Oil Derricks Topple in Monday's Storm

Wind, hail and rain Monday Titus Grand Jury night did several thousand dollars damage in the Talco oil field, in- Convenes Monday cluding dwelling houses along its path and property in Talco. Hardest hit were oil companies. Thirteen oil derricks were blown over sion Monday morning foliowing a prediction of terrific drive by Nazis. and mangled. The loss to oil field charge from District Judge R T. equipment was all on the west side Wilkinson Sr., who has been apof the field. Texas Co., Shlar, pointed to fill out the unexpired as battle lines continue to form in state would be closed would depend Stroub & Stroub, Magnolia, Byars, Housh-Thompson and Dean Broth- reeently resigned. ers all lost derricks in the storm. Derricks cost about \$750 each.

\$500 loss to buildings. A roof was except for a few compromise cases, blown off one of their lease houses will probably be carried over until and two pump houses were des- the fall session, which begins on troyed. They also had a derrick September 16. to wobble, cracking the concrete pillows at one 'corner, but didn't topple over. Some of the derricks crete pillows completely out of the ground.

In the same area the wind destroyed the home of Hiram Holder, who with his family had just entered a storm cellar. Walter Smith, school bus driver, lost a barn, and tells about two calves being blown into his field, without serious injury. The gin at Lavada was also dam-

In Talco O. R. Medlin had a \$60 loss to two plate glass show windows in his grocery store building.

An empty service station building, property of E. W. Smith, located on the new highway adjoining Broad street was blown off its foun-

A. V. McElroy, living in the eastern part of Talco, reports damage to his automobile top from hail stones the size of hen eggs.

In the negro section of Talco a house owned by Wm. Beatty was blown off its foundation and moved back about three feet, with the loss

All dwelling and business houses to Death in Home that never had leaked, showed signs of a very hard rain, and some furniture and merchandise were damaged

Old settlers in Talco report that this was the worst storm in this section in many years.

From Talco the storm coursed through Maple Springs, Wilkinson, Midway, Argo, Cooper's Chapel and Lone Star communities, where var-Later the Naples area was hit. At | and leg. that place a large cotton warehouse shed was demolished and other buildings wrecked.

damage over the county resulted to aged when garages were blown 4,000-foot test to start before May crops and fruit trees. Fields of corn down or were struck by flying tim- 1. Location is on a 101-acre tract and potatoes were completely wip- bers. ed out by the rain and hail in some

section in sheets of rain and hail, door and free them. A 2x4 timber gathered in intensity as it traveled was driven thru a brood sow besouthward and struck with tornadic longing to Earl Williams, killing the Humble to Provide force the Minter, Cunningham and animal. Two negro houses were Talco Refinery with McCrury communities. Houses, completely demolished and the barns and sheds were unroofed or home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Bry- 3,000 Barrels of Oil partly unroofed in those areas and son so badly damaged they were at least one person, J. W. Isenberg forced to move. of McCrury, was reported injured. from the Tient McCrury home to with no hail. not seriously injured.

Round Prairie were reported dam- seed too deeply for them to come Another asphalt crude producing aged by the wind, the school house out, unless it is possible to harrow field, however, Cayuga, Anderson roof and two garages damaged at the rows down before the seed rot. county, sought an increase to sup-Minter. Water tank at the Minter In other fields, terraces were over- ply refinery demand. To supply the gin was missing Wednesday and it run and seed washed out. On the Pan-American, 15,8000 barrels daily is thought to have been blown into whole, however, crops in this im- was asked.

the gin pool, where it submerged. reports considerable hail and a near though some replanting may be waterspout in that area. Crops and gardens were reported damaged, as well as timber, many big trees be- SUCCESS OF CAMP CO. TEST ing twisted up by the hurricane

The storm lasted only twelve injuries and Edwin Cothran sus- ris and Cass counties.

The Titus county grand jury for the April term, went into active sesterm of his son, R. T. Wilkinson Jr, Norway.

At the present time it appears there will be no action taken in dis-Lucey Petroleum Co. had about trict court this term, and all work,

COUNTY SINGING HELD MAY 4-5

gymnasium at Mt. Pleasant, and ualty of the war. one of the biggest gatherings in the in the history of the organization ian troops reported encircling Geris expected.

Invitations have been sent to East Texas and acceptances are pouring in. Several special quartets have been arranged for the occhairs and to install a public address system are being amde.

Titus county people are expected to carry their own lunches for Surday. There will be no public dinner, and the lunches will be served picnic style as in the past.

The main program for the convention will be held Sunday with a preliminary session Saturday night.

Aged Woman Burned

death in her three room home at Garvin, Okla., Thursday of last Cass County Gets week. The fire occurred in the afternoon and those who attempted Another Wildcat to extinguish the blaze did not across the north part of the county, know she was in the house. Surviving are a daughter of Garvin and a son who lives at Clarksville. ious amounts of damage resulted. tained a fractured shoulder blade ing ahead as another location has

McCrury Hard Hit

Later reports from McCrury dis- miles northeast of Atlanta. areas and fruit tree limbs were close that a tree was blown down The county has one active Paluxy broken by the hail stones, many of on a storm house in which Will test to the north at Stiller No. 1 which were almost three inches in Alawine and son had taken refuge Glass, Paxon survey, west of Alaand neighbors had to chop the tree mo Mills, now going ahead below The storm, which wrapped this away before they could open the surface pipe set at 120 feet.

A large number of houses on ed over the rows and covered the field increase. mediate section are thought to be Jimmie Womack of Halesboro, in too good condition to plant over, Methodists to Meet

MAY BROADEN ACTIVITY

Day by Day Story of War in Europe

FRIDAY—Allied forces believed forces jockeying for positions in impending battle at Trondheim. Activity on French front brings

claims direct hits on British cruiser Commissioner Thompson said. and two. transports. Allied troops oppose Nazis on seven Norwegian out of war by Allies.

MONDAY-Allies claim recapture of Hamar. Namsos and Andalsnes, ports of entry for Allied troops bombed by Nazi planes with blown over pulled the huge con- CONVENTION TO BE British replying with raids on Nazi bases in Norway and Denmark. Capt. Robert M. Losey, assistant military attache to the American le-Titus County Singing Convention gation in Sweden killed by German will be held Saturday night and bomb at Dombas, Norway, on Sun-Sunday, May 4 and 5, in the school day, for the first American land cas-

TUESDAY-British and Norwegman-held Trondheim, but not in sufficient numbers to hold if the ments arrived.

sea and land fighting continued over with men and munitions reported the home of Mrs. Jim Morris. embarking from German ports opposite Sweden, who feared an in-

fighting up the Swedish border to- brook and Miss Kate Moore. ward Trondheim. The Allied set- Out of town guests were: Mmes. back came as they pressed an en- George Wims, Ernest Aikin, Joe circling movement heim. The Allies fell back several Mrs. Liza Kennedy, 74, burned to miles to await reinforcements.

Search for the Paluxy production in Cass county, aided by Standard of Louisiana's recent strike eastward in Miller county, Ark., is movbeen made definite.

Joe S. Griffin of Atlanta, holding A fine young milk cow belonging a block of around 4,000 acres beto John Woodle at McCrury was tween Atlanta and Bloomberg, has Probably the greatest amonut of killed and several cars were dam- staked his No. 1 W. H. Daniel as a in the Willis Pittman survey, two

To prevent Talco operators from East of Bogata there was no asking an allowable hike, Humble Mr. Isenberg is said to have started storm damage and rain was light agreed, in a hearing before the Railroad Commission, to provide the his own home when he was stuck Just what the heavy downpour Talco Refinery with 3,000 barrels, ton. Here is how they figure it: by a piece of hurtling tin. He was will mean to fresh-planted cotton which Marion Church, speaking for in this area is not definitely known. the Talco field, said would enable Houses Damaged on Round Prairie In some fields, loose soil was wash- it to continue operations without a

April 29 at Talco

District conference of Methodists bring covered dish luncheons.

Daily Flow Will be Cut **During May**

A ten per cent horizontal reductclosing trap to exterminate Ger- ion in Texas' oil allowable for May, mans in Narvik sector. Opposing agreed upon by the State Railroad Little Miss Talco Commission, was expected to be set today. The current daily allowable is 1,528,555 barrels.

The commissioners agreed on 14 SATURDAY-Troop landings, at- days shutdown for the East Texas tacks and counter-attacks by air field, but whether the rest of the on further study of the situation SUNDAY - German air force and the detailed proration order.

Thompson declared the reduction would bring the state's petroleum fronts. Italy told bluntly to keep output into line with the Federal Bureau of Mines' estimate that 1,-344,200 barrels would be needed daily from Texas during May to meet market demand.

The April schedule stipualted 12 shutdown days for the East Texas field and one statewide closing day. Operators, however, were permitted to produce 29 days allowable over a 30-day period if they chose.

Fine Arts Club Organized at Talco

A Fine Arts Club was organized Tuesday afternoon in the home of prominent singers in all parts of Nazis attacked before reinforce- Mrs. Dick Rodgers, with sixteen active members and four associate day night at the Talco High School. had been spent in and around Bo-WEDNESDAY - Desperate air, members. Members of the Shakespeare club of Mt. Vernon, were casion. Plans to provide plenty of Norway and the North Sea, but no guests and assisted in the organizreal battles among troops in major ation. The club adjourned to meet numbers had occurred. Transports next Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 in

The hostess served a delectable salad course, carrying out a color scheme of pink and green, to these THURSDAY-Nazi troops check- members: Mmes. O. B. Hopwood, ed the Allied advance at Steinkjer, Jim Morris, Roger Williams, Johndrove them back and destroyed the nie Weatherall, James Tillery, Louis town, Another German column was Cato, Dick Rodgers, Kenneth West-

around Trond- Bolger, Malcolm Johnson and Miss Faye Miller. Those members who Charley Brownlee were absent are urged to be present at the next meeting of the club. -Reporter.

Mrs. J. R. Stephens Buried in Ardmore, Okla., on Sunday

Funeral services were conducted for Mrs. J. R. Stephens at the First Methodist Church in Talco Sunday morning at 9 o'clock, with the Rev. C. B. Williams officiating.

Mrs. Stephens was born in Mississippi on June 10, 1877, and moved to Texas at an early age. She married J. R. Stephens in 1894, who preceded her in death.

Mrs. Stephens died Saturday morning after a lengthy illness. She was a member of the Methodist church in Talco. Surviving her are two sons, J. R. Stephens and a son in Ardmore, Okla. The body was carried to the Rosehill cemetery in Ardmore, Okla., for burial.

