

# THE ROBERT LEE OBSERVER

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## High School News

### Get Their Sweaters

The boys who lettered in football have received their "letter" sweaters. They were presented by Coach Taylor last Friday morning in chapel. Those who lettered were: Wilson Bryan, Thurman Rabb, Troy Casey, Boyd Smith, Victor Wojtek, Charles Daniel, Woodrow Gardner, Reagan Daniel, Winfred Baze, James Wallace Clift, Frank Allen, Albert Baze (captain) and Geo. L. Taylor (Coach). The sweaters are a blood orange with a black "R" in front and a black sewed stripe. They are the first letter sweaters that have been awarded by the Robert Lee High School and the boys are certainly proud of them.

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### Pep Squad Give Banquet

Just before the Christmas holidays the Pep Squad gave the football boys a banquet. All members of the Pep Squad and football team were present. Among the numbers on the program were a song by Reagan Daniel and Katherine Bilbo a toast to the team by Verna Conner, a toast to the captain by Lois Denman, a toast to the coach by Albert Baze and short talks by others present. The banquet ended with A-

## Coming Next Week Miller-Thomas Players

The Miller-Thomas Players will open a week's engagement at the Robert Lee Theatre, Monday, January 14th. The Company has ten players and all new plays. Carl, who is so well known here in Robert Lee, will be seen as the red-headed country boy. Lots of vaudeville between acts.

One lady will be admitted FREE Monday night with each paid ticket.

The opening play will be "The Hired Hand," in three acts. Don't fail to see it.

### Will Run Service Station

W. B. Clift, who has been connected with the McCalum-Reed Company for the past eighteen years, has bought the service station on the corner in the main part of town, from the W. K. Simpson Company, and will be in the filling station business during 1929.

He has already taken charge but is not charging anything. He says he has "toted" out his last sack of flour and is going to make 'em "tote" 'em to him now.

bert Baze turning his position as captain over to the captain-elect, Charles Daniel, and several songs and yells by the Pep Squad.

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### Will Stage Play

Friday night, January 11th, a play, "Men, Maids, and Matchmakers," will be presented by the public speaking class. The proceeds will go to pay for the football boys letter sweaters. This play is very humorous from start to finish. It is two and a half hours long and there will be plenty of entertainment between acts. Everyone come. Why not fill the house? Help the old boys out. If not enough money is made at the play to pay for the sweaters, the boys will have to pay for them out of their own pockets. These boys worked hard enough to earn the sweaters; now don't make them pay for them.

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### Start Basketball Practice

Basketball practice has started in earnest. There are sixteen boys out. About two hours of practice is put in every afternoon. Coach Taylor is expecting to produce a team that will carry off the district championship.

### A Queer Accident

A queer accident happened Monday at Bill McCutchen's home in the Graham Valley community, the circumstances of which were about as follows:

Bill's horse, saddled, was grazing near the house. A low phone wire, in some way, got wrapped around the saddle horn. This frightened the horse and he broke to run, tearing the phone wire down about a hundred yards of which stayed with the saddle dragging behind the horse. The animal came by the house ninety to nothing. Bill's little 5-year-old boy was playing around near the house and as the horse rushed by, the wire, somehow, became wrapped around the little fellow's foot and here they went "hell-lickity-skoot. Bill who happened to be on the scene at the right time, seized the wire and broke it loose from the saddle after the boy had been dragged some hundred yards. The horse was headed for a pile of rocks and if he had got there with the boy, in all probability it would have been our task to write an obituary instead of a narrative of the accident.

The boy, though skinned up a little bit, received no serious injuries.

## Bronte News Notes

BY MRS. FRANK KEENEY

Friends will sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Fletcher in the loss of their little 10-months-old daughter, Thelma Joyce, whose death occurred in a Ballinger sanitarium Sunday morning at 2:00 o'clock. The funeral was conducted by Rev. R. D. DeWeese, Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, at the home of its grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hickman, and interment was made in the local cemetery.

Mrs. R. L. Hayley is suffering from a broken arm which was caused by a fall against a cistern on the back porch of their home last Wednesday evening.

The Rev. C. O. Hightower was unable to fill his appointment at the Methodist church on last Sunday because of the illness of himself and several members of his family. They were stricken with the flu last week. A large number of other families are suffering from the same malady.

Mrs. Howard Wilkins was hostess to the Woman's Progressive Club at its first new year meeting last Thursday afternoon at her home at 3:00 o'clock. Because of the prevalence of illness among the members only seven were present, but an interesting art lesson was discussed with Mrs. Clint Wilkins as leader, and a talk on Houdon, the painter, by Mrs. DeWeese proved both interesting and instructive. A delicious plate was served to those present.

### Stay With Him

On July 13, 1889, this little country weekly newspaper began its career at Hayrick, Texas. In that issue was an ad from Uncle Johnnie Vestal, our blacksmith.

