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## CHRISTMAS SERVICES AT THE METHODIST CHURCH

Next Sunday is a day we look forward to. It is a day when we should dismiss everything from our minds except the thought of Jesus. It represents the time when Jesus came to the world as our Redeemer. The subject of two special services: 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., will be "THE NAME." Text Matt. 1. 21: "And they shall call his name Jesus." Acts 4:12: "For there is none other name under heaven, given among men, whereby we must be saved."

Morning service: Hymn: "Holy, Holy." Scripture reading: Luke 1:46-55. Special music, sermon and hymn: "Joy to the World."

Evening service: Hymn: "Silent night."

Special music: "Beautiful Messia." Sermon.

Hymn: "All Hail the Power of Jesus Name."

We will be looking for you.

W. Vasco Teer,

Pastor.

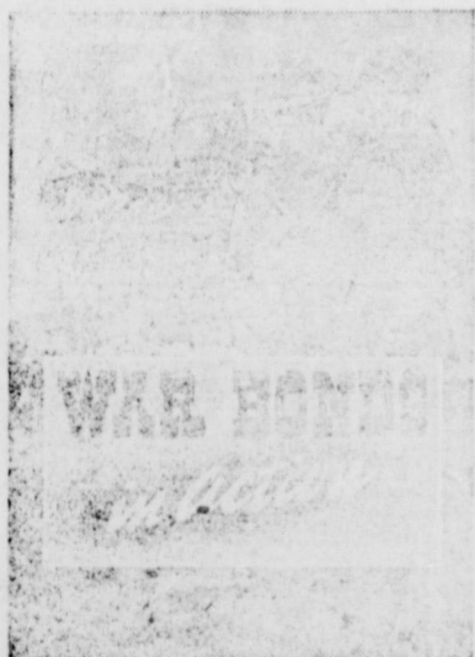
## ATTENTION, FARMERS ATTENTION OF ALL HOG PRODUCERS

For the information of producers of hogs in this community, Food Distribution Administration suspended for 90 days regulations governing farm slaughtering of farm hogs. This means that for the next 90 days producers of hogs are permitted to slaughter for sale or transfer without securing a slaughter permit or license.

**THIS DOES NOT IN ANY WAY CHANGE THE REGULATIONS governing the sale of pork under the rationing regulations.** And even though they may slaughter without a license, they are still **REQUIRED TO COLLECT POINTS** and register on Form R-1609 which can be secured at the local rationing board.

H. O. Whitt,  
Chairman.

## Nice Selection of GIFTS at GUMBIE & ROACH



From a transport in New Guinea American members of hospital units are carrying medicine and instruments provided by War Bond dollars.

How many will they succor; how many dead will they find? How many will never return? We do not know but we do know our daily conduct can make an earlier end of the war.

Give your dollars action: Buy More War Bonds.

U. S. Treasury Department

## THE DAY OF DECISION

Joel 3 : 14

Multitudes—multitudes in the Valley of Decision. We shall not go into the depths of this prophecy concerning The Day of the Lord, for space and time do not permit. We preach it and BELIEVE it. Come and hear us. This truly is the Day of Decision for Good and Evil; Truth and Error; Christ and the Devil. You are making the choice. The cry comes: "Come ye out from among her, my people; and be ye separate." "How can two walk together except they be agreed?" "What fellowship hath light with darkness?" "If any man love the things of the world the love of the Father is not in him." "He that confesseth me before men I will confess before my Father which is in heaven." What will you do with Jesus who is called the Christ? Make the decision; you alone can make it. "With the heart man believeth unto righteousness and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation."

Harry Hames,  
Pastor Baptist Church.

Pfc. Glenn Simpson came in Monday to spend a few days with his wife and relatives before going on to Salt Lake City where he will be stationed. Glenn has been attending Ford Factory School.

S-Sgt. Woodrow Gardner who is stationed at Rockford, Illinois is here visiting home folks and numerous friends.