Comparison Between Chickens and Cotton

A well known feed company makes a comparison of 100 hens with the income of five bales of cot-

bale of cotton 500 pounds. 1 pound of cotton 81/2 cents. 500 pounds of cotton \$42.50. 5 bales of cotton \$212.50.

1 hen lays 185 eggs. 1 egg brings 11/2 cents. 185 eggs bring \$2.771/2.

100 hens return \$277.50. This shows a difference of \$65.00 in favor of the hens.

Jessie Bell Martin Wed Fixtures Due May 13

Mr. Jack LeGross and Miss Jessie of the Paris district will meet Mon- Bell Martin were united in mar-Should the Moss-Venters well in ance composed of all preachers and Edwards Wednesday afternoon at estimated at a half million dollars about May 7, there is a strong pos- Pastors have been requested to send owner and operator of the Rex besides injuring two men when a the way to the Rodessa field, as ex- the conference, both exofficio and has been in Talco for about two able to contractors at the county roof collapsed. Melvin Williams perts are claiming there is goed elective, in advance of the meeting years and has made many friends. judge's office. suffered a fractured back and head structure through Camp, Titus, Mor- date. Attendants are requested to The Talco Times wishes them a happy married life.

Magnolia Rigging Up on Duke No. 3

Winner of Title



Little Miss Jane Kelley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Kelley, won first place as Little Miss Talco in a personality and talent contest Fri- March 22, 1885 and most of his life Jane is the granddaughter of Mr. gata. He is survived by his wife, and Mrs. W. D. Cato and Mr. and who before her marriage was Betty Mrs. H. B. Kelley of Talco.

tle Mr. Talco, Joe L. Myers Jr. win- a member of the Baptist church ning first place.

In the personality contest, Mary Jo Goodwin won first place and at the Bogata cemetery where in-Mary Lee Blankenship won second. terment was made under direction Stevens, first and Harry and Mar- ing. Rev. J. L. Sullivan, Bogata jorie Howard, second place. Judges Methodist minister, conducted the were from Mt. Pleasant.

Talco High School Band sponsored the program.

Buried Thursday at Gladewater

o'clock Thursday morning for Char- motorists a real bargain next week. ley Brownlee, 26, who passed away Mr. Singleton will wash and at the home of his parents, Mr. and grease your car for 75c with a pur-Mrs. Elmer Brownlee, at 9:30 Wed- chase of ten gallons of Ethyl or Kool nesday morning. The services were Motor gasoline, on any day except held at the Gladewater Baptist Saturday. Church under the direction of Rev. M. M. Pate, with burial following in the nearby cemetery.

time prior to his death. He was MEETS WITH MRS. TILLERY highly respected by his many friends all of whom are saddened by his

Edward Brownlee, and two sisters, Brabham was present and made an Misses Frances and Addie Ruth interesting talk. The group discuss-Brownlee, all of the Wilkinson com- ed family relations and also dis-

Capt. J. F. Lucey Makes Check-up of Talco Pipeline

dent of the Talco Pipeline Co., was Dalby and the hostess. The visitors in Talco Friday making a check-up brought covered dishes and served on the pipeline and all the property lunch. belonging to him and his associates of the Lucey Petroleum Co.

This check-up was necessary in order that they could make improvements on the refinery in Mt. Pleasant.

Capt. Lucey estimates the production owned by them in the Talco field will produce from eight to ten years without any trouble.

Jack LeGross and Miss Bids for Court House

Bids for the purchase and installation of equipment and furniture day, April 29, at Talco, with attend- riage at the office of Justice J. W. for the newly remodeled and reconditioned Titus county court minutes in Paris, but damage done Camp county come in with the ex- officers as well as elective dele- 5:30 o'clock. Mr. Legross has been house will be received on May 13, by heavy hail and flerce winds was pected production reported due gates from churches in the district. in Talco since the oil boom and is it is reported, and plans and specifications for the equipment have alin that city and surrounding area, sibility that tests will be drilled all in lists of names of all delegates to Cafe in East Talco. Miss Martin ready been secured and are avail-

> Exterior work on the building is practically completed.

Magnolia Company is again rigging up on the E. V. Duke property in East Talco. This will be the third well for Mr. Duke, having completed the No. 2 two weeks ago.

In the same area W. B. Hinton, drilling for Adams and Lysle is nearing the Paluxy, with depth at 4140 feet Thursday morning. If this well is a good producer it is understood about 12 more locations will be drilled by the same company.

On the west end Humble is drilling around 3250 on the Penn fee No. 16. After this well is completed the rig and crew will move to East Texas for four locations, and after completing there will move back into the Talco field for about thirty locations.

GEO. JACKSON DIES AT PINE **BRANCH HOME**

George Jackson, for many years a resident of the Pine Branch section, east of Bogata, died early Friday of a heart attack, his family finding him dead when he was called Friday morning.

Deceased was born in Texas. Yates, two sons, Rufus and Earl and A contest was also held for Lit- a daughter, Lou Ellen. He had been since 1926

Funeral services were conducted Talent contest was won by Jane of Grant-Dixon on Sunday mornfuneral rites.

Chas. Singleton Offers Motorists Real Bargain

Charles Singleton, operator of the Cities Service Station, formerly Funeral services were held at 10 Spruill's service station, is offering

Your attention is called to his advertisement in this issue.

Deceased had been ill for a short HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Mrs. James A. Tillery was hostess to the Home Demonstration Club Besides his parents, he is surviv- Thursday, with an interesting proed by two brothers, William B. and gram. County Agent Miss Susie cussed a cotton mattress project for Titus county.

Those present were: Mmes. M. J. Spruill, G. C. Gray, A. Smalf, A. N. Tucker, D. C. Howard, Daily Brown, R. F. Goodwin, J. W. Harper, Pruitt Askins, D. O. Dunagan, Ike Reed, Susie Brabham, H. L. Loftin, Capt. J. F. Lucey of Dallas, presi- Jack King, Jack Fogarty, W. W.

Lease Block Forming South Franklin Co.

Leasing in South Franklin county indicates possible formation of a drilling block, with nine elases having been filed in a sector running east and west on the north side of Cypress creek from the Titus county line about one-fourth of the way across Franklin county Seven of the leases went to J. C. Hawkins of Tyler, with the reported price running from \$1 to \$2.50 per acre.

HOPKINS, FRANKLIN COUNTIES RECEIVE WPA GRANTS

Included in recent Works Progress Administration grants for Texas were \$22,239 for a new Brannon school building in Hopkins county and \$4,711 for construction of a city hall in Mt. Vernon, Frank-

NOBODY'S BUSINESS

By JULIAN CAPERS, JR.

AUSTIN.-Withdrawal of Ernest O. Thompson, railroad commissioner, and entrance of the Fergusons in For-Judge, 76th Judicial Districtthe governor's race, many political observers here believe, raises a serious question of the ability of Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel to win renomination for a second term as governor of Texas.

The Ferguson's, all observers agree, will poll a considerable vote. For Representative, 35th Dist .-It may be substantially lower than the big votes they collected during Jim's hey-dey as a campaigner, but nobody here is willing to discount Jim's past record when he or Ma is the candidate, despite their failure For County Judgeto deliver the vote to other candidates they have supported. Sadler, too, will cut off considerable numbers of votes that went to O'Daniel last time, with his appeals to the old folks and his extravagant prom- For County Attorneyises of wider social security benefits.

Thompson's decision to run for congress in his home district, where Marvin Jones will step out to be- For County Treasurercome a Federal judge, has greatly strengthened the position of Harry Hines, highway commissioner, since most students of the situation agree that Hines and Thompson would have divided the "conservative" group of thinking voters, while For Assessor-Collector-O'Daniel, Sadler and the Fergusons are appealing to much the same

Makes No Promises

Hines so far has kept strictly away from extravagant promises, and his advocacy of an omnibus tax bill that will raise a moderate amount of revenue to carry out the present social security program, appeals to common-sense voters, since For County Surveyorthe state's recent legislative history reveals that an omnibus bill, with the tax load distributed among nat- For Commissioner, Precinct 3ural resources and other lines of business, is the only important revenue raising legislation that has gotten by the legislature in many years. Allred used it successfully to get revenue during his administration, and neither sales taxes nor For Justice, Precinct 3-"single-shot" tax bills could be pushed through the House and Senate. Many believe that the same situation prevails today.

O'Daniel advisors are becoming worried about their candidate's reelection. O'Daniel's establishment of a campaign sheet, which he calls For Weigher, Precinct 3a newspaper; the sloppy publicity over the O'Daniel gesture to the churches, in connection with his flour company's certificate scheme, and his rather desperate efforts to make some political thunder with some of his appointments, are seen as indications the O'Daniel camp is Light of the Moon beginning to wonder what may happen in July. O'Daniel still has some big business support, based on a hope for another two-year staleofficials.

New Chief Justice

The appointment of W. F. Moore of Paris, chief assistant to Attorney General Gerald Mann, as chief justice of the State Supreme Court, placed an able lawyer on the state's highest court bench. It may also have created a friendlier feeling among the supporters of the Attorney General toward O'Daniel. Grover Sellers, former Court of Appeals Justice from Texarkana, succeeded Judge Moore as Mann's chief aide, and he likewise, is an able attorney with eminent professional standing. One of the secrets of the remarkable record Mann has made as the state's chief law officer has been his ability to select and induce capable dash. attorneys to serve on his staff at the meager pay which is allowed assistants to the Attorney General. Judge Moore must stand for election to serve out the unexpired term of the late Justice Cureton (two years), and it is indicated he will have opposition. But the appointment gives him a distinct advantage.

Girls' Teeth Sounder Than Those of Boys

CHICAGO.-Girls' and negroes' teeth are less subject to decay than those of boys and members of the white and yellow races. Those observations are made in an issue of the Journal of the American Dental Association by Dr. E. Pearl Hannah, director of the Palo Alto, Cal., school dental clinics.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, July 27, 1940:

For Congress, First District— R. G. WATERS of Bowie County

CLAUDE HUTCHINGS

For State Senator, 1st Dist .-

C. T. NEUGENT Of Titus County E. HAROLD BECK

Of Bowie County

G. C. LUNSFORD

T. J. (Tom) BARRIER' L. F. BENSON P. D. THORTON JR.

ED DICKSON

J. T. CAMERON

JACK CROSS

BEN L. PATRICK BIRD OLD, Jr.

