

Matador Tribune

MATADOR, MOTLEY COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1945

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Saturday Voting Plans Completed

Courthouse Issue To Be Decided By Tax-Payers; Large Vote Is Probable

RECORD "off-election-year" vote is probable in the \$175,000 courthouse bond issue election called for Saturday, November 17th. All election supplies have been sent to the eight voting precincts in Motley county, Judge W. R. Cammack declared early in the week. Two voting precincts have been eliminated in the past year. Darden Canyon was dissolved to vote with Roaring Springs and Fairview, now, votes, in Matador. Fairview box north of Highway 70 votes at the courthouse and south of the highway votes at the city hall.

Record vote was forecast by some observers here because of two factors which enter the election. Interest in the election is believed to be larger than that usually created by bond issues. Also it is the first county-wide election since the declaration of peace. It is believed that a larger-than-average vote may be expected as an indication of appreciation of the citizenship to servicemen for preserving the right to vote through their blood and sacrifices.

Civic leaders said that all qualified voters would register their opinions, regardless of their position on the issue, as a token of gratitude to those still in uniform and those who have served in keeping our American way of life; to decide issues with ballots.

LITTLE OPPOSITION SHOWN

It is believed the plan to vote \$175,000 in bonds at an interest rate of about 2 1/2%, for the construction of a modern, fireproof courthouse, may be approved by the tax-paying voters, since little opposition has been evidenced.

Urgency in the election at this time would save in the neighborhood of \$100,000 in increased interest costs over a period of 40 years, since "long-time" money for public construction is advancing rapidly and is expected to reach 4% by the first of the year, if not higher.

Present plans do not call for immediate construction of the courthouse but for the investing of the funds in bonds to be kept until building materials and labor are available and construction is considered logical. The old bond issue of \$80,000 which was voted in 1938, too late to receive WPA grant, will be absorbed in the present issue. The old bonds were never sold and no levy was placed on property for their retirement.

Since loss of the 40-year-old courthouse by fire in September 1944, a modern, new structure has been the top post-war project of a large part of the county's citizenship. After the advance started in interest rates, the Commissioners' Court felt that tax-payers had a right to vote their preference on the possibility of a \$100,000 interest saving. Public interest rose steadily until a petition was placed before the court asking that the bond election be called for Saturday.

War Fund Makes Slight Progress

Motley county is making slight progress in attaining its quota of \$2,250 for the National War Fund, according to J. R. Whitworth, treasurer. To date \$1,000 has been sent to the state headquarters with approximately \$400 remaining in the bank for the fund. Dumont community, which has only four families, has made unusual response, Mr. Whitworth declared. Two communities, Roaring Springs and Northfield have not reported any contributions.

HOWARD TRAWEEK HOME

Lt. Howard Traweck of the U. S. Navy Reserves, former County Attorney, returned home last Thursday from Camp Wallace on terminal leave, and will be placed on inactive duty January 4. He has been in service 3 years, 8 months.

He is making plans to open a law office in Matador in the near future, as soon as necessary equipment is available. His wife Mrs. Mary Dell Traweck is County School Superintendent of Cottle County.

VISITORS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Bradley have had as their guests, Mrs. Bradley's sister and her husband, Lt. and Mrs. G. C. Pryor of Dallas. Lt. Pryor, who has just received his discharge from the U. S. Navy left on Monday to return to Dallas, where his wife will join him Friday.

RETURNS TO CALIFORNIA

Mrs. Jimmie Worsham and small daughter, Sharon, left Wednesday of last week, to return to San Diego, Calif., after a month's visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Cooper. Her brother, J. B. Cooper, accompanied them as far as El Paso, Texas.

Miss Chloey Fulfer of Lubbock, spent the Armistice week-end holiday here with her mother, Mrs. W. M. Fulfer, and other relatives.

County Receives Additional Rain

Motley county and large area of West Texas received additional rainfall Friday, which slowed cotton gathering, caused the Matador-Floydada football game to be postponed, and benefitted young wheat.

Unofficial rainfall in Matador was declared between 1.25 and 1.50 inch. No report was received from other communities in the county other than the precipitation was general. Slow rain continued here thru most of the day and night.

Mrs. Claude Harp visited in Abilene last week with her mother, having accompanied Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Hamilton, who attended Methodist Conference.

