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#### EW GAS PLANT TILL BE BUILT N THIS COUNTY

Wide interest was directed to ke County oil activities the t week when it was annound that a new natural gasoline ant was to be constructed ross the river southwest of Sil-

Plans for the new project have en under discussion for several onths, but nothing had been in int until a first page story apared in last Sunday's San Ano Standard-Times. (A reint of the article is published sewhere in this issue of The

Sun Oil Company has been gotiating with oil operators in area, in an effort to pipe gas into the Jameson plant Silver. However, those plans m to have failed and Texas tural Gas Corp, of Tulsa, Okanounces it will build the w plant.

This field is expanding rapidly d as many as 200 producing ells are expected to be develop-Perkins-Prothro of Wichita ils have probably the largest sed acreage, and may have as any as 140 wells. Stanolind has tensive leases on the Spade nch, and Humble, Fuller & ller, F. Kirk Johnson and T. Murray are among the operors who are developing the

Sun is now piping gas from few wells across the river inding S. E. Adams, Magnolia d American Republics, as well their own wells south of the meson field on John Walker the Blanks Estate. It is proble that most of the remaingas from the field will be ocesed by the new plant.

Since the Railroad Commission owns on continued waste of s, iti s a foregone conclusion at the new plant will be rushto completion as soon as pos-

County officials and residents Bronte and Robert Lee are xious to see the Santa Fe run pur out of Bronte, if the comly decides to build a railroad the new field.

Directors of the Upper Colora-River Authority say they have been approached on the matof furnishing water.

#### SINGING NEXT SUNDAY

There will be a Singing next inday at 2:30 p. m. at the Roat Lee Church of Christ. Many of town visitors are expect-Everyone is invited.

ARNIVAL AT GREEN MT. he Green Mountain Home monstration Club will sponsor Halloween Carnival next Wedday night, Oct. 27. Everyone

Oct. 18 — Don Baugh, Mrs. J.

Baugh dismissed.



MRS. ELWOOD SNYDER was the former Johnnie Lou Rives before her marriage Oct. 8. The younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Rives of Odessa, former Robert Lee residents, she is a senior at Odessa High School. Her husband, Pfc. Elwood Snyder, is stationed at Ft. Hood. He is the son of Mrs. R. M. Page of Robert Lee.

#### Mrs. A. J. Roe, Jr. Returns Here As County HD Agent

Mrs. A. J. Roe, Jr., the former Faye Croslin, has returned to her former position as Coke County Home Demonstration Agent. She has been selected to succeed Miss Jonell Black, who has resigned to be married.

Just ten years ago Miss Croslin came here as this county's first full time Home Demonstration Agent. She was a graduate of Texas State College for Women at Denton and had served three years as assistant agent at Tyler. She was also engaged in Civil Service work in connection with feeding troops at Fort Bliss and Hobbs AFB during the

Miss Croslin was married in February 1946 to A. J. Roe, Jr. of Robert Lee and resigned her HD position in July. They purchased a farm from her parents at Honey Grove and operated the place several years. Because of the drouth they returned to field work.

Lee several months and Mr. Roe is now employed by D. S. & R. two children, Daphne, 7, and A. available to early taxpayers, but Lee Saturday, Oct. 30.

Mrs. Roe has already taken over her work and last week discount if you pay your taxes attended a training school at this month. During November Texas A & M College. She plans the discount drops to 2% and Deadline Near to get started with 4-H Club only 1% is allowed during Demeetings next week.

Miss Black has been on a two Friday to formally turn the office over to Mrs. Roe.

#### MUSICAL POSTPONED

Because of the football game Oct. 14 - Mrs. Lowell Roane in Robert Lee Friday night, the held Friday night of next week, at 7 o'clock at the school house. to them.

#### Editorial

LET'S BUILD IT NOW

Now is the time for Coke County to build a new Court House. Big increases of tax money from oil properties make it possible to have this much needed building without any increase in tax levies. A bond issue of \$300,000 to construct proposed new Court House can positively be paid off in 15 years and pro-

Another page in this newspaper gives more details of the county's financial position, as well as some information as to to the excellent county building that is being proposed.

It is highly important to consider that oil development is continuing in Coke County, and Robert Lee Girl no one can predict how far it will go. We do know that 21 rotary rigs are drilling now and many new producing wells will be brought in this year. This indicates that the taxing valuation lion dollars or more.

funds will be available for roads nor.

House is needed. It is merely a enrolling at H-SU. question of good judgment to build it now.

We have had other bond issues recently. They include new school houses in Bronte and Robert Lee and a new paving project in Precinct 1. But these taxing districts are benefitting paid off on schedule. It is a bad practice to borrow money unless you konw how you are going to pay it back.

Coke County can vote bonds for a new Court House and rest assured that the bonds will be retired without a hitch. Oil production will continue many years and likely will be at its peak during the next 15 years.

#### Goodness, No! Not 30 Per Cent

The office of Paul Good, coun West Texas two years ago and ty tax assessor-collector, has Mr. Roe has been engaged in oil | been answering inquiries relative to a discount of 30% on state They have resided in Robert and county taxes paid during over the Colorado City seventh and two had enlisted in the Ma-October.

it was a typographical error.

However, you can get a 3% cember.

the 3% discount and pay before Wednesday. the end of October.

#### QUARTERBACK CLUB

vited to join the club.



BOBBIE DAVIDSON

# Is Senior at H-SU

senior student at Hardin-Sim- fettle for their contest here Frimons University in Abilene. She day night. will have another big jump next expects to receive a Bachelor of A big crowd is expected and year, probably as much as 3 mil- Business Degree next June, and a thrilling game assured. There a six-year high school teaching wil be plenty of added attrac-This means that additional certificate. Economics is her mi- tions with the crack Robert Lee

and other improvements. The The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. The student body and fans have road funds are already bene- Elbert Davidson of Edith, Bob- lots of enthusiasm this season, fitting by enormous increases of bie is a graduate of Robert Lee led by an attractive and hard-High School and attended San working group of cheer leaders. Everyone agrees a new Court Angelo College two years before Atha Hall and Bill Simpson.

founded in Abilene in 1891 by the in the Hobbs game and Simpson \$5,000 capital and 16 acres of and ready. land, the University has grown Robert Lee was out scored but 5 million dollars in resources.

#### BCD LUNCHEON

amendments to be voted upon at and Jack Gray also played well.

The Observer two weeks ago Saturday morning. A return Robert Lee two weeks ago 27-20.

# Absentee Vote

District Clerk Weldon Fikes | Mac Mathis. A lot of tax money is coming advises that the deadline for abweeks' vacation and will be here in now, and most of the big senetee voting on the Court taxpayers will take advantage of House Bond proposition is next

Persons who expect to be out

the General Election.

#### HERMLEIGH TO PLAY STEERS FRIDAY NIGHT

Hermleigh Cardinals, considered one of the strongest teams in District 6-B, will be seen in action here Friday night against the Robert Lee Steers. Hermleigh is undefeatd this season and has been running roughshod

The Steers would like to win a game from the Cardinals, but they haven't been able to since they entered the new conference seven years ago. And it is doubtful if this is the year to turn the trick. However, upsets are frequent in football, and the 1954 Steers are a high scoring and explosive club that are sure to upset the dope bucket before the season is over.

