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**HONEST - - - CAPABLE
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I have lived and worked in West Texas for the past 28 years and I am familiar with the problems and needs of the people in West Texas.

If elected to this office I shall cooperate fully with the governor and with other officials and citizens of the state in helping to develop a constructive program for Texas.

FOR—Immediate payment of old age pensions.

FOR—Raising our Truck Load Limit Law.

FOR—A law providing for a Director of the State Budget.

FOR—Tax on oil, gas and sulphur to pay old age pensions and other state obligations.

H. G. HAMRICK

Pol. Adv.

Edith Homecoming

A COMPLETE SUCCESS FROM EVERY ANGLE

At Edith Sunday as planned, people began to gather from far and near, old and young to celebrate a home coming of the pioneers of Coke County. Ulmer Byrd narrated one of the most complete early histories of this district that we have ever heard going back to the days of the Indians and the days of a forgotten settlement of European Emigrants and last but not least the days of living pioneers who were there to testify to them good old days in memory but in reality were days of privation and hardships that were conquered by hardy pioneers and we have the results of their labors at our feet. Much praise belongs to our forefathers who braved those days of yester year.

The day was lovely, a fine cool breeze, sky were over cast by many clouds. The crowd gathered, no blast of brass bands, no rodeo, no carnivals, no paved streets, only a tabernacle 40-50 an Oasis for hungry hearts who yearned to see and talk to those whom they had known many years ago, the largest crowd that had ever assembled at the annual homecoming at Edith of the pioneers. There was a sumptuous feast of barbecue and good thing to eat. Every body was filled with food and a joyous day will be remembered in years to come.

Mrs. Kate Vaughn of Lubbock is here visiting her sister Mrs. W. J. Cumbie.

Revival Meeting

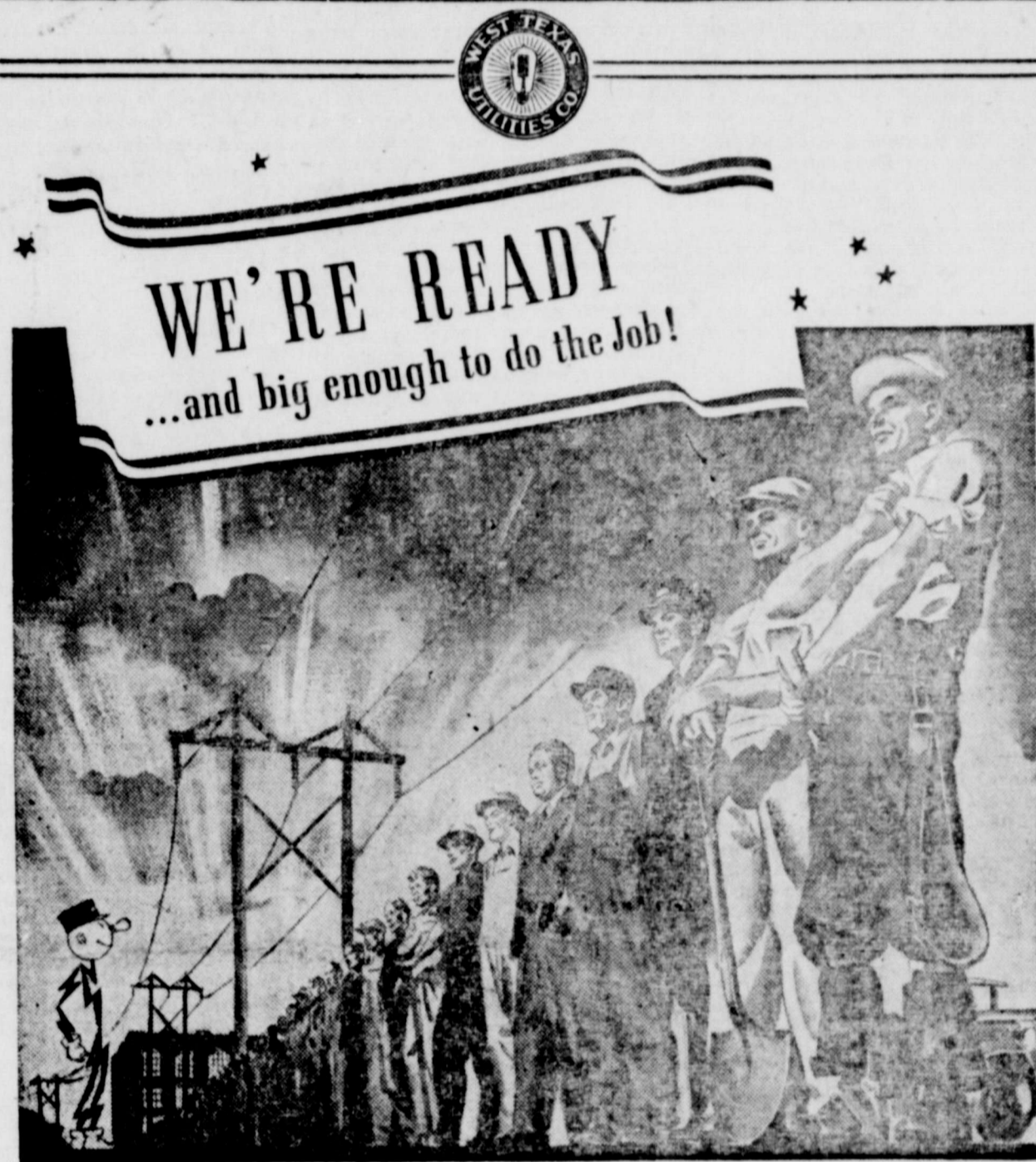
The Baptist Revival meeting will begin Sunday August 25th. Rev. D. E. Simpson of Carlsbad, will do the preaching. All invited

