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 in Gatessille, attending and grad -
natine from the local hinh After leaving school, he worked After leaving school, he worked
for a grocery concern here be-
fore he received a job as clerk fore he received a job as clerk
in the First National Bank. For twenty-six or seven years be followed banking as a profession,
rising from his first job to a directorship and official of the bank where he gained and enviable reputation as a progressive banker, both at home and
in the litate. He gained many friends and the love and respect of citizens of Gatesville and
Coryell county. He was a member of the Baptist Church Mason, Knight Templar
Shriner. Had been City Tre urer for a number of years, an committee of the First Baptis Church.
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## morning tsaid

briel facts about He gave himself to his calling
2. His liove for his wife family, and 3. His love for Jesu Christ and
in speech, sympathetic in spirit big in heart, in disposition,an upright, true man. Mr. Straw leaves a large concourse of friends to mourn his
going. In addition to his wife Mrs. Vivian Straw, three boys
Jack Harry and Henry, He als Jack Harry and Henry. He also
has two sisters, Mrs. Stanley Peavy, of Graham and Mrs. A many othe relatives and friends Out of town people who wer and Mrs. Alvis Williambs of Waco Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Perryma Smith of Waco, Byron Leaird Mrs Victor Harper of Oglesby and Guy Draper.
er, Leake Ayres, Lewis Holmes John O. Potts, Walter Stewart,
R. R. Anderson, D. I. Glass, and C. C. Sadler.
LEAIRD'S BUYERS ALSO IN DALLAS BUYING GOODS
Mrs. Ermon Chamlee, of the ladies department at Leaird's ac
companied by Byron Leajird Jr. to Dallas early this week where they made purchases of Spring
merchandise which is featured in their advertisement in today's news.
Mr. Leaird has made several


## Government Distributes $\$ 41,543.88$ S. C. Checks Sat.

Harvey Rivers First in Friday, 29th, Puzzle; Mildred Mayberry, 2nd

Novelty and uniqueness came
into play in the New's second
Puzzle Contest, featuring our ad-
vertisers and "cut-up" pictures
of "People in the News" which
has been running in "Your County
Newspaper."
These winners, are Harvey
Riner of Gatesvilit first, winner of the $\$ 1.00$ prize, and Mildred winner of a subscription for one year to the News.
This week's contest, we diular run of "People in the News" just to make it more interesting and put in two people who you read about practically the min ate you start in school, and an other fellow who is rather big in public wife. Try it! It's funand, you might win.
Other entries who sent in very good entries to the contest but anförtunatly, not quite good nough were: Mrs. A. L. Sharp,
Miss Callie Logan, Gatesvinle, Miss Callie Loghan, Gatesvinle,
Rt. 3; J. W. Hancock, Mound; Tomilene Young, Tama Star. wind
"TFE PLAINSMAN," MGHT DRAMA OF FRONTIER DAYS starts
Next issue of the New brings which is to play new story "flicker" houses here It is story by Courtney Riley Cooper of the great plains based on
the true love story of Wild Bill Hickok and Calamity Jane, and introduces Buffalo Bin, America's famous frontier hero.
"Come and Get it," completed this issue wll be at one of
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PAINTER'S BOSS AND ONE EMPLOYEE GO TO

## Dallas

George B. Painter, owner-manger of Painter's, was in Dallas chases for his store, and looking over the general situation dise for the buying public here Mr. Painter was accompanadies furnishing department of hat popular store
 OMBINATION IN GATESVILDE
Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Coward, who formerly were in the barb-
er shop next to Flentge Drug er shop next to Flentge Drug
Store, have moved across the street to Bird Hair's Barber Shop, and Mrs. W. H. Everett's Beauty Shop. Hair's Barber Shop, and Mrs Coward will be associated with
Mrs, Everett at the Blue Bonnet Beauty Shop.
PUBLIC WEIGHED'S SCALES INSTABWED AND ARE READY
L. A. Preston, Public Weigher or this precinct has just re-
cently completed the installation of a new scale for the use o the public.
Mir. Preston iwent to Dallas to see abbout arranging for the a foundation for the imstaila tion of the heavy beams and in tricate machinery necessary for accurate weights.