Hermleigh had an open date Bobbie Kathryn Davidson is a last week and should be in fine

Band performing between halves.

both starting linemen, will be Hardin-Simmons, a co-educa- out of action again this week. tional, liberal arts school, was Hall received a bad back injury Sweetwater Baptist Association. is suffering from illness. Other From a modest beginning with members of the squad are willing

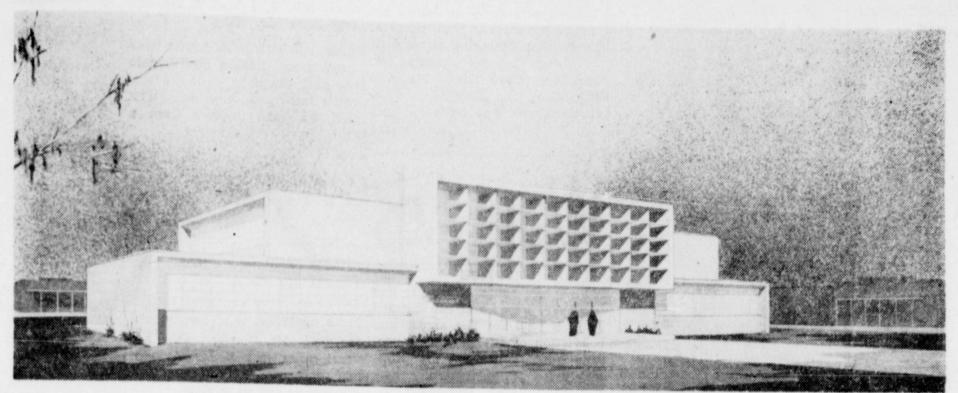
to one of the top Bartist col not out classed at Loraine, Lynn from oil and the bonds can be leges and now boasts one of the Davidson and Sherman Williams most modern educational plants were great on offense, with Sherin the Southwest with more than man turning in his best game of the season. Loraine was pointed to stop Davidson, but nevertheless he got loose for some great The first of a series of BCD runs. The Steer passing attack luncheon meetings was held was not up to par by any means. Thursday of last week at Henry's On the defense Center Roland Barbecue. It was voted to con- McArthur was a standout, and tinue the noon meetings every on numerous occasions he was two weeks and they will be held through the Bulldog forward on Wednesday hereafter. Next wall and threw ball carriers for a Wednesday the group will hear loss. Don Bell, Robbie Godwin, a discussion of constitutional Harold Robertson, Jerry Hurley

> the eneral Election Nov. 2. A. Hobbs found tough going at V. Sheppard is in charge of the Bronte last week and fell before the Longhorns by a 33-0 score. Not to take any glory away from JUNIOR FOOTBALLERS WIN Bronte, but it is reported Hobbs Robert Lee Junior High foot- was playing without three reguball team won a 34-0 victory lars, one of whom quit school graders at Colorado City last rines. You see Hobbs defeated

Construction Co. The Roes have stated that such a discount was game will be played in Robert | Bronte entertains Loraine this week in its final home contest of the year. Hobbs plays at Trent.

> Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Varnadore spent a few days last week in Childress with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jim.

DICKEY-Mr. and Mrs. Frank of town on election day may C. Dickey, Jr. (Sheila Rvan) are take advantage of the absentee parents of a daughter born Oct. Postmaster Bub Lewis announ- voting law. They may appear 18 in Coke County Memorial nitted. O. E. Kresta, Frank monthly Junior Grand Old Op- ces the Quarterback Club will in person at the Court house, or Hospital. Arriving at 9:50 p. m. ith, Mrs. Oscar Collett dis- era at Green Mountain will be meet Thursday night of this week request that a ballot be mailed Deborah Marie weighed 7 pounds 4 ounces. She has a brother, Ro-Oct. 29. The 29th is an open Mr. Lewis is president of the Little interest is being shown bert Ryan, 2 years old. The fa-Harmon admitted. Daughter date for the Steers. This ararnge- organization and a good turnout in the General Election to be ther is Coke County attorney. in to Mrs. Frank Dickey, Jr. ment is for this month only, and is requested. More members re held Tuesday, Nov. 2. Next Sat- Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. the event next month wil be needed and everyone interest- urday, Oct. 30, is the final date Frank C. Dickey, Sr. of Robert oct. 19 - Mrs. Lowell Roane, held on the fourth Friday as ed in helping the Steers is in- for getting an absentee ballot for Lee and Mr. and Mrs. George S. Ryan of Minneapolis, Minn.



ARCHITECT'S DRAWING OF PROPOSED NEW COKE COUNTY COURT HOUSE

# Oil Will Build New Court House Without Raising Taxes

Yes, it is possible beyond a doubt for Coke County to pay for a new \$300,000Court House over the next fifteen years, without any tax increase.

It is being made possible because of the continued oil development which has increased the county's taxable valuation from  $4\frac{1}{2}$  million dollars in 1946 to more than 25 million dollars in 1954.

The present setup of county tax levies includes 25 cents on each \$100 of assessed valuation for the Permanent Improvement Fund, sometimes referred to as Court House and Jail Fund. The proposed Court House Bonds would be paid out of this fund.

Figuring a 25 cent levy on the 25 million dollar valuation, we get the figure of \$62,500 which is the approximate amount that the Permanent Improvement Fund will derive in tax money this year.

#### **SURPLUS OF \$39,000**

Neimier Audit Company's annual report shows that only \$23,000 was spent from the fund last year, and it has no present obligations which would exceed that amount at any time. Hence, the fund still will have available more than \$39,000 annually.

Prorated over 15 years, there would be \$20,000 Court House Bonds coming due each year, while the interest payments will decrease as the principal is retired. Bonds will be sold at 2.35% interest, a highly favorable rate.

Coke County's oil development continues, with 21 drilling rigs operating within our boundaries at this time. As many as 150 new producers are anticipated during the next two years in the northwest corner of the county alone, while activity continues on all sides of Bronte and some new fields may be discovered.

The big taxing valuation on oil properties is bound to increase, providing more funds for better roads and other improvements all over the county which the people may desire in future years.

Most everyone agrees that Coke County needs a new Court House. The old building, erected in 1892, is unsafe, inadequate and in a bad state of repair after more than sixty years of service. It has been kept from falling down by steel rod braces running through the center of the second floor.

#### THE NEW STRUCTURE

Preliminary plans for the new Court House have been prepared by Architect Wyatt C. Hedrick of Fort Worth and his associate, Harry Weaver, of Robert Lee. Outside dimensions are 152 feet by 58 feet. It will be fireproof throughout, constructed of concrete and steel, faced with brick, glass and aluminum.

A small basement provides a storage vault for the countyclerk directly below his office on the main floor. Also heating and cooling equipment, public rest rooms, janitor's storage, etc.

Entrance to the building is a double door in the center on the first floor elevation. A corridor runs the entire length of the floor with large office rooms for the clerk, sheriff and tax collector, judge and commissioners, and smaller office space for the treasurer, county agent and home demonstration agent, soil conservation, ASC, Veterans Administration, Justice of the Peace and a conference room with dimensions of 14 x 19 feet.