First Bale Ginned

The Planters Gin ginned the first bale of the season Monday. A good crop is ready and should make business good this fall.

River Project

Drilling of the test wells at lower dam site in Colorado River is progressing nicely with work about half completed.



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The Robert Lee Observer

S. R. YOUNG
Editor and Publisher

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SUBSCRIPTION RATES:
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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dean Bryan spent their vacation at San Antonio, Austin, and Buchanan Dam.

Madelle came over with her father J. S. Moore Monday to spend the week.

Remember the ice cream supper at Sanco tonight. Everyone invited.

Miss Earl Enbanks who is in the triple A work here spent two weeks vacation in Southern Calif. returning Aug. 18th and reporting a wonderful trip, visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. L. Wallace of Franklin Mrs. Cova Collins, Abilene, and Mrs. Ray Teller and son of San Angelo visited relatives in Robert Lee first of the week.

Observer Readers

G. E. Chisholm had his address changed to Eden.

Bob Moore of Portales N.M. subscribes for the Observer.

H. B. Yarbrough renews his subscription for another year.

Frank King set his Observer up for another 12 months.

C. C. Townsend of San Angelo Sonora Rt. adds his name to our list of subscribers.

A. L. Lofton renews Observer.

State Hatchery Distributes Fish

Saturday afternoon Mr. Haskel White, Superintendent of the State Hatchery, visited Robert Lee and distributed Brim, Crappie, and Channel Cat Fish, to various producers who are cooperation with County Agent Smith in the cooperative Wild Game Conservation Demonstration work. These fish will be placed in the larger tanks of the farms and ranches of the cooperators. Another distribution will be made in about two weeks.

Miss Bessie Lee Bilbo of Robert Lee will receive the Bachelor of Science degree with the 1940 summer graduating class of Sul Ross State College at Alpine on Thursday night, August 22.

Mr. Cortez Russell has resigned as Mayor of Robert Lee and Freeman C. Clark has been appointed by the City Commission to fill out the unexpired term.

Those who attended the WMS Associational meeting at Rowena last Thursday were: Mmes. G. C. Allen, Victor Wojtek, W. J. Cumbie, Misses Naomi and Viola Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Vestal and daughter, Joan visited with relatives at Elkhart, Texas this week.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are authorized to announce the following Candidates for the Office next-above their names, subject to the Action of the Democratic Primary, July 27, 1940.

Announcements are Cash.

For District Attorney 51st Judicial District

O. C. FISHER
re-election

For District Judge 51st District Court

JOHN F. SUTTON
(re-election)

COKE COUNTY, TEXAS

For County Judge & Ex-officio School Supt.

McNEIL WYLIE
(re-election)

For County & Dist. Clerk

WILLIS SMITH
(re-election)

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City Commission

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FRED ROE

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For County Sheriff, & Tax Assessor-Collector

FRANK PERCIFULL
(re-election)

For County Treasurer

Mrs. B. M. GRAMLING
(re-election)

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 1

H. C. VARNADORE
(re-election)

For Commissioner Prec. No. 3

T. R. HARMON
re-election

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Mrs. Dewey Burger from Brady visited her sister Mrs. Ben Biggs of Sanco, and from here they went to Brady to visit their father.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Biggs was called to Eola to attend the funeral of her nephew who was accidentally killed Tuesday.

Edith News

Miss La Rue Millican attended a Camp meeting close to Fredricksburg last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hurley of Abernathy were the week end guest of her mother Mrs. W. W. Thetford and family.

Mr. Bob Eiel's of Lampasas is visiting his folks Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Fields and family this week.

Mrs. Robert Schaefer, daughter Wanda of San Angelo were the guests of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Joe Garvin last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Bradley and children of Robert Lee were guests of Mr. Bradley's parents Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Porter last Sunday.