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## BOY SCOUT WEEK FEB. 7-1

For 27 years, this organization has been in operation, the Boy Sccuts of America. From a small obscure band of youths to a national organization.

The main reasons for the extraordinary growth of this particular organization, is what it stands for: good morals, right living, helpfulness, and cleanliness. These, and the fact that it touches the most important part of America, the youth of the nation, are the main reasons for its flourishing.

These boys, leaders of tomorrow, are the pillars of America's security. These boys are "organized" properly, and with adult guidance. They are not members of "gangs," with no guidance, and bad tendencies,

For these reasons, we say, "Hail. Boy Scouts of Am-
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"Feno" to litterally hundreds. F. W. Straw, an outstanding man in Coryell county's history was buried here Wednesday of this week.

A life like Mr. Straw's is not over with his obituary Not by any means. His influence, his connections, his help to many people who came to him in his position as a banker in this section will make him long remembered and revered

Too, Mr. Straw, was a man of varied activities, churchman, a city official, a member of the Chamber o Commerce, and an outstanding figure in his every endeavor

Coryell county, in losing a citizen like Mr. Straw is a loser as well as his many friends, his relatives and his immediate family


## WALIENTHNTE Gprcial

DRESS UP FOR VALENTINE
Smartness can be found throughout the store this week. Complete showing of novelty footwear, spring straw hats, dresses, suits and spring prints. All are attractively priced and are of fine quality.


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## LEAIRD'S DEPT. STORE

## BYRON LEAIRD, Prop.



## Martinelli Tells Story of Opera To Be Broadcast From Metropolitan




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Radames; then, left alone when he goes to the temple, bitterly ch
herself for divided sympathies. Amneris, as the second act opens, plans her own conquest, but she can not rest for jealousy. Deftly sh draws out the secret of Aida's love by telling her that Radames ha
fallen, then cruelly tells her tha fall


GIOVANNI MARTINELLI
both shall welcome the returnin victor-"thou prostrate in the dus on the throne beside the King. wherein Radames, preceded troops, chariots, ensigns, sacred vases and statues of gods, troops of dancers-pomp and splendor unsur passed in opera-enters to be greet ed by the King. Amneris crowns the victor and the King bids him name Aida's father who has concealed his kingly rank, are brought forward. Radames then asks this boon: free dom for all Ethiopian prisoners. But Ramfis demands that Amonasro and Aida be held; "let the rest be free." The King, bestowing the hand of "With her, some day, shalt thou
reign over Egypt." "Now let the

cold mingled the week's weathes
 ferers was $\$ 100.50$, approximat Our aged neighbor, C. B. G ham, has been ill this week. M
Graham is ninety-six years age. Miss Edith Evetts ill with
flu. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clem
Perkins on Jan. 27, a baby girl The mother is not doing so we
Earl Summerford's family suffering with flu. . Miss Lois Fowler home fro Mrs. Tom Fowler. Duane Polend with parents, Mr. and Mrs Walter Pollard
Letters are out urging that Representative Earl Huddleston support Senator Manley Head and Representative T. F. Harbin in securing legislation to raise the status of John Tarleton College this outstanding instiftion be given a "Senior" rating. John Tarleton College is in our senater our approval of this movement. Festus Shope diligently keeping the Baptist church premThomson pridefully doing sim-

page paper, carrying more new
and more advertising.
Olan Lowrimore confined t Loraine Pollard, student ot 4-C
business college ot Waco, home We wish someone versed in
groundhog and weather lore to happen now. We hope somemet the hairy old varmint with a musket, loaded with a few
bullets, and let 'im have both hole. The weather's been mussed up long enough