Two stairways lead to the second floor, where the court room, 40 x 58 feet, occupies the center space. It is provided with 198 seats. At either end are rooms for a judges chamber, jury and grand jury, county httprney, library, county surveyor, rest rooms and a modern jury dormitory. The second floor is only 112 feet long.

#### BOND ELECTION OCT. 30

A special Election to vote on the proposition of issuing \$300,000 in bonds for the construction of a new Coke County Court House has been set for Saturday, Oct. 30. The election was called after a petition with more than 200 signers had been filed.

The election notice includes in part: "whether or not taxes shall be levied annually on all taxable property in said county sufficient to pay the annual interest on taid bonds and provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the bonds at their maturity." This provision will have no bearing in the election, since the county already is levying sufficient taxes in the Permanent Improvement Fund to take care of the new Court House Bond Issue.

The above material compiled for the information of our readers by

Citizens of Coke County Who Are Interested in a NEW COURT HOUSE

## History of Coke County

By Jessie Newton Yarbrough

#### INSTALLMENT 33

Coke County pioneers demorstrated their belief in education for wherever settlers made homes, schools were soon established. These pioneers provided every ducational advantage possible under existing circumstances, for no matter ow meager their own schooling may have been, they wanted the best for their children.

There was little money for schools in the pioneer settlements therefore school buildings were small and of cheap construction, equipment was extremely meager, school terms were short, teachers were poorly paid, and well qualified teachers were scarce.

The earliest school buildings were small, one-room "boxed and stripped" buildings, constructed of one-by-twelve boxing plank, with one-by-four strips nailed over the cracks. No bonds were issued to build these schools. The men who had children went in wagons to the nearest railroad town, "dug down in their jeans" and paid for the lumber, hauled Books were fairly well-cared-for it to the building site and did | and were used until worn out. the building with their own hands. Schoolroom furniture consisted of home-made benches for children, a home-made table and rawhide or rope-bottomed chair for the teacher. Heating equipment consisted of a woodburning box-stove, and a wood box for the fuel which was usually mesquite wood hauled and piled near the school by the fathers and chopped into stove lengths by the "big boys" as it was needed.

sometimes lasted no more than school were Ada, Sally, Alice and two to four months, but the brief free term was usually supplemented by a "subscription" school for another two months. The usual tuition was from one dollar to one dollar fifty cents per month, payable, if the sending family had no money, in anything the teacher or teacher's family could use, as wheat, chickens, pork, et cetera.

It meant real sacrifice on the part of both parents and children to support these pioneer schools. Every dollar paid for tuition was a dollar sorely needed by the parents for the necessities of life. Some students walked as far as four miles to school, starting before sunrise and arriving home at dusk and sometimes dark on short winter days. But so determined were those pioneers that no sacrifice seemed too great, and the weather was seldom too bad for regular attendance at school. I IALS at ROACH'S.

Mrs. G. A. Beeman, the former Lula Newton, remembers her first school thus:

I went to chool at Paint Creek School, the old one by Alf Key's in 1891, to Professor St. John, and the next year to Mrs. Hallmark. It was four miles from our house, and we had to start before sunup. School was not out until late, and sometimes it was dark by the time we got back home. Yes, Buddy did go with me for "Sister" was nearly Finnell Smith, Secretary. nine and must go to school. Poor little fellow, not quite five, yanked out of bed and sent four miles to make it safer for "Sister"! The weather was seldom too bad for us to go, but sometimes our feet and hands got so cold we cried. You know Papa didn't believe in absence from school.

Children were assigned homeafter a day of toil, sat up to hear the children read and spell and to early next year. lend whatever other assistance they could in preparation of lessons to be "recited" the next day. Uniform textbooks and stateowned "free" text books same

One of the first schools in Coke County was taught by a Mr. Hall in a "one-room, wooden structure on Mountain Creek, one mile west of Hayrick Mountain and near the spot occupied by the H. C. Allen rock ranch house. This was in 1885-86. It was a four-month "subscription" school. Parents paid \$1.50 (one dollar fifty cents) per month for each The public free-school term child. Some of the pupils in that Howard Caraway, children of Mr and Mrs. W. T. Caraway, and Wylie Byrd.

> After that term, school was moved about two miles east to Sand Springs. There was a good spring at that site which furnished water for the school; then, too, the country was settling up faster in that direction, and he move made it more convenient for a larger number of children.

came to Robert Lee over Sunday for a visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. C. Snead. Mr. Snead, who has been in failing health for some time, was injured in a fall at his home Saturday.

See the DOLLAR DAY SPEC-

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#### Game Ass'n Will Meet Nov. 2nd At H. C. Allen Ranch

Annual meeting of the Coke County Game Management Association has been set for Tuesday, Nov. 2, starting at 3 p. m.

The event takes place at the Allen Ranch near Hayrick, with H. C. and G. C. Allen as hosts. The ranch may be reached by going east on the Bronte-Robert Lee highway, then turning off on the Hayrick road and continuing north to the Allen Ranch.

There will be a short program and a free barbecue supper. Every interested land owner or operator is invited to attend.

Officers of the association are Delmir Sheppard, President; W E. Burns, Vice President; and

Cpl Dale Brown was recently transferred from Fort Hood to Fort Sam Houston at San Antonio. He has moved his family there and they like their new station very much. Cpl. work, and the books were carried Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. John home each day. Parents, tired H. Brown, is due to complete his two year's of military service

> Attending the Ice Show and other State Fair features in Dallas over Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Vaughan Davis, Betty Carden, Garland Davis, Annelle Simpson and Kenneth Lackey.

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#### PERSONALS

Mrs. Harry Anderson and sons, Tommy and Jerry, returned the ast of the week to their home at Pawhuska, Okla., after a visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave King. Mr. and Mrs. King and daughter, Joyce, accompanied Mrs. Anderson and children as far as Lubbock where

# Want Ads

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.

-Fred McDonald, Jr.

LANDSCAPING and yard work. Can furnish No. 1 good yard dirt. JIM GREER, Phone 7003.

I have all equipment for cleaning your septic tanks and ce.; po. ls. Call me at No. 8, Bronte for this service. L. M. Jones.

FOR SALE - Our house in the north part of Robert Lee. Has 5 rooms and bath, screened in 27ft. porch. Will sell furnished or unfurnished. - Burl Childress. .

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FOR SALE - Home made Hot Tamales, 75c per dozen. -Hattie

PAINT - Pittsburgh Rubberized Satin Finish Wallhide for all inside work. Use it on per, wallboard, wood, cement, anything. Dries in 15 minutes .-LEEPER SUPPLY CO.

FOR RENT - Two bedroom modern house, close in. Mrs. Frank Smith, phone 3413.

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the group visited Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hall. Mrs. Hall is the former Zona Mae King.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Austin have spent some time in San Angelo the past ten days with the former's father, N. A. Austin, who suffered back injuries from a fall. He is 87 years of age.