Coke county up-to-date has gained 1,371 bales for this season.

J. W. Denman H. H. 2-c came in Tuesday from Navy hospital at Corpus Christi on a 6-day leave, visiting with relatives.

A happy meeting, three Robert Lee boys meet by accident in the city of San Francisco, California. Joe (Binko) McCutchen had just arrived by ship from the South Pacific. Keith Lofton is stationed in the city and Cleo McDorman is stationed at Sacramento, California, in the Army Signal Corps.

Mrs. J. F. McCabe Jr. of San Angelo visited with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Snead, Jr. over the week end.

Hubert Buchanan and Ray Ledbetter who have been seeing army service in the Aleutian Islands for many months are at home on a 30-day leave, with a capacity to consume much of Coke county's semi-arid climate before they return to the western coast to embark for a rest camp off coast of California.

## Buy Practical Gifts This CHRISTMAS At GUMBIE & ROACH

Miss Sybil Simpson and Mrs. Frank Bryan of Monahans, Tex visited relatives in Robert Lee this week.

H. D. Fish has sold his residence to J. J. Yarbrough.

Right after Christmas Dr. Griffin will teach a class in first aid. Man do not realize what a course in first aid means. It may mean the difference in life and death and Dr. Griffith with a lifetime of actual experience is a very able teacher and it is your loss if you fail to take advantage of this opportunity.

## COMMENDATION

Murle E. Day, mess sergeant at the Sheppard Field Army Air Forces Technical Training School received special commendation from Major General Jno. F. Curry, with an occurrence of the commendation added by Maj. Gen. J. E. Chaney, Commanding General of Sheppard Field. Sgt. Day invented a fly spray with a 40-pound steam pressure and cost only \$7.00 to make capable of clearing an entire mess hall of flies in 15 minutes.

## DOUBLE HONOR

Lubbock, Texas, December 6.—Miss Maxine Craddock will be re-honored by Alpha Chi, National Scholarship Society of Texas Technological College, Tuesday afternoon. The upper ten per cent of the junior and senior classes make up the society's membership.

The Alpha Chi at Texas Tech is the largest of approximately 30 chapters in the United States with a membership of 55 this year.

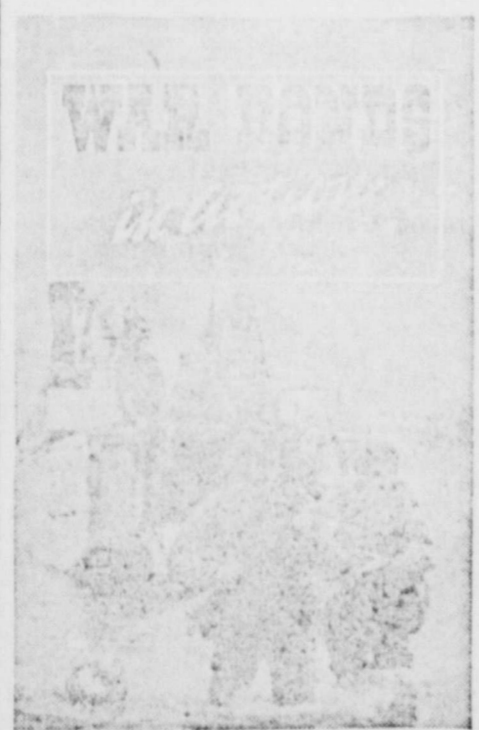
Mr. and Mrs. Walker and J. C. Wojtek of San Angelo visited in the V. V. Wojtek home over the week end.

Miss Louise Stewart, who has been at Roby for the last few weeks came in Saturday for a few days visit with her father, Marvin Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Dean received a card from their son in detention camp No. 1 Phillipine Islands, a prison camp, stating that he was well and getting along fine. The card was a printed form filled in by typewriter but signed in his own handwriting. Often dark clouds have silver linings.

Mrs. Elbert Stephenson is here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lem Cowley after being with her husband, Lt. Stephenson at Shreveport, Louisiana for several weeks.