Bond Quotas Reached By Four Communities

FOUR Motley county communities, Fairview, Darden Canyon, Flag Springs, and Bird, have reached their assigned quotas in the Victory Bond drive, according to Elmer Stearns, county chairman. However, the county is short more than \$18,000 of its \$50,000 in "E" bonds, Mr. Stearns declared.

Fairview had a quota of \$3,000 with sales of \$3,300, Darden Canyon had a quota of \$1,000 with sales of \$1,106, Bird community had a quota of \$750 with sales of \$825, and Flag Springs with a quota of \$1,000, reported sales in amount of \$1,106.25.

From latest reports yesterday, it was disclosed that Flomot had sold \$5,043.75 of its \$5,500 quota. Matador had reached sales of \$12,812.50 against a quota of \$15,000. Roaring Springs had sold \$3,018.75 on its quota of \$8,000. Barton, with \$2,000 quota, has reported sales of \$1,387.50. Whiteflat, with a quota of \$8,000, had reported sales of only \$675. Northfield, with a quota of \$3,000, had reported sales of only \$656.25.

White Star has sold \$1,125 on its quota of \$1,500. Lambert community with a quota of \$500 has reported no sales. Folley community, with a quota of \$750, has reported no sales and Dumont with a \$500 quota, has reported no sales. Total sales are \$31,431.25.

Excerpts from a letter by Mr. Stearns to community chairmen, mailed early this week, contained these statements: "We understand the going has been slow in some communities which are strictly agricultural. We do hope a spirit has been built up in these places, which will produce sales a little later. We are far enough in the drive to realize that the quota will not be easy, but at the same time realize that it is not impossible. Let us all be determined to reach the community goals."

Other Issues Selling
Mr. Stearns said that two buyers of other Victory securities besides "E" bonds, the Matador Land and Cattle Company and the Quannah, Acme & Pacific Railway, had assured him that they would purchase \$40,000 of the county \$60,000 quota of issues other than "E" bonds. The Matador ranch will purchase \$15,000 and the railroad will purchase \$25,000. Mr. Stearns said he felt confident that other regular purchasers of the large issues would reach the large bond quota. "Our problem," Mr. Stearns declared, "is selling sufficient 'E' bonds to reach \$50,000."

Regarding the Victory Bond drive is the following dynamic statement by W. M. Jeffers: "The sudden ending of the war shocked America into realization of the tremendous problems this country faces. 'The returning serviceman, the wounded, the disabled ask—what now?'"

"These men and women are the living arguments for the Victory Loan—a loan for people and not for guns."

"The American who bought bonds for the war should be grateful for the opportunity to buy bonds for victory—and peace."

Several Attend Conference
G. E. Hamilton, delegate for this church, and Mrs. Hamilton, also Rev. and Mrs. G. E. Turrentine attended Conference thru the week. Others who attended Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Whitworth and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ford. Misses Frances Schweitzer and Frances Bostick attended Young People's Assembly of the Conference, on Saturday.

Students Gather 150 Bales
Students of the Roaring Springs schools pulled 150 bales of cotton during the three weeks recess which will end Monday, according to superintendent Henry Teague. It is estimated that payment for the work will be approximately \$4,050. Because of favorable weather which has prevailed during the period, farmers of the community have derived much benefit from the student assistance, Mr. Teague declared.

Cotton crop conditions in Roaring Springs are better than any other section and farmers have been hard-pressed to secure help in the fields.

SHOW WELL ATTENDED
The free show which was presented for the benefit of Motley County servicemen and their families, Tuesday night at Rogue Theatre, as a courtesy of Fleming Post, American Legion, was well-attended according to D. C. Bradley, Post Commander.

Two interesting features were shown, one being a news-reef of a tour of German concentration camps. Also shown was the film "Springtime in the Rockies."

Matador Observes Armistice Quietly

In the absence of a planned community celebration, Armistice Day, which fell on Sunday this year, was observed quietly in Matador and other communities in the county, Monday.

The bank, postoffice and dry goods stores remained closed all day, with the grocery stores closing between the hours of 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. The Matador schools were dismissed at noon for a half-holiday.

Observance in a world at peace of the 27th anniversary of the Armistice which ended the first world war was marred by fighting in Indo-China, Java and Manchuria.

This was the first peacetime Armistice day for the United States, since 1941.

Relatives visiting here Sunday night and Monday, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Skaggs were two of Mrs. Skaggs' sisters with their husbands, and three nieces. They were, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd West of Quannah, and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Stringer and daughter, Tony Ann, Miss Yvonne Thomas, and Misses Janette and Laura Jane Thomas, all of Chillicothe.