Even Bradley is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Garvin.

Mrs. Tom Peays and daughter Hazel Ruth and Mr. Joe Peays were Sterling City visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Millican had all their children at home over the week end. They were Mr. and Mrs. Owen Smith and son of Owen's Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Rankin Russel of Maryneal and Howard Millican San Angelo

Miss Marguerite Garvin spent four weeks vacation, visiting in Dallas and Brady.

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**PROPOSED
CONSTITUTIONAL
AMENDMENTS**

S. J. R. No. 4
A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an amendment to Article V of the Constitution of the State of Texas giving the Legislature authority to provide for appeal direct to the Supreme Court in cases involving injunction granted or denied on the grounds of constitutionality of any unconstitutionality of any statute or on validity or invalidity of administrative orders; providing for the submission of this amendment to the voters of this state; and providing for the necessary proclamation and expenses of publication.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article V of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 3-b, which shall read as follows:

"Section 3-b. The Legislature shall have the power to provide by law, for an appeal direct to the Supreme Court of this State from an order of any trial court granting or denying an interlocutory or permanent injunction on the grounds of the constitutionality or unconstitutionality of any statute of this State, or on the validity or invalidity of any administrative order issued by any state agency under any statute of this State."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at the general election to be held on the 5th day of November, 1940, at which election all voters favoring such proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"FOR THE AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF TEXAS AUTHORIZING THE LEGISLATURE TO PROVIDE FOR APPEALS DIRECT TO THE SUPREME COURT IN INSTANCES INVOLVING THE CONSTITUTIONALITY OF CERTAIN LAWS AND ORDERS," and those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"AGAINST THE AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF TEXAS AUTHORIZING THE LEGISLATURE TO PROVIDE FOR APPEALS DIRECT TO THE SUPREME COURT IN INSTANCES INVOLVING THE CONSTITUTIONALITY OF CERTAIN LAWS AND ORDERS"

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of the State.

Sec. 4. The sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of said publication and election.

S. J. R. NO. 6

A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas amending Section 26 of

Article IV so as to provide that Notaries Public be appointed by the Secretary of State of the State of Texas; providing for the submission of this amendment to the voters of this State; and providing for the necessary appropriation to defray necessary expenses for the submission of this amendment.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 26 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so that the same will hereafter read as follows:

"Section 26. (a) The Secretary of State shall appoint a convenient number of Notaries Public for each county who shall perform such duties as now are or may be prescribed by law. The qualifications of Notaries Public shall be prescribed by law.

(b) Nothing herein shall affect the terms of office of Notaries Public who have qualified for the present term prior to the taking effect of this amendment.

(c) Should the Legislature enact an enabling law hereto in anticipation of the adoption of this amendment, such law shall not be invalid by reason of its anticipatory character."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at a special election to be held on the 5th day of November, 1940, at which election all voters favoring such proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"FOR AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF TEXAS PROVIDING THAT NOTARIES PUBLIC BE APPOINTED BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS", and those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"AGAINST AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF TEXAS PROVIDING THAT NOTARIES PUBLIC BE APPOINTED BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS".

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of the State.

Sec. 4. The sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the treasury of the State not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of said publication and election.

**H. J. R. NO. 8
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION**

proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas to be known as Section 30b of Article 16; providing that the provisions of Article 16, Section 30 of the Texas Constitution limiting the duration of all offices not fixed by the Constitution to two (2) years, shall not apply to appointive offices of any municipalities that are placed under the terms and provisions of civil Service but the duration of such offices shall be governed by the provisions of the Civil Service Law applicable thereto; providing for an election on the question of adoption or rejection of such amendment; making an ap-

propriation therefor; providing for the proclamation and publication thereof; prescribing the form of ballot.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That the Constitution of the State of Texas be and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto a new Section to Article 16 to be known as Section 30b which shall read as follows:

"Section 30b. Wherever by virtue of Statute or charter provisions appointive offices of any municipality are placed under the terms and provisions of Civil Service and rules are set up governing appointment to, and removal from such offices, the provisions of Article 16, Section 30, of the Texas Constitution limiting the duration of all offices not fixed by the Constitution to two (2) years shall not apply, but the duration of such offices shall be governed by the provisions of Civil Service law or charter provisions applicable thereto."

Sec. 2. Such proposed Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State of Texas at the general election to be held throughout the state of Texas on the 5th day of November, 1940, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"For the Amendment to the State Constitution providing that Article 16, Section 30, of the Constitution shall not apply to appointive offices of any municipality placed under the terms and provisions of Civil Service,"

Those voters opposing said Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"Against the Amendment to the State Constitution providing that article 16, Section 30, of the Constitution shall not apply to appointive offices of any municipality placed under the terms and provisions of Civil Service."