Lets Talk about Clothes


## Denton, Jan 30 -II

 wizardry, super-imagination, or sense to the nth degree, an enthusiasm to make hats that ift any and all out of a midslump. But it's beendone Some of the most excit ing models we've seen are in the shops ready for immediate wear. Every one of the new hat ingly individual Each is da ingly individual and not a sinhythm, inimitable color bination, and the last word
wickedly French accented smar ness. For instance, the silk
turbans are noteworthy exam-
lave come to take my love-if she lave come to take my love-if she
dares!" says Amneris. To Aida, it seems, sathing remains but the tears of hopeless love. Radames groans that "the throne of Egypt is not worth the heart of Aida." The third act opens on the starlit
banks of the Nile. Amneris comes to pray on the eve of her marriage and pray on the eve of her marriage and
Aida cautiously follows to meet Radames for the last time. Amon-
asro steps from the darkness and, asro steps from the darkness and,
playing on Aida's love and patriotplaying on Aida's love and patriot-
ism, promises her freedom, marism, promises her freedom, mary
riage to Radames and victory for Ethiopia if she will only learn the He of the Egyphears Radames nadvertently betray the secret to ida. Then he presents himself as King of Ethiopia and proposes that kadames desert, promising the
hand of Aida as reward. Then Amhand of Aida as reward. Then Am-
neris, followed by priests, breaks forth from the temple and denounces Radames as a traitor. Alda and Amonasro escape; Radames surrenders.
If vindictiveness rules Amneris, still she loves Radames with all the
passionate hunger of a selfish wopassionate hunger of a selfish wo-
man. In the fourth act she tries to save him. "Renounce her", she
pleads, "and thou shalt live!" He repleads, "and thou shalt live!" He re-
fuses, and in futile rage she tells hases, and in futile rage she tels
him go to his doom. Radames is condemned.
In the last scene he enters a vault o be buried alive. As priests chant proaches. It is Aida, who has chosen o die with Radames. They die in each other's arms while, above the tomb, the sobbing and penitent Am-
neris prays for Radames. And so. with the duet O Terra Addio (Fare well, o Earth), ends the grand spec acle with its great music
Aida, in the broadcast perform nce, will be Gina Cigna; Amneris will be Bruna Castagna. Norman
Cordon, Ezio Pinza and Carlo Mor relli will sing the King, Ramfis and Amonasro. Our conductor will be
Ettore Panizza.

##  in new headlines to cause appreciative glances from the specVivid reds with greens and yellows, a reddish ed with jade green ange splashmixups, are the outstanding col- or combinations dramatize all kinds pattern a vivid accent for coats or suits as well as the in sooth silks. ly every fabric have beguiling <br> $\qquad$ ome raspberry red numbers giv hat are seen in great number interesting boulevard, and thesc Texas State College for Women

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This Basketbal
he annual Senior Boy's Basket ball Tournament gets underway with no heavy favorite in bet ting. On the hardwood of the
High School Gym the thumpHigh School Gym the thump-
thump brigade will match cripshots and dribbles to decide the championship of Coryell county and for the honor of going on Under ordinary circum the Gatesville High Hornet would be the pre-tournament fa vorites, becaulse of their larger enrollment and number of cage stars from the rural distriets.
Befone the second semester the Hornets boasted of one of the classies teiams in central Texas, one
that might have entered the state that might have entered the state
finals. Decisive wins over Wace finals. Decisive wins over Waco
High and Brownwood High, much High and Brownwood High, much
larger ischools with impressiv larger ischools with impressive
records, had the fans glowing in a rosy optimistic attitude with thoughts of great things to come pelled those ambitions,
Influenza and ineligibility ha wrecked Coach Worley's have machine, and his revamped mod el is faring little better with the dreaded "flu" still raging With all the breaks, the Hornets may finish ahead of the field, where in the top bracket. From the rural districts con the "dark horses" of the tournament. Turnersville, Jonesboro and Pearl. Out of these three con
testants ;will probably come the champion of the tournament Since the early days when your correspondent used to ask Papa
"for a dime to go the County "for a dime to go the County
Meet", these three teams have always been strong and always potential champions of the an nual affair.