TRAYLOR RUSSELL

D. C. MORGAN (Re-election)

For County Clerk-FLOYD KEITH

P. O. WILHITE (Re-election)

For Sheriff-GROVER ARD (Re-election) AUBREY REDFEARN EARL ALBRIGHT COY M. COKER

DON G. NOLTE

ED NUGENT R. R. (RAYMOND) CAMERON

MORRIS BLALOCK E. V. DUKE ERNEST BROWN

J. W. EDWARDS G. R. (Roy) FRY E. Y. (B) BROWN

Indications here are that the For Constable, Precinct 3-LOYD GRAF JOHN J. BAINE

LEO WILSON

For Your Jewelry Business J. W. Caruthers, Mt. Pleasant

Hen Lays Egg by the

The old hen that cackled in the pot is a back number compared to mate on taxes; but he has largely a hen belonging to Mrs. Will lost the small-town businessmen Clarkston of the Fulbright section. who hoped for a "business admin- Johnny Kerbow of that area reports you have found Him as a savior, istration," and got a sales taxer. Big that one night last week Mrs. Clark- then you should join His church. business is very handy to have ston was awakened about 3 o'clock around, when campaign financing is in the morning by a loud cackling. to be done; but little businessmen Thinking someone was disturbing cast more votes, and influence more her hens, she got up to investigate Thompson of the McKinney Examof their neighbors, than corporation and found one of her hens coming iner heads an article. The article off the nest leaving a freshly laid

egg behind her. It is thought the hen got her visual senses out of order by the recent eclipse of the sun and mistook the moonlight for sunlight.

Clarksville Wins Junior Track Meet

Clarksville won the Red River County Junior Interscholastic track and field meet at Clarksville on Saturday with 28 points to 27 for Avery and 10 for Bogata. Bogata scored third in the 440 relay and Jack Wilson won the broad jump and placed second in the 50-yard



People, Spots in Late News



her age in the world, seemingly a modest claim indeed!

BARLOW'S BOOM! . . . Scene at Middle River, Md., as new liquid oxygen-carbon explosive invented by Lester P. Barlow was demonstrated, an eight-ounce charge shattering a telephone pole and tossing huge chunks of it 150 feet into the air. Said to be most destructive explosive known, it was shown by other tests to resist detonation by impact and fire, but is set off by electrical charge.

J. W. HARPER, Pastor

Program for Sunday, April 28: 9:45 a. m., Sunday school-Melvin Blackburn, superintendent. 11:00 a. m.—Preaching by pastor.

7:00 p. m., training service-Hardin Turner, general director. 8:00 p. m.-Preaching by pastor.

The Women's Auxiliary of the church meets at the church each Christ" and "Heaven." Monday afternoon at 2:30.

Mid-week services begin at 7:00 p. m. when teachers of the Sunday school meet for lesson preview. Regular prayer meeting at 8:00.

Why join a church? This is a good question. There are many reasons why. Many people do not feel the importance of the church and give it no consideration whatever. Here is my answer to the above question: For your own soul's sake, for your family's sake, for God's glory.

Do not seek to join the church without first finding the Lord Jesus Christ as your personal savior. If Our church welcomes you. Come.

"A Going Age" is the way Editor fails to state which way it is going. Left to our imagination, no doubt

Hear HARRY HINES Tax Program



Texas Quality Network MONDAY, APRIL 29 WFAA - WBAP - WOAI 8:30 - 9:00 P. M. KPRC, 9:30-10:00 F. M.

Hear the leading candidate for Governor present a practical, workable plan to raise monay to meet the State's Social Security obligation.

HARRY HINES for Governor A Doer—Not a Promiser

This advertisement contributed by friends of Harry Hines

First Baptist Church | Calvary Baptist Church

Our meeting started off with a fine spirit, with large crowds both Sunday morning and night. We had a number of visitors. We always welcome people to our services.

ior choir, with preaching at 7:45. Sermons for Saturday night and Sunday will be "Second Coming of

Times' Classified Ads Pay.

Services will open at 7:15 by jun-

S. D. LINDSEY, Pastor.

From the Back Files of The Talco Times Week of April 23, 1937

In Talco Three and

Four Years Ago

with nine completions.

on Thursday night in Talco for the ment includes interest and principal. purpose of discussing a street improvement plan.

been laid to the well.

that capacity.

Talco allowable had been increas- can qualify. ed that week 3,104 barrels. Sulphur Bluff was increased 1,159 bar-

Week of April 24, 1936

Talco baseball club was sponsorng an air show in Talco.

Talco merchants were starting their first trades day, with added feature of a parachute jump to attract people to town.

Humble Co. Galt No. 1, located 3/4 of a mile southeast of the discovery well, had cored 17 feet of oil sand.

More than 150 carpenters were engaged in building new residences and business houses in Talco.

Materials were arriving for the erection of a new supply house in Talco for Decker Tool & Supply Co.

Happiness that depends soely on money is worth only what the money will buy.



LAND BARGAINS-TERMS

168 acres located 3 miles east of Bogata on paved Highway 37, good 5-room house, barn 30x40 and other out buildings, good well and earth tank, on milk and mail route, grade school 11/4 miles high school 3 miles, Tearing down and moving rigs bus to both schools. This is an exwas the chief occupation that week, cellent little stock farm. Can purchase with \$750.00 down, with an-A mass meeting had been held nual payments of \$192.50. This pay-

You will also find this one to be a real buy. 100 acres, located 11/2 One hundred feet of water sand miles northeast of Fulbright; 5had been found at the city's water room frame house, barn 16x28, garwell northwest of Talco, and one age, smokehouse, chicken house, mile of 8-inch water mains had good cistern and pool, 1/4 mile to bus to grade and high school, 1/4 Marvin Hazelwood had resigned mile to mail route. This is a real as president of the Talco School little home, \$400.00 down with an-Board, after 15 years of service in nual payments of \$112.00. Aetna Bonded plan included to those who

AETNA BONDED FARMS. 1414 Republic Bank Bldg., Dallas, Texas.

IDENTIFIED

Traffic Officer: "Hey, there, who do you think you are?'

Driver: "Oh, I'm just one of the taxpayers who pays your salary for insulting us."

GLASS-PAINT WALLPAPER

If your property suffered damage in the recent storm, let us supply your needs in Glass, Wallpaper and Paint. Get our prices before you buy. The largest stock in Northeast Texas from which to select.

Alexander Book

Paris, Texas

National Hardware Open House April 25th Thru May 4th

SAVE AS YOU BUY

America's Leading Manufacturers are co-operating with more than 10,000 Independent Hardware Stores to bring this annual savings event to you. Check these outstanding values—truly one of the greatest selling events we have ever offered.

Ironing Board Pad with Cover

Value

No pinning or tucking, just fit pad on board, lay on cover and lace. Size of pad 15x55 inches.

Minnow Bucket

Regular 98c Value

This bucket will keep your minnows fresh and lively. Heavy galvanized, twopiece construction. Outer pail attractively trimmed in green with heavy steel wire bail and black enameled wood grip. Deep pan will hold sufficient water for transferring minnows.

Oscillating Electric Fan

\$5.25 Value.

Large 10-inch chronium plated blades, new high speed oiless motor. Smooth, quiet running . . no radio interference.

Chevron **Electric Iron**



Value

\$1.25

Its even, direct heat does the ironing quickly, easily, smoothly. Wt. 43/4 lbs. 115 V. — A.C.-D.C. Less Cord.

Rubber-Tired Lawn Mower

Regular \$8.25 Value-Special

Full 16-inch cut, quiet, easy running, self-sharpening, ball bearing, rubbertired Lawn Mower. Five highest grade 16-inch blades. A well built mower . . will give many years of service.

Klicker Hand Saws

\$1.25 Value.

wood handle.

26-inch well made, nicely finished saws at a low price. High quality, special tempered spring steel,

Pennant Garden Hose

skew back blade, hard-

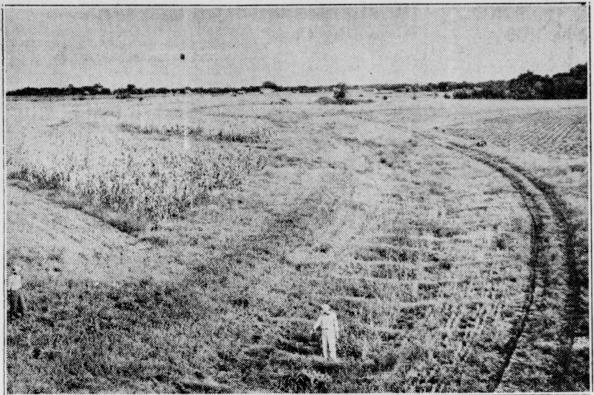
25 ft. \$1.69 Value \$1.39

Keep your lawn and garden fresh and green with this dependable 2-YEAR GUARANTEED HOSE. Strong and durable, yet flexible, lightweight and easy to handle. Constructed with single braid, moulded corrugated cover. With 5/8-inch couplings.

Special prices on many items not listed. BREAK-FAST SETS 20% DIS-COUNT during this salealso on open stock patterns in China.

BILLINGSLEY HARDWARE CO.

MEADOW WATERWAYS SAVE SOIL



Meadow waterways, such as the better land utilization for the area planned on this farm. In addition one shown in this photograph, are converted to meadow. parts of the complete conservation system on many farms in demon- are being used as safe outlets for this year. stration projects of the Soil Conservation Service. These meadows, many of them developed from for- sod waterway on the Edna Howison using a crop rotation, contour culmerly idle land, provide additional farm north of Bogata last year and tivation, vegetative protection in hay for farm livestock, furnish a with one growing season this water- the form of erosion control strips safe outlet for terrace water, util- way has become well established and a planned terrace system which ize a part of this water in the pro- and is now ready to carry the run- includes the meadow sod waterway duction of forage, and often provide off water from the terrace system in a coordinated attack on erosion.

CUNNINGHAM

The banquet for seniors of Cun-

ningham school will be held here

May 3. Graduates are Gerald Ken-

Crump, Virginia Scott, Lindsay

Ward, Minnie Raley, Gertrude Ba-

ker, Margie Lane Hulett, Johnny

Bell, Emma Lois Oglesby, Jack Wo-

mack, Ethyllene Hughes, Marie Og-

lesby, Virginia Chandler and Billy

Teachers who have been elected

are: F. E. McGahan, superintend-

ent; Clifton Guest, principal and

coach; Mabern Humphrey, voca-

tional; Mrs. F. E. McGahan, Mrs.

Roby, Misses Leo Williams and Lil-

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Puckett of

Most all the farmers in this community are planting their corn over and some are planting cotton. The

frost last week did a lot of damage

Mrs. Raymond Smoot of Paris, state president of the WMU, and Mrs. Warner, county secretary, met at the Baptist church Sunday after-

noon and organized a WMU. Of-

ficers elected were: President, Mrs.

Raley, sec., Mrs. Clifford Pynes.