If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast in favor of the Amendment the same shall become a part of the State Constitution.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have same published, as required by the Constitution for amendments thereto.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expense of such publication and election.

H. J. R. NO. 45

A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an Amendment to Article 8, Section 9 of the constitution of the State of Texas by adding a new Section there to to be known as Section 9-A; providing that the Commissioners Court of Red River County, after a majority vote of the resident qualified electors owning taxable property therein, shall have the authority to levy a tax not to exceed Twenty-five (25) Cents on the one hundred dollars valuation for a period not exceeding fifteen (15) years for the purpose of refunding the outstanding warrant indebtedness of the General Fund of the County by the issuance of bonds under the provisions of the General Laws regulating the refunding of outstanding debts of the County; providing for the necessary proclamation; and appropriating funds to defray the expenses of the proclamation, publication, and election.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article 8, Section 9 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended by adding thereto another Section to be known as Section 9-A, which shall read as follows:

Section 9-A. Upon the vote of a majority of the resident qualified electors owning rendered taxable property therein so authorizing, the Commissioners Court of Red River County, Texas, may levy an annual tax not to exceed Twenty-five (25) Cents on the one hundred dollars valuation for a period not to exceed fifteen (15) years for the purpose of refunding all the outstanding warrant indebtedness of the General Fund of such County and issue bonds under the provisions of the General Law regulating the issuance of bonds to refund said indebtedness.

"At such election, the Commissioners Court shall submit for adoption the proposition of whether such outstanding warrant indebtedness of the General Fund of such County shall be refunded into bonds, the amount of special tax to be levied, and the number of years said tax is to be levied. The funds raised by such taxes shall not be used for purposes other than those specified in the plan submitted to the voters."

"The provisions of this Section 9 A shall apply only to Red River County; and the provisions hereof shall be self-enacting without the necessity of an enabling act of the Legislature of the State of Texas, but shall become effective immediately after the official canvass of the result has been made and it is determined that this amendment has been adopted by a majority of the voters of the State."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State on the first Tuesday following the first Monday in November, 1940, at which election all voters favoring such proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "For the Amendment to the Constitution providing that the Commissioners Court of Red River County may, upon a vote of the qualified electors therein, levy a tax and issue bonds to refund the outstanding warrant indebtedness of the General Fund of such County; those voters opposing such Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words, "Against the amendment to the constitution providing that the Commissioners Court of Red River may, upon a vote of the qualified electors therein, levy a tax and issue bonds to refund the outstanding warrant indebtedness of the General Fund of such County."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation and to have necessary proclamation for said election and to have same published as required by the Constitution for Amendments thereto.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of such publication and election, which shall be refunded to the State of Texas by Red River County out of its General Fund or any other available fund. Provided that no election shall be held until Red River County shall first deposit with the State Treasurer the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000) with which to pay such expense of said election.

FOR SALE

South half of Block 46, Town of Robert Lee House and Barn well improved.

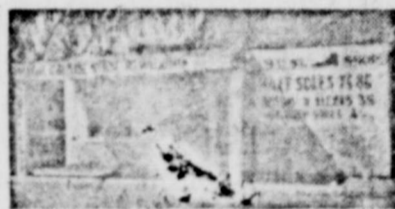
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Silver News.

Mrs. L. D. Evans and son Dale and Larry of Winslow Ariz. returned home August 11, after spending a month with her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Allen and other relatives. Miss Cleone Allen accompanied her sister home and will spend several weeks in Arizona.

Mr. J. F. Batton and family of Wyoming are visiting his mother Mrs. W. H. Batton and other relatives here.

Mrs. W. R. Carr spent the week end at San Angelo in the home of her daughter Mrs. Kenneth Brown.

Bob Odom who underwent an appendectomy operation some time ago is doing nicely and returned home Thursday of the past week.

A good rain fell at Silver last Wednesday morning.

Now is the time to renew your subscription if you are in the red

The Town Where I Live—It's My Town

W. C. McDonald, County Attorney of Coke County, will speak in behalf of PIERCE BROOKS, candidate for Railroad Commissioner, FRIDAY AUGUST 23rd.

TIME 12:35 P. M.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson**

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D.
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of Chicago.
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Lesson for August 25

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CONFESSION AND FORGIVENESS

LESSON TEXT—II Samuel 12:13, 14; Psalm 51:1-3, 9-13; 32:3.
GOLDEN TEXT—Confess your faults one to another, and pray one for another, that ye may be healed.—James 5:16.

If the Bible told us only of perfect people, we would recognize it as being not true to life and assuredly of no help to us who know our own sinful natures. The Bible, however, tells us in all truthfulness of the bad as well as the good, the weak as well as the strong, the humble as well as the mighty.

The lesson centers around David, the humble shepherd boy who became king; and in the height of his glory, being tempted of his own evil desires, fell into the lowest of sin, which he then sought to cover by a well-planned murder. He finds no peace until he repents and returns to God. Three words summarize the lesson.