## BLUE ENAMEL


R. E. POWELL
$\left.\begin{aligned} & \text { Jonesboro seems to be the } \\ & \text { class of the crop this year, with }\end{aligned} \right\rvert\,$ Pearl and Turnersville in
order. Levita and Ireland the darkest "dark horses" of the
entire tournament and may cause some surprises.
Today come the elimination games with the playoffs on Sat
urday. Beginning urday. Beginning at $7: 30$ tonitwith Turnersville vs. Pearl, the "major games" of the meeting
start.
With the sun shining steadily and the roads somewhat dried
up the gymnasium shoul packed for this yearly gathering of the county's basketball eams and fans.
EDWARD ARNOLD TOPS THE
"COME AND GET IT!" LINEUP
"Come and get it!" Sameul
Goldwyn's production of Edna Goldwyn's production of Edna
Ferber's colorful novel of the Ferber's colorful novel of the
lumber camps brings Edward Arnold, Joel McCrea and Francos Farmer to the Regal Thea-
tre fior three days beginning next Saturday.
as Barney has his greatest role as Barney Glasgow, the great
lumber baron who, in his youth had given up lowe his yout n had given up love for power,
and years later is mocked by his decision when he falls madly love with the daughter of finds his own son his successful rival.
Great Cast Joel McCrea is seen as the son and Frances Farmer, the lovely
blond newcome, plays both the mother and daughter Arnold Mady Christians versatile Viennese actress, is seen in the im-
portant featured role of Aunt Karie and Walter Brennan, the unforgettable "Old Atrocity" of role to date as "Swan," the colorful old Swedish lumberman.
Others prominently Mary Natsh, the diatinkuished istage star, Frank Shield, the tennis ace, and Andrea Leeds, the beautiful new Goldwyn dis-
covery.
Risked Lives -
A location risked their lives in the dense woods of Northern camp scenes for "Come and Get Edna Ferber, who gave us
"Cimarron," "So Big" and "Show Boat," personally supervized the adaption of her latest novel to the screen by Jules Furthman and
Jane Murfin. Jane Murfin.
Howard Hawks and William Wyler collaborated on the direction of this powerful pro
duction which is said to to any film that was ever produced for drama, thrills, spe "Come and Get It." is release through United Artists. The colstumes are by Omar Kiam and he sets by Richard Day
Mrs. Arch Boyd is confined
o her bed with the mumps.
Mrs. Doyle Baldridge, who spent the latter part of last
week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gandy returned to
her home in Temple Saturday Italy will $\overline{\text { greatly }}$.
chemical production.

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## Help-Yourself Laundry

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## personal <br> Burl Davis is ill with the flu.

Frank Smith has been ill wit
Mrs. Lester Britain is confine
o her bed with the
Tommy Gordon of Waco w
Gatesville visitor Thursday. Mrs. V. C. Bradford of Gold
hwaite is a guest of her mother, Mrs. R. S. Farmer this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Sewar
and family the flu.
L. K Thomson Sr. is in Tem-
ple this week transacting bus-

Anthur McMordie is confined
to his bed with an attack of

## to his the flu.

Mrs. John Webb is in Konaw Okla., at the bedside of a sister, Mrs. Gladys Floyd who is ill.
Mrs. Walter Stewart is confined to her bed on account of illness.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith Waco were Gatesvile visito Wednesday.
Miss Waldine Wharton is confined to
illness.
Bob Steakley left for Big
$\begin{array}{cl}\text { Bob } & \begin{array}{c}\text { Steakley left ior Big }\end{array} \\ \text { Springs } & \text { Thursday where he has }\end{array}$ accepted a position.
James A. McDonald of Wichita Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thompson and Mrs. Bob Clemons and so Dean in McGregor Monday.
Miss Inez Brazzill of Flat left Wednesday morning for Los An-
geles, Cal. where she will eles, Cal. where she will visit
her sister, Mrs. Woodrow Martis
Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Thomson
Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Thomson
r. moved to their new home Friday morning. It is located Mrts. Arthur Keener of Dallas visiting her mother, Mrs. Matie Bailey, who has been ill with the flu for the past two weeks. Victor Harper and Guy Draper of Oglesby were in Gatesville funeral.