The following were appointed to have charge of the respective ser-

vices: Mrs. Curtis Hoover, benevo-

lence; Mrs. Adrian Hart, personal service: Mrs Juarez Jordan, stewardship chairman; Mrs. Marvin

Coyle, mission study; Mrs. Ira Temple, young people and educational

work; Mrs. Ross Warren, periodicals; Mrs. J. S. Cox, Bible study.

Meetings will be held each Mon-

day afternoon at the church. All

ladies are invited.

to gardens and potatoes.

cancies to be filled.

Joe Oats.

night.

water from terrace systems.

Mr. Suggs will be able to utilize the In the Bogata area over 200 acres grass from this meadow for hay

A complete conservation system Boss Suggs established a meadow is being established on this farm

Detroit Hi Faculty is Re-Elected

Entire faculty of the Detroit High School and elementary school was re-elected last week and is composed of Leslie Griffin, sup't; L. Lynn Gill, business administration; Miss Exa Adams, science and math.; Miss Irra Bell Harper, speech and English; O. W. Davis, principal of The motorcycle cop drove up be- grammar school; Miss Marjorie side the car that was holding up the Lynch, social sciences; Miss Lilianell McCown, creative arts; Misses Valera Fly, Charlcie Bryant, Marie Bryant, Mabian Taylor, fourth, third, second and first grades, respectively.

"And now, gentlemen," said the

Dickie DeBerry's Hip Fractured in Fall

Dickie DeBerry, 26, son of Mr. nedy, Harold Roby, Woodrow Rob- and Mrs. C. C. DeBerry of Bogata, erts. Margie Nell Allen, Hester suffered a fractured hip Saturday Ladd, Virginia Musgrove, Ethyllene night when he fell from the second story window of his room in the Grand Hotel at Paris, while walking in his sleep. DeBerry is em- Conine, homemaking; Miss Dora part are invited. ployed in Paris and makes his home Mae Kelly, English; Miss Emma

INCONVENIENT

line of traffic.

"Can't yer go any faster?" he roared. lian Crumley. There are three va-"Sure, but I don't wanna leave

the car.'

Talco, visited relatives here Sun- Coyle, Clifford Pynes, Ira Temple and Ross Warren attended the leading speaker, "I wish to tax your Rev. Claude Kilgore of Ft. WMU Baptist Association at the memory." Worth, closed a week's meeting at First Baptist Church at Paris Tues- "Good heavens, has it come the Penticostal church Saturday

9x12 Axminister

9x9 Broadloom

On Sale

Reg. \$39.95 Value

Reg. \$43.50 Value

A Few Real Bargains Left In Rugs Of Discontinued Patterns

Even though rugs are advancing rapidly in price, we're cutting one big group of rugs to bargain prices for quick sale. Every rug new . . every rug a good color, but to make room for new rug shipments we are putting these discontinued patterns in one big group to sell at special low prices. If you want a real bargain, come see these

EVERY RUG PERFECT Here are a Few Typical SAVINGS

On Sale 9x12 Domestic Oriental. Reg. \$65 Value. On Sale 9x12 Axminister Reg. \$52.50 Value On Sale. 8.3x10.6 Axminister Reg. \$52.50 Value On Sale 8.3x10.6 Axminister \$49.95 Quality On Sale.

The eleventh and eighth grades enjoyed a picnic and party Friday night at the park, west of Patton-

Ninth and tenth grades enjoyed a treasure hunt Friday night. After going to the homes of Mmes. Earl Cook and Fred Cox, the treasure was found at the home of Mrs. Dave Kennedy, after which they went to the home of Mrs. Lewis Crump and were served refreshments of cake, sandwiches and punch.

The Glee Club girls presented the assembly program Monday morn-

Mmes. Adrian Hart, Marvin

Lemon Juice Recipe Checks Rheumatic Pain Quickly

If you suffer from rheumatism, arthritis or neuritis pain, try this simple inexpensive home recipe that thousands are using. Get a package of Ru-Ex Compound today. Mix it with a quart of water, add the juice of 4 lemons. It's easy. No trouble at all and pleasant. You need only 2 tablespoonfuls two times a day Often within 48 hours-sometimes overnight—splendid results are obtained. If you do not feel better, Ru-Ex will cost you nothing to try as it is sold by your druggist under an absolute moneyback guarantee. Ru-Ex Compound is for sale and recommended by

ROMINE'S PHARMACY

McCRURY

An unestimated damage was done Grandpa Isenburg was struck by a damages. hurt. A good, young milk cow be- day. on the Dixon farm were damaged. Robert Forester. The hay barn was found resting on Mrs. Helen Blankenship of Mt. Cebron Smith's car. Damage to Vernon, spent the week end with the fruit in this area is great. Some her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Matrees were blown up by the roots this. They also had as Sunday and little peaches lay all over the guests, Mr. and Mrs. Boren of In-

Henry Duane, baby of Charlie J. W. Denny of Broken Bow, Ok., day while at play and broke his left Townsend, Tuesday night. leg. He was carried to the Clarks- Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Kid and baby his leg was x-rayed and set, they with Mr. and Mrs. Travis Pettit. brought him home.

A daughter, named Rachel Mae, half acres planted in cucumbers, was born recently to Mr. and Mrs. there being 7,600 hills. Lee Roach, Edgar Burns.

little Gene Andeson and Mrs. John in the field. Woodle attended a singing at Miss Beatrice Holt of Soper, Ok., Biardstown on Thursday night.

Mrs. Roy Leftwich, Mrs. E. C. Roach, Saturday. Abernathy, Mrs. Everett Cathcart, Mrs. John Woodle and Christine Sunday visitors, Mr. and Mrs. Law-Thursday and took part in the re- Ann, Margia Nell and Wanda of creational feature for 4-H and HD McCrury.

Quite a number attended the singing at Hagansport on Sunday afternoon.

R. J. Lindsey of Mt. Vernon, is visiting his granddaughter, Mrs. John Woodle.

A shower for Mrs. Geraldine (Tuck) Blassingame will be held at Hill, principal-coach; P. T. Harvey, the home of Mrs. H. D. Brown this vocational agriculture; Miss Avis Friday. Those who wish to take

MORRIS CHAPEL

by the storm Monday evening. No struck here about 6 o'clock Mon- here Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. casualties occurred except that day evening, blowing Mr. Forester's Dick Morris and children, Miss Berbarn off the blocks and doing other tha Mae Bryant, Muriel and Sarah

trying to get to Tient McCrury's panied Mrs. Marvin Ward, Miss Lois ris, Mrs. Mary Morris, Miss Edie storm cellar. He was struck on the Barnes and Mr. and Mrs. Altis Den- Forester, Mr. and Mrs. Russell legs and fell, but was not seriously ny of Bogata, to Clarksville Mon- Townsend and Mr. and Mrs. John

longing to John Woodle was killed Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ward and dauwhen a tree fell pinning her under ghter, Miss Doris of Cunningham, it. A large per cent of the houses spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. wife at close range."

dependence.

McCrury, accidentally fell Thurs- visited his niece, Mrs. Russell

ville hospital for treatment. After daughter of Rugby, spent Sunday

R. O. Cawley has oneand one-Dave Franklin and the Childress Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brymer and brothers are setting their tomatoes

visited her mother, Mrs. Tom

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Elder had as Webster were in Clarksville on rence Walker and daughters, Ruth

Miss Billie Forester continues to improve in the Grant hospital at A hard wind, rain and hail storm Deport. Those visiting her from Belle Morris, Harry Lee Crawford, piece of sheet iron when he was Mrs. Russell Townsend accom- Miss Doris Ward, Mrs. Robet Mor-Forester and son, Bill.

"It says the man was shot by his

"Then there must have been powder marks on the body."

"Yes, that's why she shot him."



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Entered as second class matter Talco, Texas, under Act of March 3 Absorbed The Talco News on May 1, 1938.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 26, 1940

An epidemic of rabies struck last week at Blossom and twenty-two persons were given vaccine after one death was believed due to hydrophobia. All dogs in the area were ordered killed or shut up for three weeks. Citthrough a mad dog scare last happen to television. Scientists washed sky to lift the slight figure deaths; improper use of gasoline the belt hitters. Being master crimyear, should be warned and take proper precautions against stray the telling.

the second annual Texas Farm as long as she gets a thousand dol- might be his after he dies. Chermurgic Conference at Den- lars for each song. ton April 26-27 and see the wonders of chemistry as applied to | If old man Ananias were to come the transformation of farm pro- back to earth he would take one ducts into new and wonderful look at Europe and pride himself uses. This infant science is that he was not such a liar after all. meaning more and more to the world each year and we would | Money is not everything. There's like very much to attend and the seventeen billion dollars in gold become better acquainted with buried in that Kentucky hole. Noits application.

Oh, advertising, the crimes that are committed in thy ation or society which desires striking sign just on the edge of scheme to get merchants' names | That Can't Be Licked." We'll bet on this or that program, school that town has one hundred per cent curtain, song book, ad libitum. co-operation among its eight thous-It is a racket—pure and simple. and people. The merchant spends his advertising money for this, that and RED RIVER CO. the other, which does not help him to sell goods, cuts down on SOIL DISTRICT or passes up entirely his newspaper and then wonders why his trade is "falling off." The

If it is true that "music hath more reason people in this and and Sunday, May 4-5, though farmers of this area. we don't mean to say that any person in this section hath a sav- ence of such a district will involve age breast-that's the way the no obligations or financial considerpoet wrote it, and everyone is a ations. Such a district is expected savage to a poet except the poet to place the county in line to share himself. What we mean is that in any program in the future where we hope people will turn out federal or other agencies would be for this singing in grand style, available to assist in essential confor music does soften the soul servation projects. and brings a new sense of harmony into the heart. Any fel- election are being named and pollstretched to capacity is safe county are: company for even the most timid of Mr. Milktoasts. A little old time gospel singing in Germany might rid that country of the germ of Hitlerism and drown the threat of expanding dictatorship in a flood of harmony.

Advertising Saved **Industry** Ice Man Asserts

Liberal and intelligent use of advertising over the last five years has checked the downward path of the ice industry and started it on the upgrade, O. T. Clark, Fort Worth ice operator and one of the organizers of the movement, told the Dallas Advertising League at the Baker Hotel.

"It was no simple task to start



EDITORIALLY SPEAKING

BURT LOCKHART in Pittsburg Gazette

penditures.

In this streamlined age it seems that life consists mostly of doing and undoing.