I. Sin (II Sam. 12:13, 14).

That little three lettered word seems to have the hiss of the serpent in it—sin—the cause of all man's woes and the heartache of a loving God.

David had tried to hide his sin and he said, "My bones waxed old through my roaring all the day long. For day and night thy hand was heavy upon me" (Ps. 32: 3, 4). "Be sure your sin will find you out" (Num. 32:23) is just as true today as it was in David's time.

The nature of sin is described in Psalm 51, and if we may anticipate a bit, we note that it is described by three words: "transgression," meaning a rebellious "stepping over" God's boundaries; "iniquity," from the same root as our word "unequal," meaning crookedness of heart and life; and "sin," which means missing the mark, a life going the wrong way.

Note that sin, while it may bring sorrow and trouble to us and those round about us, is "against the Lord" (v. 13 and Ps. 51:4). The sinner must face and answer to God for his sin.

Nathan's straightforward dealing with David brought him to

II. Repentance (Ps. 51:1-3, 9-13).

What David expressed to Nathan—"I have sinned against the Lord"—is more fully expressed in the great psalm of penitence which we know as Psalm 51. Dr. Wilbur M. Smith well says that "probably these verses have brought more comfort and assurance of forgiveness, and hope for a renewed life after some terrible transgression, to a greater number of God's children down through the ages than any other single passage in the pages of the Old Testament."

To acknowledge one's transgression before God is to open the flood-gates of His mercy, to receive His grace in forgiveness, cleansing, restoration, new joy, and (note it well) renewed usefulness (v. 13). God does not cast His people off because of their sin, nor cut off their usefulness when they repent.

Observe, however, that God did not permit David's sin to go unpunished. God is forgiving, but even repentance cannot wipe out the results of sin (II Sam. 12:14). God chastised David to declare before the people all of His divine hatred of sin. To sin against God is no light and casual thing. It cuts deeply into life, and only the grace of God is sufficient to bring a man up out of that pit. But there is

III. Forgiveness (Ps. 32:5).

How tender and sweet is that word—forgiveness. It speaks of the removal of guilt, the breaking down of the barrier which sin has created, and the restoration of fellowship. Where all had been wrong and troubled, all has become right and at peace.

These things are true even in the forgiveness of one man toward another who has offended, but infinitely greater when the heart of God meets the repentant sinner. He is so ready to meet such a man that even while he is thinking of confessing, God sees the attitude of his heart and forgives. "At this moment, without sight or sound that mortal ear can detect, or attitude that the eye of man can observe, even before the thing is said, when I make up my mind to confess, 'thou forgavest the iniquity of my sin! Do you wonder that when this man was going to write a psalm about this matter, he had to begin, 'O the blessings of transgression forgiven, and sin covered?'" (G. Campbell Morgan).

Suede Fashions Due for Big Vogue This Fall and Winter

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



IF YOU have not already been converted into a suede way of thinking, you will when you see the fascinating things designers are doing with handsome suede for the coming fall and winter. In a wide range of colors, never so beautiful, never so exquisitely supple and never before so versatile for all purposes, suede has reached the point where it is regarded as a staple medium for the making of smart apparel.

No matter from what fashion angle the approach is made, suede qualifies as the perfect answer. There's nothing smarter on the boards for fall than a coat or a jacket, a suit or a one-piece dress made of suede. As to accessories of suede the rich colors of suede and its delightful yield to deft handling is revealed throughout a whole list of bags and hats, belts, gloves and footwear that add the swank touch to goodlooking costumes.

Women of keen fashion-sense like suede because it not only has proved to be dependably wearable and practical, but when it comes to color suede is positively glamorous and stands in a class all its own when it comes to interpreting a new high in fashion.

Destined to be adored is the little-boy jacket done in suede as shown to the left in the illustration. It is collarless with slightly padded shoulders. It boasts of three large patch pockets. Helen Wood, glamour girl of 1940 in filmland, chooses this jacket in a gold nugget hue to wear over a moss green suede dress.

Any school-faring girl will do well to include in her wardrobe a suede ensemble after the manner of the model shown to the right. Here you see Rosemary De Camp, dramatic cinema actress, in a one-piece dress made of porcelain blue suede. Softness is achieved by a fullness gathered in under the slash pockets on the waist. The only trimming detail is a thong lacing outlining the

neckline and the invisible slide fastener down the front. You will love this dress in any of the new colors.

Part of the glory and romance of the new suede costumes is that hats to match are ever available. You can get a sort of college girl mortar-board type such as crowns the pretty head of the figure standing, or if you like the cunning matching hat inspired by a bellhop cap as you see pictured in the inset below, shops and departments carry both types.

