

# Robert Lee Observer

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## DEATH CLAIMS MRS. L. E. BURT, COKE PIONEER

Mrs. Lillian E. Burt, 88, long time resident of Coke County, died Sunday, Oct. 25, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. L. B. Newman, in Dallas.

Born in Fannin County in 1865, she moved to Coleman at an early age and grew up at Novice. She married the late Dr. J. S. Dickey in 1884 and moved to Coke County soon after. Dr. Dickey died in 1897, leaving her with their six children. She moved to Indian Territory in 1900 and settled in the town of Chickasha. She married F. J. Burt, who died in 1902. She moved back to Coke County and reared her family here.

She is survived by five children: Mrs. H. P. Scott and Mrs. L. B. Newman of Dallas, J. S. Dickey of Hamlin, and Mrs. A. C. Johnson and Frank C. Dickey of Robert Lee. There are 13 grand children and 19 great grandchildren.

She was a devout member of the Missionary Baptist Church which she joined in her teens.

She was buried in Paint Creek cemetery Tuesday evening following funeral services at the Baptist Church in Robert Lee. Clift Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

She was well known in West Texas and a host of friends and loved ones will mourn her passing. She will long be remembered as a fine Christian pioneer mother of the "old school."

## Work Starts Soon On Humble Station

T. W. Farris says he hopes to get started next week on construction of the new service station he will erect on his corner lots on the highway running east and west through Robert Lee.

The station will be leased to Humble Oil & Refining Co. and will be built to their plans and specifications. Mr. Farris expects to contract the labor on the project and buy as much of the material as possible from local firms.

J. F. McCabe, Jr. will operate the business for Humble and is now taking a 3-months' course of instruction sponsored by the company at its division headquarters in Abilene.

Mr. Farris moved his home to an attractive site in S. R. Young's new addition in the west part of town. The house is being extensively repaired and remodeled, the work being in charge of Alfred Lofton.

## BIRTHS

VAUGHAN—A daughter was born at 9:20 p. m. Oct. 22 in the Colorado City Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Vaughan of Robert Lee. Paula Gayle weighed 6 pounds, 2 ounces. She has three sisters, Eileen, Mary and Vernay. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Haynes of Big Spring and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Vaughan of Victoria. The father owns the Chevrolet agency in Robert Lee.

## ANOTHER GOOD RAIN

Coke County received another excellent rain the last of the week. Robert Lee gauged .80 inches of moisture while the amounts varied in other parts of the county from a half inch to more than an inch. Fall crops and pastures have come along rapidly and the country is greener now than it has been for a long time. Some good feed crops are being harvested and small grain is getting an excellent start. Seasonable cool weather also arrived. Early morning temperatures have dropped to the low 40s with day time highs between 70 and 80.

## STANOLIND HITS WELL ON SPADE

The Jameson (Strawn sand) field of northwestern Coke County has been extended one location southwest on the northwest side with completion of Stanolind Oil & Gas Co. No. 1 Jessie E. Chappell on the Spade Ranch. Location is described as 1-15-SPRR Survey. The daily flowing potential was 240 barrels of 46 gravity oil, no water.

Gas-oil ratio was 1,277-1. Production was through a 14-64 inch choke and perforations between 6,070-6,158 feet. Tubing pressure was 1,060 pounds, casing pressure 485 pounds. Completion was natural.

Ard Drilling Co. was the contractor and is now drilling Stanolind 2 Chappell where a depth of 4,200 feet was reported Wednesday.

S. E. (Skinny) Adams has staked 4 new locations on the Pallie Phelan lease west of Silver, and a short distance to the south Magnolia has staked its No. 12 R. B. Allen.

F. Kirk Johnson No. 2 H. G. Wendland has been completed as the third producer in the Wend-Kirk field, 10 miles southeast of Robert Lee.

The well flowed 181.01 barrels of 40.4 gravity oil per day through 20-64 inch choke with 25 pounds on casing and 40 pounds on tubing from open hole at 3,692-95 feet. Gas-oil ratio was 242-1. Top of the pay was picked at 3,691 feet.

## DRY HOLES

Plymouth Oil Co. 1 R. E. Hickman, wildcat, 960-S. A. Maverick, plugged and abandoned at 6,124 feet in dolomite.

F. Kirk Johnson 1 Nora Gee, wildcat, 120-2-K&TC, plugged and abandoned at 7,110 feet in an unidentified formation. No shows.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Boren and their children, Kathy and Thomas, have moved from Kermit to Robert Lee. They will be here for an indefinite period while Mr. Boren is taking training as an insurance agent in San Angelo. Mrs. Boren is the former Jamie Bilbo. They have taken an apartment at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bilbo.

Robert Lee seventh and eighth graders were defeated at Bronte Tuesday night in a rugged football game. The score was 13-0. The Bronte elementary team had an advantage in size and weight. A return game will be played in Robert Lee at a date to be announced.

## BIG EVENTS COMING UP THIS WEEK

Lots of activity in Robert Lee this weekend with a number of outstanding events, including the High School Homecoming and football game Friday, the big Turkey Show and a Halloween Carnival Saturday night.

This will be the second annual homecoming of former students and teachers of Robert Lee High School and a number of out of town visitors are expected. Weldon Fikes, president of the alumni association, says reservations have come in very well and a big attendance is assured.

A barbecue supper will be served starting at 5:30 p. m. It is pointed out that local people may be able to make reservations as late as Thursday night.

Registration for homecomers starts at 3 p. m. Friday afternoon at the school auditorium. Mrs. Sam Powell, chairman of the program committee, has planned some interesting features. Climax of the homecoming festivities will be the Coahoma-Robert Lee football game at 7:30.