As we understand it, a transaction tax by any other name is still an obnoxious tax.

only exceeded by his ability to do. ance and environment, is peculiarly

more of a joy if we did not have music. to spend all our money for um-

As soon as the campaign gets un-

The opera singer evidently feels

Comes an invitation to attend that life is just one long sweet song,

body can buy a sack of peanuts

Up in Massachusetts there is a name! Looks like it has gotten town named Ware. It is two hunto the point where any organiz- dred and sixty-seven years old. A to raise money, hatches up some the little city reads: "The Town

Saturday, May 25, has been set as voting date on which farmers will decide if a soil and water conservcharms to soothe the savage ation district is to be created in Red breast," then there is all the River county. As a part of a series of meetings which are being held surrounding communities should over the county, County Agent W. attend the Titus county singing T. Posey and Pat Beadle of Clarksconvention to be held in Mt. ville, spoke Tuesday night at the Pleasant on Saturday night Bogata High School auditorium to

It was explained that the exist-

Judges and assistants for the low with a hymn book in his ing places, with number of eligible hands and his vocal cords voters for Southwest Red River

> Cuthand, 50. Johntown, 25 Rosalie, 50. Bogata, 250 Halesboro, 20. Rugby, 50. Fulbright, 100.

7,000 ice operators to thinking about advertising, when they had gotten by so long without it," Mr. Clark said. "We tried a regional radio program over WFAA and it was so effective we turned it into a national show and augmented it with newspaper and other advertis-

"This year the ice industry will spend \$10,000,000 for advertising. "The results have been highly satisfactory, and today the industry is stabilized and prosperous."



Ain't that Sump'n

By NUMBER SEVEN

It is said that Mark Twain was Another great American joke is for a long time his wife did not from effects of burns, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health ofpassing laws limiting campaign ex- know about it, but when she finally figures compiled by the state fire detected him, she decided to break insurance department, with the physical examination. him by adopting the same habit. most deadly type of accident-trap-However, when Mark heard her ped in burning dwellings-claiming ventory of their assets to determine trying to swear he only smiled and |82 lives. said, "You have the right words, my dear, but you don't know the

We may all speak the same langifted. Women may learn the words Saving for a rainy day would be but they never quite master the

> him a glimpse of that strange and claimed eight. haunting existence that might have been his before he was born or that

Fire Takes Lives of 297 People in Texas in 1939

Austin.-Two hundred and ninemuch given to swearing and that ty-seven Texans died during 1939

available to the department indi- every one, and they should take stock cate a slightly higher death toll of their physical condition at least than in the preceding year. Cloth- once a year. ing ignited from being too close including 12 children.

der way, we will hear our favorite quite equals the intermittent play burns from electricity took two well, the antiquated idea of forgetclouds. There is enough of eerie brought death to eleven; explosion ness overtakes one still rules. and grandeur in the mighty spec- of gas took eight lives; cleaning Cancer, tuberculosis, nephritis, dia-Nobody knows what is going to tacle of wind-torn cloud and rain- body with gasoline caused three betes and heart ailments are below have the vision, but time will do of man out of the chains of his en- took a toll of 31 lives, including inals, they attack silently, and frevironment and for a moment give seven children; lamp explosions quently have their victims in their

> Blank notes and mortgages for sale at The Times office.

Once-A-Year **Health Inventory** Urged by Cox

Stock-taking or inventory time will be at hand in a few days, and ficer, urges every one to visit his family physican and have a thorough

Each year merchants take an inthe condition of their business. Per-These incomplete reports made sonal health is a big business for

Perhaps it is a lack of persistent What the country needs is a can- guage, but swearing is an overtone to open fires and stoves was the warning, but it seems to be mere didate whose promises to do are to which man, by right of inherit- cause of 44 deaths during the year, carelessness that permits one of the greatest life-savers yet developed by Fires from collisions and wrecks science to be neglected by the majtook 13 lives; burns, boiling oil and ority. For, in spite of repeated stateasphalt took four lives; scalds from ments concerning the advantages of early discovery and treatment of coffee or tea claimed the lives of conditions which are only possible For beauty that rings the bell of two children, and 16 died of burns by way of a physical examination at the subconscious being, nothing received by falling into hot water; a time when one looks and feels candidate in a roast-to-roast hook- of moonlight on broken storm lives; explosions of unknown cause ting the physical until pain and ill-

power before they are aware of their

It is urgently recommended that those who wish to live throughout

the year and other years to come, a healthy and happy as possible, should have a complete physical examination. The correction of any defects in their early stages will save much time, suffering and money.

Cows Have Ketosis When Fail in Milk

When a cow gradually gives less and less milk the average farmer says, "She's burned out." Agricultural experts, however, claim she has ketosis, a disease which can be corrected, chemists have found, by addition of corbohydrates in the form of corn sugar or molasses to the animal's diet.



The Lost is Found By Our Want Ads

When you lose 'n' advertise They Don't Stay Lost Long

NEWSPAPER ADS CALLED BACKBONE OF BUSINESS

San Francisco.—Newspaper advertising was described as the backbone of business by Arthur L. Scaife, Bridgeport, Conn., General Electric sales and advertising chief, when he returned from a survey of Hawaiian sales and prospects.

"We are expanding our advertising this year by nearly 15 per cent," Scaife said. "Last year we stepped it up 15 per cent and gained 22 per cent in business."

"Newspaper advertising is the backbone of our whole sales program. It exceeds all other media combined, and is the only growing medium. In our effort to educate retailers to be better businessmen we are seeking to help them to advertise more intelligently and more consistently."

LOCAL NEWS

PHONE 101 MAMIE HARDIN, Reporter

J. E. Croley made 'a business trip to Gladewater Thursday.

Tommie Pirtle made a business rip to Paris on Tuesday.

Mrs. Wilton Kelley made a business trip to Paris Monday.

C. E. Jones made a business trip to Mt. Pleasant on Monday.

O. R. Medlin transacted business in Mt. Pleasant on Wednesday.

Mrs. Jack Caruthers of Mt. Pleasant, visited friends here Monday.

George Massad made a business trip to Tyler and Longview Sunday.

Miss Otis Morris spent the week end in Overton, visiting her parents.

Miss Pauline Lipe spent the week end in Avery, visiting her parents.

Mrs. Myra Neugent was a business visitor in Henderson on Tues-Deputy Sheriff Geo. Wims of Mt.

Vernon, was in Talco on business

Justice J. W. Edwards made a business trip to Mt. Pleasant on Wednesday.

Mrs. R. A. Womack and children spent the week end in Overton, visiting her sister.

Mrs. Cynthia Barber of Texarkana, spent the week end in Talco with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Moffet spent Sunday in Overton visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Johnson.

Sid High and Virgel Wilson made a trip to Oil City, La., Wednesday night to cement a well.

ris are serving on the grand jury in in Dallas on Tuesday. Mt. Pleasant this week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Dunagan spent the week end in Gilmer, visiting his mother, Mrs. W. M. Dunagan.

A daughter weighing 81/4 pounds was born Thursday morning to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hawthorne Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Jones were in Mt. Pleasant Sunday attending the ball game and visiting friends.

Delbert Snyder and Ben Patrick of Mt. Pleasant, were in Talco Thursday morning on business.

Miss Ruth Wilkinson spent the week end in Bogata with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wilkinson.

Preston Mankins of Paris, spent the week end with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Pirtle and Mr. and Mrs. Renford Sikes attended the ball game in Mt. Pleasant

Mrs. Felix Jones and children and Mrs. Elmer Cato visited friends and relatives in Ft. Worth Friday and

Mrs. John Hargrove, Miss Mary Hazelwood and Mrs. Myron Gage on Tuesday.

Mrs. J. E. Croley Sr. of Gilmer was a week end guest in the home of her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Croley.

Joe Ed Russell and family spent the week end in Annona with Mrs. Russell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Parchman.

Mrs. Earl Spruill and Mrs. J. W. Caruthers of Mt. Pleasant, were build another structure on the same guests Wednesday in the home of lot. Mrs. Myron Gage.

Mr. and Mrs. John Simmons of Turnertown, spent Thursday night in Dallas on Sunday. They were and Friday in the home of Mr. and accompanied by Misses Billie Gib-Mrs. Phil Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bonham, Mrs. C. E. Jones, Mrs. George Moy-Oscar Goodloe and Clarence Har- er and J. T. Goodroe visited friends spent the week end in Henderson

Mr. and Mrs. John McLendon of Sr. spent the week end in Ft. Worth birthday. Accompanying them from Avinger, were guests Sunday in the visiting Mrs. Cato's daughters, Mrs. Atlanta were Mrs. Lockard's mothhome of her sister, Mrs. Myra Neu- Charles Nickols and Mrs. Mary er, Mrs. Sally Thomas, and sister, Robinson.

The nicest courtesy you can show your guests from out of town is to have their visits mentioned on the local page. The nicest courtesy you can show your friends is to let them learn of your visit thru

this page when you go away. And we, too, will consider it a courtesy whenever you will give us any item of any kind. Just phone 101 or drop us a postal card.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Blackwell and son and daughter, W. C. Jr. and Patsy, and Oscar and Jack Medlin were in Paris on Saturday.

Dr. W. L. Kelley and family of Paris, spent the week end in Talco with Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Kelley and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Osborn.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Houston and Si Cylonford motored to Sulphur Springs for a visit with friends and relatives Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Spruill returned home Saturday from Bay Town, where they have visited relatives for the past two weeks.

Mrs. J. E. Croley Sr. of Gilmer transacted business in Mt. Pleasant spent the latter part of last week in the home of her son and wife, fat men, says a Chicago doctor. The Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Croley Jr.

> Harold Bonham, Farris Brown and C. E. Jones attended the ball game between Mt. Pleasant and Grand Prize team of Houston in Mt. Pleasant on Sunday.

> Miss Katherine Moore is having her building across the street from Jones Tire Store torn down this week. It is understood that she will

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Vance and daughter. Elaine, visited relatives son and Robbie Wilkinson of Bo-

Mrs. Buster Lockard and Son with her brother, Hooper Thomas. They attended a birthday dinner on Mrs. F. F. Jones and Mrs. E. Cato Sunday in honor of Son's 14th Miss Agnes Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lewis, Mr. Drug Farming May and Mrs. T. C. Little, Mr. and Mrs. Jabe Tidwell, Dick Dickson, Buster Allison and Sid High enjoyed a fish Texas Some Day supper at the city park on Wednesday evening.

Misses Carolyn Staggers and Mildred Russell of Cason, and Miss Carolyn Bickwell, Frank Floyd and Alvin Withroe of Dallas, were week Albers watches with pride his end guests in the home of Mr. and strange crop. Mrs. Emile Jones.

Hugh, and Miss Margaret Stuart medicinal herbs. left today for Shreveport, La., Among his prized "weeds' is where Mr. Dunagan will spend the row of mahuang. It is a plant from Dunagan will attend the Tri-State will visit her aunt.