O. A. Crooks was a Robert Lee visitor Wednesday and stopped in to renew his Observer for another year. He bought the Leddy Ranch, southwest of town, several years ago. He has not stocked the place this year, but has raised some feed and has 130 acres of cotton that won't yield too well . Mr. Crooks resides several miles east of San Angelo, and says crop conditions there are just as bad as in Coke Coun-

### Texas in Review to **Feature Games**

Carefully edited highlight from three games played Satur day by Southwest Conference teams will be shown next week on Texas in Review. Kern Tipe head of the Humble Company football announcing staff, with describe the highlights.

The program will also include films taken at the State Fair of Texas in Dallas.

Texas in Review can be seen Monday, October 25, on KRBC TV, Abilene, 8 p. m.;

Times and stations for the program Tuesday, October 26 are KCBD-TV, Lubbock, 8 p. m.; K. TXL-TV, San Angelo, 7:30 p.m. and KMID-TV, Midland, 8 p. m

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Rice -Texas game will be ed by Kern Tips and Bob from Rice Stadium in n. Radio time will be 1:50 over KPRC, Houston; K-Austin, WFAA-WBAP-820, Ft. Worth; KGBS, San o: KRIS, Corpus Christi; Abilene; KWFT, Wichita KCBD, Lubbock; KGNC, o; KPET, Lamesa and Snyder.

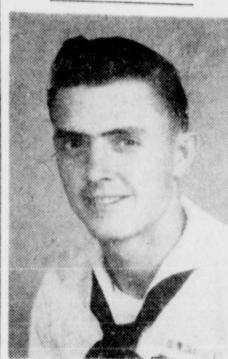
or meets Texas A&M in Ves Box and Dave Smith padcast the game begin-1:50 p. m. over radio WACO, Waco; KRLD, KTRH, Houston; WOAI, ntonia;; KWBU, Corpus KFDX, Wichita Falls; Abilene; KGKL, San KBWD, Brownwood; K-Spring; KCRS, Midland Odessa and KVET, Aus-

n from the SMU-Kansas e Russell and Coit Butler. ime will be 1:50 p. m. over Dallas; KFJZ, Fort Worth; Waco; KTHT, Houston; San Antonio.

CU-Penn State game will adcast beginning at 1:50 over WFAA-WBAP-570, t. Worth; KXYZ, Hous-SA, San Antonio.

0:00 p. m. Texas Tech's ith College of Pacific will deast. Jerry Doggett will

Odessa.... KFDA, Amarillo; KV-OP, Plainview and KXOX, Sweetwater.



GM3 ALFRED (BUD) AUS-TIN is at present stationed in Korean waters on the USS Ausprey, a mine sweeper. He is the 21-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Coke Austin of San Angelo, former Robert Lee residents. Bud has served more than three years of a 4-year navy enlistment.

#### David Key Will **Move Feed Store**

David Key has purchased the W. B. Clift property formerly occupied by the H & L and later Dallas will be described the Isbell and Higgins oil field trucking companies. The latter sold their business a few months ago and equipment was moved to Abilene.

Mr. Key is completing improvements and will move his feed store there next week. The Key Feed Store has been located in two of Mrs. Effie Roe's home in Colorado City where the buildings at the northwest corner of the court house square.

play-by-play and Jack in the United States was oper- The Greens vacated the Billie do the color over radio ated in Jefferson, Texas, about Campbell residence in the south

Notes



From The Oil Field

A. G. Hill, Abilene, has filed application to drill a 6,700-foot rotary wildcat in Coke County, 24 miles northwest of Robert Lee and 3|4-mile south and slightly east of Sun Oil Co. No. 1 Millican, opener and lone producer in the newly designated Jameson (Caddo) field. It will be drilled as the No. 11 Ralph Harris Estate.

The project will be drilled with rotary to 6,700 feet, with operations beginning Oct. 25.

Location is 1,980 feet from the north and east lines of 4-D H. Snyder and W. V. Rosenberg survey.

The prospector is 78-mile northeast of production in the Lygay field, but seperated by a dry hole. The Lygay field produces at an average depth to 5,864 feet.

Sun 1 Millican was completed Sept. 11 for a daily flowing potential of 52.8 gravity oil plus 66 per cent water, with gas oil ratio of 1,240-1.

Baker & Taylor Driling Co. has the contract and will move rotary from the Blanks Estate lease south of the river at Silver, where they recently completed a producer for Sun.

No new drilling locations have been announced by Sun.

HALLOWEEN STARTS EARLY

An early Halloween Party will be held Saturday night, Oct. 23, at 7 o'clock at the church of Christ building. All young people of the community are in-

Mr. and Mrs. Garlan Green and sons left Monday for their new former will be employed as a field clerk in Sun Oil Company's area office. He was transferred The first commercial ice plant to his new position from Silver. 10 LB. MESH BAG

**Potatoes** 

FRESH GREEN

Cabbage Lb. 4½c

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This year pint-size goblins will be raising money instead of havoc. As always, the cry will be "Trick or Treat". But the Treats this year will be for the world's underprivileged children through UNICEF (United Nations Children's Fund.) They will be asking for pennies, nickels, dimes, quarters, half-dollars instead of candy and cookies and what-have-you.

All children and young people who desire to participate in this Halloween's "new look," will be organized into groups and assigned to the various areas of our town. They will wear the UNI-CEF band on their arms and hold in their hands the UNICEF coin carton. Any person may put therein the money he or she de-

Very briefly described, the UNICEF is the only intergovernmental organization concerned with children. As such, it is nonpolitical, non-controversial. Each country receiving UNICEF aid matches it more than dollar for dollar. UNICEF gives the kind of help that leaves permanent benefits because the programs are designed to become part of the aided country's economy.

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Our youngsters are delighted at the prospect of sharing their Halloween fun with all the world's children. Please make the children welcome when they call on you. Help them help other children!

Watch for further announcements of this in next week's Observer. Watch too for a pamphlet which we hope next week to send to each boxholder. The event will take place Saturday night, October 30, and will include a community-wide Halloween Parade and Party. Complete details of the evening's program will be published next

This is being sponsored through the school on an interdenominational level by the city's churches.

Sterling City Saturday and stopped by to renew his Observer subscription for another year.

#### THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: J. W. Hinson, Mrs. G. T. Rogan, Mrs. G. T. Ragan, D. W. Ritchie, Mrs. Marie E. Hunter, Archibald Jones, Thomas H. Bra-

and L. H. Taylor, Mr. Rogan, husband of Mrs. G. T. Rogan; Mr Ragan, husband of Mrs. G. T. Ragan; Mr. Hunter, husband of Mrs. Marie E. Hunter; the unknown stockholders of Baird Development Company, a defunct corporation; the unknown heirs of J. W. Hinson, deceased; the unknown heirs of Mrs. G. T. Rogan, deceased; the unknown heirs of Mrs. G. T. Ragan, deceased; the unknown heirs of D. W. Ritchie, deceased; the unknown heirs of Mrs. Marie E. Hunter, deceased; the unknown heirs of Archibald Jones, deceased; the unknown heirs of Thomas H. Bradley, deceased; the unknown heirs of John A. Woods, deceased; the unknown heirs of Charles H. Ora, deceased; the nknown heirs of S. J. Murray, deceased; the unknown heirs of H. L. Scales, deceased; the unknown heirs of L. H. Taylor, deceased; the unknown heirs of Mr. Rogan, deceased, husband of Mrs. G. T. Rogan; the unknown heirs of Mr. Ragan, deceased, husband of Mrs. G. T. Ragan; the unknown heirs of Mr. Hunter, deceased, husband of Mrs. Marie E. Hunter GREETING:

You are commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the plaintiff's first amended original petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 15th day of November, A. D., 1954, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Coke County, at the Court House in Robert Lee, Texas.