V H Simpson has returned from Longview Texas where he attended the funeral services of his brother H L Simpson who was killed in an automobile accident.



Your money goes into battle every time you invest in War Bonds—goes up to the German lines in the form of tanks, planes, assault boats as pictured here in the Mediterranean area.

Success of our troops depends upon the help they get from the home front. Bullets fired yesterday won't win tomorrow's battle. War Bonds bought last month won't pay for our next offensive. Give your dollars action: Buy More War Bonds.

## FUNERAL SERVICES HELD FOR CLAYTON McCUTCHEN

Clayton William McCutchen died in San Angelo, Thursday morning at 11:45. Funeral was held Saturday morning at 10:30 at the Vautrain Funeral Home. Revs. Barton and Hames conducted the services.

Survivors are the parents and one brother.

Allen Davis and J. A. Killough of Ballinger have bought the King-Holt Funeral Home from E. E. King.

Pvt. Paul Waldrop returned to Amarillo after a 15 day furlough here and at Brownwood, and Mrs. Waldrop remained here with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Harry Hames.

Lt. Howard Millican is at home on a few days furlough. He is stationed at Del Rio in Laughland Field flying service.

## FUNERAL RITES

Funeral services were held in Robert Lee for Charles Wesley Taylor who was killed in an accident in Nevada, December 3.

He was born December 27, 1892 in San Angelo, but spent most of his life in Coke county.

He is survived by eight children, his mother, two sisters and one sister.

The children are Mrs. A. C. Pinkston, Ballinger; Lt. Neal Taylor, Camp Polk, Louisiana; Gene Taylor, Brawley, California; Mrs. Christine Caldwell, Stockton, California; Cpl. C. W. Taylor, San Bernardino, California; Frances Taylor, Ballinger; Warren Taylor, Las Vegas, Nevada; and Jo Ann, Robert Lee. W. K. Simpson funeral home was in charge.

Mrs. E. W. Wilbanks renews The Observer.

John (Mack) Hickman and Dick Wylie were two of the new inductees for army service from Coke county, headed for Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

Ed S. Roberts will read the Observer.

William P. Ratliff entered the army September 20 as a buck private. Word was received here Monday December 6 that he had been promoted to Pfc. He is now located at New Orleans in the Army Air Base.

## REQUEST

The W. S. C. S. of the Methodist church are placing a box at the W. K. Simpson & Co.'s store. Anyone that has old clothes to give to the needy, will, please, leave them there. If you cannot deliver phone W. K. Simpson & Co.

## What is Inflation?

Do you have excess cash? You will answer, "No." But the fact remains that you do. For almost every wage earner these days has an income, in checkbook or pocketbook, well above the cost of his living, taxes, insurance and debt repayments.

You never actually "bid" against anybody for a porter-house steak, but when you take the spending of all average Americans as a group, it's a different story. So it is important that excess money be saved rather than used collectively to bid up prices. If it is spent, instead of saved, prices soar. . . That's inflation.

Ideally, it should be invested in Government securities during the Second War Loan.

"They give their lives . . . You lend your money."

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MARY MARTIN-DICK POWELL IN

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Wednesday only Money Nite Dec. 22

PAULETTE GODDARD- RAY MALLARD IN

"CRYSTAL BALL"

Also Batman

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RICHARD DIX-LEO CARILLO IN

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"CRYSTAL BALL"

Also The Batman





**The Robert Lee Observer**

S. R. YOUNG  
Editor and Publisher

Entered at the post office at Robert Lee, Coke County, Texas, as second class mail matter, under an act of Congress of March 3, 1879.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES  
\$1.00 a year in Coke and adjoining Counties,  
\$1.50 a year elsewhere.