Those being transferred to Seagraves this week by the GMW Oil Co. were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Burnett, aromatic oil flavoring. Mr. and Mrs. Babe Miller, Jack Beeson and family. Mrs. Tony Hugo and Mrs. I. S. Gilbreath joined their in his garden. husbands, who were transferred there two weeks ago.

Fat Men, Dr. Says

There are more fat women than medico's findings are substantiated of drug farming. by numerous scientific studies. Fat isn't a danger to health until it reaches a great excess. Then it may be a death warrant—as in the case After 40 Years of a 4-year-ol French girl who weighed 256 pounds. But the heaviest man on record, ar Englishman, lived to be 40. He weighed 739 pounds.

Rising to the Occasion

A small boy was asked to dine at he home of his teacher. His mother questioned him on his return. "You are sure you didn't do any-

thing that was not perfectly polite?" "Why, no; nothing to speak of." "Then something did happen?"

"Well, while I was trying to cut the meat, it slipped off to the floor.

"What did you do?" always the way with tough meat'." his parents' home.

be New Industry in

AUSTIN .- Dr. C. C. Albers, University of Texas professor, grows weeds in his garden.

While neighbors are busy weeding their home truck patches, Dr.

He is pharmamognosist of the university's college of pharmacy Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Dunagan, son, and his hobby is attempting to raise

week end fishing at Cross Lake. Mrs. which ephedra, an asthma medicine, is extracted. The country's Singing Convention and Miss Stuart supply is imported largely from Also thriving in his "weed" gar-

den is coriander, which yields a tasty seed often found in the center of canry. It is a source also of an

Wormwood, a prime constituent of vermouth and liniments, grows

The drug patch is about onelot, and in it is crowded plants from More Fat Women Than many countries and climes—fennel, chickory, madder, garden rue and many plants from which medicinal uses still are obscure.

farming, Dr. Albers forsees a pos- sheep and goats, but cattle remain ladies might howl at that, but the sible new industry in Texas, that dominant. There were in the state

Charge Account Paid

Hale Center.-H. S. Cline had his faith renewed in human nature orders-large or small. recently and the charge account system of buying.

More than 40 years ago Cline was in the hardware business in Packwood, Iowa. One of his customers bought a bill of goods and said

Recently Cline had a postoffice money order from the customer in full payment of the old account-

Henry, three-year old son of Mr. But I carried the situation off all and Mrs. Chas. McCrury of the Mc-Crury community, suffered a broken leg on Thursday of last week "Oh, I just said carelessly, 'That's while playing in a storm cellar at

United States No. Longer Depends on German Ingenuity

New York.-Remember when the hospitals and doctors suddenly found the couldn't buy medicines at any

When your colored shirts and dresses came back from the laundry faded white? and textile mills were frantic for dyes?

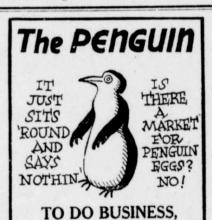
When tuluol and carbolic acid, needed for explosives in industry as well as war, reached fantastic prices and special glass products for household and scentific use disappeared from the markets?

The whole world was dependent on Germany 25 years ago for such commodities, including near essentials of daily human life. Then a war blockade cut off the source of supplies. Worse still, the rest of the world didn't know how to duplicate these products.

Today the scientists of America and other countries have guaranteed that a similar crisis can never come fourth the size of the ordinary city again. American authorities declare that Germany hasn't a single important chemical invention which this country doesn't have.

Texas stands first among all the From his experimental weed states in the production of cattle, on January 1, last year, 7,547,000 cattle, approximately one-ninth of all those in the United States; 1,700,-000 hogs; 8,920,000 sheep; and 3,-000,000 goats.

We will appreciate your printing



ADVERTISE

WHEKE

WILL YOUR ADVERTISING BE WHEN THE INK IS DRY?

WILL IT BE . . .

Thrown into the Gutter? Hidden Under Shrubbery? Blown Against the Hedge? Just Rubbish on the Lawn? Thrown in the Waste Basket? Consumed by a Trash Burner?

or WILL IT BE . . .

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Reader Interest

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War Picture

A few days before the Scandinavian affair, the Allies suddenly placed a large order, on an emergency basis, in the tool industry, although previously negotiations had been lagging. No special concessions are made by the Treasury in depreciation allowances for income tax purposes to encourage the exwhere the Allies loaned a large sum 000, beef cattle \$100,000,000, dairy of money for plant expansion, the products \$80,000,000, hogs \$30,000, Treasury agreed that it would not be taxed as income. Manufacturers are afraid if they build or enlarge plants to furnish munitions or war supplies that the war might stop States in turkey production and and leave them holding the bag. fifth in chicken production, includ-Therefore, they are requiring for- ing eggs. eign countries to protect them against this possibility before accepting war contracts. This will greatly help the United States, if we should need the output of these factories, since all contracts are made with a provision in them to the effect that the United States out, and the dogs to look after, and government will come first in the you can give the gardener a hand event of an emergency.

The American plane industry is having no trouble obtaining ade- of soil is it?" quate financing for expansion. The amazing progress made by this industry (including engines) over the past few months promises a production that, within a year, the Germans could not hope to duplicate. Therefore, quite aside from the blockade, Hitler must win this year or not at all, if the Allies continue to purchase our planes. Observers in Washington look for a paper and the Dallas Semi-Weekly Sunday night and Monday. Her *,total war" most any time now, and Farm News 1 year for \$1.50, saving daughter, Mrs. Wells Johnson of there is scarcely a prospect that the Balkans can escape involvement. Troops sent into Norway were, in sent to any address in Titus, Frankthe main, young and inexperienced, lin or Red River counties. When indicating that the best troops are mailed elsewhere the rate is \$2.00 Patty, were Paris visitors Tuesday. being held for intensive operations per year. elsewhere, probably on the West

More Liberal Credit

farm mortgages at 3%, with 40- lady went up in an airplane for the year maturity, is making fair pro- first time. When they had been in gress and, after some modification, the air some time she pointed to is expected to become a law. It out- the propeller. laws deficiency judgment; it percover their property, after five now; I feel much cooler." years, they, in the meantime, holdcredit and will, in effect, underwrite arrangement. all farm mortgages now in existence. If the bill passes, one who owns stock will be given credit on his note, and if the note is more than paid, the remainder will be paid in cash.

Congressman Marvin Jones of Texas, the farmer's friend, former tenant farmer, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture, recently appointed Judge on the United States Court of Appeals, here in Washington, D. C., will remain on the job until the major farm legislation of this session is disposed of, although his nomination was promptly confirmed by the Senate. Congressman H. P. Fulmer of South Carolina is next in order of rank on the Agriculture Committee and will, according to the seniority rule existing in Congress, become the chairman when Mr. Jones vacates his place. This will give South Carolina the chairmanship of the Committee on Agriculture in both the House and Senate, as Senator "Cotton" Ed Smith is chairman of this committee in the Senate.

The Jones credit bill, if passed, will prevent a series of foreclosures regarded as certain within another year unless prices for farm commodities significantly rise.

Congress

Leaders are now planning to adjourn Congress by June 15. The House has passed all the supply bills (some in conference) except Relief and the Final Deficiency. The Senate, a few days ago, under its very liberal rules and, doubtless, depending upon the thorough consideration given the bills in the House and House Committees, passed 155 bills in one day. A bill to put a 10 year limitation on claims against the United States has passed both Houses.

WPA

Congress is now considering whether local sponsors should be required to contribute 25% of the cost of WPA projects. This is the present law, but it is claimed that some cities with a large number of unemployed cannot meet its provisions.

Re-Apportionment

Congress has passed a bill to freeze the House Membership at 435 after the 1940 census and force reapportionment on this basis. Texas

Poultry is Worth \$45,000,000 to **Texas Farmers**

COLLEGE STATION. - Poultry production in Texas is a \$45,000,000

A check-up of figures from the USDA of agricultural economics and the bureau of census shows that poultry ranks fourth as a source of agricultural income in Texas, behind cotton, beef cattle and dairying, but ahead of hogs, horses, mules, sheep and goats, wheat, oats, grain sorghum, rice, peanuts, potatoes, onions, pecans and citrus.

Cotton brings in around \$125,000,-000, sheep, both wool and lambs \$30,000,000, goats \$7,000,000, mules \$6,500,000 and horses \$4,000,000.

Texas ranks first in the United

TIME ON HIS HANDS

Gent (engaging chauffeur): "And when you're not driving the car there's the poultry house to clean in odd moments."

Chauffeur: "Yes, sir, what sort

Gent: "Soil? Why?"

Cheauffeur: "I thought if it was clay soil I might make a few bricks to fill in the time."

BARGAIN RATE ON THE TIMES, SEMI-WEEKLY

The Talco Times can send you this you 50c on the two papers when

PURPOSE SERVED

The Jones bill to standardize all On a rather warm day an old

"All right, my man," she said to mits farmers to default and then re- the pilot, "you can turn the fan off

ing it under lease. The opponents is expected to gain one or more donia Sunday. John Marcum re- FFA exposition will give Red River of the measure claim it is socialized Members of the House through this turned with them for a visit.

BUT LOOK BEHIND YOU!



HALESBORO

The wind did a lot of damage to out buildings here Monday. There was quite a lot of hail which damed badly in some fields.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Alsobrook were Clarksville visitors Friday.

Leonard Riggs and Philip Hobbs were Paris visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. W. B. Allen was quite ill Reno, attended her bedside.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Hobbs and Mrs. Philip Hobbs and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Quinton and

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wright attended singing at Hagansport on

Buster Wright was ill the first of

Glendale and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis October 2-5. Contracts are being Herrin and daughter, Nancy of Bo- let to entertainment concessions ents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Herrin.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Marcum and J. H. Hobbs visited relatives in La-sent to the state fair at Dallas. The

Mr. and Mrs. Averitt Vaughn of held in a number of years.

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Billheads

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may need-

Cards of Thanks

Prescription Blanks

Booklets

Blotters

Checks

Receipts

Warrants

Post Cards

Gin Forms

Notes

Deeds

Sale Circulars

Bogata, spent Sunday with his nephew, Robert Vaughn and family. Joyce Seaman of Bogata, visited Mrs. J. D. Quinton Sunday.

F. M. and Philip Hobbs were in aged the gardens. Land was wash- Mineola and Lindale on business Saturday.

> Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Braley and children of Walnut Ridge, were visitors in this community Saturday. Miss Viviene Smith spent the week end with her parents at John-

Date Set, Plans Progressing for Red River Fair

Committees have been appointed and plans are being made for the Red River county Future Farmers Progress Exposition and Rodeo Mr. and Mrs. Forest Webster of which will be held at Clarksville, gata, spent Sunday with their par- and work is underway on the rodeo arena and corrals.