Uncle John has proved to us that he is not a quitter. He has sharpened enough sweeps and plow points, god-devil blades, etc., which, if laid out in one straight line, would reach from here to New York City.

He has recently installed a disc sharpener and trip hammer which will be run by electricity and will sharpen your discs just as quickly and cheaply as you can get it done elsewhere. All these things considered, why not take your work to him.

"A quitter never wins, and a winner never quits." Uncle John is no quitter. Stay with him.

W. E. Newton has just finished a 5-room bungalow for D. P. Key and has begun the erection of a house for Delbert Harmon here in town.

Send in the local news.

## Boy Scout History

About twenty years ago an American citizen of some note and standing in this country, was in London, and while returning from a business engagement to his hotel, became lost in one of the very dense fogs that occasionally envelop that great city. It was almost impossible for a stranger to recognize familiar buildings and land marks. In his confusion he bumped into a boy and asked the lad if he could guide him to a certain hotel. His request was granted and on reaching his room he turned to the lad and offered him some change, a tip, as was the custom in America. The lad refused the change, saluted, and remarked: "Sir, I am a Boy Scout, and we accept no tips for good turns." This man then noted that the lad had on a peculiar uniform.

Next day the man visited Sir Robert S. S. Baden Powell and received from him a large quantity of literature on the Scout Program in England. On his return to Washington, he called together a group of America's outstanding national leaders, among whom were the following: Dean James E. Russell, Charles E. Hughes, Samuel Compers, Judge Victor P. Arnold, James E. West, Theodore Roosevelt, and many others. The story of his lad's good turn was told, and in due time the Boy Scouts of America was organized. We are soon to celebrate the nineteenth anniversary.

### Thetford-Harman

Tuesday morning at 8:00 o'clock, at his home, the Rev. J. A. Corder had the pleasure of performing the ceremony that made man and wife Mr. J. Thetford and Miss Lottie Harman.

The young couple both live at Edith and are well known in this section. Their many friends join the Observer in wishing them a long, happy and prosperous life.

### Directors Elected

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Robert Lee National Farm Loan Association held here Tuesday, January 8th., the following board of directors were elected: J. S. Smith, R. C. Bailey, Bailey Russell, F. M. Milion, W. S. Jackson. G. Russell was elected president; W. S. Jackson, vice-president; G. S. Arnold, secretary-treasurer.

The Congress of the United States saw fit to charter this program along with the National Red Cross, and an annual report is made to that body.

More than 4,000,000 boys have been helped into good citizenship by Scouting since that time and today council organization has covered every nook and corner of our United States. Fifty-seven nations of the world have this program for their boys. It is something that boys want.

Dean Russell of Columbia University, said: "I regard the Scouting movement as one of the valuable educational values of our generation, and possibly the most valuable contribution to our boys, of all time."

Hon. Herbert Hoover says: "The Boy Scout movement has my unqualified approval. Honest and faithful service in the Boy Scout develops the many qualities that fit our boys for the more serious duties of citizenship." We have the quotations of approval of many of the outstanding students of youth. It is worthy of the consideration of every parent every where.

A boy gets his picture of manhood out of the lives of men that he sees every day, therefore, every man makes some contribution to the life of one or more boys. We need more good men who will give some of their time to the leadership and comradeship of the boys of our communities today.—Ex.

### House Burns at Silver

Late in the afternoon of Friday, January 4th., Dave Milligan's house at Silver with all its contents except a chair and mattress was destroyed by fire.

It is reported that the fire was started by a paper which had been set on fire by their little boy.

Born—to Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hednett, Sunday night, January 6th., a fine-looking 7 1-2 pound boy.

C. W. Trimble and wife of Carlsbad, New Mexico, are visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rabb of Fort Worth are visiting relatives here this week.

Miss Nellie Borden is on the sick list this week.

Born—to Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hedrick, on the 10th., a big boy.



# ROOFS

NOW is the best time to re-roof your town or ranch-house.

We are prepared to apply work economically throughout the entire range country. Stocks and organizations operating out of San Angelo, Menard, Kerrville, Del Rio and other points. Have served hundreds of West Texas ranchers in this manner.

Our roofs are beautiful, durable and fire-safe. Cost surprisingly low. High-grade materials and specialized skilled labor make the right combination. We apply both.

Materials applied directly over the old shingles. The newer, better and more economical way.

We would like to send you a list of our applications nearest you for your inspection, and submit you an estimate on re-roofing your home. No obligation involved.

**FREE INSURANCE** - We supply with each roof (in addition to our Service Guarantee) a Five-year Paid-up Old Line Insurance Policy, covering damage or injury to roof from either hail or windstorm—or both.

**Joe Huntton**  
ROOF CONTRACTOR  
Di. 3876  
Nat'l Bank Bldg

San Angelo, Texas

**H. D. FAGAN**  
District Manager

**J. F. ROBERTSON**  
Local Agent



HAYRICK  
LODGE  
NO. 696, I

A. F. & A. M.

Meets every second Tuesday night in each month. All members and visitors are urged to be present.