Said plaintiff's first amended original petition was filed on the 25 day of September, 1954.

The file number of said suit being 1974.

The names of the parties in said suit are: J. Willis Johnson, Mary B. Hall and Ruth J. Gordon, as Plaintiff and J. W. Hin-, son Mrs. G. T. Rogan, Mrs. G. T. Ragan, D. W. Ritchie, Mrs Marie E. Hunter, Archibald Jones, Thomas H. Bradley, John A. Woods, Charles H. Ora, S. J. Murray, H. L. Scales and L. H. Taylor, the residence of each of whom is unknown; Mr. Rogan, husband of Mrs. G. T. Rogan, whose further name and residence is unknown; Mr. Ragan husband of Mrs. G. T. Ragan, whose further name and residence is unknown; Mr. Hunter, husband of Mrs. Marie E. Hunter, whose further name and residence is unknown; the unknown stockholders of Baird Development Company, a defunct corporation; the unknown heirs of J. W. Hinson, deceased; the unknown heirs of Will Augustine was over from Mrs. G. T. Rogan, deceased; the unknown heirs of Mrs. G. T. Ragan, deceased; the unknown heirs of D. W. Ritchie, deceased; the unknown heirs of Mrs. Marie E. Hunter, deceased; the unknown heirs of Archibald Jones, deceased; the unknown heirs of Thomas H. Bradley, deceased: the unknown heirs of John A. dley, John A. Woods, Charles H. Woods, deceased; the unknown

Ora, S. J. Murray, H. L. Scales | heirs of Charles H. Ora, deceased; the unknown heirs of S. J. Murray, deceased; the unknown heirs of H. L. Scales, deceased; the unknown heirs of L. H. Taylor, deceased; the unknown heirs of Mr. Rogan, deceased, husband of Mrs. G. T. Rogan, any further name of the said Mr. Rogan being unknown; the unknown heirs of Mr. Ragan, deceased, husband of Mrs. G. T. Ragan, any further name of said Mr. Ragan being unknown; the unknown heirs of Mr. Hunter, deceased, husband of Mrs. Marie E. Hunter, any further name of the said Mr. Hunter being unknown; as defendants.

> The nature of said suit being substantially as follows:

For the title and possession of the North Half (N/2) of the Northeast Quarter (NE 4); the Southwest Quarter (SW 4) of the Northeast Quarter (NE 4); the Northwest Quarter (NW 4) of the Southeast Quarter (SE/4); and the Northwest Quarter (NW/4) of the Northwest Quarter (NW/4); of Section 77, in Block 2, H. & T. C. Ry. Co., in Coke County, Texas; plaintiffs claiming title under the 5 and 10 year statutes of limitation.

If this citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued this the 27th day of September A. D., 1954.

Given under my hand and seal

The Observer, Robert Lee, Texas

of said Court, at office in Robert Lee, Texas, this the 27th day of September A. D., 1954.

Weldon Fikes, Clerk District Court, Coke ty, Texas.

**APPLIANCES** 

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Oct. 22

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# TAX PAYERS NOTICE

State and County Taxes for the year 1954 are now due. Statements of all property on the Rendered Roll were mailed the first of October. Tax statements may not have reached some property owners because of recent change in ownership or because owner has not rendered to Tax Assessor.

# Pay Now and Recieve Discount On State and County Taxes

A Discount of 3 pct. on State and County Taxes will be allowed on Full Payments during October. The Discount is 2 pct. in November and only 1 pct. for December payments.

# Poll Tax Payments May Also Be Made Now

State and County Taxes Are Payable at the Court House in Robert Lee

PAUL GOOD

Coke County Tax Assessor-Collector

# S. E. 'Skinny' Adams

### Oil Properties Insurance

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#### ISA FIRM TO CONSTRUCT NEW SOINE PLANT NEAR SILVER

eprinted from San Angelo Standard-Times)

Texas Natural Gasoline of Tulsa will install a gas ing plant with a capacity million cubic feet of gas within the next 18

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installation will care for imated output of 200 wells Jameson (Strawn) field

nfirmation was provided at sekend by Harold Teverchief engineer of the comin a long distance teletalk with The Standard-Cost has not been deterbut an outlay of several dollars is expected.

#### GAS NOW WASTING

plant will require 40 emwhen finished and should 25 to 30 tank cars of pro-Teverbaugh said. is negotiating now to be built, possibly from Sterling City or Bronte. ys have been run on the ed site on the Blanks Esand south and west of Sil-This site would require 62 .f Survey 1, H&TC Ry. Co., 16 acres out of Survey 2. George of this city made

ield survey. erbaugh said estimates reserves in the area to be at 300 billion cubic feet Sam Jay home. now being flared and d. This flaring production, IALS at ROACH'S.

however, has been the means by which estimates could be determined.

First work will start within five or six weeks on installation of five compressor engines. Inn the Silver area of Coke stallation work on processing facilities should be under way in five to six months, Teverbaugh

#### NOW SEEKING WATER

Plans are to erect storage for a he Fuller-Coke (Strawn) million gallons of gas products Eugene Harris, District Superinprocess propane, butane, iso-bu- Ellis, pastor, will preside. Vote tane, and natural gasoline, all to is to be taken by secret ballot, be run to tank cars. The residue and all members of both confergas will be injected into the res- ences are urged to be present. ervoir for presure maintenance. Members of the Church Conferaccording to current plans. No ence include all church members underground storage of products 18 yars of age and older. is contemplated.

to 20 miles for a water supply. If wells to produce this amount of water can be found, the plant may depend on them.

The company may do the construction job itself, but this had not been determined Saturday. One hundred employes will be required in construction, and es of land, with 58.62 acres most of this labor will be recruited in the Coke area.

No superintendent has been named.

Miss Pansy Castello of San Angelo spent the weekend in the

See the DOLLAR DAY SPEC-

Reserve District No. 11 State No. 1684

Report of Condition of

#### Robert Lee State Bank

of Robert Lee, Texas, at the close of business Oct. 7, 1954.

A state banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this State and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authorities and by Federal Reserve Bank of this district.