Congress has made an attempt to have the Federal Government pay for Bond Sale advertising, but, there is "a nigger in the wood pile" somewhere. There is lots of opposition, on the ground that editors of small newspapers are nit wits and would sell soul and body for a few paltry dollars, and thus far it is not certain that the government will pay for this needed advertising but expects the newspapers to add all this extra expense to the now overburdened business men of our small cities and little towns. It seems Congress is absolutely helpless, having been horn-

swoggled into voting yes to everything that comes up in the name of war.



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ABILENE, TEXAS

Two Schedules Each Way Daily Between Abilene and San Angelo

| READ DOWN                                   | READ UP                         |
|---|---------------------------------|
| NEW SCHEDULES                               | EFFECTIVE MAY 10, 1943          |
| Lv. 6:00 A. M. Lv. 3:15 P. M. Abilene       | Ar. 12:35 P. M. Ar. 11:35 P. M. |
| Lv. 6:25 A. M. Lv. 3:40 P. M. Camp Barkeley | Lv. 12:10 P. M. Lv. 11:10 P. M. |
| Lv. 6:30 A. M. Lv. 3:45 P. M. View          | Lv. 12:05 P. M. Lv. 11:05 P. M. |
| Lv. 7:15 A. M. Lv. 4:30 P. M. Happy Valley  | Lv. 11:20 A. M. Lv. 10:20 P. M. |
| Lv. 7:50 A. M. Lv. 5:05 P. M. Bronte        | Lv. 10:45 A. M. Lv. 9:45 P. M.  |
| Lv. 8:15 A. M. Lv. 5:30 P. M. Robert Lee    | Lv. 10:20 A. M. Lv. 9:20 P. M.  |
| Ar. 9:05 A. M. Ar. 6:20 P. M. San Angelo    | Lv. 9:30 A. M. Lv. 8:30 P. M.   |



Some time - on some calls - the long distance operator will say "PLEASE LIMIT YOUR CALL TO 5 MINUTES" Many Long Distance calls go through about as fast as ever. But sometimes there's an extra-heavy rush on certain circuits-especially to war-busy places. When ever that happens, the operator will ask you to limit your Long Distance calls to 5 minutes.

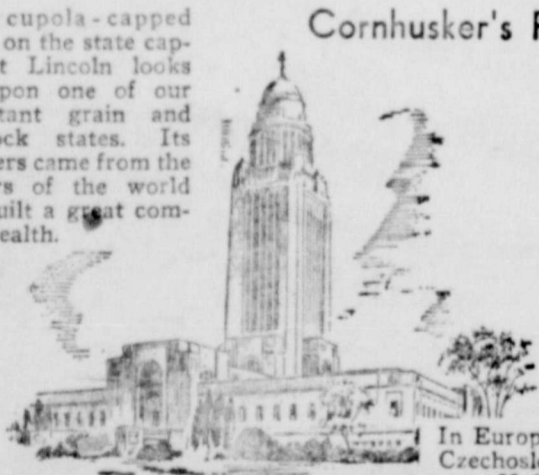
The idea is to give everybody a fair share of the wire. That gets to be more and more important every day.

**The San Angelo Telephone Company**

**FOR CASH SALE**  
160 ft. Brick Tile and Cement Building -Main St. Winters, Texas. Occupied 19 years- Confectionary and Cafe Living Quarters- Water- Light- Gas. Building- Stock- & Fixtures \$2,500.00-CASH  
I am retiring- Write or Come  
A. M. Sparks Winters, Texas

**BONDS OVER AMERICA**

This cupola-capped tower on the state capitol at Lincoln looks out upon one of our important grain and livestock states. Its founders came from the corners of the world and built a great commonwealth.



Cornhusker's Pride

Keep America Safe; Buy War Bonds

In Europe too, Poland, Czechoslovakia, Belgium, Holland, France, Norway and other countries were striving for better, more peaceful days and then Austria spawned Adolf Hitler.