J. C. SNEAD, Sr. W. M.  
W. J. CURRIE, Sec'y.

## POSTED

All persons caught hauling wood, driving stock, or other wise trespassing in my pasture with out me knowing about it, will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

**FRED ROE**

Robert Lee, Texas, May 1, 1929

## POSTED

All persons are warned not to haul wood, hunt, drive stock, or otherwise trespass in Mrs. G. A. Rambin's pastures. If caught, you will be prosecuted.

**Mrs. G. A. Rambin**

Robert Lee, Texas, June 11, '29

## Simplicity of cooling system is a feature of the new Ford



A COMPLETE water plant is a part of every automobile as it is a part of every modern city.

The purpose of this water plant is to keep the engine cooled to a temperature that will make it efficient in operation. If it were not for this, the cylinder walls would become overheated and the pistons refuse to operate.

The cooling system of the new Ford is particularly interesting because it is so simple and reliable.

When the radiator is full of water, the engine of the new Ford will not overheat under the hardest driving. Yet the water is so regulated that it will not impair engine operation by running too cold in winter.

The cooling surface of the Ford radiator is large, with four rows of tubes set in staggered position so that each receives the full benefit of the incoming air. The fan is of the airplane propeller type and draws air through the radiator at the rapid rate of 850 cubic feet per minute at 1000 revolutions per minute of the motor.

The hot water around the cylinder head is drawn to the radiator to be cooled by a centrifugal water pump of new design.

The entire cooling system of the new Ford is so simple in design and so carefully made that it requires very little attention.

The radiator should be kept full, of course, and drained once each month so that sediment will not collect and retard the free passage of water. In cold weather, a reliable anti-freeze solution should be added.

As owner and manager of this important water plant you should also see that the water pump and fan shaft are properly lubricated and the packing around the pump shaft kept in adjustment.

Hose connections may also need replacement after long service. For those little adjustments, it pays to call on the Ford dealer.

He works under close factory supervision and he has been specially trained and equipped to do a thorough, competent job at a fair price.



## FORD MOTOR COMPANY

Blacksmithing and  
Shoe Work Want-  
ed. All Work  
Guaranteed  
**J. W. WALLS**

Robert Lee, Texas

For Life Insurance  
Fire Insurance  
Tornado and Hail  
Insurance

See

**W. B. Clift**

Robert Lee, Texas

**C. L. HAMILTON**  
..Lawyer..

Office in Court House

**ROBERT LEE, - Texas**

## POSTED

All persons, caught hauling wood, driving stock, or other wise trespassing in my pasture with out me knowing about it will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

**JOHN SAUL**

Robert Lee, Texas. pd Oct 1 29

## (NERVOUSNESS)



Exhaustion,  
Neurasthenia,  
Nervousness,  
Neuralgia,  
Nervous  
Dyspepsia,  
Nervous  
Headache,

## DR. MILES' NERVINE

Your ability to think clearly, remember correctly, sleep well and to enjoy life depends on the condition of your nerves. Don't neglect them. Nervousness may lead to ill health.

Dr. Miles' Nervine is a reliable nerve medicine used successfully in nervous disorders for nearly fifty years. Your money back if the first full size bottle fails to help you. A generous sample for 6c. in stamp.



Dr. Miles Medical Co.,  
Elkhart, Ind.

### First Salute to Flag

On February 14, 1778, the sloop-of-war Ranger, commanded by John Paul Jones and flying the American flag, sailed into the bay of Biscay, near Quiberon, France, and was greeted by a salute from the guns of a nearby ship. This was the first time in history that the Stars and Stripes had ever been seen and saluted in foreign waters.

**Australia Old Country**  
Australia is considered to be one of the oldest existing land surfaces; the great portion of Australia is believed to have been already dry land when vast tracts of Europe and Asia were submerged.

**Soup Not to Roll In**  
Etiquette note in English paper—"You may tilt your plate slightly if you need to, but always away from you; don't try to scoop up the very last drop. And never break your bread or roll in your soup."

**If**

you desire a  
carpenter  
concrete work  
built-in  
etc., etc.

**W. E. Newton**

Estimates Furnished

**DR. B. F. GEORGE**  
Specialist

Genitoria Urinary  
Diseases.

Guaranty State Bank Building  
Room 215

San Angelo, Texas

## NOTICE FARMERS

The Dodson & Percifull  
Gin will run Wednesday  
and Friday until further  
notice.

## Percifull & Dodson

## We Are Ready

to serve you with that GOOD GULF GAS-  
OLINE, Kerosene and Supreme Motor Oils.

For quick delivery of anything in our line  
phone 108 Bronte Texas, or see

**R. S. WALTON, Local Agt.**

## Hatchery to Start

Saturday, December 12th,  
Booking now for  
future orders.