Tribune Turns To Color Print

It is with considerable pride that the Tribune calls attention to the color advertisement of the Matador Drug on the back page and the headline on page one. It represents the fulfillment of a plan started about two years ago to procure a news press capable of printing color. The press was purchased in Milwaukee in May, 1944 and remained in storage here until last November, when it was placed in regular use.

The Tribune is one of only two or three weekly newspapers in the entire Panhandle capable of doing color printing. Several large dailies can use only one color.

An automatic feeder has been ordered for the press which will be installed within a few weeks, thus reducing much of the extra work required for more than one color printing. With the new equipment, the Tribune will be one of the most modern equipped weekly newspapers in Western Texas.

Use of the color is made possible by the skill and patience of Burrell Tipton, Tribune printer for eight years before he entered the Marine Corps, who returned last month after more than three years service.

Local Scout Troop Gains Membership

The local Boy Scout troop has increased its number by a whole patrol, which consists of eight members.

Much interest is being shown by the boys and several are gaining in advancement. Scoutmaster Tom Hamilton has informed the troop that a senior camp will be held at the Mamie Haine Scout Camp near Silverton, during the Christmas holidays, with R. J. Reynolds of Plainview in charge. The boys who visited this camp in the summer are looking forward with anticipation to the holiday encampment there.

Union Thanksgiving Will Be Observed In Matador

First peace-time Thanksgiving since 1941 will be observed in Matador next Thursday, November 22, with union church services to be held at 11 a. m. at the Methodist Church, and at the annual Thanksgiving football game scheduled for 2:30 p. m. Most business firms in town have announced that they will be closed thruout the day.

The morning Thanksgiving service became a custom several years ago and proven highly successful, with many out-of-town visitors in attendance.

Speaker for the occasion has not been named.

Businesses to Close

The following firms have indicated their intentions to close for the holiday: Harry Willett & Co., Matador Variety, Marvin's Cafe, Matador Hardware, Sanitary and City Barber Shops, Commercial Grocery, Western Dry Goods, Modern Cleaners, First State Bank, Vogue Beauty Shop, Spot Campbell's Food Market, Cash Gro., A. A. A. office, Cash Gro., City Bakery, Se-Homer Sheats, City Bakery, Selective Service, Bishop Burton-Stone, Miller & Miller, Burton-Lingo Lbr. Co., Higginbotham-Lingo Lbr. Co., Arch's Cafe, Bartlett Lbr. Co., West Texas Utilities, Campbell West, Matador Auto, V. J. Chev., Freeman Thacker, Bu-Skaggs, De Luxe Beauty Shop, Lane Co., De Luxe Beauty Shop, County Agent's office and C. W. Norrid's office.

MAIL DUST

By DUGLAS MEADOR

dry and rosy with the freshly washed glow of a winter sun, the long curtains were drawn and the light shone through a window. Another day had passed as soundlessly as leaves the wick of a candle.

of the quality of dried grass is in the man's face, the glow of the camouflage net in the brine of despair. In two score years have in a parade through the which is faced by his business. He watched the side walk torn apart to be with concrete and he high-heeled cowboy boots on the smooth, hard One day the hitch-post pulled out of the red clay set in the alley. He missed a drowsy saddle horse, the and teams and the iron-buggies. He stood in the and looked with amazement at the first automobile and its noisy way through and dust. The years fell leaves in the forest and he pointed their noses up. Fewer boots echoed sidewalk and the sound of spurs vanished like memory of a friendly voice. The asphalt covered the and mud-holes in the street, the wheels of newer and cars whined over it. Still had come to the man's and was climbing up when he walked outside looked with others at the of birds against blue sky, turned to his little unadorned world inside, sat down and applied a match to automatic pipe. His eyes are now. The world moves later on the street outside, ever his dreams may be, in the shade of yesterday's, must be rocked with content, for it is easier to wait life to pass than to keep up it.

ing something to say is important than the man in which we say it but as are the only clothes our rights ever possess. It re- no more material to then the effect with a prop-

is the child of inde- who met dominating as- while playing on the set lots of tomorrow.

requently in the raw, grat- hours of night when labor the light is revolting to lights dragged with drowsi- a sweet and soothing more awaits at the end of a cigarette. Perhaps it is but genuine pleasure is a vice.

the high notes are played the enchanted violin of love, but strings may break the dreams are still dancing.

the guide to happiness can be unless it contains in- for separating pleas- memories from those warp- with tears.

met one twilight beneath a palm tree on a quiet street near the great col- she had dropped a small of milk on the side walk I laughed. I picked up the book that had fallen to the shattered bottle and thanked me timidly. Her hand trembled. She told her father had died in Okla- and that she and her had moved west. It had his wish that she complete education. She did not mind scrub women in one of the office buildings down and she liked the long trips that provided her time to read and study.

never met again; there are many people on this be- loved star, but she will need sympathy. She had the rubble of poverty, found a rarest jewel.