Mrs. Rufus McKinney and laughter, Jeffrey Ann, of Goldthwaite are visiting her parent
Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Bates Mrs. W. G. Walley and daugh er Helon have moved to Austin where they will make their home during the remainder of the school term. Mrs. Walley has two sons attending the University of Texas.
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Mr. and Mrs. D. D. McCoy and daughter, Frances, motored to Marlin Thursday where Mrts. McCoy will undergo medical treatment in a hospital there. Miss Frances will return home Sun-
day. Charles Porter Milner and Billy Earl Walker are having Billy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl
Walker, Walker, of near Laredo, cames
up visiting, and got the mumps, we suppose, so he could play
with his cousin, Billy. His mothwith his cousin, Billy.
er is here with him.

Mrs. M. W. Lowrey and son, Wendell, and Mayo Holt, Billy Bloodworth, Dave Culberson, and tin Tuesday after a few days visit in this city with relatives and friends. Albert Dickie ac-
dompanied them as far as George dompanied them as far as George
town where he is a student in town where he is a stud
Southwestern Univertity.

## PRLAGB

SATURDAY - SUNDAY - MONDAY

## s "TARZAN IS HERE!"

Each morning he woke her with a kiss . . . and now, his strong arms were ready to defend her against every jungle attack! Girls! There's a new and mighty love-thrill in the grandest of all the Tarzan romances! - fen Thei
tree-


Plus Fox News - Shorts
MEAT FOR CHILDREN


Dried Beef with Toast Points
By MARIE GIFFORO THERE are still a goodly number 1 of anxious mothers who come forth with periodic questions about what kinds of meat they may serve their young children.
Like all people with realthy appetites children rellsh the thavor of
meat. This enthusiastic response of the young child to meat flavor is to be expected for meats have the highest appetizing qualities of any single food.
Far from
Far from being harmful in the young child's diet, meat is considday medical and nutrition world. Bacon is allowed in the diet of very young children because of its appetizing qualities and its highly digestible fat. Chopped lean beef and liver are next to enter the child's
diet and may be served once a day from toddling age on. Any well
diet and prepared lean meat, such as chicken, lamb, beef or veal, prepared by
uitable for the pre-school young Dried Deat whice is another cured lean meat which has a valued place in
the child's menu. Give it variets oy the child's menu. Give it, variety by
serving it in sandwiches or mixed with scrambled eggs. Creamed
it with scrambled eggs, Creamed
dried beef is always in order and should be served not over toast but with toast points which the child can plick up in his hands and eat. All these provide the essential proteins for adequate growth ro-
cuirements and the building up of quirements and the building up of
hew tissue, besides the invaluable ron so essential to the blood. Heart, liver sweet breads and kidney are doubly valuable because hey supply not only those good protetns but valuable vitamins and In extra supply of iron. In cooking any of these lean cook them lightiy and season them itghtly as well. A very little salt is all that is necessary.