## Bronte Hatchery

McNeil Wylie, Manager

## New Disc Sharpener

We have just installed a new disc sharpener and can sharpen your disc in a few minutes. Come in and look it over. We have also installed a trip-hammer. We can turn off work here about ten times as fast as heretofore. Bring us your work and let us prove it to you.

## J. J. Vestal & Son



store

THE MOST  
OF.....

edicines,

Articles, Jewelry, Etc.

We will appreciate your  
anything in our line. Prescrip-  
tion or day.

& MORROW.

er.

Cure For Meningitis.

The alarming spread of Spinal  
Meningitis in some parts of the  
state has caused many old scrap  
books to be over-hauled and  
from their musty pages a num-  
ber of "cures" have been  
brought to light. The following  
from J. B. Gay, of Columbus,  
Texas, has its merits, chief of  
which is that it may be properly  
employed until the doctor can  
be called in. Mr. Gay says:

"Two ounces of saltpetre to  
one quart of alcohol, rubbed on  
the spine from the neck down  
until there is relief. The feet  
and legs should stand to the  
knees in hot water. Medicine  
should be given to insure the  
activity of liver and bowels."

This is from a clipping in my  
scrap book that was written by  
a lady who went through an epi-  
demic in Eastern Kansas in 1873,  
where she had it. She further  
states: "The form of the dis-  
ease was called cerebro-spinal  
Meningitis. Many died of it be-  
fore the physicians learned  
what to do with it. Afterward  
they were very successful—so  
much so that they lost no case  
they could get to when first  
taken."

I trust this remedy may prove  
a blessing where needed. As  
the application is external, it  
cannot seriously interfere with  
a doctor's regular practice. If  
it proves successful, as claimed  
for it, more scrap books than  
one should contain it.

J. B. Gay,  
Columbus, Texas.

The citizens of San Angelo are  
anxiously awaiting the proposi-  
tion of the San Antonio, Rock-  
port & Mexican railroad, said  
Howard Smith of that city, who  
is among today's guests at the  
Gunter hotel.

"The people of San Angelo,"  
he declared, "know a good thing  
when they see it, and this rail-  
road project looks pretty good  
to them. Despite the fact that  
they have spent money freely in  
bringing the Orient railroad  
through the city, they are  
anxious to hear the promoters  
of the new project say 'come on  
along.' There's ready money in  
San Angelo, and the people are  
not afraid to put some of it up  
on a proposition like that offered  
by the promoters of the San  
Antonio, Rockport & Mexican  
railroad."—San Antonio Light.

You are probably aware that  
pneumonia always results from  
a cold, but you never heard of a  
cold resulting in pneumonia  
when Chamberlain's Cough  
Remedy was used. Why take  
the risk when this remedy may  
be had for a trifle? For sale by  
all dealers.

F. M. Andrews, one of Edith's  
most prominent citizens, was a  
visitor to the city, Wednesday.

Sheriff Will Hickman made a  
business visit to Fort Chad-  
well, Wednesday.

Geo. E. Critz returned  
from Georgetown and  
other points, where she has  
been visiting relatives, the past  
month.

Citation By Publication.

The State of Texas,  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of  
Coke county, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to  
summon the unknown heirs of G.  
Bluthart, deceased, and the unknown  
heirs of C. H. Kohler, deceased, by  
making publication of this citation,  
once a week for eight successive  
weeks previous to the return day  
hereof, in some newspaper, published  
in your county, if there be a newspa-  
per published therein, but if not,  
then in any newspaper in the 51st  
Judicial District: but if there be no  
newspaper published in said Judicial  
District, then in a newspaper pub-  
lished in the nearest District to said  
51st Judicial District, to appear at  
the next regular term of the District  
Court of Coke county, to be held  
at the Court House thereof, in Robert  
Lee, on the third Monday in Feb-  
ruary, A. D. 1912, the same being  
the 19th day of February A. D. 1912,  
then and there to answer a petition  
filed in said court, on the 5th day of  
December A. D., 1911, in a suit num-  
bered on the Docket of said court No.  
647, wherein W. C. Locke is plaintiff  
and the unknown heirs of G. Bluthart  
deceased, and the unknown heirs of  
C. H. Kohler, deceased, are defend-  
ants and said petition alleging in  
substance as follows:

That heretofore to-wit on or about  
the 1st day of December, A. D. 1911,  
plaintiff was lawfully seized and  
possessed, by fee simple title, of the  
tracts of land hereinafter described,  
and that on the date last aforesaid,  
defendants unlawfully entered upon  
and ejected plaintiff therefrom, and  
unlawfully withholds from plaintiff,  
the possession thereof to his great  
damage, \$10,000.00

That said tracts of land are de-  
scribed as follows, to-wit: All of sur-  
vey No. 471, originally granted to  
G. Bluthart and containing 320 acres  
of land. All of survey No. 472, origi-  
nally granted to C. H. Kehler and  
containing 320 acres of land, and  
197.5 acres being the North part of  
survey No. 473, in the name of C. H.  
Kehler, and being all of said survey  
except 122.5 acres on the south side  
of the Robert Lee and San Angelo  
road, owned by W. E. Puett, and all  
situated in coke county Texas.