## TURKEY SHOW

The 3rd annual Junior Market Turkey Show will be held Friday and Saturday in the building formerly occupied by David Key's feed store. Admission is free and the public is invited to attend. Travis Hicks, county agent who manages the show, advises that it will be necessary to move the birds out early Saturday afternoon. Hence, you are advised to visit the show Friday or early Saturday.

The same quality of young turkeys with which Coke County youngsters won outstanding recognition at the recent State Fair will be displayed here. Each exhibitor will show pens of three hens and three toms.

The birds will be sold and arrangements can also be made to have them dressed and placed in cold storage at a small additional cost. Cost of these fine quality turkeys will be 5 cents a pound above the prevailing market price.

## HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL

School kids and adults, too, will have a lot of fun at the Halloween Carnival sponsored by the P. T. A. The event takes place in the Looney Building in downtown Robert Lee.

There will be the usual array of Halloween stunts, games, eat stands, etc., but no bingo or cake walks.

## CARD OF THANKS

To Our Friends: We wish to express our thanks for the many kindnesses shown us in our time of sorrow. Friends like you make life worth living. — The Family of Mrs. L. E. Burt.

Gayle Lewis received a fractured bone in her foot while playing at school Tuesday. She will be fitted with a walking cast. Gayle is the daughter of Postmaster and Mrs. H. S. Lewis, Jr.

Mrs. H. C. Allen has been a medical patient the past few days at Coke County Memorial Hospital. Her condition has not improved as much as hoped for.

## BASE BALL SEASON ENDS

Robert Lee wound up its winter League base ball season Sunday, losing 5 to 3 to the Corner Drug team of San Angelo on the Robert Lee diamond. Trailing 3 to 2 the visitors pushed over three runs in the ninth inning. Hollis Lloyd, Jr., hurling for Robert Lee, seemed to tire in the final stanza and was relieved by Ronnie Baker. Robert Lee got seven hits off Wesley Harrison, on the mound for the Druggists. Lloyd gave up 13 blows but kept them well scattered until the last inning. The Robert Lee club in the Winter League was made up of young players who seemed to play mighty good base ball. Genie Baker sponsored the team and his son, Ronnie, was captain.

## SUN WALKER B-3 RATES 215 BBLs.

Sun Oil Co. B-3 J. B. Walker has been finalized for a daily potential flow of 215 barrels of oil. Gauge was through an 11-64 inch choke. Tubing pressure was 950 pounds with packer on the casing. Gas-oil ratio 1,480-1. Production was from Strawn sand.

Location is south of the Colorado River, southwest of Silver, on the southwest edge of the Jameson field.

Baker & Taylor's rotary rig was moved to Sun 8 Central National Bank (Banks Estate) where surface casing was seated at 514 feet. It was drilling ahead Wednesday morning at 773 feet.

Sun 48 C. E. Mathers drilling at 4,695 feet in shale.

Sun 22 Brannan, 5,835 feet, shale and sand.

Sun A-2 Victor McCabe has been plugged and abandoned. Total depth was 6,853 feet in limestone. Top of Caddo was announced as 6,803 feet and salt water was recovered on the final test.

The location is one mile west and a quarter mile south of Sun No. 1 Victor McCabe. The Strawn sand was reported as too tight to produce.

Ray-Harris Drilling Company's rotary rig was dismissed, indicating that Sun will suspend drilling on the McCabe lease for the present.

Sun now has only three drilling rigs at work in the Silver area.

## SERVICES AT SANCO

Oliver W. Price of Dallas, a close friend and associate of Rev. W. E. Hawkins, will preach at Sanco Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. In connection with his message he will use some of his tape recordings to give brief messages from Neill, Rader and Robert Hawkins, and some of the South American Indians they work with as missionaries.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay McKenzie of Crystal Lake, Ill., visited here a couple of days this week with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Briscoe. The visitors had stopped at Brownwood and other points in Texas and planned to return home via the Texas Panhandle and Oklahoma.

Mrs. Hattie Day returned to her home here Tuesday after being a patient for two weeks in Goodfellow Air Base Hospital at San Angelo. She is much improved.

## FAST COAHOMA TEAM COMING FRIDAY NIGHT

Robert Lee's Steers are not expected to defeat the Coahoma Bulldogs here Friday night, but the local club will be out there giving everything they've got.

The Bulldogs are without a doubt the best Class B team in West Texas this season. Here's their record:

Coahoma 19, Slaton 13.  
Coahoma 20, Grand Falls 6.  
Coahoma 20, Slaton 18.  
Coahoma 45, Bronte 0.  
Coahoma 30, Hermleigh 7.  
Coahoma 27, Trent 0.  
Coahoma 47, Hobbs 0.

Some extra features by the Robert Lee Band in salute to the Homecomers will be provided at the game, as well as the usual ceremonies of crowning the Football Queen.

It will be the last home game for the Steers, who play at Trent next week and have a layoff before closing out the season at Bronte Nov. 20. A lot of fans will be on hand just to see how good those Coahoma Bulldogs are.

## HERMLEIGH WHIPS STEERS

Robert Lee was defeated at Hermleigh last Friday night by a score of 19 to 0. The Cardinals made two touchdowns in the first quarter and one in the second, all the scoring resulting from ground plays.

The Steers might have done better against Hermleigh, a team that hasn't made too good a record this year. The game was played on a wet field but there were only two fumbles during the entire contest.

## LORAIN EDGES BRONTE

Bronte's Longhorns suffered a 13-12 setback at Loraine last week, one extra point after a touchdown making the difference.

Bronte entertains Rankin Friday night of this week.

## KRALL OPENS STORE

Melvin Krall this week will open a new grocery store and station in the J. D. Black building on the San Angelo highway in the south part of Robert Lee. Mr. Krall will be assisted by his wife and they are putting in a big stock of brand new merchandise. The Kralls formerly operated the Banner dairy products distributing business here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Rigby of Port Lavaca and Mrs. H. O. Stubblefield of Liberty Hill have been recent guests in the Bailey Russell home. Mrs. Stubblefield is the mother and Mrs. Rigby a niece of Mrs. Russell.