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In the Armed Service



S/Sgt. Glenn L. Woodruff of Camp Shelby, Miss., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Woodruff.

Cpl. Loyd Latimer returned to Newark, New Jersey recently, after a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Latimer.

Pfc. Clifford A. Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Jones of Flomot, who has been in the Pacific for many months, is popular with his buddies, as evidenced by a letter which Mrs. Jones received recently

from his ex-platoon sergeant, Bill McLaughlin of Dorchester, Mass. The letter, in part, is as follows:

"Dear Mrs. Jones: This is the first opportunity I've had to write you, but belated as it is I wanted you to know what a fine boy you have in Clifford—we used to call him 'Jonesy'."

"He was in my platoon before I came home for discharge, and was one of my best friends in the troop. We went through a good deal together, and his wonderful sense of humor and

cool courage did much to keep us all from getting combat happy—he had the evenest temper of any man in the troop, and didn't have an enemy in the world.

"Just before I left the troop, I had the pleasure of recommending him for the Bronze Star Medal for bravery on Cebu. Whatever result that may have, I hope you'll take this letter as a personal citation of your boy by his ex-platoon sergeant and buddy. May you have him home with you in the very near future."

OAHU, T. H. (Special to the Tribune) Delmer Davis of Roaring Springs, has been promoted to the rank of Technician 5th grade with the 231st Ordnance H. A. M. Company at Schofield Barracks.

Corporal Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Davis of Roaring Springs, is the husband of Mrs. Sybil Davis, who resides in Denton with their children, Karen and Betty. Before entering the service in October 1944, Cpl. Davis was employed as a bus driver by the Panhandle Stage and Shuttle Service.

While on the mainland, he was stationed at the Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Md., where he attended automotive school in the wheel and half-track vehicle course. Since his arrival overseas three months ago, he has been working as a sheet metal worker in an ordnance maintenance shop.

Cpl. Davis has been making good use of his spare time, studying all manuals on maintenance and repair of trucks. While here, he met his brother, Eudell Davis.

After he is discharged, Cpl. Davis plans to own and operate a truck line dealing in livestock.

Pfc. W. T. Marshall, assigned to overseas duty, will remain in the states, following a change in orders his company received on the eve of sailing. At present his address is indefinite.

James R. Fish, A. S. U. S. N. R. medical student, has been transferred from Oxford, Miss., to Dallas, Texas.

Seaman Cleo C. Montgomery of the U. S. Navy, has been

spending a few days leave with his father at Flomot, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morris. Seaman Montgomery has served more than three years in the Pacific theatre of operations and has taken part in much action there. His original ship was sunk but he was among those rescued without injury and assigned to another vessel. He left Monday to report for duty again.

Pvt. J. A. Welch of Camp Roberts, Calif., is spending a few days furlough with his folks, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Welch of Flomot.

Dinner At Cockrell Home Honors Returned Servicemen

Seven servicemen recently returned from duty with the military forces were honor guests at a dinner given by Mrs. J. E. Cockrell at her home on Sunday, October 28.

Honor guests were J. B. Harlin, Vernon Chambliss, George Tiefel, Harold Harlin and Truett Allen of Portales, N. M.

Other guests were Miss Avis Matthews, Mrs. George Tiefel

FLOMOT TO PLAY SILVERTON FRI.

The Flomot football team added another victory to its string Thursday, by beating the Kress High School team at Kress, by a score of 40-8. Flomot took an early lead and was never seriously extended, to put over its eighth conference win.

The team faces its strongest test this week however, when it meets the Silverton Owls at Silverton. The game will be called on Friday afternoon at 2:30. Either a win or a tie game will give the district championship to Flomot, but a Silverton victory will force the championship into a play-off.

and daughter, Miss Thornton Shirley, Miss Glennis Cockrell of Amarillo, Mrs. Vernon Chambliss (the former Audrey Cockrell) and daughter and Mrs. Truett Allen and two sons of Portales, N. M.