Plaintiff claims title to said tracts  
of land by virtue of the Statute of 5  
years limitation, in this: that he and  
those whose estates he has and under  
whom he claims, claiming same un-  
der deeds duly registered, has had  
and held peaceable and adverse pos-  
session of said tracts of land, culti-  
vating, using and enjoying the same  
and paying all taxes due thereon, for  
a period of more than five years, next  
preceding the commencement of this  
suit, and next preceding the said 1st  
day of December 1911; and that he  
also has title to said tracts of land by  
virtue of the Statute of ten years  
limitation, in this: that he and those  
whose estates he has and under  
whom he claims, claiming to  
have good and perfect title and right  
to said lands, has had and held peace-  
able and adverse possession of the  
same, cultivating, using and enjoy-  
ing the same for a period of more  
than ten years next preceding the  
commencement of this suit, and next  
before the said 1st day of December  
1911, having the same enclosed, by a  
good and substantial fence; plaintiff  
would represent that the said defend-  
ants are asserting some character of  
claim to said tracts of land, the exact  
nature of which is to plaintiff un-  
known, which has cast a cloud upon  
the title of plaintiff, to his great dam-  
age.

Wherefore, plaintiff prays that de-  
fendants be duly cited in the manner  
and form, as required by Law, in  
such cases made and provided, and  
that on final hearing hereof, for the  
recovery against defendants for the  
judgment of the title and possession of  
said tracts of land, for his said dam-  
ages and all costs of suit, and for gen-  
eral relief. Said petition is endorsed  
as follows: This action is brought as  
well to try title as for damages."

Herein fail not, but have before said  
court at its aforesaid next regular  
term, this writ with your return  
thereon, showing how you have  
executed the same.

Witness R. E. Douglas Jr. clerk of  
the District court of coke county  
Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of  
said court at office at Robert Lee,  
Texas, this 5th day of December, A.  
D. 1911.

R. E. Douglas, Jr.  
Clerk of the District Court of coke  
county, Texas.

A piece of flannel dampened  
with Chamberlain's Liniment  
and bound on to the affected  
parts is superior to any plaster.  
When troubled with lame back,  
or pains in the side or chest,  
give it a trial and you are cer-  
tain to be more than pleased  
with the prompt relief, which it  
affords. Sold by all dealers.

County Court Jurors.

The following is a list of the  
County Court Jurors, which con-  
venes February 5th 1912.

A. H. Arnett, L. A. Jackson,  
Dock Larkin, J. H. Fields, John  
Cornelius, Eli Baker, Jim Lam-  
mers, E. W. Escue, Don Mc-  
Queen, Jim Shook, W. F. Fikes,  
and Allen Baldwin.

WE HAVE MOVED

To the building north of the  
Bank and have discontinued our  
delivery wagon, therefore we can  
sell GROCERIES cheaper for  
CASH and CASH ONLY.

R. HICKEY & SON.

\$1.00 Per Plate

Was paid at a banquet to Hen-  
ry Clay, in New Orleans in 1842.  
Mighty costly for those with  
stomach trouble or indigestion.  
Today people everywhere use  
Dr. King's New Life Pills for  
these troubles, as well as liver,  
kidney and bowel disorders.  
Easy, safe, sure. Only 25cts. at  
P. D. Coulson & Son's.

Good Samaritan Supper.

The Royal Arch Chapter Ma-  
sons will give a supper to its  
members, and confer the Good  
Samaritan degree on a number  
of candidates on February 10th.  
A royal good time is sure for  
the brethren and their families  
on this occasion. There will be  
several prominent Masons from  
a distance to attend and assist in  
the work.

Trespass Notice.

Wood hauling, hunting, driv-  
ing stock or otherwise trespass-  
ing, positively forbidden in my  
pastures, and parties caught  
will be prosecuted.

C. W. McCutchen.

Messrs. W. B. Collyns, H. A.  
Bullock and John Cochran, prom-  
inent business men of San An-  
gelo, were in the city Monday.  
John Cochran remained over  
a few days on business.

Sheriff Hickman and family  
moved this week from the jail to  
the residence of Mrs. Bean.  
Deputy Sheriff L. J. Cowart  
moved to the jail.

Dissolution Notice.

This is to notify the public  
that we have sold our interest  
in the Lee Drug Store to  
Turney & Morrow. The new  
firm assumes indebtedness of the  
firm and collects all bills due  
the firm. We want to thank the  
public for their past patronage  
and ask for a continuance of the  
same to the new firm.

