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## 4 NEGLECTED COUNTIES ORGANIZE '7-UP' ASSN.

### LAYING CORNERSTONE NEW BAPTIST CHURCH SET FOR FEB. 9

Following the highway meeting held locally Tuesday morning at the Regal Theatre, Judge Floyd Zeigler also called a quadruplet county meeting at Evant for yesterday morning at 10:30 at which time the Highway 7 Association of Mills, Hamilton, Coryell and McLennan Counties was organized, with Evant Brooks and D. H. Carter both of Evant being named respectively Chairman and Secretary.

Delegates from the different counties named as Directors, Raymond Little of Mills, Judge Floyd Zeigler of Coryell, Judge J. C. Barrow of Hamilton and Louis R. Marsh of McLennan, with alternates to be named by the directors.

Motion was made and passed that the Secretary notify the State Highway Department that the association wished a completed survey, and that as far as could be certified by the Commissioners' Courts of the respective counties that the right-of-way was purchased and available for immediate construction with the exception of a small stretch in Mills County, and, that if no other arrangements could be made, that the Department be asked to purchase this with a view of completing the highway as soon as practicable.

Evant citizens, particularly Evant Brooks and D. H. Carter, proved to be the "ace hostesses" by furnishing a splendid turkey dinner to the complete entourage of the "7-Up Association."

Delegates seemed to be in complete accord, and concentration on Highway 7, by all members present seemed to be the sentiment, especially when informed, that the importance of this trunk highway had been brought to the attention of the Highway Commission, and that they have indicated that this will prove one of their pet projects during 1936, this year.

Members or delegates from Mills County were H. G. Bodkin, J. R. Little, W. E. Pence, J. E. Perkins, T. P. Bowman and Dow Hudson.

McLennan County was represented by L. Mathis, Henry Ervingdale, Louis Marsh, R. B. Buchanan, George Jones, L. C. Alexander, Manton Hanna, W.

#### MARKET REPORT

(As of Jan. 23)

Mohair	25c to 35c
Wool	23c
Wheat	75c
Pecans	33
Corn, shelled	56c
Ground Corn	75c
Corn, ear	45c
Oats, sacked	22c
Oats, loose	20c
Cream, No. 1	27c
Cream, No. 2	25c
Cottonseed, ton	\$27
Eggs	14c
Hens	11c to 13c
Fryers	12c
Roosters	6c

#### Dist. Attorney Allen Makes Announcement To District Voters

To the Citizenship of Coryell County:

In connection with my announcement for the office of district attorney, I want to thank my friends, both old and new, for the courtesy shown me and the officers and attorneys and all those who have co-operated with me in my work and made my duties pleasant since my brief services began in this county. Your reputation as a hospitable people is well deserved.

Having held the office only a few months by appointment, I am naturally ambitious to receive an elective term by the votes of the people of the district. No attorney can afford to give up a private practice and lose his clients for a few months in office, and if I can so perform my duties as to meet with your approval and receive your support in the coming primary election, it will be gratifying to me.

I realize that the office of district attorney is an important office to the people, especially in these troubled times when crime is so prevalent. Your officers who have to do with the punishment and prevention of crime are on "picket duty" as it were, to guard your community from invasion by the criminal army. We owe you the duty to stand guard with watchfulness and care. It shall be my earnest desire, however, arduous the task may be, to battle effectively against crime, so long as I hold a commission as district attorney.

I have no enemies to punish or friends to reward, but have only a desire to do my duty as a "hired hand" of the State of Texas.

If you see proper to elect me I will do my best to prosecute crime vigorously and to discourage it, to the end that your life and your property and your peace maybe secure, and the happiness of your homes which

V. Crawford, George Wolf and Ben Adams.

Hamilton County's representatives from the city were James Bolding, R. C. Williams, Leland Aiton, Judge J. C. Barrow, A. B. Rigley and Floyd Campbell.

Coryell was represented by R. W. Brown, Floyd Zeigler, C. E. Alvis, J. M. Witcher, Ed Melbern, Pat Olsen, J. Y. Hamilton, Evant Brooks, D. H. Carter, Olin Sydow, W. E. Lasseater, Pat Holt, Miller Stinnett; "Doc" Shepherd, Dick Payne, Lewis Holmes, B. L. Morrison, Marvin E. Fletcher, George Painter, Fred Prewitt, Charlie Mounce, Fred Chamlee, L. B. Brown, Ed Preston, Claude Wallace, Cliff Rankin, Ed Foster; K. Ament, Guy Powell, Ed. McMordie, Frank Williams, Mat Jones, Joe Hanna and Bud Rivers.

#### DR. C. R. BAILEY ELECTED PRESIDENT OF CENTRAL TEXAS DENTAL ASSN.

Dr. C. R. Bailey of this city was elected President of the Central Texas Dental Association meeting held in Temple last Thursday night at the Kyle Hotel. Gatesville is indeed proud of the honor bestowed upon Dr. Bailey by the dentists of Central Texas. This association meets four times each year, and the next meeting will be held in Gatesville sometime in April of this year. Other officers for the association that were elected are Dr. C. F. Russell of Waco as secretary-treasurer, Dr. E. R. Zellner of Cameron became president-elect, and Dr. S. E. G. McDonald of Mart was elected vice-president.

#### PAY YOUR POLL! AND—OTHER TAXES

Things are shaping up for one of the biggest election years we have witnessed during our lifetimes, and voters who do not meet the requirements and go and see Dave Culberson (for the county) and Fred Prewitt (for the city), are going to gnash their teeth to no avail, unless this is done before February 1.

So far, according to late information from the City Hall, only 154 Poll Taxes have been paid, leaving approximately 450 more to be paid, if the full poll for the city is in.

As for the County, information from that source is to the effect that 1,625 County and State polls have been paid, leaving approximately 2500 unpaid, and this is far short, but they say that this shortage is no alarm and that the biggest rush comes on the last moment.

Anyway, January 31, is the deadline. Pay your Poll!

#### YODELING EXPERT TAMES LIONS AT LUNCH WED.

Johnnie Pearson, guitarist, ballad singer, and yodler deluxe, tamed a den of wild Lions Wednesday when practically all business was at a stand-still, while he was doing his maneuvers.

Another visitor was Travis Laxson of the State Juvenile and Training School.

you love, may be undisturbed. I will treat each case without animus or prejudice, realizing that it is as much the duty of a district attorney to protect the innocent as it is to convict the guilty.

Each word spoken in my behalf will be greatly appreciated. H. W. ALLEN. (Political Adv.)

#### 'American Guide' Seeks Material on City and County WPA Project

Included among the projects of the professional and service projects division of the Works Progress Administration, are the writer's projects. The most important of these is the project known as the American Guide, officials say.

The American Guide is to be published in five regional volumes, arranged by states and is intended to answer the need for a comprehensive description of the United States. It undertakes to provide tourists with comprehensive descriptive material on the scenic, historical, colorful, unique and recreational points of interest in the country; for the student, author and research worker the guide will compile rich source material of cultural, economic and historical value; and, most important of all, for the average citizen who cannot afford to travel extensively yet is interested in all resources of his country, the guide will provide in simple language a medium to acquaint him with every section of this vast country. The guide, by assembling material now scattered in various sources will present information

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#### THREE GRASS FIRES IN A WEEK SHOW FIRE HAZARD HERE

Three calls for the fire boys this week to grass fires, show the ever present danger of this hazard, the first coming early in the week on the vacant lot behind the Ralph Hendrickson home on Leon street.

Two calls were made for the fire boys Thursday, the first across from Brown's gin, and was a grass fire. The second, was grass burning at the Ed Lengefeld home, in front and under the house.

#### CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR VISITS CITY THIS WEEK

Senator Roy Sanderford, who has announced as a candidate for Governor of Texas, was in the city during the week, was meeting friends and making acquaintances. Senator Sanderford was a caller at the News office and expressed his appreciation of past favors done him by citizens of this county.

#### COURT MOVES SLOWLY THIS WEEK, 1 CASE FINISHED;

During the week in District Court, the case of Martha Jane Jones, estate, deceased, vs. P. F. Jones, Executor has been the headliner, consuming practically the whole week; a civil case concerning a will.

This case went to the jury at 10 p. m. Wednesday night and verdict returned late Thursday in favor of plaintiff

Publicity Chairman, J. M. Witcher has just released the announcement that the cornerstone of the new First Baptist Church of this city will be laid February 9, the second Sunday in the month. A special committee composed of Dan. E. Graves, J. M. Witcher and Mrs. J. D. Brown was named to arrange a special program for the occasion.