—Hereford Brand



IN THE RULE BOOK?"

...hothall or business, Americans expect fair play...
...the referee is there to see that the game is played...
...the referee is the government, which establishes...
...government goes into business and competes with...
...the American tradition of fair play is set aside...
...then becomes a player, and he enjoys advantages...
...to all the other players in the game...
...owned electric power systems, for example, pay...
...then they need capital, they get your tax money at...
...interest from the U. S. Treasury. To cover operating...
...supposed political condition—you, as a taxpayer, will...
...managed power systems—unlike tax subsidized politi...
...do not have these special privileges. They are not...
...they pay their full share of taxes, pay fair interest...
...interest. Fortunately for you and your tax bill, over 80...
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Planning To BUILD OR REPAIR!

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We Will Gladly Furnish All Details
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80 Door Type Lockers Available
\$15.00 Per Year For Drawer Type
\$12.50 Per Year For Door Type

FROZEN FOOD LOCKERS Give You FRESH FOOD ALL YEAR

A COMPLETE LINE OF FINE GROCERIES AND FRESH MEATS

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Motley County Quota In "E" Bonds \$50,000

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MATADOR, TEXAS

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FOR SALE: Seed Wheat. See L. B. Robertson.

See the New 1946 **KELVINATOR REFRIGERATOR** now on display at Whiteflat Store.

FOR SALE: My farm of 640 acres, 500 acres in cultivation located 13 miles north of Matador. Reasonable price and reasonable down payment. Extra good terms on balance. Possession January 1, 1946. D. E. Pitts, Matador.

FOR SALE: 1936 Ford coupe with 1942 motor installed. A. F. Davis, Motley Hotel, Matador.

FOR SALE: One 1937 3-ton pick up just completely overhauled; new paint; good rubber.

L. B. Robertson.

WANTED: Ironing to do in my home. Mrs. Henry Thompson.

FOR SALE: Thoroughbred Hereford bulls. See Mitch Glenn at Matador Auto.

FOR SALE: One Majestic electric 5-ft. refrigerator. Good, silent, quick freeze. L. B. Robertson.

POULTRY RAISERS: More eggs in Fall & Winter. Feed Quick-Rid poultry tonic—a positive flock wormer, it repels all blood sucking parasites. It is good in the prevention of Roups & Colds, and is one of the best conditioners on the market. Try it. Guaranteed by your dealer. 1-46

FOR SALE: F-12 Tractor and equipment. A-1 condition. See J. L. Woodruff at Matador Auto Company.

Flomot News

(S. D. Rattan, Correspondent)

Mrs. Reece Kell has been on the sick list this week and has been taking treatments at Matador.

Bennie Pigg underwent a tonsil operation at Plainview Sanitarium Saturday. He is reported doing very nicely at present.

PIANOS! Another carload of reconditioned uprights arrived October 1st at each of our stores. Select yours now before our stocks are depleted. (YES we have pre-war Spinnettes and Midget uprights on our floor now). **MARY L. SPENCE MUSIC STORES**, 710 Broadway Street, Plainview, Texas; 1026 West 6th Street, Amarillo, Texas. 11-1; 12-6

Mrs. M. S. Patton Entertains Legion Auxiliary Monday

Mrs. M. S. Patton, president, entertained the American Auxiliary with a spaghetti supper Monday evening of last week.

This was a called meeting for the purpose of discussing the sale of poppies which was held Saturday. The Auxiliary also voted to donate \$25.00 on the purchase of the iron lung for Motley County, and to buy one \$25.00 bond.

The organization sponsors child welfare, rehabilitation and aid to the needy. All members are urged to pay their dues and any person eligible for membership may contact any member or officer. The dues are \$1.25 per year.

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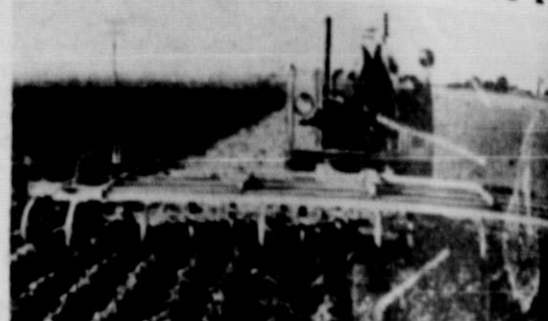
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MATADOR HARDWARE And Furniture Co.

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Reliable Ginners

We will be pleased for everyone to try us with a few bales of cotton. We need the seed so we can bring back cake and meal for the cattle of our country.