J. F. Sturman.  
R. E. Douglas, Jr.

C. Y. Roberts, of the Valley  
View section, was in the city,  
Wednesday, on business.

Frightful Polar Winds.

Blow with terrific force, at  
the far north and play havoc  
with the skin, causing red,  
rough or sore chapped hands  
and lips, that need Bucklin's  
Arnica Salve to heal them. It  
makes the skin soft and smooth.  
Unrivalled for cold-sores, also  
burns, boils, sores, ulcers, cuts,  
bruises and piles. Only 25c at  
P. D. Coulson & Son's.

Mrs. W. F. Dupree and chil-  
dren, went to San Angelo, Wed-  
nesday on a visit for a few  
days.

—Watch the Big Bargain  
Counter at the Big Dry Goods  
Store of Dupree & Day.

Must Have Cash.

We are now working for cash  
strictly and will not credit any  
one.

Cross & Brown.

J. H. Burroughs left Wednes-  
day, for Jayton, where he will  
collect for the Spaulding people.

How to cure a cold is a ques-  
tion in which many are inter-  
ested just now. Chamberlain's  
Cough Remedy has won its  
great reputation and immense  
sale by its remarkable cure of  
colds. It can always be de-  
pended upon. For sale by all  
dealers.

TALK IS CHEAP

But it takes exertion  
and time to look a  
party up and time is  
money. Why not use

A PHONE

Our correct and reliable  
service is vouched for by our  
great number of satisfied  
customers. They are time  
savers and are a great con-  
venience

SAN ANGELO  
TELEPHONE COMPANY

BOB SMITH,  
Local Manager.

The Western National Bank.

OF SAN ANGELO.

Capital Surplus and Profits.....\$225,000.

J. WILLIS JOHNSON President.  
L. L. FARR, R. H. HARRIS  
Vice-Presidents

A. B. SHERWOOD, Cashier.



# OUR NEW ARRIVALS

We have just received  
a new shipment of  
Ladies and Children

## Slippers,

NEW GINGHAMS, ETC.

We have a house full of most  
everything used on the farm or  
ranch and at the lowest prices to  
be had.

### McCallum-Reed Co

#### LOCAL NEWS.

School books of all kinds at  
the Lee Drug Store.

J. D. Collier was up from  
Bronte, Sunday.

R. Hickey & Son for fresh  
groceries.

J. W. Caudle, of Edith, was in  
the city Tuesday.

Red Seed oats for planting  
at Wm. Simpson's.

Dr. S. J. Ramsey left Monday  
for Abilene, on business.

Big line of fresh groceries at  
W. H. Bell & Co's.

L. H. McDorman went to San  
Angelo, Sunday on business.

Sam King, of Edith, was a  
visitor, to the city last week.

Green Presslar, of Sanco, was  
a visitor to the city Wednesday.

S. J. and E. T. Sparks, of  
Edith, were in the city Tuesday.

Watch the Big Bargain  
Counter at the Big Dry Goods  
Store of Dupree & Day.

Mrs. S. J. Ramsey is visiting  
relatives in Sterling county this  
week.

J. M. Franks, of the Graham  
Valley section, was here Wed-  
nesday.

Watch the Big Bargain  
Counter at the Big Dry Goods  
Store of Dupree & Day.

Robert Tubb, of near Silver,  
remembered us on subscription  
this week.

Geo. Moore, of Fort Chad-  
bourne, was a visitor to the city  
last week.

One of the nicest and most  
select lines of Can goods, ever  
in the city, at W. H. Bell & Co's.

Tom Hennesey, of Bronte, is  
up on a visit to Sheriff and Mrs.  
Hickman.

J. L. Durham, one of our good  
friends, from Sanco, was in the  
city, Tuesday.

Full car of Texan Beauty  
Flour and all kinds of grain just  
received at W. H. Bell & Co.

Col. H. H. Hayley, of Hay-  
rick, was a visitor to the city,  
Saturday.

Uncle Jimmie Norfleet was  
from the week for a few days.

Watch the Big Bargain  
Counter at the Big Dry Goods  
Store of Dupree & Day.

Judge Key Durham went to  
Fort Chadbourne Wednesday  
on legal business.

W. H. Bell returned Wednes-  
day from Reswell, N. M., where  
he was called by the serious ill-  
ness and death, of his brother,  
Jeff Bell, who died Thursday,  
of last week, and was buried in  
the cemetery at that place Sun-  
day. He was a prominent mem-  
ber of the K. of P. and Eagle  
lodges. The Observer offers  
condolence to Mr. Bell and other  
members of the family in their  
bereavement.

Geo. Brown Sr. and daughters  
will leave this week for Trus-  
cott, where Geo. Brown recent-  
ly purchased a Drug Store, to  
make their home. The Observer  
hates to see them leave, but  
wishes them success in their  
new home.

Messrs. Robert Tubb and  
Robert Walker Jr., of Silver,  
were in the city, Wednesday.