**Overweight Oil makes Old Cars Older—Fast**

Note how Light a grade of oil can make good, with your engine Winter OIL-PLATED

You can change to an OIL-PLATED engine by changing to any grade of Conoco N<sup>th</sup> motor oil—from *lightest* to heaviest—and you can change to any grade of Conoco N<sup>th</sup> at the same popular price. But the *lightest* possible grade of oil that's fit for the Winter change your car needs now will help to save your battery—your gasoline—your engine. The more the oil is overweight the greater the wear, and when that makes you try still heavier oil you get still more wear—still more oil and gasoline consumption—worse and worse and worse. Short-circuit this ruinous process by having your engine OIL-PLATED.

OIL-PLATING is distinct from the familiar liquid type of high-strength oil film also provided by Conoco N<sup>th</sup> oil. Both oil film and OIL-PLATING are paired against wear every mile. Every time your engine rests, however, any liquid film drains down to the crankcase. But OIL-PLATING doesn't all drain down. It tends to stay wherever attached by Conoco N<sup>th</sup> oil's "magnet-like" action—achieved synthetically. Often now you don't use your car for days. Yet when you start, the OIL-PLATED surfaces are still ready-lubricated... "faster than instantly." That's how the former fierce wear of cold starting is reduced by OIL-PLATING your engine. All other wear, too, meets its match in your OIL-PLATED engine. Change at Your Mileage Merchant's Conoco station—today. He knows the *lightest* grade of N<sup>th</sup> for you. Continental Oil Co.

**Bread Engine Acid is Fought by OIL-PLATING**

Normal combustion always leaves acids inside of your engine when it stops.

Formerly it seldom stood idling. Soon mileage and speed heated your engine enough to use acids.

But nowadays rationing may force long rests, while excessive acids grow. To combat corrosion, metals are attacked by acid when with your engine OIL-PLATED.



**METHODIST**

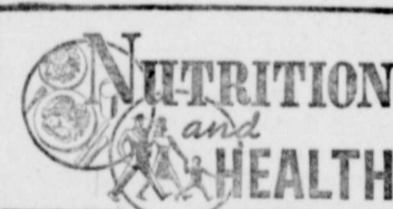
W. Vasco Teer, Pastor  
Church School ..... 10:00  
Preaching Service ..... 11:00  
Preaching Service ..... 8:00  
Youth Fellowship 5:45 P. M.  
W. S. C. S.—Monday ..... 3:00

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**

Regular Services ..... 9:30  
Preaching on 2 Sunday of each month.

**BAPTIST CHURCH**

Harry Hames, Pastor  
Prayer meeting, Wednesday night at 8:00 o'clock.  
Sunday school, at 10:00 A. M.  
Preaching at 11 A. M.  
Preaching at ..... 8:15 P. M.  
W. M. S. at 4 P. M.



- Q. Why should fats be included in the diet?  
A. (1) They are the most concentrated source of energy.  
(2) They spare thiamine (vitamin B.)  
(3) They carry fat soluble vitamins  
(4) They contain essential fatty acids.
- Q. What is the function of the essential unsaturated fatty acids?  
A. They are essential for skin health.
- Q. Which fat is especially rich in the essential unsaturated fatty acids?  
A. Lard.
- Q. How should drippings be stored to preserve their food value?  
A. Store in tightly covered containers in refrigerator.
- Q. Is fat difficult to digest?  
A. No. All common fats are easily and most completely digested.

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SEE Our CHRISTMAS CARDS

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We have been unable to accept new subscriptions during the

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This year on account of the news print shortage we can not print as many copies as needed to supply the demand. We feel that our old subscribers must be served first.

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**SECOND "**  
**And Last "**  
**A GIFT OF**  
**Distinction**  
**LAST YEARS ON YEARS**

**Hail! The CHRISTMAS Season**

**No Gifts or Present Last and Lingers on  
 Thru Life with Fondest Memory Like**

**JEWELRY**

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 A Special Invitation to do Your JEWELRY  
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You can eat your cake and have it, too—if you invest your CHRISTMAS savings in WAR BONDS. Keep on BACKING THE ATTACK.