## HOSPITAL NEWS

Oct. 21—Mrs. Urden Arbuckle dismissed.

Oct. 22—Mrs. Dolcie Kirchman dismissed.

Oct. 23—Mrs. H. C. Allen admitted. Jackie Sparks, Mrs. W. B. Clift dismissed.

Oct. 24—Mrs. Betty Neagle admitted.

Oct. 25—Mrs. Maurice Yarbrough admitted.

Oct. 27—Mrs. Maurice Yarbrough dismissed.

Oct. 28—Geo. E. Hall admitted.



## PERSONALS

John L. Bruton accompanied his wife back from the west coast last week, but returned immediately to San Francisco where he is due to sail in the near future for Hawaii. John L. was recently transferred to another ship. Mrs. Bruton, the former Janie Sue Higgins, will remain with relatives in Robert Lee while her husband is at sea.

Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Shipman left Tuesday for Pierre, S. Dak., where they will visit Mrs. Shipman's parents, Mr and Mrs. R. L. Briley. The Shipmans will also bring home their children, who have spent a few weeks with their grandparents in South Dakota. Bro. Hollis Lloyd will preach at the Robert Lee Baptist Church next Sunday.

Marvin Simpson of Robert Lee has been elected as one of the delegates from the Texas Aberdeen-Angus Cattle Breeders Association to attend the national Aberdeen-Angus convention in Chicago Dec. 1-2. Mr. Simpson, owner of Black Gold Angus Farms here, has developed one of the leading Angus herds in the state.

Cumbe Ivey and son, Cumbe, Jr. and Dr. R. J. Warren of San Angelo returned last Wednesday from a trip to South Dakota. They enjoyed a few days of pheasant hunting near Miller, and report good success. Pheasant hunting in that locality attracts sportsmen from all over the country.

## Sleep Necessary For Good Health Says Dr. Cox

AUSTIN, TEXAS — Sleep is a necessity of life and health, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, and habitual loss of sleep will tend to retard the body's recovery from the fatigue of the day's activities.

"We may be able to go without sleep for a night or two, but too little sleep for a prolonged length of time will undermine the health of a rugged person and turn a cheerful individual into a cross, irritable one," Dr. Cox said. "When good health can be maintained to such a large degree by merely sleeping and thus allowing overtaxed bodies and minds to regain a proper balance, it is hard to understand why so many persons are heedless of this necessary requirement of a balanced program of life."

Some individuals need more sleep than others, the Doctor said, and the most valuable experiments in this line are the ones each person makes on himself. We must take into consideration in this experiment, however, that how well we sleep is as important as how long we sleep. A "good night's rest" means a sufficient number of hours spent in sleep to enable each individual to feel well, do efficient work, and to keep in a cheerful humor the next day.

"Some exercise out of doors each day will help us to sleep soundly at night. We must also have fresh air in our sleeping quarters. Give as much consideration as possible to the comfort of your bed and bedclothes. Do not mull over your problems and ideas after you have gone to bed. Make your plans early in the evening for a good night's rest by slowing down from the physical and mental work of your daily life. When you arise each morning rested and with a feeling of general well being, you will be amply repaid for your thought in planning a "good-night's sleep."

## Benny Greens Do Well With Their Arkansas Farm

(Editor's Note: The following article reprinted from the Boone County Headlight at Harrison, Ark., concerns former Coke County residents. The Greens resided in Sterling City and Robert Lee. Mrs. Green is the former Florence Allen, daughter of Joe Allen of Robert Lee.)

Mr. and Mrs. Benny G. Green of near Everton won second place in seventeen northwest Arkansas counties after entering a contest for home improvement, sponsored by the Farmers Home Administration, Agricultural Extension Service, Arkansas Press Association and the Arkansas Power and Light Company. This honor was in recognition of their efforts on their kitchen.

Mr. Green is an excellent cabinet maker and the cabinets are almost perfect in construction. The surface of the cabinets were made by ripping good pine lumber into one inch strips. The

strips were then glued together, dressed, sanded and covered with several coats of clear varnish. Mr. Green states that this sort of construction will never give, sag or warp regardless of the years of service.

Mr. and Mrs. Green and son, Rickey, came to Arkansas in September, 1951, from West Texas. They purchased a 220 acre farm from W. O. Kisner known as Duggars Stand near Everton. In 1952 they secured a farm housing loan through the local office of the Farmers Home Administration to remodel the old house on their place making it modern in every way. They used a spring for their water supply. This spring comes out of the bluff east of the house high enough to afford gravity water pressure to throw water above the house roof.

The Greens are milking fourteen good dairy cows and run a small herd of Hereford beef cows.

Mr. Green is a World War II veteran and served in the 944 Guard Squadron of the Air Force. He was discharged January 19, 1944.

Mrs. Green is an excellent housekeeper as well as a number one farm hand. Rickey will at-

tend his first term of school next year.

## LOCAL NEWS

Paul Reeves and family this week moved back to Snyder where he will continue as an employee of Pan-American Pipeline Co. He recently had been in charge of the company's pumping station west of here in Sterling County, but the plant has

been shut down because of the big reduction in allowable production from Scurry County oil fields.

Mrs. Howard Eaton, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Service, Jr. and children and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dodson spent Sunday with relatives at Bangs.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Boyd of Jacksboro have been guests here the past week in the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Sheppard.