#### ASSETS

balance, and cash items in		336,097.20
J. S. Government obligations, d	593,983.50	
Obligations of states and political subdivisions		142,847.72
Corporate stocks (including \$2,1)		
Reserve Bank)		2,100.00
Doans and discounts (including Bank premises owned \$1.00;	\$435.16 overdrafts) furniture and fix-	385,187.40
tures \$1,768.08		1,769.08
Other assets		2,196 34
Total Assets		,464,181.24

#### LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and
corporations 1,086,805 12
Deposits of United States Government (including
postal savings) 19,020.62
Deposits of states and political subdivisions 222,686.47
Deposits of banks 36,029.43
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc) 3,417.46
Total Deposits\$1,367,959.10
Total Liabilities 1,367,959.10
(Not including subordinated obligations shown below)

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital	35,000.00
Surplus	35,000.00
Undivided profits	23,722.14
Reserves (and retirement account for pref. capital)	2,500.00
Total Capital Accounts	96,222.14
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts  This bank's capital consists of: Common stock	1,464,181.24

#### MEMORANDA

with total par value of \$35,000.00.

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilites and	
for other purposes	158,000.00

I, T. A Richardson, vice president and cashier of the above named bank, hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. T. A. Richardson.

Correct-Attest: G. C. Allen, L. C. Ivey, Victor Wojtek, Directors State of Texas, County of Coke, ss: Sworn to and subscribed before me this 16th day of October, 1954.

Virginia Jay, Notary Public

#### Methodist Church Notes

The Robert Lee Methodist Church and Quarterly Conferences are called in special session for Wednesday evening, October 27, at 7:30, to consider and vote upon the construction of a building to house four church school class rooms. Prior to the question of approving the building plans, a vote will be taken on whether the rooms should be used for children's classes or adult classes. By authority of Dr. L. on the site. The company will tendent, the Reverend Warren

To discuss the building plans The plant will require 300 gal- and arrangement the Commission lons of water per minute, and the on Education and the Church company is making surveys at School Workers Conference met this time within a radius of 15 Wednesday night of this week. Recommendations from this group call for a building adequate for the four classes of the children's division: Cradle Roll, Nursery; Kindergarten; Primary and Junior.

> The Young Adult Class met in business session Wednesday night. The principal matter concerned the equiping and maintenance of the Nursery. The class met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Hanna.

The Methodist Youth Fellowship is joining with other groups of the community in sponsoring the Haloween "Trick or Treat" Program for Underprivileged Children.

TRY A WANT AD

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: Merton North, Clara North, Dave Mongonirk, the unknown heirs of Merton North, deceased.

Morth, deceased, and the unknown heirs of Dave Mongonirk, deceased,

#### GREETING:

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Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 25 day of September,

The file number of said suit being No. 1996.

The names of the parties in said suit are: J. Willis Johnson, Mary B. Hall and Ruth J. Gordon as Plaintiffs, and Merton North, Clara North, Dave Mongonirk, the unknown heirs of Merton North, deceased, the unknown heirs of Clara North, deceased, and the unknown heirs of Dave Mongonirk, deceased, as Defendants.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: For the title and possession of he Southeast Quarter (SE/4) of he Northwest Quarter (NW/4); and the Southwest Quarter (SW/4) of Section 77, in Block 2, H. & T. C. Ry. Co., Coke County, Texas. Plaintiffs claim title through regular chain of title from the sovereignty of the soil,

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the unknown heirs of Clara, as well as under the 5 and 10 year statutes of limitations.

If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued this the 27th day of September A. D., 1954.

Given under my hand and seal of said court at office in Robert Lee, Texas this the 27th day of September, A. D., 1954.

Weldon Fikes, Clerk District Court Coke County,





**VAUGHAN CHEVROLET** COMPANY

#### SILVER NEWS

Miss Hazel Holden recently visited here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Holden, before going to Denver, Colo. She has been working for an accounting Speak Here To firm in Midland. Her sister, Helen, was also home for a visit while she was here. The latter is employed by the telephone company in San Anglo.

Oil folks in the Silver area were well represented at the Permian Oil Show in Odessa last

a station wagon load of youngsters to Andrews Friday night to witness the Colorado City-Andrews football game. The Wolves won, but it was a close contest.

Mrs. Billy Walker was honored with a stork shower Tuesday night. Her husband is employed by Sun Pipeline Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Palmer and children were in College Station over te weekend where they visited Sonny Palmer, who is a freshman at Texas A & M. They also attended the TCU-A&M football game.

James H. Spivey has returned from Beaumont with his wife, who is recovering from major surgery. Mr. Spivey is a Sun pipeliner and resides in Colorado City. His mother, Mrs. Mary Spivey of Sour Lake, returned home with them to help with household duties for a while.

Other Colorado City Wolves football boosters are J. D. Jett, Jerry Gallier and A. H. Jones, who took their wives to the game at Andrews last Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Branch of Silver are parents of a daughter born at 5:38 p. m. Oct. 12 at Clinic-Hospital in San Angelo She weighed 7 pounds and has been named Deborah Sue. She has a sister, Patricia, 3 years old. Mr. Branch is a petroleum engineer employed by Sun Oil Co. production department here. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Mrs. E. H. West of Tahoka.

The Hale Kincaids visited the Odessa Oil Show Friday and attended the Abilene-Odessa high football game that night.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lacik have gone on a three weeks' vacation and will viist various points in Texas. Mr. Lacik is a Sun Oil Co. pumper.

Earl Boggus and his wife are also on vacation. They are spending the time making building improvements on their farm near Luling.

Mrs. Bill Brooks and children have returned from a week's visit with the former's parents in

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Ramsey and children spent the weekend with Mrs. Ramsey's mother, Mrs. R. E. Hazlewood at Terrell.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Havins included her grandmother, Mrs. J. C. Biggs of Ardmore, Okla., her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Virgie Boutwell of Sacramento, Calif., and a cousin, Mrs. Oneta Davis of Boise, Idaho.

Earl Lindsey, Charlie Kenneenjoyed a successful squirrel ry and Clint Windham and son hunt the last of the week on the Leonard Ranch near San Saba.

Mr. and Mrs. John Branch of Palestine arrived Monday for a visit in the home of their son. W. H. Branch, where they are making the acquaintance of a new granddaughter.

#### Hayrick Lodge



No. 696 A.F. & A.M. Meets second Tuesday night in each month. Visiors welcome.

R. H. GODWIN, W. M. H. S. LEWIS, JR., Sec'y.

### **Austin Man Will** Teachers Group

Mr. L. P. Sturgeon, Director of Public Relations for the Texas State Teachers Association, Austin, Texas, will speak at a meeting of the Coke County TS-TA Unit on October 25, 1954, in Mr. and Mrs. John Shimer took Robert Lee. The subject of his speech will be "Furthering of Teachers Interest in heir tProfession and Need for Closer Relationship Between the School and the Public it Serves."

> Mr. Sturgeon was born in N w Boston, Texas, and attended the public schools there. He received a Bachelor of Arts Degree from East Texas State Teachers College in 1933, and a Master's degree in 1941. While in College he was a member of the R. B. Binion Scholarship Society of the

Mr. Sturgeon has served as a classroom teacher, high school principal, and superintendent of schools in Texas.

He has served as a member of the Executive Committee of the Texas State Teachers Association and President of the Association of Equalization Schools. He was also a member of the Advisory Committee of the Gilmer-Aiken Commission, and served as Director of the Foundation Program Division in setting up the Gilmer Aiken Program in Texas.

He was Associate Commissioner of Education with the Texas Education Agency until September, 1954, when he accepted his present position as Director of Public Relations for the Texas State Teachers Association.

