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With Fine Statement


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## [This Bank Was Chartered July 11, 1890 <br> COMPARATIVE DEPOSITS

| June 30, 1939 | $\$ 349,927.28$ |
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| June 30, 1940 | $\$ 374,838.23$ |
| June 30, 1941 | $\$ 425,430.02$ |
| June 30, 1942 | $\$ 522,474.77$ |
| June 30, 1943 | $\$ 803,358.78$ |
| June 30, 1944 | $\$ 1,052,185.36$ |
| June 30, 1945 | $\$ 1,330,968.81$ |
| June 29, 1946 | $\$ 1,594,026.32$ |



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## BobWagstaff Is Qualified


R. M. (BOB) WAGSTAFF

In electing Bob Wagstaff to represent it in Congress, the 17 th District will send to Washington a man who is well qualified for the office.
He is a native Texan, born and raised in Abilene. 53 years of age, and was educated at Hardin-Simmons University and the University of Texas Law School. He is and standing in his profession.
He enlisted as a private in the infantry, and in World War I commanded a company in the 142nd Infantry, 36th Division. Veterans of World War II will find in him a man who understands their problems.
He represented his District in the 42nd and 43rd Legislatures. He was the author or joint author of the oil and gas conservation laws under which the Rairroad Commission regulates the production of oil and gas; the act transferring funds for the payment of Confederate pensions: laws relating to the leasing and sale of Public School Lands; the act giving cities and towns prior rights to the use of the water of Texas rivers in preference to public utilities, power companies and irrigation; and the first act creating the Big Bend Park System in far West Texas.
In addition to the above he also took a prominent part in the legislation for the assumption of the County Road Bond out of the gasoline tax. He was appointed Chairman of the House Committee which wrote the bill, and was appointed a member of the Conference Committee which appoined a member of he Conference Comer which the
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Bond,
There is no substitute for experience. Bob Wagstaff has the nececuary experience to make the 17th District a runt Congmine.

> Send Wagstaff
> To Washington

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by Miss Stella Jones, Local Correspondent Kem

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## We Are Here To Serve You

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A limited number of attic fans are available now for immediate installation. See your electric appliance dealer or this com. pany for full information arer or this com pany for full information about this low
cost way to summer comfort

## Personals．

Babe Horton of San Antonio
spent the week end here with his $\begin{gathered}\text { Miss } \\ \text { Texas，}\end{gathered}$ wife wid sons，Ralph and David．


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    A Statement of Price Policy on PURINA CHOWS
    It is true that our prices on Purina Chows have increased since the end of OPA ceilings on July 1 .

    BUT
    $\qquad$. This increase in the price of Purina Chows is not as large as the increase in ingrectient
    to $P$ Purina.
    .. The new prices on Purina Chows do not include a single cent per bag or per ton more proft for Purina. The proft margins on Purina Chows have never been up to the full amount allowed under OPA and will not be raised now to margins previously permitted.

    WE ARE PROUD TO FOLLOW PURINA'S POLICY
    As authorized Purina dealers we are pledging ourselves to follow the manufacturer's lead. We know that our first responsibility is to our customers - we want to keep feed prices down as much as possible. We are not increasing our margins - we will not be short-sighted and take advantage of the present situation at your expense.
    True, feed prices will go up or down as prices of ingredients vary - but we promise as always to do our best to supply all the Purina Chows we can get at the best price possible.