## Collegiennes Pick Sammy



Passing himself onto most of the major All-American selecAons was not the only accomplishment of Slingin' Sammy Baugh, Texas Christian's passing quarterback. He also passed his way oto the hearts of 2,300 Texas State College for Women fans, who
toted him their favorite Southwest Conference star. Baugh is toted him their favorite Southwest
nown here as Miss Dorothy Ehlinger, student president from New Fraunfels, presented him with a traveling bag. Dick Todd, Texas A. \& M. backfield star, was second in the balloting.
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16-Outlines 17-Cross ${ }_{22-A}^{20}$ Smart sayings $25-$ Drinks heavily ${ }_{27}^{26-\text { Cut trunk and }}$ of tret 28-White lie $29-$ Fowl
31-Worm 33-Pastry 33-Pastry
34- Captures
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39-Exclamation
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$44-$ Goddess of discord 44 Goddes
45 Grove
46 Sea 46 - Sea birds 48-Poetic for over
50 -Girl's name 51-Large wooden ptn
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54-Preparation


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WASHINGTON<br>WITH Congressman<br>W. R. (BOB) POAGE

The House has been in ses-
sion all afternoon each day this, week and some days into the night, but it has passed only one piece of important contested
legislation. This is the Postmastery Civii Service Bill, speck of Georgia. This bill has received good publicity and is leading the public to believe that the Civil Service and that it took the postmasters' appointments entirely out of politics. Certainly no one would be more ardently
in favor of this than a Congressman who has to make sel-
ection of postmasters between a number of his good friends. earnestly wish that we could re-
move every vestion sioal influence from the appointment of postmastens, but this it, it simply undertook to perond and Third-class postfasters in their positions. It provides pointed "with-out term" and that is for life or good behavior. It
then adds that "Postmasters now serving who have satisfac.
tory records shall continue to serve until their four-vear terms
of office expire, after which they may be reappointed without
term, in accordance with the provisions of Section 2 of this Act." Then Section 2 provides-"Ap-
pointmentis to positions of postmaster at First, Second and the Third-class post offices shall be made by the reappointment an
cłassification, non-competitively of the incumbent postmaster Postal Service in accordance with the provisions of the Civil Ser Postmalster General certifies. that there is no qualified per As I understand this language Democratic postmasters into life-
time positions and $I^{\prime}$ feel that it will even fail in that. because licans came back in power they will repeal the bill. In the mean-
time, it does not remove posttime, it does not remove post-
masters from politics, inasmuch as it leaves the way wide open
for wire pulling to get the Post master General to certify that
there is or is not a qualified employee in an

## "DON'T REFUSE TO HIRE IF NO NUMBERS," <br> 


M. Powell, regional director othe Social Security Board, declared today after he had received numerous complaints fromindividuals who said they hadeen refused employment merely because they were without
account numbers.It is not necessary for th account number immediately," Powell said. "Employee account numbers will not be needed by mployers for their first infor mations returns to the Bureau of Internal Revenue until July, 1937. The monthly tax rèturn the Bureau of Internal Rev enue does not require employees account numbers to be listed. "However, all individuals un covered by the Social Security

## allows th selection to be mad from the three high men. As

 see it, it has all the evils the old laystem. I voted for asubstitute which would substitute which would have re-
quired every postmaster to take a competitive examination at the end of a four year term and
let the high man in the examination get the position. This of all political influence and would have given anyone an even break ment was defeated, largely, think because the Republican supported it and many Democrats would not vote for any-
thing that the Republicans supnorted. There were, however supported the proposal. This bill has not yet passed the Senate approve of does in regardthing the House The other outstanding activity of the week was the President's
reception for Members of Congress and their families. There
were approximately were approximately a thousand
people present at the White House and while I had great difficulty
in getting dressed for the occa
sin I