Mr. Sturgeon's wide background of training and experience eminently qualify him to speak on any subject related 'o the field of education.

County Judge Jeff Dean returned home Sunday from a two weeks' stay at Mineral Wells. He seems to have benefitted from South, a Sigma Tau Delta, Friers the mineral baths and related and the Phi Delta Kappa. He al- | treatments. Mrs. Dean motored so participated in athletics and to Mineral Wells and brought

### Is It Safe?

Many religious people believe that one faith is as as another if we are sincere in what we believe

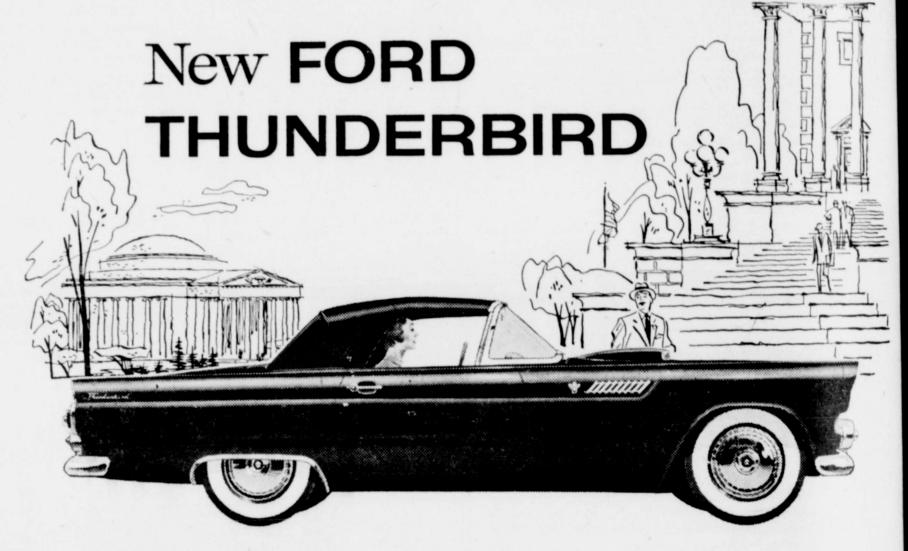
Truly, sincerity is to be admired in anyone. The Bit speaks of many people, however, who were religiously cere but sincerely wrong.

The prophets of Baal were sincere in their idolatry Kings 18:21-39.) Appolos was sincere in his error. (Acts 19:1 Paul was religiously sincere while he was killing Christi (Acts 8:1; 9:1-3.) The Jews were zealous for God, but ) ACCORDING TO KNOWLEDGE. (Rom. 10:2.) These ex ples are flanked with many more wherein people were cere, yet sinful.

If God saves by virtue of sincerity, then every hum nice and transgression becomes godly if it is done sincerel Doctrines of men, however sincere, will damn our si (Matt. 15:8-10; Mark 7:9-10; Gal. 1:8-9; Rev. 22:18-20.) G way is the only right way in religion. (Matt. 7:13-14: Je 14:6; John 8:12; Eph. 4:4-5, etc.)

There is a way that SEEMETH RIGHT unto man, b the end thereof is the ways of DEATH." (Prov. 16:25.)
May we all not go our own ways. Let us all go the Lord

Dearly beloved, these articles are not for the mere p pose of showing that we are right and others are wrong. The are designed to show that God is right and cannot be wron Let us do His will. Church of Christ services: Sunday: 10 a.m. Bible study, 11:00 worship, 6:30 p.m. Young People 7:00 p.m. worship. Wednesday: 7:00 p.m. Bible study.



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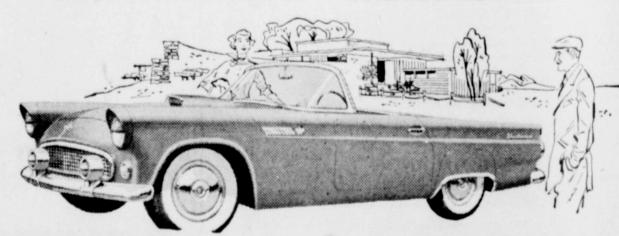
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#### 1ST QUARTER

rt Lee took the opening their 14 yard line. plays later Loraine Bullovered a fumble on the 24. Loraine made it a 1st on the 9 in three attempts, alfback Roy Johnson went for a touchdown from the converted from placement. Loraine 7, Robert Lee 0. ammy Duncan took the and handed it off to Lynn son, who ran 85 yards for a down Sherman Williams ted on a play thru the Score: Loraine 7, Robert

Bulldogs brought the kickck to their 41. Johnson got around right end then cut and naced to the Steer 35. short gains on three the Bulldogs completed for a 1st down on the 18. circled left end to the and Eddie Garvin carer from the 3. Johnson's as wide. Score: Loraine pert Lee 7.

#### 2ND QUARTER

erback Ben Bessent ethe kickoff to the Steer bert Lee gained 9 yards plays and Williams punthe Bulldog goal line, from t was run out to the 39. Bulldog offense was stopnd Jimmy Hall punted to He fumbled the ball naine recovered on the 25. Loraine fumbled on ext play and the Steers red on their 24. The Steers to make the necessary and punted to Lonaine's nson went around end lst down on the Robert Again the Bulldog adwas stopped and the ball over to Robert Lee on their

dson went off right tackle yards and a 1st on the Williams crashed left side for 13 wards lst on the 27. Davidson up 16 yards around end lst on the 11. Williams onarily hurt and left Davidson advanced 4 three line thrusts and added 3 more on a keepwasn't enough and took possession of the

he third play Johnson plenty of space around a ran to the Steer 9 yard efore Davidson overtook Johnson went around the end and crossed the goal up. His kick was good. Loraine 20, Robert Lee 7. 3RD QUARTER

only

the

on intercepted a Steer to the 20 yard line as the nded. Lonaine took the rter kickoff on their 34. circled end for a 1st on 47. The Bulldogs lost in three plays and punt-Steer 18. Bessent compass to Jerrell Harmon on the 37. Robert Lee's was halted and they to the Bulldog 33. Johnaround end for a 1st 44 before Davidson stop-

Sulldogs lost ground and a 15 yard penalty, then the Steer 34. Williams for 3 yards and then a 1st down on the Lo-A short time later Wild off left tackle and ran for a touchdown. Confailed. Score: Loraine

#### 4TH QUARTER

Loraine took the kickoff on their 34. Johnson was thrown for a 10 yard loss, but the play was called back and a 5 yard penalty went against the Steers. Galvan hit center for 1st on the 46, then crashed thru for 10 more, a 1st on the Steer 44. He went off tackle for 9 and Johnson got thru the same hole for a 1st on the 23. The Bulldogs were stopped but on the 4th down Johnson 19. circled left end for a touchdown. The conversion point was good. Score: Loraine 27, Robert Lee 13.

