberger where salt water is too close for comfort have been going on and that progress has been made.

As the oil is needed—if and when there is more demand and a better price, it is reasonable to suppose more marginal Ellenberger tries will be undertaken.

So far, in the main, veteran drillers and geologists have told the writer that in many cases small pockets of oil have occurred in Ellenberger wells, a little spurt, and that was it, or else salt water was so close in such abundance that separation was not economically feasible.

However, others in the business have held that an Ellenberger field would eventually be developed in the area.

Maybe. Maybe not.

John Walker is still on the critical list at Shannon Hospital in San Angelo.

### HD COUNCIL MEETING

The Coke County Home Demonstration Council met in the Conference Room of the Courthouse, Nov. 12, with all officers present, three clubs represented, a total of ten attending.

Report from the Exhibit Day showed it a great success, with 175 registering throughout the day.

Mrs. R. L. Page was elected to be J. H. D. A. chairman for 1964 as Mrs. Dale Wojtek resigned. Mrs. Roe gave her monthly report.

The School faculty and their families threw another picnic and deer hunt Saturday out at the Coalson ranch like they had last year. Everyone taking a covered dish, with the Coalsons cooking a big pot of beans. Garland Davis and Douglas Dean were the lucky hunters, each bringing home an 8 point buck.

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