We do not charge you for handling your cotton in bale, as we pay you every cent we can sell it for.

I have had a bad eye for a month, and have been unable to drive out and see you personally. This is your invitation to bring your cotton to us, for I will sure appreciate the ginning and will be glad to talk with you and see how the year's crop is doing.

If you need hands I will try to help you, but so far, it has been hard to find held.

Yours truly,
WEST TEXAS GIN
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Spray now for winter protection, and again in the spring. Sold by the gallon, or in drums. We also have spray guns. 1 55-gal. drum will spray between 400 and 500 cattle. Duncan Oil Spray will save from 10% to 25% in your feed bill.

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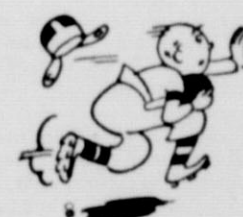
ANNUAL CLASSIC

Thursday, November 22nd

PADUCAH DRAGONS

VS

MATADOR MATADORS



GAME
CALLED
AT 2:30

BURLESON FIELD

Welcome Paducah, Our Friendly Rivals

THIS ADVERTISEMENT SPONSORED BY THE FOLLOWING FIRMS AND INDIVIDUALS :

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 Modern Cleaners
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 Matador Drug
 Campbell's Food Market
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 Jameson Machinery
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Texas To Get Share In Postwar Road Building Under Federal-Aid Planning

WASHINGTON—Those post-war government spending plans that you heard about all during the war are beginning to take shape, as Congress and government agencies get ready to spend huge sums of money in Texas to help ease the State through reconversion.

First to get the starting gun from Congress is the huge federal-aid highway construction

plan, approved during the war but delayed because of shortages of materials and man-power. By passage of a joint resolution, Congress has told the States to go ahead and start building the highway system that will be the finest in the world.

Under this program, \$28,765,649 in federal funds will be al-

lotted to Texas for each of three years. Matched on a fifty-fifty basis by the state, Texas' highway construction can amount to as much as \$172,593,895 during the three-year period. These funds are available immediately for the State Highway Department to go ahead with the plans it has worked out for the state's highway system.

Another program ready to get underway is that of the Army Engineers. The Engineers have announced that they are prepared to start work on a billion-and-a-half-dollar flood control

and rivers and harbors development plan, all of which has been authorized by Congress, but for which no money has been appropriated as yet.

Texas' share of this pot is \$122,269,300. The Army Engineers say that this fall they can get to work on \$22,725,700 worth of projects in Texas, and that by late next spring they will be able to finish the job to the tune of \$99,643,600 more.

However, the engineers are a little optimistic about the program getting started so soon. Sen. John Overton of Louisiana, chairman of the Senate Commerce subcommittee in charge of pushing the appropriations thru, says the most he hopes for this fall from Congress is \$140,000,000 in a deficiency appropriation bill. The Engineers want \$900,000,000 this fall.

Next Spring, Overton says, Congress will appropriate more money for the program in a regular appropriation bill. But not even then does he think it will be enough to get the whole program in swing next spring or for some time to come. Eventually, Congress is likely to appropriate all the money asked for, since it has already been authorized, but the legislators are just a little reluctant to do it all at once, according to Overton.

Another program now in the making came out of the Federal Works Agency. FWA wants to build \$193,000,000 worth of public buildings throughout the nation to improve the efficiency of the federal government and to stall off any slump in the building industry. Of this, over \$35,000,000 will be slated for postoffices and other federal buildings in 235 Texas cities, provided Congress approves the plan and appropriates the money.

Last on the list is the National Housing Agency's renewed low-cost housing program. RHA is going ahead with all programs it had planned before the war which were halted by Pearl Harbor and the shortage of materials. NHA wants to spend some \$92,981,000 on low rent housing throughout the nation of which \$2,805,000 would go to Texas for 690 housing units. This plan includes \$200,000 for 52 units in Eagle Pass; \$363,000 for 72 units in Fort Worth; \$1,398,000 for 348 housing units in Houston; \$350,000 for 90 units in Bryan; and \$494,000 for 128 units in Del Rio.

The agency also hopes that Congress will let them spend some \$1,100,000 more on housing that has been requested by communities all over the country. This housing is not the low-rent type, but goes for the regular economic prices.

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Announcement is made that the Whiteflat Home Demonstration Club members will entertain their husbands and children with a Christmas party for the December meeting instead of the regular afternoon meeting.

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