**SPECIAL NOTICE**  
 Uncle Sam is Calling for the Largest Poultry out put in History  
 Yes profits were Never better. But to make the most, get the best,  
 Send Postal for FREE Literature.  
**BREEZLAND,**  
 San Angelo, Texas.



Money spent for War Bonds goes to the front. Sometimes it provides spectacular equipment like planes, oft times it buys a runty donkey like this American soldier is taking ashore in Italy. The quicker your dollars go into action, the sooner it will be over. Buy More War Bonds.  
 U. S. Treasury Department



**Drafting Labor**

The United States has a manpower shortage. Farmers all over the country met it more than a year ago and one by one since then other types of employers have felt the pinch. Now the ebbing human tide can be noticed in essential war plants. The highest wage scales ever known are failing to bring industry enough labor. The situation is serious and the solution is not yet. Factors in the problem are three: (1) Our Commander-in-Chief has called faster industrial production essential to the war effort. (2) A public speech of Paul V. McNutt, manpower czar, has touched off agitation about conscripting labor. (3) Increased production is possible but drafting workers will not accomplish it. There is a proven better way that does not stink of Hitlerism.

**Single Objective.**

In a recent message to congress, President Roosevelt said, with especial reference to airplane production: "A high rate of increase must be maintained . . . and that means constant stepping up of our production at home here." And there's no disputing the correctness of the President's analysis. Even the Germans say it is our air force that enables American troops to advance against superior numbers. Planes and more planes are vital to victory. Surely it is fair to assume that what the war effort needs is what the President asked for: more production, not more men on the government's payroll. After all, there is a difference. Interpreting the President's plea for more planes as a signal to put U. S. civilians in lock-step is, to say the least, getting off ahead of the starter's gun in a race for dictatorship.

**The American Way.**

A few weeks ago I visited the Beech Aircraft Corporation's plant in Wichita, Kan., where workers and owners together had launched a plan to improve production and developed it in one year to a degree of efficiency that increased factory output 325 percent. They found ways to turn out more than four times as much as formerly. It required no additional help and no bullying.

Common sense and patriotism did the trick. The vehicle was a rational incentive plan that divided profits 50-50 between the employees and the corporation on all increased business. Each worker's effective income accordingly was raised more than 50 percent in 12 months. Similar things have been done in other war production plants and might be done in many more. The idea is truly American in character. It is tried and effective.

**The Hitler Idea**

Der Fuehrer works forced labor. He has 2 1/2 times as much population to draw from as we have, and regularly gets less done. For an example, consider steel, ever needed in war. All the warring countries are producing every ton of it they can. Germany, with 300 million people, is able to produce 50 million tons a year; the United States, with 120 million people, produces 90 million tons. Slaves never do their best. Look at the contrast:

**ANNUAL STEEL PRODUCTION**

| People                 | Million Tons |
|------------------------|--------------|
| In America 120 produce | 90           |
| In Germany 300 produce | 50           |

So far, no high government man has actually come out boldly for labor conscription. McNutt said to the A. F. L. in Boston, "It is not beyond the realm of possibility that labor and management can . . . take new and more stringent steps under their own steam." What it takes to speed up production when working with free American people is not a stringent step, if that means compulsion.

\*Last August this column carried an account of prompt and amazing production gains achieved by the Howard Radio Company of Chicago, through incentive wage payments. Howard makes signal equipment for the Army. The management instituted an incentive plan by consent of the War Labor Board.

**POSTED**

My ranch is posted by Law. Any one caught trespassing will be prosecuted.

Fred Roe

**WIRES FIRST THEN WIDE OPEN SPACES**

Little did we dream how far reaching would be the discovery of the telephone by Alexander Graham Bell. We thought it was marvelous—and it is—when one could talk from New York to San Francisco by just taking down the receiver and asking for a number in a far away city and "binge" there was your party.