Society has taken to vacationing in the far West where picturesque "dude" ranches offer fascinating sport and diversion. Part of the fun is "when you are in Rome do as Romans do," which is to say in this connection, adopt cowboy costumes. At least this is what fashion is doing, playing on the theme in a way to dazzle the eye with the novelty and chic of slacks and even dresses, and blouses and jackets made of suede or other fanciful leather. And here's where suede comes into its own in all its glory, in just such attractive outfits as the white leather Western riding habit centered in the picture. The fringed skirt is accented by studs of silver. The boots and fringed bolero are similarly treated.

(Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

Gold Jewelry Will Be Worn This Fall

In spite of the fact that gold jewelry has been somewhat out of the picture for a brief spell comes reports to the effect that it has again come to the fore in the style picture. However, the new gold jewelry that will enliven smart black jersey dresses and those of sheer wools, is not of the garish spectacular type. There is exquisite refinement expressed in subtle detail and workmanship in the incoming necklaces, bracelets, pins, clips and lapel ornaments.

Fashion Notes

A skin-tight suit will tend to make you look thinner.

Suits made of crisp, rustling black taffeta are a favorite fashion.

Soft silk net is one of the fabrics featured in Bruyere's midseason collection.

For the large figure, this season's popular ballerina suits will be becoming.

White eyelet embroidery gives a dressed-up look to a casual suit of cotton chambray.

A head covering and wrap, all in one, is easily evolved from the smart triangular shawls.

Decorative trims are subtle and restrained in the new Lily Dache hat presentations for early fall.

Light-colored fur jackets for cool summer days or evenings are more exotic looking this year than ever before.

To dress up your summer frocks, coats and even accessories with distinction, smart designers are doing neat tricks with soutache braid.

Red Corduroy



It's time to give thought to the inevitable easy-to-slip-on jacket that is indispensable when cool breezes announce that autumn days are here. The pick of them all, in the estimation of fashion-wise college girls and their younger school-faring sisters is the jacket that is made of bright red corduroy. A grand twosome for early fall days on the campus or for general wear when the tang of autumn calls for comfortable wraps is a jacket of stop-light red corduroy such as is pictured here, topped with a matching hat of the identical corduroy

AROUND the HOUSE Items of Interest to the Housewife

When stewing fruit, add the sugar just before taking the fruit off the stove. In this way far less sugar is needed than if it is put in at the beginning.

Clean paint brushes used for enameling with turpentine. When used to shellac, clean with denatured alcohol.

Make cuts in marshmallows, insert bits of butter and jelly. Arrange on crackers and broil or bake until the marshmallows are puffy and brown.

Delicate colors in washing materials will not fade if before being washed they are soaked in tepid water to which a few drops of turpentine have been added.

All vegetables should be put on to cook in boiling water. This holds the major portion of the mineral matter and starch within.

The backs of pictures should be inspected from time to time. If there are any holes in the paper, fresh pieces should be pasted over them, or dust will get in.

Strange Facts

Swift Canal Travel
Loud Whale Blow
Market for Rust

The United States fleet can go through the Panama canal with remarkable speed. Not long ago, 110 of its ships passed through in 48 hours, thus moving one vessel in and another out every 26 minutes.

The loudest respiratory movements known are those of whales. When harpooned, they sometimes stay under the water for as long as two hours and, coming to the surface, expel their long-held breath with such force that the sound can be heard for more than a mile.

A large Eastern railroad sells from 200 to 500 tons of rust monthly to various steel companies, which use it in the manufacture of pig iron.—Collier's.



Today Is Different

Today is not yesterday; we ourselves change; how can our works and thoughts if they are always to be the fittest, continue always the same? Change, indeed, is painful; yet ever useful, and if memory have its force and worth, so also has hope.—Thomas Carlyle.

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Gems of Thought

CONTENTMENT furnishes constant joy. Much covetousness, constant grief. To the contented, even poverty is a joy. To the discontented, even wealth is a vexation.—Ming Sum Paou Keen.

Those who love the arts are all fellow citizens.—Voltaire.

True valor lies half way between cowardice and rashness.—Cervantes.

The whole world is my native land.—Seneca.

Atheism is rather in the lip than in the heart of man.—Bacon.

Honest labor bears a lovely face.—Dekker.

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Household News
By Eleanor Howe



WHEN YOU PLAN A PICNIC FOR A CROWD (Recipes Below.)

Community picnics are fun! They offer an opportunity for a carefree day under the open sky—carefree for even the chairman in charge of affairs, if she's planned her program well and chosen her helpers wisely.

If the crowd to be served is a really large one, it's a good idea to have one committee member responsible for each main dish such as meat, potatoes, salad, dessert, and beverage, and one responsible for extras such as buns, butter, relishes, etc. There'll be a serving committee and a clean-up committee, as well.