## S. E. 'Skinny' Adams

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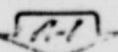
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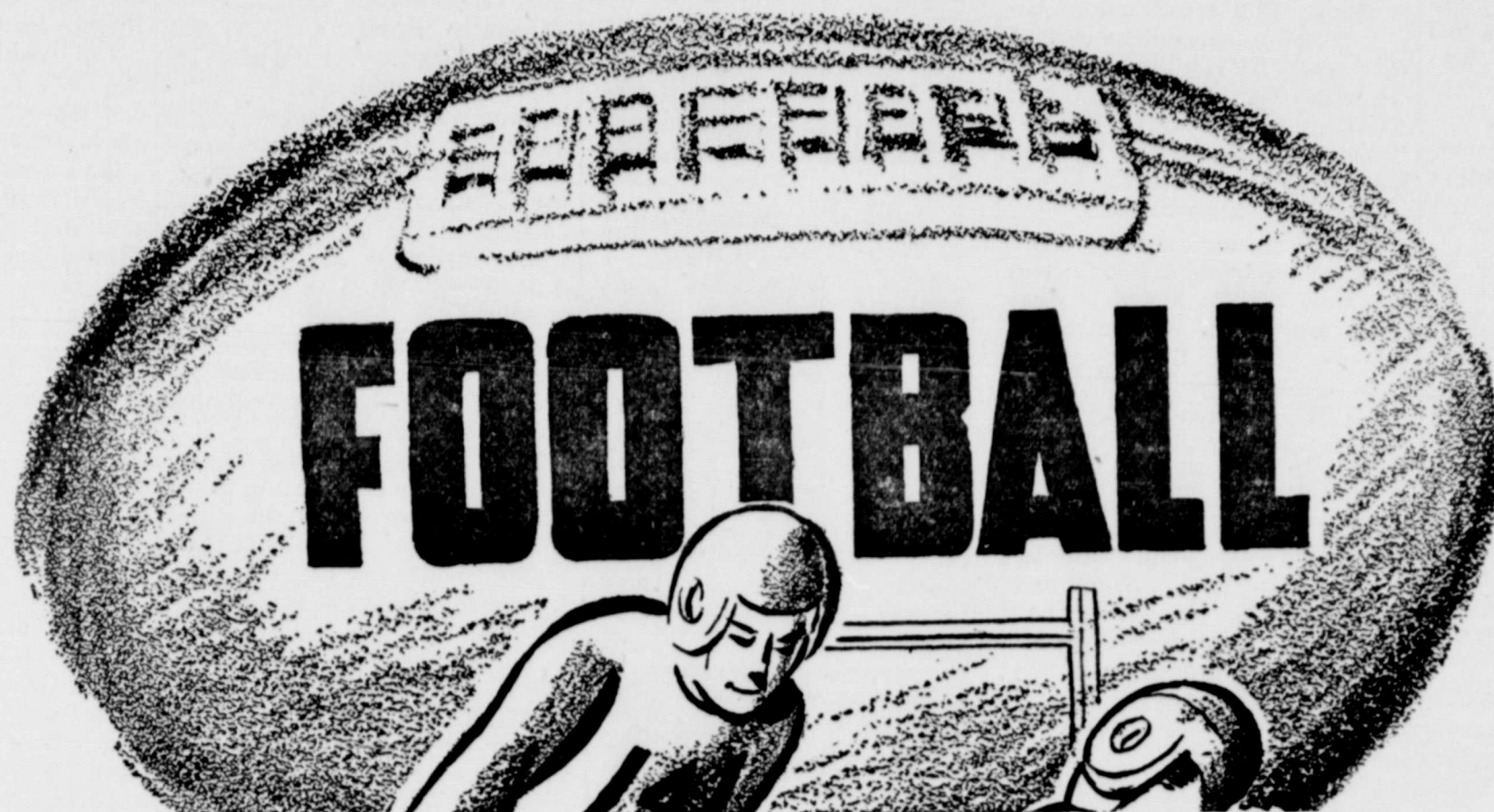
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### Humble to Tell About Five Games

The Humble Company's radio networks will carry all four football games to be played by Southwest Conference teams this Saturday, in addition to the Texas Tech-Mississippi State encounter.

Kern Tips and Alec Chesser will be on hand in the Cotton Bowl at Dallas to describe the play-by-play between S. M. U. and Texas. Airtime is 1:50 p. m. The broadcast will be carried by stations WFAA-WBAP-820, Dallas-Ft. Worth; KPRC, Houston; KABC, San Antonio; KTBC, Austin; KRIS, Corpus Christi; KRVG, Weslaco; KOSY, Texarkana; KTRF, Lufkin; KINE, Kingsville; KSFA, Nacogdoches; KDET, Center; KALT, Atlanta; KFDX, Wichita Falls; KCBF, Lubbock; KGNC, Amarillo; KERB, Kermit; KWKC, Abilene; KCRS, Midland; KEPO, El Paso; KFDM, Beaumont.

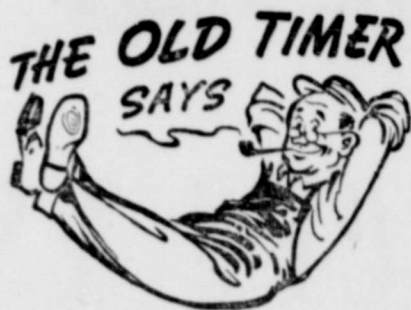
Airtime for the Baylor-TCU game is also 1:50 p. m. Announcers Ves Box and Coit Butler will describe the play direct from Baylor Stadium in Waco to listeners of stations WACO, Waco; KFJZ, Ft. Worth; WRR, Dallas; KTHT, Houston; KWBU, Corpus Christi; KMAC, San Antonio; K-VET, Austin; KRBC, Abilene; K-BWD, Brownwood; KGKL, San Angelo; KBST, Big Spring; KD-WT, Stamford; KSTB, Breckenridge; KGVV, Greenville; KS-ST, Sulphur Springs; KRRV, Sherman; KPLT, Paris; KFRO,

Longview; KTBB, Tyler; KMHT, Marshall; KCMC, Texarkana.