Committee meetings were held during the past week, and resulted in the acceptance of the church by the committee. Birch D. Easterwood, architect, and C. C. Ramsey, contractor, presented the building to the committee.

Next Sunday morning the committee will formally present the church to the members, when final acceptance will be made.

Committees this week have not hesitated to express their satisfaction in the progress of the building program from the beginning, and the financial committee has the response from everyone concerned.

Seats or pews, which are not a part of the building contract will be placed within the next three weeks, and a formal opening date will be announced later.

#### AUTO LICENSES GO ON SALE FEB. 15

Licenses for automobiles will probably go on sale around Feb. 15, but new licenses may not be used until March 1. According to the new law, licenses must be purchased before April 1 or a 20 per cent penalty will be attached to the regular tax.

The purpose of this postponement of deadline for automobiles is plainly to be seen in the tax offices. By the time licenses go on sale, the other departments of tax collecting will be cleared of most of its work.

#### PURMELA PEOPLE PLEASE POPULACE PLEASANTLY POIGNANT PLAY

"Ready Made Family" was the treat a play presented at Purmela last week, and again at Levita this week by a cast of players from the Purmela community.

Scene of the play, or rather the story, was about a widow and widower with children, who were trying to smooth over their marriage with their respective children, and a whining sister, and two colored servants, furnishing a plot that rocked the houses with laughter and applause.

Stars in the cast were too many to mention, but if the play is presented again, we'd personally advise you to see it.

Visitors to Gatesville Wednesday were Supt. H. T. Johnson of the Methodist Orphanage, Ex-Lieut. Governor Edgar E. Witt, C. W. Pofford and Mr. Cooper, all of Waco.



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## EDITORIAL

This Week's Thought  
by  
**VOICE OF EXPERIENCE**

**If one respects one's self, the respect of others will follow.**

### REJUVENATION

Now, the highways are in the air again. After practically going into hibernation for some months, the situation is again blossoming. As mysterious as it all is, this rejuvenation is all too good to us.

Highway 7, is the battle cry now, and with a local meeting Tuesday morning at one of the local theatres, a meeting yesterday at Evant, with representatives from four counties participating we certainly trust this time, it's not going to be bluff and re-election propoganda, but that something will really be done in a material, and not an aesthetic way, in getting some "concrete" work done on the concrete.

Committees, or rather a central committee, has been appointed including the County Judge, one Commissioner, two from the Chamber of Commerce and one from the Lions' Club. With these men rests the future destiny and in fact, they are charged with the responsibility of getting "the job done."

It's not a committee job, so let's don't throw rocks at them, but when called on, and if not called on, let's give them a big hand, put ourselves to the task with the idea of COMPLETING THE FIRST PAVED HIGHWAY IN CORYELL COUNTY IN HER PICTURESQUE HISTORY OF THE LAST 75 YEARS.

**VICTORIA HAS PAGEANT FOR CENTENNIAL, APRIL 15**

Victoria, Jan. 21.—A Field Mass will be held in Mass and Pageant, on April 15, will be Victoria's contribution to Texas Centennial observances in an all day celebration. A Field Mass will be held in the morning with trips to his-

toric spots in and around Victoria. A pageant will be held in the evening depicting 100 years of Texas history and 112 years in Victoria.

April 15, 1689, was the date when Alonzo De Leon landed near the "Big River," as his diary expresses it. Mass was said and the river was named Guadalupe in honor of the patron Saint. De Leon had been sent as an agent of Spain to claim the first white settlement made in Texas, established by La Salle, a French explorer, four years previously. One of the first progressive steps made by the new settlers was a line of missions built across Texas.

### NATIONAL DAIRY SHOW TO BE IN DALLAS IN OCT.

Dallas, Jan. 23—The National Dairy Show, one of the great cattle exhibitions of America will be held at the Texas Centennial Exposition in October. Directors of the National Dairy Association meeting at Chicago this week voted to make their twenty-seventh annual show a feature of the Lone Star State's birthday celebration in Dallas which starts June 6.

This great showing of dairy cattle will be held in the million dollar live stock and agricultural section of the Exposition grounds. The premium list will be the most attractive ever offered for a show of its kind.

Charles L. Hill, State Commissioner of Agriculture for Wisconsin, President of the Association, and Secretary Lloyd Burlingham are enthusiastic over building progress on the model agricultural and live stock section of the Exposition which is now almost complete.

Future farmers of America and 4-H Club boys and girls from all parts of the Southwest will visit the Exposition and witness the judging of the 1,000 fine dairy cattle which will be entered in the show.

### FUNERAL SERVICES FOR MRS. MOLIE HINESLEY GRIBBLE

Molie Hinesley Gribble was born in Bell County February 7, 1896. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hinesley, moved to Coryell County when she was 9 or 10 years old. She has lived her entire life here in the county. In her teens she joined the Missionary Baptist Church at Carden, where her membership was at the time of her death.

She was married to B. M. Gribble, July 10, 1921. To this union were born eight children, five girls and three boys, all living.

She was a kind mother and loving wife, to know her was to love and admire her, she had a kind word and sweet smile for everyone.

She is survived, besides her

husband and children, her mother, three sisters and two brothers. Mrs. D. J. Wills, Artesia, N. M., Mrs. J. J. Dankworth, Mrs. Shirley Bates, Gatesville, W. G. Hinesley, Weleetka, Okla. and Herman Hinesley, Gatesville, besides a host of friends and loved ones. She did not have much of this world's goods but she had treasures in heaven where she now is.

One who knew her.

### CARD OF THANKS

We take this method of thanking our many friends during the illness and death of our dear wife, mother and daughter. Especially are we thankful for the services rendered by Dr. R. J. and J. T. Brown, and the beautiful floral offerings. May God's richest blessings rest upon you.

B. N. Gribble and children

Mrs. C. B. Hinesley and children

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Gribble and children.

### CARD OF THANKS

We use this method of extending our thanks and sincere appreciation to each of those who offered sympathy or assisted us during our hours of sorrow caused by the sudden death of our loved one, Gordon A. Davis.

We cannot find words with which to express our feelings, but only hope that when bereavement comes your way, you may have just such friends as these.

Mrs. Gordon Davis and sons

Mrs. Hattie Davis

J. M. Davis

M. E. Davis

H. D. Davis

## BY PHILOSOPHY by BEAN E.V. WHITE

TEXAS STATE COLLEGE for WOMEN (CIA)

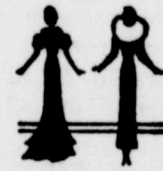
Don't expect appreciation for all the good you do.

Some people look innocent when they are about to be mean.

When you throw yourself away, don't expect others to pick you up.

Don't let the milk of human kindness sour.

### How's Your Etiquette?



What constitutes bad manners in public assemblages?

Loud, or even not so loud, talking and laughter, noisy coughing or throat-clearing, rattling programs or papers, fidgeting, crunching candies during the performances, putting the feet on a seat in front. Anything that might be disturbing.

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## PAY YOUR City Taxes Now

Friday, Jan. 31, 1936, is the last day for payment of 1935 City taxes, without penalty. Pay your taxes and save this penalty.

CITY OF GATESVILLE

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# The History of Coryell County

By FRANK E. SIMMONS

Authorized by County Commissioners, as Official History for Texas Centennial Celebration.



## ORGANIZING CORYELL COUNTY

The territory, now known as Coryell County, during the days of the Texas Republic, had begun to attract bold pioneers, who were seeking new lands.

In 1835, before Texas had gained her independence from Mexico, a Mr. F. R. Follett had made a location in the county. In 1836, the year of Independence, James Hudson made a location. Then for two years exploration ceased, but in 1838 Major Geo. B. Erath, with a company of Rangers, of which James Coryell was a member, resumed surveying and locating lands to be occupied later. In 1838 this surveying party made locations for the following named parties: N. Robertson, C. Swearing, W. C. McCain, James Coryell, R. D. Hicks, F. Grimes, Ed Norton, Chris Casanoba, Alfonzo Casanoba, Antonio Arveha, W. H. King, David Mumford, James Robinett, Benjamin Bryant, Stephen Easton, William Isaacs, John Teal, A. D. Orr, David Ayers, H. L. Marshall, Richard Graham, Elias Marshall, Benjamin Granville, John Yows, William Townsend, Benjamin Doolittle, J. B. Lynch, A. S. Thearston, C. Cruse, Joseph Simmons, C. Rockwell, Francis Zelener, Squire Haggard, George Buchman, J. M. Hill, Thomas Bertong, N. W. Hackworth, Joseph Robins, Sam Lawrence, G. W. Rowels, L. Hanum, John Logan, A. S. Austin, James Butterworth, F. Zelener, W. Y. McFarland, George Buchannon, W. F. Ken.