County Judge, G. S. Arnold,  
visited the schools, on the Di-  
vide, Monday and Tuesday.

Perry Breedlove, a prominent  
citizen of Sanco, was in the city  
Wednesday. He remembered  
the Observer with his annual  
donation, while here.

R. W. Houston, of Valley  
View, left Tuesday, for Chero-  
kee, San Saba county, to be  
with his brother, T. A. Houston,  
who is quite sick.

T. R. Butler, the new prop-  
rietor, of the Bronte Enter-  
prise, was in the city Tuesday,  
and paid us a fraternal call,  
which was much appreciated.

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and sell for cash, therefore can  
and will save you money.

R. Hickey & Son.

Jake Gates, who recently  
moved back from Lubbock coun-  
ty, to his farm was in the city,  
last week and remembered us on  
subscription.

Rufus Burney returned Wed-  
nesday from Sherwood, where  
he has been visiting his parents  
the past few months.

W. G. Boon, of Happy Hollow,  
near Edith, was in the city,  
Wednesday to pay his taxes and  
on other business.

Watch the Big Bargain  
Counter at the Big Dry Goods  
Store of Dupree & Day.

N. P. Sanders, City Marshal  
of Bronte, and Will Good, livery-  
man, were in the city Monday.

Carl Warren and wife have  
returned from Big Lake, where  
Mr. Warren was working for the  
Orient.

#### Citation by Publication.

The State of Texas, To the Sheriff  
or any Constable of Coke county,  
Texas, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to  
summon W. T. Hancock by making  
publication of this citation once in  
each week for four successive weeks  
previous to the return day hereof, in  
some newspaper published in your  
county, if there be a newspaper pub-  
lished therein, but if not, then in any  
newspaper published in the 51st Ju-  
dicial District of the State of Texas;  
but if there be no newspaper pub-  
lished in said judicial district, then in  
a newspaper published in the nearest  
district to said 51st judicial district,  
to be and appear at the next regular  
term of the District Court of Coke  
county, Texas to be holden at the  
court house thereof in the town of  
Robert Lee, Coke county, Texas, on  
the third Monday in February, A. D.  
1912, the same being the 19th day of  
February, A. D. 1912, then and there  
to answer a petition filed in said  
court on the 18th day of August A. D.  
1911, in a suit numbered on the dock-  
et of said court No. 637, wherein S.  
C. Parsons is plaintiff and A. B. Sher-  
wood and W. T. Hancock are defend-  
ants, said petition alleging that on  
the 8th day of June, 1910, the de-  
fendant W. T. Hancock, executed  
and delivered to plaintiff, his certain  
four promissory notes each for the  
sum of \$424.00, bearing date on the  
day and year last aforesaid, payable  
to S. C. Parsons or order at the West-  
ern National Bank in San Angelo,  
Texas, with ten per cent interest pay-  
able annually, and each providing  
for 10 per cent additional of the  
whole amount due as attorney's fees  
if not paid at maturity and placed in  
the hands of an attorney for collec-  
tion, and due and payable in one,  
two, three and four years from date;  
that on the 20th day of June, 1910, the  
said W. T. Hancock executed and de-  
livered to the defendant, A. B. Sher-  
wood, his certain deed of trust, as  
trustee, for the use and benefit and  
for the purpose of securing plaintiff  
in the prompt payment of said in-  
debtedness, principal and interest,  
and all taxes and expenses which  
plaintiff might pay by reason of the  
default of the defendant, W. T. Han-  
cock, in the payment of the taxes on  
the land hereinafter described, where-  
in the said W. T. Hancock, after re-  
citing a cash consideration of Ten  
Dollars and the further consideration  
of the uses, purposes and trusts there-  
in set forth and declared, conveyed  
to the said A. B. Sherwood, trustee,  
certain land situated in Coke county  
Texas, as follows: The East One  
Half (E 1-2) and the South West One  
Quarter (S W 1-4) of Survey No.  
Three Hundred and Seventy-three  
(373) in Block No. 1A, originally  
granted by the State of Texas to the  
Houston, Texas Central Railway  
Company by virtue of Certificate No.  
38-4351, situated on the waters of  
Mountain Creek, a tributary of the  
Colorado River about 33 1-2 miles N.  
4 West from the city of San Angelo,  
and more particularly described as  
follows: Beginning at a stake the  
S W corner of this section and the  
S E corner of section No. 374, from  
which a mesquite 3 inches bears N.  
74 West 15 varas, a do 3 inches bears  
N. 42 3-4 W. 34 varas; thence North  
950 varas to a corner of this tract:  
Thence east 950 varas to an L corner  
of this tract: thence North 950 varas  
to a corner of this tract: thence East  
950 vrs to the N E corner of this section  
and the N W corner of section No.  
372: thence South 1900 varas to the  
S E corner of this section: thence  
West 1900 varas to the place of be-  
ginning, containing 480 acres of land  
upon the following trusts, to-wit: the  
said W. T. Hancock, was to possess and  
enjoy the use and benefit of said land  
until default should be made by him  
of said indebtedness, principal and  
interest, or any part thereof, or in  
the payment of said taxes, or in the  
keeping of any one or more of the  
conditions provided in said deed of  
trust to be kept and performed by  
him; and upon such default being  
made, the whole amount of said in-  
debtedness remaining unpaid should  
at the option of the said S. C. Par-  
sons or other holder thereof, imme-  
diately mature and become payable,  
and it should thereupon, or at any  
time thereafter, be the duty of said  
A. B. Sherwood, trustee, or of his  
successor or substitute, upon request  
of the said S. C. Parsons or other  
holder thereof, to proceed to sell  
said land as an entirety or in parcels  
as said trustee might elect, at public  
auction for cash, at the door of the  
county court house in Coke county,  
on the first Tuesday in any month be-  
tween the hours of 10 o'clock A. M.  
and four P. M. to the highest bidder  
for cash, after having given notice  
of the time, place and terms of such  
sale for at least twenty days succes-  
sively next before the day of sale, by  
posting up written or printed notices  
thereof at three public places in each  
county where said land is situated,  
one of which should be at the court  
house door of Coke county, and by  
delivering or mailing a copy of said  
notice to such parties as were inter-  
ested as in judicial sales, with gen-  
eral warranty binding the said W.  
T. Hancock, his heirs or assigns; and  
to receive the proceeds of said sale  
and out of such proceeds, after pay-  
ing all necessary expenses of execut-  
ing said trust, to pay plaintiff the full  
amount of principal and interest due  
and unpaid on said indebtedness as  
therein set forth, rendering the bal-  
ance of the purchase money, if any  
to the W. T. Hancock, his heirs or  
assigns, as more fully appears from  
said deed of trust.