Announcers Bob Walker and Jack Dale will be in Hinds Memorial Stadium at Jackson, Mississippi, to describe the action between Texas Tech and Mississippi State. The broadcast, to begin at 1:50 p. m., will be carried by stations KFYO, Lubbock; KF-DA, Amarillo; KVOF, Plainview; KXOX, Sweetwater; KWEW, Hobbs, N. Mex.; KPET, Lamesa; KRIG, Odessa; KLVT, Level-land; KTFY, Brownfield.

At 8:00 p. m. Saturday John Ferguson and Eddie Barker will broadcast the Texas A & M-Arkansas game from War Memorial Stadium in Little Rock over stations KRLD, Dallas; KORA, Bryan; KTRH, Houston; WOAI, San Antonio; KEYS, Corpus Christi; KWFT, Wichita Falls.

Also at 8:00, the Rice-Kentucky game, to be played in Rice Stadium at Houston, will be broadcast by Dave Russell and Eddie Hill over stations WFAA-WBAP-570, Dallas-Ft. Worth; KXYZ, Houston; KTSA, San Antonio; KGBS, Harlingen.



"It just seems to happen that by the time most of us get a little money to burn, the fire's gone out!"

### O. T. COLVIN NEW HEAD OF FARM BUREAU

At the county convention of the Coke County Farm Bureau Tuesday night, O. T. Colvin of Blackwell was elected as new

president of the organization. He succeeds C. E. Arrott.

A large crowd attended the convention which was held at the Legion Hall at Robert Lee. A barbecue supper with all the trimmings was served.

A program was presented by musicians, Chester Derrick and Bert and Homer Cornelius, of Tennyson. Russell and Ola Sue Bown, also of Tennyson, gave several vocal numbers.

Other officers elected were: James Arrott, vice president; Mrs. C. E. Arrott, secretary-treasurer. James Arrott was named delegate to the state convention, which meets at Mineral Wells Nov. 9 and 10, with Colvin as alternate.

Business for the year was closed out in a business meeting, presided over by the outgoing president, C. E. Arrott.

The new president said that he would like to urge all persons who are interested in the welfare of farming and ranching in this county to join the Farm Bureau. A membership drive is now underway.

Mrs. R. M. Williams and son, R. M., Jr., of Big Spring were Sunday guests of their daughters and sister, Mrs. Clayton Caraway, and family.

### Cloma Jackson To Wed Nov 6

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jackson of Andrews announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Cloma Maree, to Mr. Will Edd Parker, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Parker of Hughes Springs.

The wedding will take place Nov. 6 in the Evangelical Methodist Church of Abilene at 7 o'clock. Dr. Hamblen will officiate.

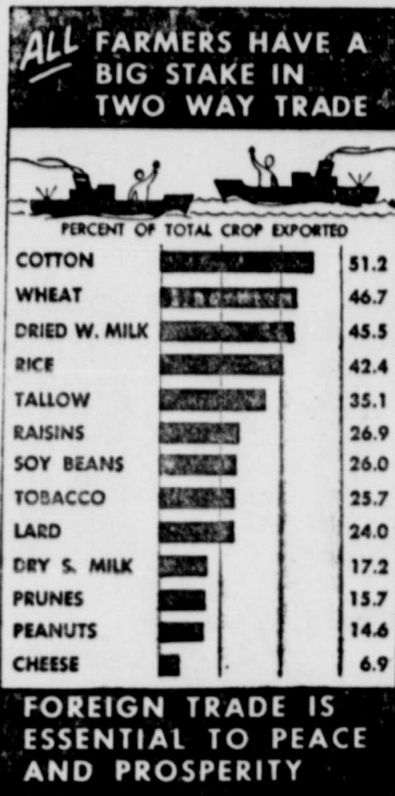
Miss Jackson is a graduate of Marfa High School and is now employed in the Texas Railroad Commission office in Abilene. She previously attended school in Robert Lee while her parents resided here.

Mr. Parker attended Dangerfield High School and is a graduate of the University of Texas. He is also employed by the Texas Railroad Commission.

Miss Joy Thompson and Mrs. Charles Kelly, both of Abilene, will attend the couple.

They will be at home at 820 Vine St., in Abilene.

G. E. Davis was returned Saturday night to the Bronte Hospital where he is a medical patient. He was down town a short while earlier Saturday.