Picnics for four or five families are usually co-operative affairs. Each family may supply its own lunch, but more often each one provides one item in large enough quantities to serve the crowd. One family might provide the salad, one the meat, and still another family the dessert, which might be watermelon, a luscious chocolate cake, or a freezer full of old fashioned ice cream. With a little planning, the cost can be fairly equally distributed.

When an outing is in the offing and it's up to you to plan the menu for a crowd, you'll find these picnic pointers helpful.

1. If lunch is being prepared at home, choose foods that permit beforehand preparation, and that are not too difficult to carry or to serve.
2. Provide a fairly simple meal, with plenty of everything but not so much variety that it will cause confusion and lots of extra work.
3. Unless you are sure of a good water supply, it's better to carry the water from home.
4. Carry fruit juices, tomato juice or milk in thermos bottles.
5. The main dish for the picnic—which might be chili, baked beans, or escalloped potatoes, can be cooked the day before, then in the morning brought to the boiling point, and the dutch oven or casserole wrapped in several thicknesses of newspaper to retain the heat.
6. Don't overlook the possibilities in frozen foods for picnic use. Quick-frozen meats can be carried, without ice, even on a warm day. They thaw out on the way to the picnic ground and will be ready to use.

You'll find other picnic pointers in my cook book, "Easy Entertaining." There are menus and tested recipes for beach parties, hikes and a "Colorado beefsteak fry."

When you write to me, won't you tell me something about the "community meals" your group has served? Do you serve dinners for the church, for business men's organizations or for the farm bureau, perhaps? How many people do you serve at meals like this, and what are your favorite menus? I'll be waiting to hear from you!

Grandmother's Ginger Cookies.
(Makes about 6 dozen)

- 1 1/4 cups shortening
- 2 1/2 cups sugar
- 3 eggs (separated)
- 1 1/4 cups molasses
- 1 teaspoon cinnamon
- 1 teaspoon ginger
- 1 teaspoon nutmeg
- 1 teaspoon cloves
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 3 teaspoons soda
- 2 1/2 cup cold water
- 9 cups flour

Cream shortening and add sugar gradually, creaming until smooth. Beat egg yolks until light, and add to the creamed mixture, with the

There's something very social and heartwarming about entertaining friends in your own home. And entertaining needn't be expensive, nor does it necessarily mean a lot of work!

Eleanor Howe's cook book, "Easy Entertaining," will give you the secrets of doing just that—entertaining without fuss and bother, and to fit your budget.

You'll find in "Easy Entertaining" plans for almost every kind of party. Send 10 cents in coin to "Easy Entertaining," care of Eleanor Howe, 919 North Michigan Avenue, Chicago, Illinois.

molasses, and spices, and salt. Dissolve soda in cold water, and add to the first mixture; blend well. Beat egg whites until stiff, and fold into batter. Add flour, and mix until smooth. Roll out on 1/4-inch thickness on a lightly floured board. Cut with 3 1/2-inch cookie cutter, and press a raisin into the center of each. Sprinkle with sugar. Bake on a greased cookie sheet in a moderately hot oven (400 degrees) for about 10 minutes.

Barbecue Sandwiches.
(Filling for 3 1/2 to 4 dozen buns)

- 2 pounds beef
- 2 pounds pork
- 1 tablespoon chili powder
- 1 teaspoon white pepper
- 1/4 teaspoon red pepper
- 1 teaspoon dry mustard
- 1 1/2 tablespoons salt
- 1/4 cup flour
- 1 1/2 cups tomato puree or condensed tomato soup
- 1 1/2 quarts meat stock
- 3 large onions (sliced)

Cook the meat until tender in enough water to cover. Drain, and grind coarsely. Combine seasonings and flour. Add tomato puree and the meat stock, and cook for 5 minutes. Brown the onions lightly in butter or bacon fat, and add to the sauce with the coarsely ground meat. Serve hot on large, round buns.

Chocolate Fudge Cake.
(Serves 25)

- 1 cup shortening
- 3 cups light brown sugar
- 3 eggs (slightly beaten)
- 3 1/2 cups cake flour
- 2 teaspoons baking powder
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1 1/4 teaspoons soda
- 3/4 cup sour milk
- 2/5 cup cocoa
- 1 cup boiling water
- 1 teaspoon vanilla

Cream shortening and add sugar gradually, blending well after each addition. Add slightly beaten eggs and mix well. Sift together the flour, baking powder, salt, and soda. Add to the creamed mixture alternately with the milk. Blend cocoa and boiling water. Add to the cake batter with the vanilla, and mix just until the batter is smooth. Pour into 3 8-inch square pans, which have been greased and lined with wax paper. Bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees) for about 30 minutes.