Prize winning exhibits will be county its first annual fair to be

Fulbright Is 1st in State **FFA Contest**

Cotton classing team of the Fuljudging contests at A. & M. College on Monday, scoring 236 points. Approximately 3500 Future Farmers took part in the contests.

The classing team, composed of Bee Scott, Aaron Brumley and Ted Tompkins made the 236 point score out of a possible 300. John Harkrider, Fulbright vocational teacher, who accompanied the boys to the state contest, was highly pleased with their work, though winning important contests is not unusual for the Fulbright classes.

The cotton classing team was composed of two senior students, Tompkins and Brumley, and Scott is a junior. Brumley is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brumley, Tompkins the son of Mrs. Callie Tompkins and Scott son of Mr. and Mrs Dick Scott.

Besides the cotton classers, Fulbright entered poultry and field crop judging teams and had one contestant in wild life judging. The cotton classers worked 25 samples of all grades and staples in the con-

Though only the cotton classing team won a state trophy, Fulbright has other teams which have won consistently in district contests. Last year the class won a terracing machine in a state-wide contest.

Vocational agriculture was introduced in the Fulbright school four years ago under direction of Mr. Harkrider, who has continued as teacher. Each year his classes bring home trophies won by judging teams. Projects are also stressed and conservation practices, livestock and agriculture work carried out by the boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Harkrider are former Titus county folks.

Prize Producing Sow Gives Birth to **Another Litter**

That prize producing Poland China sow owned by Wayne and Forrest Grogan of Rugby has made another bid for more blue ribbons bright school swept that division at by giving birth to a litter of ten the annual Smith-Hughes state pigs last Friday. Two of the pigs, however, died, leaving eight, the identical number of the litter that copped the prizes in the recent Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth.

The boys have not decided yet what they will do with this litter, but are considering entering it at the State Fair at Dallas this fall.

A feature article concerning the prize-winning litter produced by this sow was sold last week to the Country Gentleman by Edgar Bryson, Number Seven on this news-

PLAYING SAFE

A Scotchman and his wife walked from their farm home to the county fair, the wife laden down with a heavy lunch basket. Once arrived at the fair, he considerately turned to her and said: "You'd better let me carry the basket now, Mary, we might get separated in the crowd."

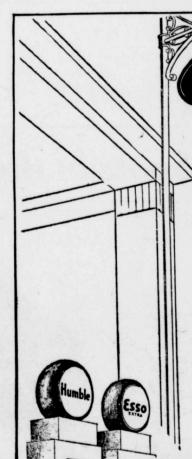
"John, dear, I am to be in an amateur theatrical. What would folks says if I were to wear tights?"

"They would probably say that I married you for your money."

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Talco-

Lonesome Bill Says Machinery Will Break Backbone of Nation

the following letter from Lonesome cents a pound and then buy it back Bill, who it seems has been pondering the social insecurity problem as for four dollars a pound. it relates to farming and has arrived at the conclusion that machinery will ultimately break the out for less Johnson grass in Texas. backbone of this nation's chief in-

you think about it, but it's my opin- pole instead of a hoe handle in my ion that if the backbone of this country is ever broke it won't be like me, had bent my back more because of hard work but because when it was limber instead of holdthere won't be any hard work to ing my hands and stretching my do. And I think machinery will do neck so much I wouldn't be comthe breaking. I been studying this plaining about the cut in my penproblem lately and it looks like to sion check and O'Daniel would nevme that any machine that takes the er have got to first base in the first load off the shoulders of the farmer is apt to also take the roof off his

of the thing is to make farmers feel days and few pleasures. like they are really getting the breaks instead of going broke when

Editor's Note: We have received they raise and sell cotton for ten in house dresses and night shirts

> Maybe that's the machine Gov. O'Daniel had in mind when he come

I guess my neighbors will laugh at me when they read this, for they are bound to know that I've put my Dear Editor: I don't know what share of time to sleep with a fishing hands. But I'm older now and I can see that if I, and a lot of others

What I think this country needs is not a factory on every hill, though Notice now they have come out one now and then would be a help, with a new cotton chopping ma- but more farm houses and silos and chine which they claim will take a lot more farmers in the fields intwo rows at once, cover ten acres stead of at the county seats waiting a day and do the whole job for as for their pea checks. But I see my cheap as a dime an acre. That's wife coming now and I remember what I call getting a big job done that she wanted me to weed the for a mighty little money, but it garden to day. Looks like a man looks to me like the main purpose living with a woman is of many

Letter from Youth

Among the green hills of Ver-

mont, in the farmhouse where, by

the light of an oil lamp, Calvin

"Well," said she helpfully, "there's

Loans and Discounts

keeping

TOTAL

DEPOSITS

Overdrafts

crows, not make 'em laugh."

Who Didn't Want

Yours truly, LONESOME BILL.

WILKINSON

By MRS. F. T. WARD

Mr. and Mrs. V. B. Ward and Unearned Praise children, Junior, Mildred Anita and Leon of Georgetown, visited their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Ward, Sunday.

Ellis Stevenson, Lawrence Cabell and Edgar Bragg enrolled in the Coolidge took the oath of office Talco Sewing Room CCC at Mt. Pleasant this week.

Abb Smith Jr. of Mt. Pleasant, of the United States, there hangs a of Garments visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. framed letter. The letter bears the

Abb Smith, Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gingles of son of the President, who died while

Ward and little daughter, Linda of should be read by all boys every-daily Mt. Pleasant, visited Mrs. F. T. where.

Ward on Wednesday.

several days with her parents, Mr. earned it by my own actions. and Mrs. F. T. Ward.

The 4-H club girls enjoyed a picnic Monday. Miss Brabham was present and took the girls to the homes of Doc Hayes and John Parr, life and says, "I'll stand on my own Talco merchants furnish money where they studied trees and shrubs. Twelve girls were in the party.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Autry and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Price of Argo, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. The Silver Lining. Walter Price on Sunday. Mrs. Walter Price returned home with them for a short visit. Leonard Price of Mt. Pleasant, visited his parents on last year '

Younger-Pittman Wedding Monday

Mr. R. J. Younger and Miss Jenny Maggie Pittman were united in marriage at the home of Justice of the Peace J. W. Edwards on Monday night at 8 o'clock. The groom | has lived in the Talco area for some time, being employed by different oil companies. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Pittman of the Maple Springs community. She is a senior in the Talco High School and has lived in this community all of her life.

The Talco Times along with their many friends, wishes them a happy married life.

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Titus County TALCO, TEXAS

People, Spots In The News



SEES TAX PERIL ... American Farm Bureau Federation opposes proposed federal chain store death sentence tax because it would jeopardize an arm of distribution farmers urgently need, Edward A. O'Neal, its president, testified at House hearing in Washington. He cited farmers' need for nationwide distribution system such as chains have developed.

SETS NEW CEILING . . . Cornelius Warmerdam of San Francisco Olympic club made pole vault history with 15-foot leap at Berkeley, Cal., first time this height had been scaled, even unofficially. Present official mark is 14-11, held jointly by Bill Sefton and Earl Meadows of U.S.C.

Moving into the Southwest Texas

gata, where the route changed to

A II CANE CUCAR

Army Battalion

Passes Through

which made him the 30th President Increases Production

signature of Calvin Coolidge Jr., Talco sewing room is showing an battleground where practice manincreased supply of finished gar- euvers will take place, the First Denison, visited in the home of Mr. his father was in the White House. ments. From March 3 to April 3, Battalion, 77th Field Artillery from and Mrs. Abb Smith on Monday. Here is an inspiring letter written 778 garments were turned out, each Ft. Sill, Okla., was passing Thurs-Mrs. John Leftwich, Mrs. Wallace by a boy still in his teens which employee averaging two garments day through Paris, Deport and Bo-

Someone had written to Calvin supervisor, the ladies are being and Gladewater. About 1,000 men Mrs. Elinor Horn, who has work- Jr., calling him "the first boy of the trained to keep up quality as well with field equipment were included. ed as recreational music director in land." In his answer, the son of the as quantity in their production. A the Wilkinson school, has accepted President in substance said: "I have goal of 800 finished garments has a position in a Checotah, Okla., hos- earned no right to be called 'the been set for next month.

first boy of the land.' I deserve and Miss French says that women Mrs. A. T. Poovey of Dallas, spent want no recognition until I have employed in the sewing room are all cooperative and appreciative. One takes off his hat to any boy | She and the employees express who refuses to bask in the reflected their appreciation to the merchants glory of a fathers' richness or great- of Talco who are contributing toness-who jumps into the arena of ward the upkeep of the project.

feet. I'll fight my own fight. I to buy buttons, thread, dress trimwant no credit for the deeds of other mings, needles, etc. The governmen-judge me by my own." Am- ment, aside from paying salaries, erica needs more boys like that!- buys all material for clothing manufactured.

If you have anything to say, say that flashy suit son wore at college it, and with as few words as possible. That is what Abraham Lin-"Yeah, but I want to scare the coln did, and the world still remembers and repeats what he said.

According to Miss Lois French, Highway 37 through Mt. Vernon

61,105.34

123,288.80

\$174,667.33

117.29

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF THE TALCO STATE BANK TALCO, TEXAS

at Close of Business, March 26th, 1940

RESOURCES

Banking House Furniture and Fixtures 1,300.00 Other Real Estate Customers Bonds Held for Safekeeping 9.100.00 AVAILABLE CASH Cash and Exchange \$63,803.55 Bonds and Warrants 37,137.15— 100,940.70 TOTAL \$174,667.33 LIABILITIES Capital Stock \$20,000.00 10,000.00- 30,000.00 Debentures Surplus and Profits Customers Bonds Held for Safe-

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Johnny's Chances to **Become President** are Pretty Slim

A Harvard university anthropologist recently came out with discouraging news for those millions of proud parents who fondly believe Little Johnny has an even chance to grow up to be president.

Nothing, declared Dr. E. A. Hootthan the legendary theory, "All men are born free and equal, and all have a chance to be president."

Sixty percent of this nation's population are constitutionally, mentally and socially unfit for the position he added in an interview, and any educational program that anticipates such a possibility is just plain "screwy."

"Half the persons put through the courses in United States schools cannot absorb the instructions, and more than half don't know what to do with the information when it s absorbed."