#### FOREIGN TRADE IS ESSENTIAL TO PEACE AND PROSPERITY

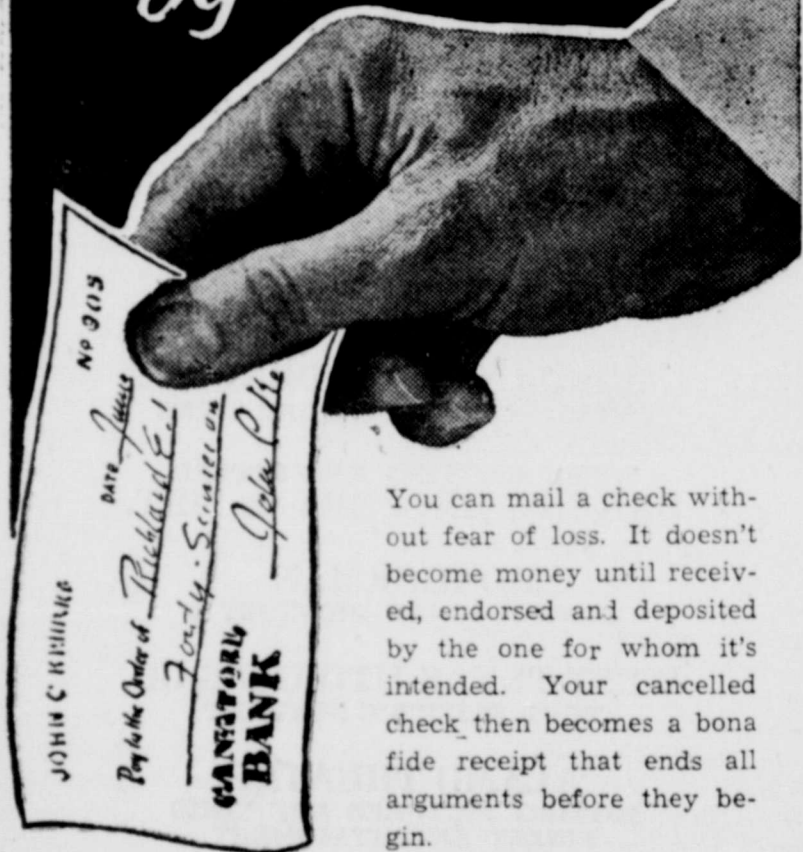
Farm Bureau is for international cooperation on a sound basis of two-way trade. Farmers must have customers to sell agricultural products, both here and abroad. The production from one out of every ten acres found outlets outside of the United States in 1951. But this market is shrinking. If this market is lost permanently, net farm income will be lowered. Farm Bureau is asking Congress to set up a bi-partisan commission to help solve foreign export problems. Already a number of Farm Bureau recommendations related to foreign trade have been approved by Congress.

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## Fikes Will Again Head USO Drive In Coke County

DALLAS, Texas — County Clerk Weldon Fikes has been named Coke County Chairman for the Texas United Defense Fund, the state-wide group which will sponsor USO's campaign for \$775,000 in Texas this year.

Mr. Fike's appointment was announced today by Mr. J. T. Davis of Sterling City, Chairman of District 24 which includes Coke, Irion, Schleicher, Sterling, Sutton and Tom Green counties. Dudley K. Woodward, Jr., Dallas attorney, is State Campaign Chairman of the forthcoming fund appeal to carry on the familiar services of the USO to the young men and young women of the nation's armed forces.

A major portion of the Texas goal, as in 1952, will be included in Community Chest campaigns throughout the state this fall.

Mrs. Mary Ponton with here daughter and son and Mrs. Besie Fertsch and Luther Ponton of Hallettsville visited last week in the home of Mrs. J. A. Waldrop at Hayrick. Mrs. Ponton is a sister-in-law of Mrs. Waldrop.

## Want Ads

Give your little girl a doll wardrobe for Christmas. See Mrs. T. M. Wylie, Jr., Phone 5303.

### NOTICE

My place south of Robert Lee has been posted and \$50 Reward will be paid for the arrest and conviction of any person or persons trespassing upon my property without permission.

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## FLOOD REPAIRS TO WATER DEPT. MAY BE \$10,000

Damage resulting from last summer's flood waters is expected to cost the City of Robert Lee \$10,000 for repairs to its municipal water supply system.

### SILVER NEWS

Linda, 6 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Higginbotham, underwent a tonsilectomy the last of the week at Shannon Hospital in San Angelo. She is recovering nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Ledbetter of Abilene were Sunday guests of their niece, Mrs. Frank Millican and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sullivan of Stigler, Okla., were recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Bradham. The ladies are sisters. On Sunday the Sullivans and Bradhams went to Novice where they visited the ladies' mother and attended a family reunion.

Melvin Haigood and Miss Linda Wallace planned to be married Thursday of this week at the bride's home in Alice. Mr. Haigood is employed here by Sun Oil Company's production department.

Sun folks gave a farewell party Saturday night for Mr. and Mrs. Don Yarbro. The honored couple was presented with a Sunbeam Mixmaster. Mr. Yarbro, former field clerk in the Sun production office here, was recently transferred to Dallas at his own request. He plans to attend night school at SMU and will study geology. Don has a master's degree in music.

Jack Jacoby and wife visited kinfolks here Tuesday, Mrs. Jacoby being a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Allen. Jack is serving in the Air Force and is being transferred from Cheyenne, Wyo., to a base in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Ern Mathers are in Seminole, Okla., visiting their son, Upton Mathers, and family.

Mrs. R. S. Anderson is enjoying a two weeks' vacation at Corpus Christi. She was accompanied by her sisters, Mrs. O. O. Burleson of Slaton and Mrs. Jake Spurlin of Lampasas.

A community supper and carnival are scheduled at the Silver school house Saturday night of this week. Supper will be at 6 o'clock.

A good rain, amounting to an inch or more, fell in this locality the last of the week. Crops and pastures are looking good.

Kenneth Preston leaves Thursday of this week after a month's visit in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Preston. He has been in the Navy three years and has the rating of 2nd Class Petty Officer. Kenneth is stationed on the USS Alshain, an armed cargo ship. When the ship returned to the States from Japan a month ago, Kenneth came by plane from the west coast to his home here. The Alshain then went down to the Panama Canal and is now docked at Norfolk, Va., where Kenneth is due to report Nov. 1.



O Lord, be not far from me. —(Psalm 35, 22.)

Every one of us must daily, in the depth of his soul, realize how weak and helpless we are on our mortal own—and how confident and strong we can be through God's strength: ours for the asking, through His mercy. Through prayer and righteousness we will know His presence, about and within us, and be joyously blessed.

The Upper Colorado River Authority has replaced earth and two concrete retaining walls at the Mountain Creek Reservoir spillway, with an expenditure of \$4,600 already reported.

Engineers are now considering whether a concrete apron or rip rap job would be most suitable to prevent future damage to the spillway. G. C. Allen, UCRA secretary-treasurer, says the work will be completed after the engineers report is accepted.