clothes 1 found myself unable to tie the tie and had to ride
across town to get Representative Garrett, of Eastiand, to tie it House with Mr. and Mrs. Garret On arriving, we had to show a
card on our windshield to be admitted to the White House grounds and presented another card at the door to be admitted
to the White House. We then checked our wraps and were lined up in the East Room and
allowed to pass into the Red allowed to pass into the Red
Room where the President and Mrs. Roosevelt stood in front of a fern bank and shook hands was announced by an officia with more gold braid than a Rear Admiral.. We then passed
on through the Blue Room, int the State Dining Room, where
punch, cake, candy and nuts were served and we then re dancing was ensgaged in for about an hour. The President
did not come into the rooms where the guests were, but Mrs $\left\lvert\, \begin{aligned} & \text { Act who have not already done } \\ & \text { so should file application (Form }\end{aligned}\right.$ so should file application (Form
SS-5) for an account number immediately in order that they may receive account numbers
well in advance of dates they are required for these information returns.
"Employees' applications fo
account number (Form SS-5) account number (Form SS.5) are
now available upon request all post offices, at the field ot fices of the Social Security
Board and at offices of the lectors of Internal Revenue. They may be returned to post office a labor organization, or by mail or personal delivery.
"Employers are right in en couraging their employees to ob tain account numbers as soon a possible," Powell asserted, "bu employment should not be refused to a man simply because he has not

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## In The WEEKS NEWS



FIRST TOWNSEND TESTER-C. C. Fleming, of Chelan, Wash., who has admires his wife's new finery. Merchants pay two-cent tax each time they handie a test dollar

## Important Social Security Information For Employers Of Less Or More Than 8 Employees

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ion of electric current, will delay or prevent such work as has so often been the case in the past.
There is no question but that with proper engineering and the expenditure of a sufficient sum of money the valleys of such
rivers as the Ohio, the Missouri and the Mississippi could be made is, the people of these regions night be freed from the ravages of the rivers, freed from seeing
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apply to Title 8, the apply to Title 8 , the old age benefit section, which is concern
ed with entployers of one or file reurns on Form SS-1. The old age benefits tax is payable monthly, the tinal date being
the last date of the succeeding month. Thus, the return for the month of January, 1937, must be in my office on or before
February 28 . There has been no extension applying to th title and I am without powe to grant one.
The extension which was grant ed by the treasury departmen allowed an additional 60 days for filing such returns. Under the law no further extensions chairman Anderson's returns,
$\qquad$ concern is that Texas taxpayer not confuse this 60 days' exten sion granted by the Texas com sion granted by the Texas com25, February 28 and March 31
With Texas employers facin thee different deadlines for fil the Social Security law collect ing agencies here in Austin are fenalized that many they familiar ize themseives with the situation created by the recent granting nd making payments.
R. B. Anderson, chairman of the Texas Unemployment Compenation Commission, and Frank enue for the First Texas district today joined in an appeal to taxpayers to acquaint themselvel ves with the final filing dates. lear," Collector Scofield said. is that the extension grante by the treasury department
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"I want to urge all employers wame under the Texas Unemployment Compensation Act to pay the state the required ninetenths of one per cent on 1936 pay rolls as soon as possible," Chairman Anderson said. "Such payments must actually have been made to our fund before Federal can be granted on the unemployment short, the total

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## will be liable for the funl am- ount of both state and federal

 nie-tenths per cent on their 1939 The schedule for employers is as follows:February 25 -All employers of
eight or more must pay their unemployment compensation tax by this date. This tax, also to be paid to the state commission, is one and eight-tenths per cent
of the total payroll for January,
1937 .
February 28 -Employers of 8 or more persons must pay the
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$\qquad$ or more persons must pay the sation tax for 1936 to the col-
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EIELD OFFICE SOCIAL SECURITY IN wace

Included in the fourteen field offices of the Social Security Waco, in the Service Mutual Building at Sixth and Franklin. portant part in the administration of the Federal old-age benefit program. They will also fur nish employers as well as em. ployees accurate information on the Social Security Act.
Turpentine production in the United States has an annual In 1846 the whig candidates
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into the plain of the Grand
Prairie and blackland belt about
the lower limit of Somervel
County. The rapid descent of
flood water from the upper
reaches into the slow-moving
stream of the coastal belt has
created disastrous floods.
At present the largest propos
ed project in Texas is the Re
River basin at Denison dam
The project is a part of the
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