The 40's showed an increase in homestead locations. In 1840 came J. C. Reed, W. Coony, Robert Brown, M. R. Harris, M. Hoop, W. Marshall, Jesse Powers, G. S. Stokes, Benjamin Richey, F. A. Wilson, T. Norris, T. J. Muse, J. Ayola, T. Hensworth, H. W. Jones, W. R. Curry, F. W. Thornton, S. Gordon, J. Hollingsworth and J. R. Cradick.

In 1841 came Sam Bluff, J. W. Heeler, C. Freeland, Joseph Merrill, B. D. Smith, S. Huffman, C. G. Manning, A. Reeder, L. B. Weedon, James Cooper, F. Wilhner, J. Clements, E. W. Taylor and J. Guiser.

In 1842 came the McCosley heirs, T. W. House, H. Wilson, C. M. Hubby, S. Rice, J. Smith, J. Seckill, J. Murry and J. Walmsley.

In 1844 came William Thompson, P. Kindall, A. S. Flury, W. Cornwall, J. Winn, Joseph Vanney, W. J. Wells, Benjamin Bustin, F. Lopez, M. Remires, D. Rochiguez, G. M. Cormonia, Luther Smith, Arthur Wells, B. E. Bee, Jesse Cliff, W. J. Scott, H. Holcomb, H. Teibout, Alex Thompson, Hugh Wilson, R. G. McCutcheon, I. S. Roberts, D. Sherman, T. McKernon, J. P. Rice, N. R. Mullen, H. Higgins, N. A. Gee, H. Reiley, J. Grey, S. Sherman, Phil Coe.

The 1845 surveys were made by A. Caruthers as follows: J. Humrick, E. C. Woodruff, J. Smith, T. J. Cozley, N. P. Mounding, W. B. Munn, W. D. Thompson, N. Kavanaugh, J. O. Whitefield, C. J. C. Lockhart, H. V. Roberts, Wm. Connelly, R. P. Oden, J. W. Adkins, H. M. Schley, J. C. Rogers, E. Curd, M. H. Gunter, J. Y. Savage, W. B. Tate, J. M. McLaughlin, Robert Brewster, Ann Gun, John Vermillion, J. P. House, A. W. Moore, H. Smith, James Bailey, B. M. McDaniels, Green DeWitt, H. Mordorf, T. W. Nibbs, Washington Anderson, J. F. Bueno, J. T. P. Irvine, T. H. Eaton, R. W. Covett, and George Bond.

In 1846 came M. H. Breedlove, G. Casuelas, Mary Rolms, A. S. Lewis, W. L. Sawyers, B. McClure, A. H. Jordon, Arch Wynns, W. Jolly, S. G. Hart, Arthur Lynne, L. J. Latham, Matt Burke, J. W. Santer, J. Shackelford, G. H. Kellogg, J. W. Benedict, J. K. Booker, H. H. Collier, J. W. Cruger, H. Hubbell, Richard Carter, Paul Philon, David Cameron, V. Hazil, Daniel Young, E. J. Parker, J. B. Woods, C. J. Williams, W. Whitehead, J. Houston, J. W. Asberry, A. W. Gates, J. H. Bernard, T. W. Carter.

No settlements were made by the pioneers at the time their headrights were located. The country at that time was unprotected. The nearest military posts were Fort Milam at the Brazos Falls and Fort Griffin at the Three Forks on the Little River. The Mexican war of 1846-48 came and pioneering ceased until Fort Gates was established in 1849.

In 1845 Texas, by her choosing, became a member of the sisterhood of the United States. The proposition of annexation was left to a vote of the citizens of Texas. At the time of the election, Major Erath had been scouting and surveying up the Bosque and returned by way of Hog Creek. Let us now quote Maj. Erath, "On our return, the day of election for annexation and adoption of

the constitution came on. We had an order from the Chief Justice with us, and we opened the polls high up on Hog Creek in a part of the country now Coryell County." Thus before Coryell County had a white population, political elections were being held within what is now her borders.

The Mexican war saw the vast territory of Texas without frontier protection. Upon the return of U. S. soldiers from that war, a chain of forts were established to protect the settlers from Indians, especially Comanche and Kiowa.

In the Fall of 1849, a detachment of U. S. soldiers marched up the Leon River to establish Fort Gates. We will here quote from a letter received from the Adjutant General, James F. McKinley, bearing the date March 19, 1935, in answer to our request for information regarding Fort Gates:

"\* \* \* the records show that Fort Gates, Texas, was situated on the north bank of the Leon River above the mouth of Coryell Creek, north of Austin, Texas. It was established October 26, 1849. It was named in honor of Major C. R. Gates, 4th United States Infantry. It was authorized on September 2, 1849, per orders No. 62, 8th Military Department."

With assured protection from the Comanche, settlers began to come into the country. In 1849 Thomas Scott settled below Fort Gates and to his wife was born Joel Scott (formerly of Purmela), probably the first child born of white parentage in what is now Coryell County.

In 1853, the following lived near Fort Gates: Robt. and Prior Childress, Daniel Moore, Thomas Griffin, J. L. Montgomery, Reuben Queen, Thomas Bertroug, T. H. Robinson, J. C. Russell, B. Hood, Jesse Howell, James Kell, R. G. Grant, O. Y. Tyler, McKay Dalrumple, and Hugh Sheridan, a discharged soldier.

These early settlers, with a few others about the Fort, furnished the troops with corn, hay, beef, and such other supplies as could be produced in the settlement.

The houses of the settlers were built of logs, with cedar poles for rafters. The roofs were made of riven oak boards. We are told that R. G. Grant's first trading station had a roof of bear skins. The little farms were fenced with rails. For comfort and utility, the houses had stone fireplaces, and it was on the fires of these fireplaces that most of the cooking was done.

On the Cowhouse too, there was a settlement made by Thomas Kinsey and family. Mr. Pidcoke had been there before and returned and established a ranch. There were others to the number of about 25 persons.

On Rainy Creek there were: William Miller, Thomas Warren, C. C. Sadler, Mr. McClinton, James Hicks, A. Flannery, James McGee, a Mr. Templeton, and others whose names have been forgotten.

Near Eagle Springs was Mr. Culpepper, Harvey Howard and Bob Barron, the two latter had drifted from the California Gold Rush of 1849. There were others near Eagle Springs and on Station Creek. Then came the Hammacks, B. W., William, Lemuel and W. W. with D. A., brothers, with families. They had with them fourteen negroes, and there were already ten slaves in the (Continued on Page 7.)

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### PANCAKE NEWS

Rev. Kin Turner, who has been living at Turkey for the past several years, has moved back and will reside near Turnersville.

George Vandiver visited with Mrs. Henry Brown of Gatesville this week. Mrs. Brown is very sick.

We are glad that D. L. Grayham has recovered from pneumonia, and doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Pancake visited Mr. Tom Hobin and Mr. Layton McDonald of Turnersville last Wednesday night. Both are very sick.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Jones left Monday to visit his brother and sister at Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Reynolds of Troy are visiting his son, Charles Reynolds, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cloud attended the game at Temple Friday night.

Mrs. Gordon Barrow of Hamilton was a guest in the Jack Mann home last week.

The Woman's Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. J. A. Mayhew Monday.

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CORN ON THE COB... Remove husks... the corn and wash it in a little water.

rumbs to make 1 pint when the water is pressed out; mix with the seasonings and butter. Cut off the stem end of each pepper, remove all fibres and seeds and fill peppers with the prepared dressing.

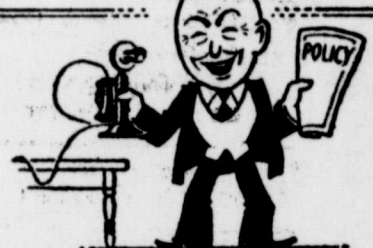


Texas has the world's deepest oil well, which well is also the largest single producer in the world. Texas has more miles of pipeline than any other state.