But along comes Marconi, discoverer of Radio, and said, "Why do we need wires strung all over the Continent? Let's talk without wires," hence the birth of the radio. It was not that simple, of course, there's no telling how long and hard both inventors worked on the gadgets, undoubtedly long, tedious hours and many disappointments but nevertheless we have both telephones and radios, both filling a specific need. It is almost uncanny that quick as a flash a message by radio can be sent to the far reaches of the earth in less than sixty seconds.

Now comes along the discovery of the electronic tubes, which throws wide open the use of the Radio. It is even being predicted that we will soon be cooking by Radio. One ambitious writer suggests that he sees no reason why oil, thousands of feet under the earth, cannot be located by radio. It looks as if marvels—even miracles may come from the use of radio. Certainly, the surface seems remotely scratched.

All the above only suggest that the world's greatest scientists are constantly scouting to go to the full limit in developing to the fullest the possibilities in Radio.

If you are one of those young men, whose mind and talents lean to the field of radio, you would do well to find out more about this interesting subject. The Tyler Commercial College at Tyler, Texas, can tell you more about this subject, so write to them and tell them you want all the information about this School of Radio.

Pay your school taxes at the Observer office.

**Attention!**  
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 You can leave your, Suits, Coats, Dresses etc. At  
**Latham's Feed Store**  
 We will deliver them and return for 25c. plus tax

**Notice Water Subscriber**  
 Due to the Tire Rationing we will only call on business houses and offices for the collection of water accounts. All residential subscribers please call at the office at City Hall and pay water accounts not later than the 15th of each month. If accounts are not paid, service will be discontinued. Signed  
 City Commission

**NOTICE**  
 Business Concerns take Notice You are notified by city authority, to cease using the street, paving or water gutter for a dumping ground or burning trash on the paving. This includes sloppy waters. Please cooperate thanks

**MANNIG'S CAFE**  
**BETTER FOODS**  
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 San Angelo, Texas





**CHANGE TO M SYSTEM AND POCKET THE CHANGE**

**M SYSTEM SPECIALS**

|   |     |
|---|-----|
| Frankie's Farm Salad Dressing Qt. Jar 29c 8 oz. Jar         | 10c |
| PICKLES Ma Brown's Sour 22 oz. Jar                          | 19c |
| Tropic Gold Grape Fruit Juice No. 2 12c not rationed 47 oz. | 25c |
| Oats 3 Minutes Large pkg.                                   | 21c |
| Peanut Butter Peter Pan 12 oz. glass                        | 28c |
| Meal White Cream 5 lb. bag 24c 20 lb. bag                   | 69c |
| Honey No. 5 Jar   | 99c |
| Swans Down Cake Flour                                       | 20c |
| White Karo SYRUP No. 1 1/2 glass                            | 17c |
| Baker's Premium Baking Chocolate 3 oz. bar                  | 21c |
| Shelled Pecans 8 oz. basket                                 | 43c |
| Hershey's Cocoa 8 oz. pkg.                                  | 11c |
| Quif's Waffle Mix better than you expect                    | 22c |
| Pillsbury Pancake FLOUR large pkg.                          | 23c |
| Maxwell House COFFEE lb.                                    | 29c |
| Pompeian Olive OIL 1 oz. glass                              | 10c |
| Hilex Bleach Qt. 13c Gal.                                   | 39c |
| Cut-Rite Wax Paper 125 ft. roll                             | 19c |
| Zero For cleaning all painted woodwork Qt.                  | 15c |
| Radiant Polish Mop 402 ea.                                  | 33c |
| P&G Soap giant bar 5c -Oxydol lge. bx                       | 23c |
| Duz large box 23c—Camay Soap bar                            | 07c |

**Green point Items points**

|   |     |    |
|---|-----|----|
| Corn Whole Kernel Nation's Pride 12 oz. tin   | 14c | 10 |
| Campbell's Tomato Soup can                    | 09c | 4  |
| Nugget Asparagus Fancy all green No. 2, 3 1/2 | 18  | 18 |
| Nugget Fruit Cocktail 13 1/2 oz. tins         | 15c | 15 |

|                                  |     |   |
|----------------------------------|-----|---|
| Prune Juice Honey Mellowed Quart | 24c | 3 |
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**17 Piece Dinner Set A Beautiful Gift For Xmas**