Cost of the repairs will be added to the more than \$80,000 which the City of Robert Lee agreed to pay back to the UCRA which furnished funds for construction of the Mountain Creek Dam and new city water treatment plant.

The city also incurred other expense when the flood took out an 8-inch main which carried water from the treatment plant to the water tower. Emergency repairs cost only \$103 for material and city employees from San Angelo worked without pay.

However, a new section of the main had to be laid and labor on the project has cost \$690. Bills for material have not yet come in. The new section of water main was placed 4 feet under the creek bed in sandstone and should withstand future floods.

The city had previously spent \$800 on spillway repairs which occurred earlier in the year. The contract between the city and the UCRA provides that the city shall pay annual maintenance costs up to \$1,000.

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## Honor Birthdays At Rives Dinner

Thirty-four persons enjoyed a dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Rives in the Friendship Community. The event was held in honor of several members of the group whose birthdays occurred in October.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Conley Owen and son, Lindy, Mrs. Leona Fatheree and daughter, Betty, and Mrs. O. A. Warrington and son, Harvey, of San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Hartgraves of Maryneal, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Rives and Jimmy and Barbara of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Mauldin of El Paso.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Barton Waldrop and son, Lyndon, and Mrs. J. A. Waldrop and Gladys of Hayrick, Mrs. Leatrice Nixon and daughter, Joy Lee, of Abilene, Mrs. Jim Mauldin, Mrs. Olene Snoddy and sons, Ronnie and Dickie, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Wayne Smith and children, Robbie Jane and Stevie, and Mrs. Tom Rives and Gladys.

### Hayrick Lodge

No. 696 A.F. & A.M. Meets second Tuesday night in each month. Visitors welcome. H. S. LEWIS, JR., W. M. EDDIE GOOD, Secretary

Mrs. Ed S. Roberts underwent surgery last week at Coke County Memorial Hospital where she is convalescing nicely. Mr. Roberts has returned to their home near Schulenberg to look after farming and livestock operations.

Judge Jeff Dean and Commissioner Claude Ditmore enjoyed a few days of fishing last week at Caddo Lake in East Texas.

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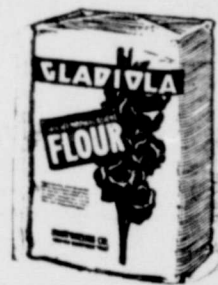
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**LET'S TALK LIVESTOCK**



BY  
**TED GOULDY**

Fort Worth — The belief that the seasonal peak of cattle movement had passed was further enhanced by the lighter runs of cattle and calves around the major marketing circle Monday.

This factor, coupled with rains over much of the Southwest, was enough to spring a stirring rally in prices that wreathed the faces of cowmen with smiles all over the Stockyards here.

While the advance was uneven and some sales showed more climb than others, the general picture was one of climbing prices. Sales 50c to \$1 per hundred above last week's close were the rule.

Some spots were up considerably more. As an example there were 113 small calves of 200 pounds at Fort Worth Monday shipped from the Kokernot Ranch at Alpine. These calves drew \$20. Mates to them a week ago sold at \$15.50 with a trim. While the general advance was not so pronounced as this case, it was typical of the way the stocker trade came to life on the heels of the rain.

Reports of rain from sections of the winter wheat grazing areas could be expected to revive speculative interest in cows, calves and yearlings suitable for such pastures. Some open weather could bring up the green stuffer in jig time.

While the runup in prices was most noteworthy on the cattle and calves, other species shared the better tone.

Hogs drew steady to 75 cents higher prices, small butchers and shippers setting a fast pace and buying most of the top hogs 50 to 75c above last week's close.

In the sheep barn, slaughter lambs and slaughter yearlings were strong to 50c or more higher. Some spots were \$1 or more above the close last week, the kind and condition considered.

Feeder lambs drew strong prices. Old ewes were strong to 50c up.

Good and choice slaughter steers and yearlings sold from \$17 to \$22, and common and medium sorts sold from \$10 to \$16, some shelly kinds below \$10. Fat cows drew \$9.50 to \$12, and canners and cutters sold from \$6 to \$9.50. Bulls sold from \$7 to \$13.

Good and choice stocker calves sold mostly from \$14 to \$18, with a few lightweights to \$20. Stocker cows drew \$7 to \$12.50. Stocker and feeder steers and yearlings sold from \$10 to \$16.

Good and choice butcher hogs sold at \$22 to \$22.25 on weights of 190 to 240 pounds and other good hogs sold from \$20 to \$21.75. Sows cashed at \$19 to \$21.

Good and choice slaughter lambs cashed at \$15.50 to \$17, and good shorn lambs sold at \$16.50 down. Stocker and feeder lambs cashed at \$10 to \$13. Medium and lower grade lambs cashed at \$8 to \$15.

Old ewes sold from \$5 to \$5.75, some solid-mouthed ewes to \$6.50. Yearling muttons sold from \$10 to \$14, old wethers drew \$6 to \$8. Old bucks old at \$2 to \$2.50.

While stockmen in general are jubilant over the rains and the improved market, we'll bet that none of them breathed a bigger sigh of relief than Secretary of Agriculture Benson.

The pressure has been building up on him hour by hour and the Cattlecade organized by the Farmer's Union was a climax that was highly unpleasant for Benson.

Some observers feel that Benson will either have to back down from his previous opposition to high supports or resign in short order. Some Washington observers feel like his tenure of

office has only a matter of weeks to run.

However, personal friends say that Benson is not the type to become dismayed and quit under fire. Certainly right now he is getting the test of a lifetime.

**CARD OF THANKS**

Please accept this means of expressing our sincere thanks and appreciation for every expression of sympathy shown during the illness and death of our wife, mo-

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## VISIT TO TEXAS OF PRESIDENT WAS BIG EVENT

ANSTIN, Tex. — Eyes of all the nation were focused on Texas during President Eisenhower's recent visit.