GOOD NEWS



Double Insurance The fire at Tom Fink's bungalow did very little damage this morning. Tom says the fire boys pulled up in front of the house almost before he hung up the telephone after calling them. We asked Tom if he had insurance. He said "Yes, two kinds. A policy to pay for the loss, and a telephone to get help in a hurry!"



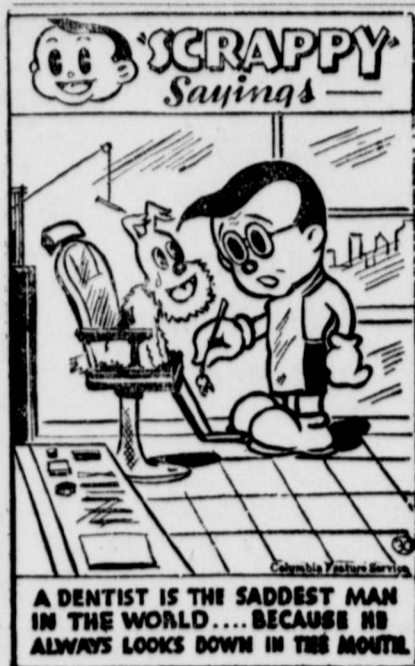
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**POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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- For State Senator  
**W. A. SHOFNER**  
(Of Bell Co.)
- For Representative, Dist. 94:  
**EARL HUDDLESTON**  
(Re-election)  
**JOHN MEDLIN**  
**JOHN E. MILLER**
- For District Attorney, Dist. 52:  
**H. W. ALLEN**  
Of Hamilton County  
(Re-election)  
**C. C. HAMPTON**  
(Of Comanche Co.)
- For District Clerk, District 52:  
**P. M. POST**  
(Re-election)  
**EVAN J. SMITH**
- For County Judge:  
**FLOYD ZEIGLER**
- For Sheriff:  
**JOE WHITE**  
(Re-election)
- For County Attorney:  
**C. E. ALVIS, JR.**
- For County Clerk:  
**C. P. (Charlie) MOUNCE**  
(Re-election)  
**MARVIN E. FLETCHER**
- For Assessor-Collector:  
**DAVE CULBERSON**  
(Re-election)
- For County Treasurer:  
**O. L. BRAZZIL**  
**I. R. (Ira) FRANKS**  
**B. L. (Ben) MORRISON**
- For Commissioner, Beat 1:  
**EMMITT TURNER**  
**H. E. (Ed) PRESTON**  
(Re-election)
- For Commissioner, Beat 2:  
**H. J. LEONHARD**  
**W. E. HOLCOMB**  
(Re-election)  
**C. W. BRAZZIL**  
**J. R. BATES**
- Commissioner, Beat 3:  
**N. E. JAYROE**  
(Re-election)  
**W. T. (Bill) BANNISTER**  
**HARRY JOHNSON**  
**ERNEST GOHLKE**
- For Commissioner, Beat 4:  
**OAD PAINTER**  
**J. F. WEAVER**
- For Justice Peace, Prec. 1:  
**A. SHIRLEY**  
(Re-election)
- For Constable, Precinct No. 1:  
**GEO. R. HODGES**

**PERSONALS**

Mr. and Mrs. Turk Brown were recent visitors in Waco.

B. H. Melbern spent one day last week with his son, W. H. Melbern, in Houston.

Mesdames Pat Holt, E. G. Beerwinkle and Miss Orpa Mayo were Waco visitors Tuesday.

Victor Harper of Oglesby was a business visitor to Gatesville last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Arnold were among the Waco visitors Wednesday.

Clay McClellan of Waco spent the first of the week in Gatesville attending to legal business.

Mrs. Addie McGuire is visiting friends and relatives in Mexia this week.

Martha Claire Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown, has been ill the past week.

Miss Ruth Grimes, who is a member of the faculty, is confined to her bed with Scarlet Fever.

Mrs. Addie Mae Howe, District Home Supervisor, of Waco visited the Resettlement Office Wednesday.

H. E. Poston of Poston Bros. and Britain, is attending a Teachers School in Dallas this week.

Mr. Everett Gooch of Marble Falls has been visiting his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gooch.

Jack Reesing, who has been confined to his bed with a serious case of the flu, is slowly improving.

Mrs. G. C. Atkins, who has been visiting her father, John Gilmer, left Monday for her home in Houston.

Ruth Raby Franks and Johnnie Bradford returned Wednesday from Winters where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Velda Bradford.

Mr. Howard Franks, who has been connected with Perry Bros. Store in Mineral Wells, has been transferred to Stamford.

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**CLEAR CREEK NEWS**  
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Norris and Doris Allman visited their sister, Mrs. Felix Wick, of Eliga over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Diserens visited J. C. Graham of Maple last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cannon visited Mr. Jeff Allman and family over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Hopson with Mr. and Mrs. John E. Miller, visited in the W. E. Sikes home Sunday.

Among those moving into the community are Mr. Kattner and family of Copperas Cove, and Mr. and Mrs. Troy Clem.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Blackwell of Valera, Texas, were week end visitors of Mr. Leonard Landrum, Mrs. Ollie Bennett and two daughters of Baird, Texas accompanied them on their visit.

The time for mid-term exams is at hand for the teachers and pupils of Clear Creek. We have had a very successful term so far and hope the next few months will be just as successful.

Mr. C. L. Thompson has been ill the past week.

Mildred Patillo and Fred Mika visited in Ballinger and San Angelo last week end.

Hon. H. A. Price of Dallas attended to Legal business in Gatesville the last of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Burrage of Waco were Gatesville visitors several days this week.

Mrs. Ted Pollard and daughter, Jo Catherine, of Oglesby spent this week with her parents here.

Mrs. C. S. Tucker was a guest of Mrs. Cecil Graham and her mother, Mrs. Lewis, at Oglesby the first of the week.

Mrs. Jimmy Mulholland has returned to her home in Fort Worth after visiting several days with her husband here.

Mrs. Dave Culberson returned Thursday from Honey Grove where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Charlie Smith.

Mrs. D. C. Ralston and children will arrive this week end from Pittsburg to make their home here. Mr. Ralston is an operator at the Depot.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Woodall and son, Louis, attended the funeral of Mr. Woodall's mother in Iowa Park, Texas, last Tuesday. Mrs. Woodall passed away at five o'clock Monday morning, January 20.

**BACHELORS ENTERTAINED MONDAY AT STATE SCHOOL**

Members of the Roundtable Club were entertained Monday evening at the State Training School Auditorium by Miss Martha Lou Robertson, toe dancer, and Miss Alynne Kinsey, who accompanied her at the piano, and also sang and played two piano solos.

Miss Robertson has studied in New York, and has had several years of experience teaching dancing in some of the larger cities of the state. She is a very talented dancer, and the members of the club stated that the program was one of the best presented before the club since its organization.

An added feature was a piano duet, ably rendered by J. Sherrill Kendrick and Eugene Alvis Jr. (two talented young men out for the good of the club, not only in the business betterment, but also in entertainment.) Messrs. Kendrick and Alvis seldom show their talent, and all club members agreed that before many moons passed, these young men shall be featured in a program all of their own.

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now not readily available. It will be so arranged as to acquaint the reader with the folkways of the various communities and their particular contributions to American culture.

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Because of the limited number of workers at our disposal, it will be impossible to reach every little community. The local supervisors must depend on the citizens themselves to supply the guide office with all pictures, newspaper clippings, items of local history, etc. It is up to the people of this county to put it on the map. This

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**Funeral Rites For Mrs. E. Bray Held Wed. Morning, January 22**

Mrs. E. Bray passed away at her home in Gatesville Tuesday morning at five-thirty o'clock after an illness of one month duration.

Funeral services were held Wednesday morning at ten a. m. at the First Methodist Church of this city with Rev. Jarrell Roach conducting the services. Interment was made in the City Cemetery.

Mrs. Bray was born in Virginia. She reached the age of 79 last Sunday, January 19. She was a member of the Baptist Church.

Surviving are seven children: Mrs. Alvis Williams of Waco, Mrs. Ella Music of Waco, Mrs. Annie Swindall of Ross City, Marion Bray of Electra, Charles Bray of Electra, Dan Bray of Houston, Will Bray of Valley Mills.