Tomato French Dressing.
(Makes 1 quart)

- 1 can condensed tomato soup
- 3/4 cup vinegar
- 1 1/2 cups oil
- 1/4 cup sugar
- 3 tablespoons lemon juice
- 1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce
- 1 1/2 teaspoons salt
- 2 teaspoons dry mustard
- 1 teaspoon paprika

Place all of the ingredients in a mixing bowl and beat until blended. Store in refrigerator in a quart jar. (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

ASK ME ANOTHER ?

A Quiz With Answers Offering Information on Various Subjects

The Questions

1. How long was a round of boxing when John L. Sullivan ruled the ring?
2. How long was Abraham Lincoln President before the Civil war broke out?
3. What is the largest stadium in America?
4. What universities compete for the Little Brown Jug on the gridiron each year?
5. What is a Pyrrhic victory?
6. Does each star in the American flag represent a particular state?

The Answers

1. Until one of the fighters scored a knockdown over his opponent.
2. Six weeks.
3. Soldier field, located in Chicago, Illinois, takes this honor. Its seating capacity will handle a crowd of 125,000 persons.
4. The University of Michigan at Ann Arbor, and the University of Minnesota at Minneapolis.
5. One gained at too great a cost.
6. No, the stars represent the states collectively, not individually.

Life's Canvas

We are not writing in the sand. The tide does not wash it out. We are not painting our pictures on the canvas and with a brush, so that we can erase the error of yesterday, or overlay it with another color today. We are writing our lives with a chisel on the marble, and every time we strike a blow we leave a mark that is indelible.—O. S. Marden.

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Benson And King Family Reunion

Back in the early days of Coke County the Bensons and Kings settled at Edith. Sam King married a Benson that formed a nucleus for a family reunion a half century. The old homestead still stands as a monument to pioneering days.

A family reunion of the Bensons was held Saturday Aug. 17, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam King at Edith.

All immediate members of the Benson family were present.

Mr. R. J. Benson, Amarillo Texas
Mr. Jeff Benson, Willard N. M.
Mr. Oscar Benson, Hico, Texas,
Mrs. Lassy Edwards and daughter, Trinidad, Colo., Mr. George Benson and daughter Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Phillips, Tucumcari, N. M., Mrs. A. V. Lawrence, Snyder Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Dave King and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Blair and family Edith Texas
Mrs. R. B. King and family, El Paso, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Grimes and family Bronte, Texas
Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Plumlee and family, Mrs. Bob Gaines and family of Robert Lee.

All Tenants Eligible to Apply for Farm Loans

There seems to be a mistaken idea among some in the county that only former borrowers of the Farm Security Administration are eligible to make application to purchase farms under the bankhead-Jones Act according to Mr. Samuel F. Malone, rural supervisor of Coke County who recently opened an office in Robert Lee.

All tenant farmers, share croppers and farm laborers may apply if they are unable to purchase land from any other source and do not already own a farm.

Although only a few loans will be made this year, all applications may remain on file for possible future consideration.

Application blanks may be secured from the County Agents Office or from the Farm Security Office but all applications must be in by August 31st.

Frank King of Magdalena New Mex., was a visitor at the Observer office last week. He is visiting his father and mother Mr. and Mrs. Sam King at Edith.

School will open September 9.

NOTICE TO FARMERS

We want to thank the farmers for their cooperation with us last season, and due to the labor regulations, it will be necessary for us again to begin ginning at 9 A. M. and stop 30 minutes at noon and quit weighing in at 7 P. M. but we will go ahead and gin all cotton that is on the yard regardless of how late it might take.

Thanking you again for your cooperation which you have given us in the past, and trusting that you will not be too much inconvenienced by the above schedule.

JOE DODSON.
FRED McDONALD Jr.

F. S. A Office Opens

Mr. S. F. Malone, Rural Supervisor is in charge having arrived with his family, wife and three children, and are living in Miss Lucine Donnell's house, coming from Pittsburg, Texas.

The office force will include a clerk, typist and home supervisor. Equipment is being installed from time to time.

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SHREDDED WHEAT	3 for	25c
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Old Timer Visits the Office

Dr. Benson of Amarillo visited the Observer office last week where he played the devil for the Rusler in 1890.

Dr. Benson's folks landed at Edith on Sept. 8, 1891, his last visit here was in 1895. The Bensons were originally from Collins County.

Mrs. Porterfield from Portales, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Bradford from Mineral Wells, visited their aunt Mrs. Arthur Mourhead.

Miss Viola Brown left Saturday for her home in Brownsfield, where she teaches in the school at that place.

Mrs. E. D. McDaniel and daughter Gertrude of San Antonio, Mrs. Henry Wheeler of Stockdale, sisters of Mrs. W. H. Bell spent last week end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hester and daughter Joyce of Miles visited her mother and other relatives in Robert Lee Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brown of San Angelo visited relatives in Robert Lee Sunday

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