Entering the state by plane, the president proceeded to Sharyland, baronial home of Governor and Mrs. Shivers near Mission.

Next on the program was a 65-mile drive to Falcon Dam, where Mr. Eisenhower was met by the Mexican ambassador to the United States.

Crossing the international border, the president met President Adolfo Ruiz Cortines of Mexico on the steps of Nuevo Guerrero's municipal palace.

The two presidents reviewed a festival in the plaza below the palace.

Later Mr. Eisenhower and Sr. Cortines lunched together at Falcon Dam, then proceeded to the dedication ceremony, where both made speeches.

After the ceremonies, President Eisenhower drove to La-

redo and took a plane for Washington.

President Eisenhower, incidentally, is the second Chief Executive of the United States who has ever visited the Lower Rio Grande Valley. Warren G. Harding spent two weeks fishing in the Gulf of Mexico off Port Isabel in November, 1920, while he was president-elect.

Eisenhower's visit with President Cortines of Mexico marks the fifth meeting between presidents of the United States and Mexico since 1912. Previously President Taft met Diaz at Juarez, in 1912; Roosevelt met Avila Camacho at Monterrey in 1942; Truman met Miguel Aleman in Mexico City in 1947 and Aleman and Truman met in Washington in 1948.

Behind all the pomp and excitement of the Eisenhower visit to Texas a political struggle was going on as three factions sought the favor of Texas voters.

These were the Republicans, the Shivers or Conservative Democrats, and the Adlai Stevenson or Liberal Democrats.

National Republican Chairman Leonard Hall concluded a visit to Texas after exhorting his party's members to whoop up their

efforts.

"If you work hard," he said in a speech at Houston, "it will not be long before we find as many Republicans in Texas as we find in New York."

Meanwhile, Sam Rayburn, a leader of the so-called Liberal Democrats, doubted that the Republicans were getting anywhere very fast in Texas.

He expressed himself at San Antonio as being glad that Hall had come down this way, and:

"I hope they send all their big shots down here because I would be interested in hearing their excuses for not carrying out their glorious campaign pledges of 1952."

In the third political camp, that of the Shivers Democrats, there was activity too, but it was mostly organizational work — that hard and dreary but necessary precinct-level ringing of doorbells that has to be done in order of win.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith are making extensive repairs and improvements to their ranch home, two miles northwest of town. Three new rooms are being added. E. F. Henry is in charge of the work.

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## LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Jim Mac Taylor and daughters, Patty and Ginger, came down from Midland for a weekend visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Taylor.

Congratulations are extended to S. B. Plumlee, who observed his 82nd birthday last Wednesday. He is in good health and does a good job taking care of the court house and yard. "Hoppy" has a lot of friends who join in wishing him many returns of the day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McAdams spent Sunday with relatives in Abilene.

Pvt. Donald Mauldin and wife came from El Paso for a weekend visit with home folks in Robert Lee. Donald is stationed at Fort Bliss.

S. B. Cragin of San Angelo was a Robert Lee visitor Tuesday and stopped in to renew his Observer subscription. He reports that his son, Sumner, Jr., is serving in the Navy at Norfolk, Va.

Waymond Davis, who is stationed at Fort Hood, enjoyed a

weekend leave and visited here in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Davis. He was a member of a detachment of Fort Hood soldiers who were sent to the border when President Eisenhower dedicated Falcon Dam on Oct. 19. "Copey" said he was on duty elsewhere and didn't get to see the President.

Mrs. Bert Duncan was in Lamesa last week visiting a sister, Mrs. L. E. Osborn.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Chism Brown returned Monday night from a few days pleasure trip to South Texas. They visited the Rex Browns at Houston and then went to Corsicana where they were guests of the Brown brothers' sister, Mrs. B. J. Aycock, and family.

Miss Eileen Vaughan, who is a student at Texas Tech in Lubbock, was a weekend guest in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Vaughan.

Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Shipman, Mrs. Cumbie Ivey and Mrs. B. A. Austin attended the Texas Baptist Convention in San Antonio last week.



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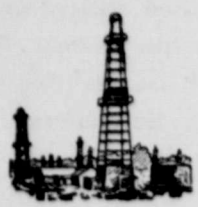
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**Notes**  
From The  
**Oil Field**

**WILDCAT MAKES 247 BBLs.**  
A northwestern Coke County

Strawn sand discovery, Wm. & A. P. Fuller of Midland 1 Lou E. Johnson estate, located in 67-2-H&TC, 20 miles northwest of Robert Lee, has been completed for a daily flowing potential of 247 barrels of 42.5 corrected gravity oil, no water. Gas-oil ratio was 1,111-1. Production was through a 14-

64-inch choke and perforations between 6,654-6,784 feet. Tubing pressure was 920 pounds, with packer on casing. The section was fractured with 8,500 gallons. The Strawn sand was topped at 6,640 feet on derrick floor elevation of 2,218 feet. Operator has requested discovery allowable and new field designation of Fuller-Coke (Strawn sand) field.

**WILDCAT STAKED**

Wm. & A. P. Fuller of Midland 2 Lou E. Johnson estate, a 7,000-foot rotary wildcat, has been spudded one location north of the discovery.

Carl Westlund of Midland has the drilling contract.

Location is 467 feet from the north and 660 feet from east lines of 67-2-H&TC.

**STEPOUT SCHEDULED**

American Republics Corp. has filed application to drill its 1 W. I. Tubb 1/2 mile west of production on the west side of the Jameson (Strawn) field of Coke County, 4 1/2 miles southwest of Silver.

Location, on a 153.76-acre tract, is 467 feet from the northeast and 2,050 feet from the northwest lines of J. M. Norwood survey, abstract 1,285.

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