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CHAPTER I

Jim Buchanans were scarce. Consequently, every girl in Jim's social set couldn't marry a Jim Buchanan. Jim was handsome, tall, charming—and president of the very flourishing Buchanan Motors Company. Jim was worth millions, and Evelyn Fletcher, scheduled to marry Jim, didn't give a hoot if Jim was tall, handsome and charming. She gave two hoots, however, for Jim's millions. In fact, she gave a whole flock of hoots. Millions were even scarcer than Jim Buchanans.

Leaning on statistics, the wedding was but seven days off. Lovely as the situation was, Evelyn dreamed lovely dreams of what she would do with the lovely millions possessed by the lovely Mr. Jim Buchanan.

Jim, however, had other thoughts on his mind. Wedding an unromantic girl like Evelyn was nothing much to be excited about. Bating with his Board of Directors wasn't exactly a pleasant pastime, either—but it had its points. One never knew just what would develop from a Board of Directors' meeting of the Buchanan Motors Company.

"Putting on a new type of car at this time, Jim, would be a great mistake," said one of the splinters in the Board.

Another splinter stood on two feet. "I agree with you, Henry—it's too much of a departure."

Jim faced his Board determinedly. "That's what you said about the first Buchanan Eight—those very words—but I fought you all down—and what happened? I made fortune for everyone of you—and greater one for myself. And together we made automobile history. Now I'm asking you to string along with me again with an idea that will revolutionize the business—"

The first splinter interrupted again. "Jim, this country's in no

condition to spend money on wild ideas in car designs—"

This time Jim did the interrupting. "This country's on its feet again and it'll soon be spending as it never did before. They'll be looking for something new and different. And we've got to be the first on the market with the newest and finest automobile we know how to make."

Every splinter rose to its respective feet, and the whole presented the complete Board. Every member was adamant. They refused to give in to Jim's new car designs.

"Well, who's with me? Only Bob?" Jim looked at his only friend present. "You evidently know what you want to do—I don't. So go ahead and do it yourselves. Run the business—and call on me if you find yourselves in trouble." Jim's tone became bitter. "And for this delightful vacation, gentlemen—many thanks."

Before the Board could recover from its shock, Jim had strode quickly from the room. Bob pleaded, but it was to no avail. That, from all indications, was the beginning of something new in the life of Jim Buchanan.

With no destination in mind, and certainly with no eye to the clear blue sky overhead, nor to the green trees, nor to the birds, that tried to sing to him, Jim sat down on a park bench. A smart looking young lady was next to him, though she, too, could not find much place in Jim's attention on this day.

The girl, however, was of different mind. She looked up from the paper she was reading. "Jobs are hard to find, aren't they? You've just got to keep reading the ads—and hoping. Would you care for 'Help Wanted—Male?'"

Jim didn't answer, but he took the proffered paper mechanically. He looked through the want ad section as though reading the stock market reports when the market had gone through a bad day. But suddenly his eyes opened wide.

"An ad you can answer?" inquired the young lady.

"No—I was just wondering—what are passamentorie workers?"

"I'm not sure, but I think it has something to do with beads."

"Why don't they say beads, then?"

The girl looked up. "The only good ads are for couples. Here's one for a cook and butler who can also do housework—attractive surroundings—servants' quarters over garage—cook must be exceptional or don't bother to apply—wages,

\$175 a month—Rossini Manor, Longhauen."

Jim nodded and grinned. "Now, if you could only cook!"

"But I can cook! I'm a marvelous cook."

"Then maybe you can find an ad for a cook alone."

The girl's face brightened. "That's an idea!"

She scanned the ads quickly—then shook her head. Evidently, there were no good jobs to be had.

The girl turned to Jim suddenly. "Can you buttle?"

"I can say 'Very good, sir,' and 'Dinner is served, Madam.'"

The girl laughed. "You're swell! Why don't you answer that ad?"

Jim shrugged. "Why don't we?"

"It could be worked out. How does it sound to you?"

"Crazy."

"The trouble with you is," the girl became serious, "you're afraid—afraid of conventions."

Jim stalled. "Well—it's different from the work I've been doing."

"So what? Maybe it's what you're best fitted for. Don't you realize we can make this our lucky day?"

"Lucky day!" Jim smiled cynically.

The girl spoke softly, and the sympathy in her tone was soothing. She sat up and faced him squarely. "Mister—I'm going to sell you this idea if we have to sit here all day, because my landlady and I just came to a parting of ways—and I don't relish the idea of sleeping in the park tonight. Don't you see—it's a meal-ticket for both of us?"

Jim nodded, amused. The game was interesting, and certainly different from anything he had ever played before.

"If we landed this job," the girl pointed to the paper, "you'd feel different about everything."

"You guarantee that?"

The girl nodded and smiled. "What do you say?"

Jim rose to his feet and made up. There were still seven days in which to learn whether life was all it was cracked up to be—or just cracked.

The kitchen of Rossini Manor was tensely silent as the young lady leaned over a saucepan. Nearby, watching like a hawk, was the master of the house, Rossini.

"Garlic," explained the girl, "should never be used lavishly. In this particular sauce you want only the ghost of a shadow of the flavor of garlic."

Rossini sighed. "Ah, the Ghost of a shadow!" He tasted the sauce which the girl had so expertly conceived. That was the clincher. Rossini was ecstatic. "The job is yours. What did you say your name was?"

"Joan. This is my husband, Mr. Burns."

"James Burns," added Jim.

Rossini, a bit to the portly side, eyed the sauce with one thought in mind—food was meant to be eaten. He tasted it again.

Another man entered. His nose was a little flatter than it should have been for a nose outside of a fight ring. He grinned to Rossini. "Everything is ducky, eh Chief? I'll show them to their rooms." He turned to Jim and Joan. "Come on."

The servants' quarters were comfortable—too comfortable. There was only one bed—a double bed. Something had to be done. It was Jim who was to sleep on the porch. That settled; Jim stared out over the spacious grounds comprising the Rossini estate, and breathed deeply. Automobiles and Evelyn Fletcher were forgotten.

"This is something like the view from the porch of the Westmore Country Club."

"What do you know about the Westmore Country Club?" Joan sniffed.

"Oh, I used to hang around there," Jim said in good faith.

Joan grimaced. "I see—the same season I had a box at the Metropolitan!"

"All right—don't believe me—I was the clerk there for a while."

Joan began to fix the bed. "That was a pretty good job—why did you leave?"

"I didn't like the stuffed shirts who hung around—and the hours were too long."

"They'll be even longer here," Joan put the finishing touches to the bed, "and you'll like it!"

Jim smiled happily. He was beginning to like it already.

TO BE CONTINUED

## TURNERSVILLE

Thad Buster of Carey, Howard Buster of Childress, and Mrs. Tom Wilson of Belton are visiting in the Claud Buster home.

Henry Epps of Childress was a recent visitor here.

Jim Cook and family of Eldorado, Ark., were recent visitors here.

Roscoe Graham of San Angelo was a recent visitor here.

Mr. and Mrs. Watt Williamson of Kilgore are visiting in the Mrs. P. R. Hobin home.

E. O. Harrell and wife were Monday visitors in Waco.

Rev. Brooks Sasse and wife of Waco were here over the week end.

## IRELAND NEWS

We had a light snow Saturday with a cold spell lasting over Sunday.

Messrs. Travis and Vernon Todd were visitors to Temple on business Monday.

Mr. Bill Morwitz, rural mail carrier, who moved to Hamilton a few months ago, moved back to Ireland last Friday. We are glad to welcome them back to our city.

Miss Willie Percy Hill left for Hamilton Monday morning where she had accepted a position in a beauty parlor in Hamilton.

Mrs. Frank Kelso of Gatesville was an Ireland visitor for a short time the past week, looking after relief business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Myers of Jonesboro were visitors to our city the past week and with them was Miss May Wolf, who was a visitor in the home of Mrs. W. P. Crubb Sr. Miss Wolf is a niece of Mrs. Grubb. May they call again soon.

Mr. H. H. Howell of Gatesville and Houston Moore of Arnett were visitors in Ireland Tuesday.

We have had quite a lot of sickness in and around Ireland, mostly flu and some pneumonia. We are glad to learn that so far all of them are improving. We hope they will soon be well.

Mr. Tom O'Neil was a recent visitor to Dallas and is now in Breckenridge on business.

## PURMELA NEWS

Miss Estelle Harris is in Los Angeles, Calif., visiting relatives.