That plaintiff has paid the taxes on  
the land herein described for the  
year 1910 and the expenses incident  
to such payment, amounting in the

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aggregate to the sum of \$16.02, which  
amount was paid by plaintiff to the  
tax collector of Coke county, Texas,  
on the 17th day of August, 1911.

That defendant, W. T. Hancock,  
made default in the payment of note  
number one for the sum of \$424.00 of  
said series hereinbefore described,  
due June 8th, 1911, and also in the  
payment of the interest due on said  
series June 8th, 1911, and also made  
default in the payment of the taxes  
on said land for the year 1910, and  
that by reason of such default, plain-  
tiff has exercised his option to de-  
clare the whole of said indebtedness  
due and payable as provided in said  
deed of trust, and has placed said  
notes and account for taxes in the  
hands of an attorney, for collection,  
and has contracted to pay him the  
ten per cent in said notes stipulated,  
and the ten per cent in said deed of  
trust stipulated on said account for  
taxes paid by plaintiff under the  
said terms of said deed of trust, and  
that said ten per cent is a reasonable  
fee for said service. Premises con-  
sidered, defendant W. T. Hancock,  
became liable and bound to plaintiff  
and promised plaintiff to pay him the  
sums of money in said notes specified,  
together with all interest and attor-  
ney's fees due thereon according to  
the tenor and effect thereof, and also  
said sum of money in said account for  
taxes specified, together with inter-  
est thereon at ten per cent from the  
17th day of August, 1911, and ten  
per cent as attorney's fees on the  
amount thereof. That by reason of  
the premises, said notes and account  
for taxes are now past due and un-  
paid, and defendant, W. T. Hancock,  
though often requested, has hitherto  
failed and refused and still refuses to  
pay said notes and account for taxes,  
or any part thereof, to plaintiff's  
damage in the sum of \$2500.00 Where-  
fore plaintiff prays the court that de-  
fendants be cited to appear and an-  
swer this petition, and that he have  
judgment for his said debts, interest  
and attorney's fees, and costs of suit  
against the defendant, W. T. Han-  
cock, and a foreclosure of his said  
lien on the land and premises herein-  
before described against each and all  
of the said defendants, and that the  
same be decreed to be sold for the  
satisfaction of said debts in accord-  
ance with the provisions of law in  
such cases made and provided, and  
for such other and further relief,  
special and general, in law and in  
equity, that he may be justly entit-  
led to, and in duty bound will ever pray.

Herein fail not, but have you be-  
fore said court on the said first day  
of the next term thereof, this writ,  
with your return thereon, showing  
how you have executed the same.

Witness R. E. Douglas, Jr. Clerk of  
the District Court of Coke County,  
Texas.

Given under my hand and the seal  
of said court, at office, in the town of  
Robert Lee, in the county of Coke,  
and State of Texas, this 10th day  
of January A. D. 1912.

(SEAL) R. E. Douglas Jr.  
Clerk of the District Court of Coke  
County, Texas.

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