**Brown point Items points**

|                                 |     |    |
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| Milk Carnation tall can         | 09c | 1  |
| Fluffo Shortening 4 lb. carton  | 72c | 20 |
| Armour Vienna Sausage 4 oz. tin | 13c | 2  |

**BAKERY**

|  |     |                    |        |
|--|-----|--------------------|--------|
| Lemons Pies each                             | 30c | Cinnamon Rolls dz. | 24c    |
| Fruit Pies: Apricot, Apple, Pineapple & Minc | 35c |                    |        |
| Fruit Cake lb.                               | 89c | 2 lb.              | \$1.75 |
| Tender KRUST 1 1/2 lb. Loaf                  |     |                    | 12c    |

**PRODUCE**

|                      |        |                         |               |
|----------------------|--------|-------------------------|---------------|
| Cauliflower lb.      | 10c    | Tomatoes South Tex. lb. | 15c           |
| Cabbage lb.          | 3 1/2c | Pepper Fancy Bell lb.   | 15c           |
| Almonds lb.          | 49c    | Cocoanuts med.          | 23c, lge. 29c |
| Avacados Red Rooster | 14c    | Lemons Sunkist dz       | 27c           |

**MARKET**

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|------------------------------|-----|
| Bulk Mince Meat lb.          | 29c |
| Sliced Bacon -Grade A lb.    | 41c |
| Sirloin Steak lb.            | 39c |
| Cured Ham -half or whole lb. | 35c |
| Choice Rump Roast lb.        | 27c |
| Prepared Meat Loaf lb.       | 25c |
| TREET per can                | 39c |

**NOTICE**

A scholarship in Tyler Commercial College for sale. See S. R. Young.

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E. H. Weddle.

**Sale Column**

Lost—A child's gold bracelet. See Glenda Littlefield

Lost—A purse, \$20.00 bill and small coin. See Mrs. J. Brown

**NOTICE**

Mose Jackson has been appointed Pound man, said pound being located on Lot No. 1 Block No. 53 In said city of Robert Lee same being located at the Mose Jackson residence  
Signed City Commission

**WORK WANTED**—Sheep or goat shearing, or tagging. A 6-drop machine, with 22 years experience. See Manuel Rodriguez.

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**RED & WHITE**

**SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY & SATURDAY**

|  |     |
|--|-----|
| Kuner's Green Beans No. 2 2 pts                | 20c |
| 14 oz. Red & White Ketsup -18 pts-             | 18c |
| Coffee Red & White lb. pkg. 29c lb. glass      | 32c |
| 3 lb. crt. Bird Brand Shortening -15 pts.      | 60c |
| Fruit Cocktail Red & White No. 1 tall (20 pts) | 17c |
| No. 2 1/2 Red & White PEAS can (24 pts)        | 30c |
| 16 oz. Sun Spun Salad Dressing Jar             | 25c |
| Mrs. Winstou Preserves asst. 6 pt              | 27c |
| 2 lb. Golden Bee Honey Jar                     | 52c |
| A&W Pineapple Juice 12 pts. No. 2              | 16c |
| 1 1/2 lb. Red Label Karo SYRUP glass           | 17c |

**PRODUCE**

|                        |     |
|------------------------|-----|
| 252 Texas Oranges doz. | 28c |
| Calif. Lemons doz.     | 21c |
| SPUDS mesh bag 10 lbs. | 36c |
| Squash lb.             | 08c |

**MARKET**

|                          |     |
|--------------------------|-----|
| Blue White Oleo lb.      | 21c |
| Summer Sausage lb.       | 27c |
| Loin or T Bone Steak lb. | 33c |
| Bologna lb.              | 25c |
| Short Rib or Brisket lb. | 20c |

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