Robert Lee took the kickoff on their 47, but couldn't advance and punted to the Bulldog 20. Johnson went thru the right side for a 1st on the 41 and then punched the other side for a 'st on the Steer 48. Robert Lee olind Oil & Gas Co.

held and Duncan took a punt on his 22. Four plays later Wil liams punted to the Loraine 30. The Bulldogs were thrown back and Robert Lee recovered a fumble on the Loraine 29. Bessent's pass to Jack Gray was good for 8 yards and a penalty on Loraine gave Robert Lee a 1st down on the 5. On the fourth play Williams crashed over center to score. The conversion failed. Final score: Loraine 27, Robert Lee

Gerald Millican came from Jal. New Mex., for a weekend visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Millican. Gerald was recently transferred to Jal from Farmington, New Mex., by Stan-

The Observer, Robert Lee, Texas

little daughter, Kathy, came down from Amherst for a weekend visit with Mrs. Tome's moother relatives. They attended in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Tomes and the football game at Loraine Friday night. Mrs. Tomes is the former Lonnell Landers.

G. E. Davis returned Saturday from a week's visit in the ther, Mrs. Boneita Robertson, and home of his son, Bob L. Davis,

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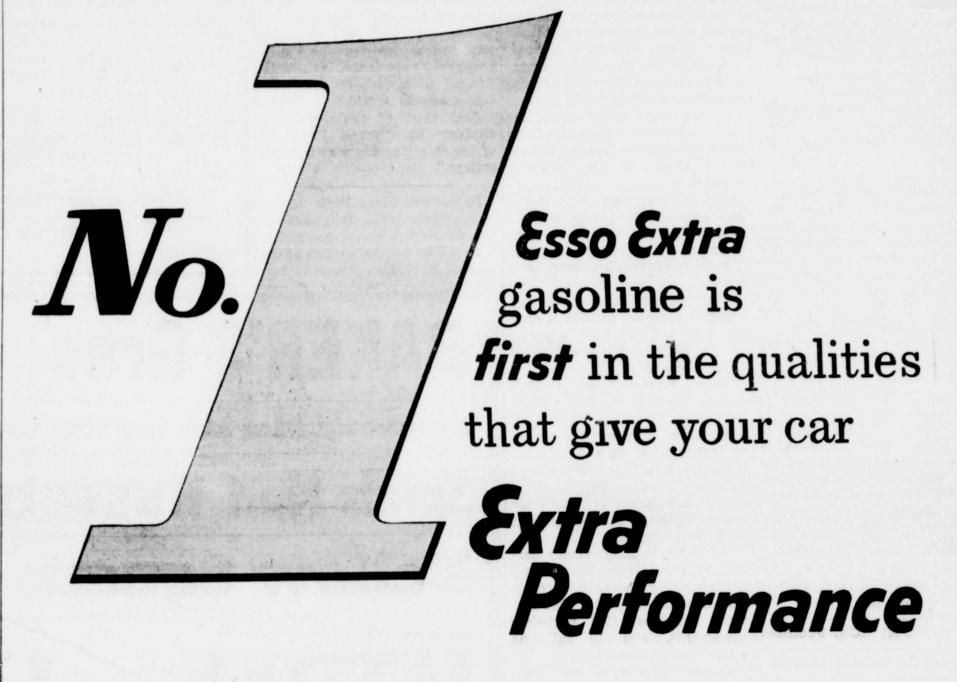
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#### **500 Bales Cotton Ginned In County**

Although no rain has fallen since last May farmers of Coke County are making a small cotton crop.

Robert Lee's Gin had processed 315 bales up to noon Wednesday and 185 bales had been handled by the Luttrell Gin at Bronte, making a total of 500 bales brought in thus far.

Fred and Pete McDonald, gin operators here, believe more than half the crop has been harvested. Mr. Luttrell thinks he may get 100 or 150 more bales.

Largest run at the Robert Lee Gin was Tuesday of this week when 17 bales were processed.

Jim Blair is the largest cotton producer in this area. He has already brought in 40 bales and expects to get a half dozen more. Jim had in 144 acres on land owned by Freddie Lee Roe and Frank Bryan. He did some irrigating by pumping water from the Colorado River.

L. E. Wink has brought in nine bales. Reports on other producers were not available at 'his

#### FUTURE HOME MAKERS

The Future Home Makers met Monday night and made plans for members of the Robert Lee chapter to attend the district convention at Big Lake next Saturday. Those going will put on a short skit. The voting delegate is Janelle McGilvray.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Smith and little son, James Royce, left Friday on a week's trip to Mena, Ark., where they are guests of Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Varnadore, and her brother, Clell Varnadore, and family. On their return home this weekend they will stop in Waco to visit Royce's uncle.

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#### GREEN MT. HD CLUB

The Green Mountain Home Demonstration Club met in regular session Oct. 19 at the Recreation Center with eight members and 10 children present. The president was in charge. Plans were made for a Halloween Carnival to be held at the Center on Wednesday night, Oct. 27, and everyone is invited. A social hour followed the business session. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Glenn Waldrop, who acted as hostess.

#### 37 Pct. Students At H-SU Working To Pay Expenses

Abilene - (Spl) - It hasn't been too many years since the phrase "Working my way through college" was a familiar sound to the ears of many housewives about this time of year.

But that time worn door-opener has come a long way from the magazine sales pitch.

In case you hadn't heard today's working college students are holding down jobs in almost every phase of the business world.

And if you need any proof, just examine the files of Billy West, manager of the Hardin-Simmons University Student Employment Service, who is a graduate student himself.

Working and saving during summer vacation periods is only one way H-SU students help pay all or part of the expense of higher education.

Many Hardin-Simmons University students work part-time or full-time during the school year. Some drop out for a year or longer to work and accumulate enough savings to return and complete requirements.

H-SU officials estimated 37 per cent of students earn all or part of their expenses.

The Student Employment Service at H-SU helps students and employers by listing both parttime and full-time jobs. The service averages 500 pant-time placements, and 10 full-time placements annually.

Construction work and jobs on the H-SU campus top the list for student summer workers.

Skills required of today's working college students are varied. Many prospective em-

quirements and personality characteristics, as well as skills required to fill the position available. During the school year, the University itself uses more students than any business estab-

#### lishment in town. Students are employed on the campus in many different positions including office work, clerks in the Post Office and book store, janitors and ground keepers.

For women students, office work, general house work, and baby sitting are positions most regularly filled by H-SU students.

ployers specify age, physical re-

Men students of Hardin Simmons can be found holding down jobs in many fields of Abilene ranging from television and radio station work to attendants at service stations.

Hardin - Simmons University students earn their way through school with part and full-time jobs and at the same time gain pnactical experience as "fullfledged members" of the "outside business world."

And most of these working students have found its a lot of fun "working my way through college."

Balmorhea State Park, southwest of Balmorhea, Texas has the world's largest walled swimming pool, fed by natural springs at the rate of 26,000,000 gallons a day.

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Mr .and Mrs. Sam Jay attended a District Water Works meeting at Big Lake Thursday night of last week. Mr. Hughes of the U. S. Geophysical Survey gave a talk on the history and methods used in making ground water surveys. Two hours credit is given members of the district association for attending these meetings.

The many friends of Fred Mc-Donald, Sr. of Bronte will regret to learn that he is critically ill

in the Bronte Hospital he has been a patient t seven weeks.

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