John Morgan and family have been visiting in the Oscar Rogers home.

The Purmela cast presented "The Ready Made Family" at Levita Friday night.

Mrs. George Moore and Mrs. Q. F. Adams have been sick, but are better now.

## PEARL NEWS

The weather has been somewhat disagreeable. We had some snow here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Chisum, Floral Oney, Bessie Earl Whitt, and Mrs. Mary Oney of Lometa are visiting in Port Arthur.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Goff made a business trip to Fort Worth the past week end and Henry Edmondson accompanied them.

Our science teacher, Mrs. Janet Baysbe, is very sick.

Mrs. Bervard King formerly Miss Audrey Winters of Evant, is teaching in Mrs. Baysbe's place.

Miss Aline Jones of Slater is visiting with Mrs. Foral Oney this week.

Our bus driver of Slater, Lonnie Hilt and wife, went after his mother of Rockell Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Herman of Turnersville visited her mother's home Saturday night.

Mr. Lawrence Franks went to Fort Worth Wednesday with a load of calves.

Mr. Chas. Longmar and Mr. Dan Putman of Evant were visitors in Pearl Wednesday.

Mr. Jess Bynum and son, Leeroy, of Evant were business visitors here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Carroll of Gatesville have moved back with his parents.

Mrs. R. E. Goff made a business trip to Gatesville Tuesday.

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# Locals

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The Leopards usually better than fair club Hornets, goaded on by t to Clifton Wednesday should emerge the win

There will be two o teresting games this ev so; the local Hornet meet a like team fro and the local CCC b the Pearl Dragons.

## SHOTS AT THE B



By TED HARRIS  
News' Sports Edit

Wednesday evening t ton Cubs, just to prov writer was wrong when the statement that the team won in Clifton bec the small size of the court, beat the local without a great deal of 26-15. Although this was great enough, the ton lads by their fast b broke clear of the Horn fence time and time ag easy cup shots only to m had these shots been ma margin of victory migh been 20 points.

For the victors, P. Ha the stand-out by virtue 12 points to lead the f this respect. The entir was performing well on fense and for the most p the locals pretty well up.

Gatesville's playing was the poorest of the sea their opponents were eve ter than they seemed, the defense the Hornets putried. A goodly port the visitors' talleys came

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The Resville Lexas Society, organized for the purpose of promoting the welfare of the community, held a meeting on Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. J. H. Smith. The meeting was held in the parlors of the home, and was attended by a large number of the members of the society. The meeting was held in the parlors of the home, and was attended by a large number of the members of the society. The meeting was held in the parlors of the home, and was attended by a large number of the members of the society.

**EVITA ALA**  
The Evita Ala society, organized for the purpose of promoting the welfare of the community, held a meeting on Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. J. H. Smith. The meeting was held in the parlors of the home, and was attended by a large number of the members of the society. The meeting was held in the parlors of the home, and was attended by a large number of the members of the society.

**MOUNTAIN NEWS**  
The Mountain News, organized for the purpose of promoting the welfare of the community, held a meeting on Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. J. H. Smith. The meeting was held in the parlors of the home, and was attended by a large number of the members of the society. The meeting was held in the parlors of the home, and was attended by a large number of the members of the society.

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**FOUR SERIES ON E. C. W. EXPLAINING WORK AS OUTLINED**

Detailed work relative to setting up of Region 4 headquarters office of the Soil Conservation Service in Fort Worth is now in progress and will be pushed as rapidly as possible, according to a statement made today by Louis P. Merrill, Regional Conservator. Announcement of the designation of Fort Worth as headquarters of the region, which is comprised of Texas (except the high plains area), Arkansas and Louisiana, was received this week from Henry A. Wallace, Secretary of Agriculture, through Hugh H. Bennett, Chief of the Service at Washington. Office space has already been secured in the Neil P. Anderson Building.

Most of the personnel of the regional staff will go to Fort Worth from Lindale, Texas, where temporary offices have been maintained for the past two months at the Duck Creek watershed project pending designation of the permanent regional office location.

Supervisory and administrative direction of five units of field operations in the region will be handled from the Fort Worth office. These field units consist of 19 project watershed demonstrations, 60 ECW camps, 2 Soil Conservation Experiment Stations, 4 Soil Conservation Nurseries and a Research Division.

The 19 project demonstrations are operating on definitely defined watershed areas of approximately twenty-five thousand acres each. Work on the individual farm units within these areas is determined by the suitability of the farm for an erosion control demonstration and the desire and ability of the farmer to cooperate in carrying out the program of erosion control planned for his farm. In working out a plan for controlling erosion the program best adapted to the peculiar needs of the farm is ap-

plied to each acre of the farm unit. In some cases it is possible to treat adjoining farms as one unit.

Points taken into consideration in developing an erosion control plan for each farm are based on the proper utilization of each acre of land on the farm. Discussions of the special application of the different phases of the coordinated program, which includes the various phases of forestry, agronomy and engineering for successful erosion control, will be taken up separately in a subsequent article of this series. It is well to state here, however, that the primary agencies behind all erosion control and water conservation measures are the use of proper vegetative and cultural practices together, where necessary, with certain mechanical means of checking too rapid runoff of rainfall.

In addition to ECW camp labor available for work in project areas, a considerable amount of labor from WPA rolls is being utilized.

Field work of the ECW camps assigned to the Soil Conservation Service, and not located in project areas, covers whatever area that can be satisfactorily and economically worked within a reasonable radius (15 to 20 miles) of the camp location. Erosion control demonstrations in the camp areas, however, are conducted on closely grouped farms in preference to scattered individual farm units. Supervision of work done by the camp enrollees is under the direction of a technical staff permanently assigned to each camp. The camp technical staff is supervised by the Project Manager and staff of the Soil Conservation Service project to which the camp is assigned. Erosion control and water conservation measures put into operation on the co-operating farms in camp areas are the same as those used in project watersheds, the principal difference in the two set-ups being that the cooperating farm-

er in the camp area assumes responsibility for more of the work and for the furnishing of more materials and equipment in carrying out the recommended erosion control program.

The relationship, or the division of responsibility, between cooperating farmers and the Soil Conservation Service is determined under the provisions of a cooperative agreement signed by both the farmer and the responsible representative of the Service. This agreement, which is operative for a period of five years, sets forth the complete erosion control program planned for the farm and also provides for the portion of work to be done, and the amount of materials and equipment to be furnished, by the farmer and the Soil Conservation Service.

No work is undertaken on any farm until the cooperative agreement is signed by both parties. In addition it is also necessary for the farmer to be a member of the Soil Conservation Association which is organized in each project and a camp work area. The entire program of the Service is voluntary so far as the farmer is concerned and no farm is considered for demonstration of practical erosion control until the landowner invites representatives of the Service to work out a plan for his farm.

Activity of the Soil Conservation Service in working with farmers is predicated upon the closest cooperation with all Federal and State agricultural agencies operating in Region 4. In order to insure cooperative working relationships between the Service and allied state agencies, there is within each state a State Coordinator. There is also a State Advisory Committee. This Committee in Texas is composed of Louis P. Merrill, H. H. Williamson, A. B. Cannon and T. O. Walton. Through this Committee cooperation with other organizations and agencies is effected.

The program of the Soil Conservation Service does not overlap the plan of operation of any other agricultural organization or division, but rather is carried on in its own particular sphere of demonstrating a complete program of erosion control. The Service works side by side with all other agricultural agencies in its demonstrations of the best means of maintaining the inherent fertility of farm lands and protecting them from devastating erosion.

**CLOTHING ENTRIES FOR CORYELL COUNTY MEET**

Entries must be modeled by the person who expects to wear the garment in the style review that will be scheduled sometime during the County Meet. There will be three entries as follows:

**Senior Entry:** Any version of the popular shirt waist frock, made of any cotton material that tailors well. Color designs may be woven, printed, or solid. In this day of raglan sleeves and yoke designs, set-in sleeves will not be required. Sleeves may be long or above elbow length. If buttons are used for decoration and opening fastenings, the button holes must be bound. Price limit \$2.75.

**Junior Entry:** A simple school dress made of printed cotton material. The dress may or may not have a seam at the waist line. Must have some type of short sleeve. Any version of butterfly sleeve pattern is acceptable. Sleeves that are a yoke continuation will be acceptable. Set in sleeves are not required. Price limit \$1.50.