Referring to a survey being made in the nation by the Harvard department of anthropology, Dr. Hoot-

"What we are trying to do is to grade persons according to their capabilities, mentally, socially and biologically. To do that, we are cooperating with economists, medical authorities and sociologists to obtain all the data possible on the great maladjustment that is caus-

ing more and more of our citizens of average capacity to land in insane asylums through trying to achieve a higher position to which they are not fitted

"We are greatly concerned about the senseless multiplication of humanity without economic or social use or reason. There is not work available for them when they do arrive and without work to spur man on, it is certain a tremendous on, could be farther from the truth deterioration of humanity will take place."

> While we are taking the census in the United States, war is taking the senses in Europe.

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Times subscribers are asked to notify the subscription department promptly of any changes in their addresses. Under the new postal laws, newspapers and periodicals must pay postage due for notices of any changes in address furnished by the postoffice. In addition, there is also the problem of delay in delivery or failure to get the paper. The best plan is to send the change of address in advance.

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10 lbs. BEET SUGAR	47c
20 lbs. Jo Mil MEAL	39c
PURE LARD, 4 lbs., 35c; 8 lbs.	69c
Vegetable Shortening, 4 lbs. 39c; 8 lbs.	77c
1-gal. Jug COOKING OIL	79c
3 lbs. Snowdrift or Crisco	49c
2 Boxes Kleer SALT	_5c
4 No. 2 Cans TOMATOES	25c
Jumbo ICE CREAM SODA	5c
4 lbs. Bulk RICE	16c
Sunbrite CLEANER	5c
32-oz. Jar PICKLES	10c
6 Boxes True American MATCHES	15c
3 Boxes Lombardo's SPAGHETTI	
or MACARONI	10c
Jet Oil Liquid SHOE POLISH, bottle	10c
4 Health Aid or Viking	
TOILET TISSUE	16c
5 Bars P & G Crystal White SOAP	19c
Large Pkg. RINSO or OXYDOL	19c
Small Pkg. RINSO or OXYDOL	9c
Large Pkg. SUPER SUDS (2 Cakes	
PALMOLIVE FREE)	19c
Small Pkg. SUPER SUDS (1 Cake	
PALMOLIVE FREE)	_9c
1-lb. Pkg. El Food COFFEE	11c
1-ib. Can Admiration COFFEE	25c
3-lb. Jar Admiration COFFEE	69c
2 No. 2 Cans Del Monte or Libby's	01
Country Gentleman CORN	21c
No. 2½ Can Del Monte or Libby's PEACHES	19c
TEACHES	190

2 Pkgs. WHEATIES with real flying airplane	25c
2 Pkgs. KIX with 1 marmalade Jar	25c
2 Pkgs. Kelloggs CORN FLAKES with Cereal Bowl	25c
Large Pkg. POST TOASTIES	.10c
2-lb. Can Waverly COCOA	.19c
3 Large or 6 Small Pet or Carnation MILK	20c
COCOMALT with Pinocchio Book	
Nice Green CABBAGE, 1b	
Fancy New POTATOES, 1b	3c
Fresh, Crisp CELERY, Stalks 10c and	
PARSLEY	5c
AVOCADOS	15c
LEMONS, dozen	15c
150 Size Winesap APPLES, dozen	19c
180 Size Winesap APPLES, dozen	
Dairy Feed, Mule Feed, Flour and M	Ieal
HOG JOWL, tb	6c
No. 1 DRY SALT BACON, th	9c
BOLOGNA SAUSAGE, 15	.10c
SMALL WEINERS, th	.16c
PRINT CHEESE, tb	18c
Texocona SLICED BACON, tb	.15e
Pure PORK SAUSAGE, Bulk, 3 lbs.	25c
PORK CHOPS, Center Cut	15c
Fresh PORK HAM, Sliced or Whole, th	15c
Fresh PORK SHOULDER, tb.	.12c
Fresh PORK LIVER, th	10c
Fresh BEEF LIVER, th	
OLEO MARGARINE, Daisy Maid	.12c

HUMBLE CAMP NEWS

NEVA SLAID, Reporter

Mrs. Cajon Mathis was in Paris on business Monday.

Lawrence Logsdon of Paris, visited Miss Neva Slaid on Friday.

Blackie Hamilton visited his wife in Neches over the week end.

Mrs. V. A. Sockwell made a business trip to Paris Wednesday.

Billy Dillard of Overton, visited Miss Vera Henderson on Friday.

Mrs. Jack Carlisle and Mrs. Thomas White were in Paris Saturday.

Jimmy Donahue visited his wife in Gladewater over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rhodes were in Mt. Pleasant on business Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Murphy attended church in Paris Thursday night.

Miss Neva Slaid entertained with

a hamburger fry Saturday evening.

Miss Joy Bird of Gilmer, is a

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thomas and

Sam Morton visited his wife and son, Jimmy in Gladewater over the

Mrs. King Ramsey Jr. and daughter, Linda, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. King Ramsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Self of Henrietta, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hays Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Leache and daughter, Martha Evelyn, visited · Mrs. Leach's mother, Mrs. M. Musslewhite in Tyler over the week

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Cream Style CORN

2 No. 2 Cans.

10 Pounds

PRUNES.

8 lbs.

5 Rolls

POTATOES.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lee of Pitts-Jones Sunday.

Mrs. J. J. Ater of Overton, visited her daughter, Mrs. Frank Thomas, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Walker visited La., over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Walker in Houston Wednesday.

es Edith Tucker, Maurene Leftwich view over the week end. and the hostess.

over the week end.

V. A. Sockwell, Charles McKinney and Clifton Edwards visited in London and Tyler on Sunday.

Mrs. Lessie Moreland of Arlington, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Griggs and children Monday.

Mrs. L. F. Smart of Gilmer, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Rodgers and son, Willie Fred.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Smith and children visited Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Freeman and children Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Petty and Mrs. M. A. Ferguson of Bogata, children of Hillsboro, visited Mr. visited Mrs. Henry Hoffpauir Mon- and Mrs. Thomas White Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Jones visited Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Martin in Longguest of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Wea- view over the week end.

arkana, were guests Tuesday of Mr. son, Donald, were shopping in Paris and Mrs. Henry Hoffpauir and children.

> daughter visited Dr. and Mrs. Cole- James and Jack Wood of Honey man C. Burns of Overton over the Grove, Tuesday.

> Junior College, visited his parents Springs, Ark., where he has been Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Smith, over the

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Lansford and son, Charles of Gilmer, visited Mr. don, recently.

Mrs. J. C. Milan of Clarksville, over Sunday evening.

children and their guest, Ouida Present were: Mmes. Frank Thom- Sandwiches, salad, cookies and iced Slaid, attended the theatre in Bo- as, J. C. Wright, Gene Little, Nance tea were served. gata Saturday.

their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde ies and tea were served. Lawler, attended church in Cartwright Sunday.

returned from Houston and report drick, Charles Russell, Monroe Robhis mother, Mrs. Drew Pitts, to be erts and Joe Rhodes with a bridge greatly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith and of Coca-Cola and cookies. daughter, Jerry Lynn, visited Mr. and Mrs. George Kimball in Longview over the week.

son, Billy Ray, and their guest, Kendrick, John Chapman, Bill Jewel Smith, visited Mr. and Mrs. Gartman, Coulter Mathews. Mrs. C. S. Plunk of Mineola over the Slaughter won high. A delicious

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Richeson burg, visited Mr. and Mrs. Glen of London visited Mr. and Mrs. Warren Richeson and daughter, Joyce Ann, Wednesday.

> Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Rollins and children visited Mrs. Rollins' mother, Mrs. O. Hoard of Cotton Valley,

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Heflin visited gue at Humble office. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Heflin in Cor. Goodroe, Kenneth Sikes and Miss- cana and Miss Ruby O'Neal in Long-

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Smith visit- ed Mr. and Mrs. Roy LaFever and hay for sale. Jess Gifford, at silo, London over the week end.

> ther, Mrs. N. E. Sweeden, were in Last seen at Shadowland. Suitable Mt. Pleasant Saturday night.

Mrs. Steel and daughter, Joy of Gladewater over the week end.

guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gage into cash. in Longview over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Cowan and and Bonnie Jean Priest, visited Mr. and cake were served. Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Coker of Tex- and Mrs. D. B. Lipe in Avery over the week end

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Daugherty and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Little and J. H. Bryant, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe

John Chapman returned to his Truett Smith, student of Kilgore home here Tuesday from Hot pulled loose. Mr. and Mrs. McNair confined in a hospital. He is reported to be greatly improved.

Pontiac, due to an accident near host and hostess. and Mrs. Pat Murphy and son, Gor- Shreveport Saturday night in which Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Kirkham, Mr. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Husband and fractured collar bone, and was con- O. Holloway, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. daughter, Melinda, visited Mr. and fined to a Shreveport hospital until Dolan, Mr. and Mrs. Gib Brother-

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hoffpauir and the home of Mrs. Richey Richeson. and Mrs. H. A. Davidson won low. cases. Farrell, Murray Ferguson, R. C. Webb and C. R. Meyers. Mrs. Rich-Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Foster and eson won high. Prune whip, cook-

Mrs. John Chapman entertained Mmes. Coulter Mathews, R. C. Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Pitts have Webb, J. H. McNair, W. W. Kenparty Wednesday. Mrs. Mathews won high. Refreshments consisted

The Thursday Bridge Club met at the home of Mrs. A. R. Slaughter. Present were: Mmes. Joe Rhodes, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dickerson and Charles Russell, V. A. Dean, W. W. refreshment course was served.

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The Tuesday Bridge Club met at Mrs. C. D. Kimball has returned the home of Mrs. H. A. Davidson. to her home in Lake Charles, after Present were: Mmes. S. C. Cowan, a two weeks' visit with her daugh- W. E. Kirkham, K. O. France, L. ter, Mrs. Charles Smith, and family. O. Holloway, T. H. Dolan, Gib Brotherton and Raymond Doherty. Office Phone 62—Night Phone 95 Mrs. Cowan won high, and Mrs. their guests, Misses Pauline Lipe Dolan won second high. Ice cream

> Mrs. R. C. Webb is at her home in Grand Saline, recovering from severe shock and a broken collar bone sustained when the car in which she and her husband and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McNair were riding slid into a tree. All tendons and ligaments in left shoulder of Mr. Webb were escaped with few bruises.

The Friday Night Bridge Club met at the Humble recreation hall The Slaughters are driving a new with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Dunn as Present were: their former automobile was de- and Mrs. H. A. Davidson, Mr. and molished. Mr. Slaughter suffered a Mrs. K. O. France, Mr and Mrs. L. ton, Dr. and Mrs. V. A. Dean and the host and hostess. Mr. and Mrs. The Tuesday Bridge Club met at L. O. Holloway won high and Mr.

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> A daughter, who has been named Shirlock Marcella, was born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thomas of Bogata R2.

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