**Sub-Junior Entry:** A tea gown made of solid print mat-

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erial in pastel shades. Self binding, or of contrasting color, simply decorated hems, lazy daisy, or cross stitch embroidery designs are suggested means of finishing this garment. Price limit 50c.

Miss Millicent L. Aldous, the only woman entrant, won over twenty-five professional male meat cutters in a recent bacon slicing contest in London.

Motion picture production in Australia is to be expanded at once.

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—FOR SALE: Royal Typewriter. See Chas. P. Mounce. 10-1tc

—See us for chick starter, laying mash, cotton seed meal, chops, bran, shorts, etc. A. L. MAYES STORE. 10-1tc

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## Gatesville National Farm Loan Association Met Here January 14

The annual meeting of the Gatesville National Farm Loan Association, which was held at Gatesville Tuesday, January 14, was one of the best meetings in the history of the association.

M. W. Murray, Edgar Franks, Leake Ayres, John T. Post and C. D. Shriber, all of Gatesville, were elected directors of the association for the ensuing re-elected Secretary-Treasurer of year. Mr. M. Blankenship was the association for 1936.

A feature of the meeting was a radio address by A. C. Williams, President of the Federal Land Bank of Houston, who spoke to the members of the 365 national farm loan associations in Texas who were attending similar meetings in cities and towns all over Texas at the same hour. This was made possible through the cooperation of the major radio broadcasting stations which make up the Texas Quality Network.

Mr. Williams explained the types of credit available thru the units of the Farm Credit Administration, the basis upon which appraisals are made in connection with applications for land bank loans, and the advantages of these credit institutions. He also commented upon the important part which the cooperative farmer-owned national farm loan associations play in the successful operation of the Federal Farm Loan System, and emphasized the fact that the Farm Credit Administration units offered the many types of credit needed by agriculture. "Farmers generally should familiarize themselves with the types of loans available through these institutions, with the view of developing cooperative credit centers where deserving borrowers may secure both long and short term credit according to their needs," said Mr. Williams.

Texas consumes more cheese per capita than any other state in the union.

## Will Rogers' Humorous Story

By WILL ROGERS

THERE was a kid by the name of Bobby, maybe it was, that didn't like cod liver oil. He was different



from most kids that way, but otherwise he was normal.

He was awful mean one day. He broke his sister Ellen's doll and jumped up and down on the lawn swing and yelled. So when his dad came home, Bobby was laying on the floor, bawling softly.

"What's the matter, son?" says Dad.

"I can't have my cod liver oil!" he says.

"You can't? Ain't that turrrible! Why can't you?"

"Well, the doctor says it's to be taken after meals, and Mom won't feed me any dinner!"

## WORLD COMMENT



By JOE BURNS

GEORGE WINDSOR V, ruler of a quarter of the world in population and area, died Monday at Sandringham Palace, England, of bronchial catarrh and heart weakness. The seventy-year-old monarch will be succeeded by his eldest son, the former Prince of Wales, who will assume the title of Edward VIII.

Death came after a four-day illness, during which time the King's 450,000,000 subjects anxiously awaited news of his state. Thirty-five years ago, Jan. 22, 1901, George's illustrious grandmother, Queen Victoria, died. His father, Edward VII, passed away in 1910.

Throughout the twenty-six years of his reign, King George sought a position close to the hearts of his people in a kindly and quiet way. Unlike most men, he found proof of his achievement in his own lifetime. This came strongest in the deep sympathy that was world-wide during his serious illnesses of 1928 and 1929. Then huge crowds stood nightly outside Buckingham Palace and messages and prayers came from remote quarters of the globe.

Unlike many British Kings, George V did not begin training in childhood for occupancy of the throne. He was the second son of Edward VII and was 26 years old when he became heir to the crown on the death of his elder brother, Albert Victor.

Soon after his father's accession on Jan. 22, 1901, Prince George embarked upon an extensive tour which took him to Australia, South Africa, Canada, and India.

At the age of 44 on May 6, 1910, he ascended the throne of England, Scotland, Wales, and the British Dominions. In 1911 he visited India to be personally crowned Emperor of India.

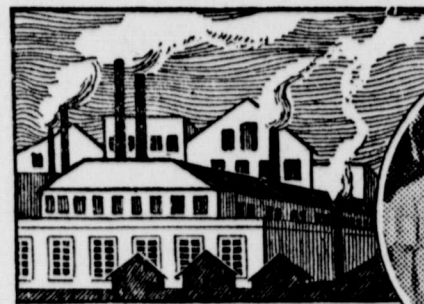
King George made every effort to prevent the outbreak of hostilities in 1914, addressing personal appeals to the Emperors of Russia and Germany.

When these failed and his own country was plunged into the conflict, he issued a proclamation mobilizing the British army and announced an unwavering determination to fight until victorious.

The ruler and his family set themselves to lending the royal influence and encouragement to every form of national activity in aid of the fighting forces. Strict economy measures were put in force in the royal household. The King paid repeated visits to his troops in Belgium and France. In 1917 he stripped German titles and names from the royal family and changed the name of the ruling

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## King Cotton's Price Depends on Supply and Amount Used

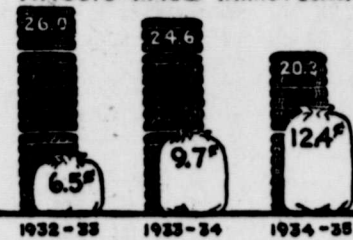
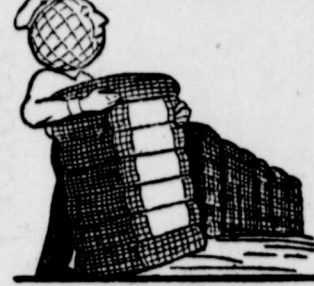


Cotton Consumption Varies With Industrial Production

Outlook for Domestic Consumption has Improved



American Cotton Supply Affects Price (Million Bales)



COTTON consumption and industrial production move together. The rate of cotton consumption in this country is influenced more by the general business situation than by cotton prices. Cotton consumption in the United States was the highest for this November than for any November since 1932. This increase in consumption reflects an increasing industrial and retail demand, Government purchases, and the existence of a large volume of reserve orders.

The chart in the lower right corner shows that excessive world supplies of American cotton depress prices and that prices recover with reduced supplies. The supply in 1932-33 was 25,961,000. With that large supply on the market, cotton prices could not recover. As contrasted with such excessive supplies, the World supply of American cotton in 1934-35 was 20,270,000 bales, and prices improved.

## LETTER FROM SENATOR POAGE

There seems to be no new legislative developments this week, so I am wondering if it would not be of interest to the public to know a little about the membership of your Legislature. It is, of course, generally known that the Legislature is composed of two Houses with thirty-one members in the Senate and one hundred and fifty members in the House, but it is not so generally known that this membership is scattered among all walks of life and all ages.

In the Forty-third Legislature, we find that the average age of the members of the Senate was forty-three, and that the average member had at the beginning of that Session already served five years as a member of the Legislature. Both the age and the experience of the members of the House was somewhat less. In the Senate, we find that almost two-thirds of the members were lawyers, there being twenty out of the thirty-one members. There were three farmers and other professions represented by one member each were physicians, hotel-keepers, teachers, insurance agents, newspapermen, oil men, bankers and merchants.

In the House, a little less than one-half of the membership were lawyers, there being sixty-five out of one hundred and fifty members. There were twenty-one farmers, and seven stock-raisers, with ten school teachers, ten merchants, five druggists, five students, four insurance men, two each of real estate dealers, ministers, musicians, advertising men, oil men, salesmen, and abstractors, and one printer, one dentist, one of

banker, one decorator, one railroad engineer, one contractor, and one undertaker. Thus it can be seen the House, in particular, very well represents a cross section of our citizenship. It contains some of the most brilliant and some of the most ignorant men I have ever known. There are a number of boys just twenty-one, and, on the other hand, I served with two confederate veterans. Of course, however, the major portion of the work is done by that group who have had enough experience to know what legislation is about, and to know something of the ways of the legislative bodies, and who are still young enough to be active. There are a few old men in all legislative bodies who are outstanding in their achievements, but they are almost without exception, men who started into legislative work while they were younger, and who are no profiting by their experience and seniority. A man can no more become a good legislator after he is forty-five years old than he can become a good doctor, lawyer, or actor at that age without any previous experience.

I never expect to go back to the State Legislature, and consequently, could have no selfish purpose to serve, but I would call on our people to be careful in any change in our legislative setup that they do not make the membership too small. I know there is today a decided sentiment in favor of reducing the number of representatives, and I am quite sure that this would result in a speeding up of legislation, but we should

## CENTENNIAL TABLE HAS WOOD FROM CORYELL COUNTY

In line with the Centennial Celebration, a table is being constructed in Houston, the top of which contains 244 (is that right) pieces of wood, one block from every county in Texas.

The block of wood from Coryell County is from a live-oak tree near Evant, where it is said the first camp meeting was held in this county in 1863, according to Mrs. Tom Mears, Centennial Committee Chairman for this county.



Compiled By GEORGE WITT

THAT Brewster County, Texas, is larger than the States of Rhode Island, Delaware or Connecticut.

THAT when Texas Rangers rounded up all the bad men in Kimble County in 1877 there weren't enough men left to make a jury to try them.

THAT the King Ranch near Kingsville, Texas is larger than the state of Delaware.

THAT lightning striking sand hills near Odessa, Texas, shapes the sand into long, jagged chains and transforms it into glass.

THAT manufactured ice and condensed milk had their origin in Texas.

THAT there are nearly 29 acres of land in Texas for each inhabitant.

THAT Texas may at any time be divided into five states upon consent of the Texas people. The annexation resolution ratified when Texas became a state provided for this.

(Send oddities to "Do You Know?" Coryell County News).

## 4-H Club of Leon Junction

The 4-H Club of Leon Junction met January 2, and there were fifteen members present to join the club. All tea towels have been completed and judged by the members. It was suggested that they be kept for exhibition next spring.

We are planning a garden and thinking of the variety of seeds we want to plant. This will be discussed at the next meeting.

We are doing our best to continue the good work through out the coming year.

not overlook the fact that a small body can always be more easily controlled by powerful selfish interests, than can a larger and more representative body, and most of the special interests are particularly interested in preventing the passage of legislation that will regulate their activities. While today, these interests exercise too large a decree of control on our Legislature, their influence would be many times multiplied if the number of members were materially reduced, and I think that we should all keep this in mind when we are considering the possibility of changing the membership of our Legislature.



To \$6.88 Ladies Spring Print Silk Dresses—  
**\$4.00**

To \$12.88 Ladies' Spring all Wool Suits and Coats—  
**\$8.00**

To \$19.88 Ladies' Spring all Wool Suits and Coats—  
**\$12.00**

All \$16.88 "College Campus" Dresses—  
**\$7.00**

Up to \$13.88 Fall and Winter Dresses—  
**\$6.00**

Up to \$10.88 Fall and Winter Dresses—  
**\$5.00**

Up to \$7.88 Fall and Winter Dresses—  
**\$3.00**

Up to \$4.88 Fall and Winter Dresses—  
**\$2.00**

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**98c**  
**Children's Dress and School Shoes**  
 One big table children's Friedman-Shelby dress shoe and school shoes, sizes 5 to 3. Comes in straps, pumps and Oxfords. Values to \$2.79

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**MEN'S FRIEDMAN-SHELBY SHOES**  
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**GENUINE "KEDS"**  
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**HEAVY RIBB HOSE**  
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**10c**

**SLIGHT IRREGULAR SILK HOSE**  
 One big table ladies' slightly irregulars of standard brand, regular \$1.00 hose, pure silk and full fashion, the best value we have offered you in hose—  
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**LADIES' PHOENIX HOSE**  
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**SEAMLESS KRINKLED BED SPREADS**  
 Regular 98c seamless Krinkled Bed Spreads, size is 80x105; comes in all colors,  
**79c**

**COTTON and PART WOOL BLANKETS**  
 Special prices on cotton blankets and part wool blanket; see these values before buying.  
**36-in. BROWN DOMESTIC**  
 36-inch brown, smooth finish Domestic, yard wide, worth more on wholesale market today,  
**6 1/2c**

**36-in. BLEACHED DOMESTIC**  
 Good smooth 36-inch bleached domestic; a good grade you will pay 10c for in any store,  
**7c**

**BEST GRADE BROWN DOMESTIC**  
 Our best grade heavy, smooth brown domestic. This domestic is also going at replacement cost. Ask someone who has bought it,  
**8c**

**GENUINE "HOPE" DOMESTIC**  
 Genuine Hope Domestic; every housewife knows the quality of this genuine snow-white, free from starch Hope Domestic; accept no substitutes; lay in a supply, per yard—  
**10c**

**FAST COLOR QUILT SCRAPS**  
 2-lb. weight fast color quilt scrap bundles, small pieces up to 1-4 yard pieces,  
**23c**

**COLUMBUS OIL CLOTH**  
 46-inch first quality Columbus Oilcloth; all the new Spring patterns,  
**17c**

**LINTER BATTS**  
 3-pound regular 72x90 Linter Batts; our Dissolution Sale Price—  
**23c**

**SNOW-WHITE COTTON BATTS**  
 2 1/2-pound snow-white regular 72x90 comfort Cotton Batts; our Dissolution Sale Price—  
**49c**

**17c CRETONNE**  
 One big group, full width to 17c value Cretonne is going in this Dissolution Sale at—  
**10c**

**MEN'S 35c NECKTIES**  
 One big group men's regular 35c neck ties, for  
**19c**

**MEN'S REGULAR 59c NECKTIES**  
 One large group men's regular 59c neck ties for  
**44c**

**MEN'S "BIG SMITH" OVERALLS**  
 Special prices on Men's and Boys' Dress and school Pants.  
 Men's "Big Smith" Overall, tested and proven to be the best overall in Texas. Comes in Liberty stripe, white back denim and Express stripe! for a limited time only,  
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 Men's "Big Smith" Work Shirts, solid blue and gray, also grey cover,  
**59c**

**MEN'S AND BOYS' WORK SHIRTS**  
 Men's and boys' heavy full cut Work Shirts. Compare this shirt to any work shirt in the country, only—  
**44c**

**CHILDREN'S KNIT UNION SUITS**  
 Children's and boys' knit union suits, plain and taped styles, sizes 2 to 16—  
**39c**

**MEN'S HANES' SHIRTS AND DRAWERS**  
 Men's genuine "Hanes" shirts or drawers, heavy knit.  
**49c**

**MEN'S HEAVY KNIT UNIONS**  
 Men's heavy knit white union suits; a regular 98c value, for  
**69c**

**MEN'S REGULAR 15c SOX**  
 Men's regular 15c sox, comes in fancy and plain colors.  
**9c**

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 Our regular 50c and 75c Phoenix sox for men,  
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**300 LADIES' DRESS SHOES**  
Over 300 ladies' Friedman-Shelby dress shoes, values to \$4.98. Not an old style shoe in the group. All sizes 3 1-2 to 8; AAA to E widths.

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36-inch fast color new Spring Prints, per yard **9c**

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**RAYON BED SPREADS**

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**SEAMLESS KRINKLED BED SPREADS**

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**BOYS' DRESS SHIRTS**  
Boys' full cut, fast color Dress Shirts, sizes 6 to 14. **44c**

**MEN'S NEW SPRING DRESS SHIRTS**

One big group men's new Spring Dress Shirts, Perfecto and Fadeproof quality; all have the Trubenzized collar. **89c**

**MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS**

One Big group men's full cut, fast color Dress Shirt, values to \$1.19, for **69c**

**69c**



He looks younger. He is medium height and of well-slim built. His hair is black and he is clear shaven. Features somewhat aquiline.

US leaders in Washington believe passage of the Vinson-McCormack bill by the House is assured after the voting majority given it by the Senate. By a top-heavy vote of 74 to 16, Democrats and Republicans joined to push the bill calling for payment of full 1945 maturity in \$50 bonds. The majority is easily enough to override any presidential veto, although the attitude of President Roosevelt toward the present bill is not known. The House has approved immediate payment by a greater majority, 356 to 9, but without specifying a payment method. The Senate bill, introduced at Harrison of Mississippi, authorizes an appropriation of \$2,237,000,000 and also makes available \$254,000,000 in adjusted service certificate to defray the estimated rate cost of the bonus of \$1,000,000. Beginning July 15, the \$50 bonds and as much cash as is needed to take care of the amounts would be made available to 3,500,000 bonus recipients at local post offices. Senators Connally and Shepley voted for the bill.

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Ford V-8 for \$25 A MONTH After usual low down payment This plan also applies to Ford V-8 light commercial units

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