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Tests Drilling at Sugar Hill and Dalby Springs

Watburn Oil Co. of Tyler is drilling a wildcat four miles east of Dalby Springs, in southeast Bowie County.

John B. Stephens Jr. and A. O. Phillips have run completion tests on their Jackson No. 2 at Dalby Springs. The well tested with a potential of 72.92 bbls. per 24 hours from the Paluxy at 4389 to 5390. This makes the second well completed in the Dalby Springs area.

The John Parr No. 2 well of the Sugar Hill field was reported to be a good well and seven inch pipe has been set to 4465.

Application has been filed for the F. H. Anschultz No. 6 in the Sugar Hill field by John B. Stephens Jr. and A. O. Phillips. Location is 6.0 feet north-northwest of Anschultz No. 2 and 990 feet east of the west line of the Anschultz tract.

Goss Drilling Co. of Honey Grove is planning to drill a 2,000-foot test a half mile south of Bagwell. It will be the No. 1 Ben Brooks, 332 from the north and west lines of a 30-acre lease in the B. Gooch survey.

Drouth Points to Higher Prices

With severe drouth cutting farm and livestock production in numerous states, including west Texas, we can look for both food and feed to be high priced this fall and winter.

In this favored area of North-east Texas hot dry weather has hurt corn and vegetable production, but a 2 1/4 inch rain two weeks ago revived vegetation and crops.

We note that good grass along Highway 271 is being cut and baled and that efforts are being made to preserve all the hay possible. Just most any kind of hay is now bringing 75 cents a bale.

Mrs. J. W. France and two children of Sulphur Springs, are here this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Traweck. They will also visit Mr. and Mrs. K. O. France. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. France will move to Wichita Falls within a few days.

Mrs. Rutledge and daughter, Miss Clydene Rutledge, went to Jackson, Miss., last week and returned Thursday. They visited Mrs. Rutledge's daughter, Mrs. E. E. Gamble and family and Miss Ann Hurst. Miss Hurst accompanied them home for a visit.

Texas' Greatest Traffic Disaster Takes 28 Lives

Worst traffic disaster in Texas history—a blazing collision of two big Greyhound buses—occurred at Waco early Monday morning.

At least twenty-eight persons were dead—charred bodies and fragments of bodies in a Waco morgue.

Twenty-five persons were injured, some of whom were near death.

There were no answers yet to two major questions:

1. Who were the dead?
2. How did the collision occur?

Texas Department of Public Safety identification experts went to work Monday afternoon searching for clues to the identity of the bodies. It took several hours to determine how many bodies there were.

Early Monday night, however, James LeBlond, Waco civil defense administrator, announced that there were twenty-eight bodies from the wreckage of the head-on collision.

Three Cases Polio At Mt. Pleasant

Mt. Pleasant's City Health Officer, Dr. E. L. Fender, reports that three young Mt. Pleasant persons, whose names are being withheld at the request of parents, are in a Texarkana hospital for treatment of polio, representing the first outbreak of the disease in this county this year.

All three youngsters, Dr. Fender said, were sent to Texarkana for observation and for confirmation of symptoms of the dreaded disease.

Run-Off Scheduled In 3rd District

Austin.—It will take a run-off to decide the 3rd District race for Congressman.

Brady Gentry of Tyler missed a clear majority by 16 votes in last Saturday's primary.

Tabulations made for the official canvass showed 61,132 votes cast in the race. Gentry received 30,560. Next highest candidate who will go into the run-off with Gentry was R. L. Whitehead of Longview with 9,121 votes.

Five candidates sought the Congressional seat. It is being vacated by Rep. Lindley Beckworth who was a candidate for the U. S. Senate.

It Pays to Advertise.

Talco Oilers Clip Gilmer Bucks 10-5 Tuesday Night

By JACK WINN
Behind the steady 8-hit pitching of Art MacKinstry, Talco Oilers slammed out a 10-5 decision over the Gilmer Bucks in Gilmer Tuesday. Charlie Dexter hit for the circuit with two mates on for the Oilers to erase a 4-1 deficit and the Oilers went on to score 8 runs in the sixth inning. The Oilers and the Bucks played here Thursday night to finish their final series with each for this year, but score was not available at press time.

Talco goes to Pittsburg Saturday night and will finish their regular season here in Talco next Tuesday night. This series promises to be hard fought, as the protested game will be finished before the regular game in Pittsburg Saturday night. The protested game will start in the bottom of the sixth, with three men on base, two out, Pittsburg at bat, and leading 2-0. Talco was upheld in their protest by a vote of 3-0 of the rained out game at Pittsburg.

Pittsburg was denied their protest by a vote of 3-0 on their protest of the 21 inning game recently played in Talco which Talco won 5-4. All this leads up to a real battle in this final series, and especially so, since five teams are battling it out for play-off booths. Be sure and see these games, Saturday night in Pittsburg; Tuesday night, the final game of the regular season, in Talco.

TALCO—	AB	R	H	E
Seabaugh, If	5	1	0	1
Williams, ss	3	2	1	0
Parks, ss (8th)	2	0	0	1
Jones, cf	5	2	2	0
Gray, 3b	5	0	2	0
Morrison, rf	5	1	1	0
Glover, lf	3	1	2	0
Griffin, 2b	5	1	2	0
Dexter, c	2	1	1	1
Adams, c (8th)	1	0	0	0
MacKinstry, p	4	0	0	0

GILMER—	AB	R	H	E
McKinney, 3b	3	0	1	1
Minor, 2b	5	1	2	3
Bell, cf	3	1	1	1
Alexander, lf	5	0	0	0
Smith, rf-p	4	1	1	0
Sanders, lb	4	1	0	0
Austin, p-rf	5	0	2	0
Dunagan, ss	3	1	1	0
Stucky, c	4	0	0	0

Summary: RBI—McKinney, Austin, Stucky, Jones 2, Gray, Morrison 2, Griffin 2, Dexter 3. HR—Dexter. 2BH—Gray, Morrison. SH—Jones, Stucky. LOB—Talco 10, Gilmer 13. Hits—runs off—MacKinstry 8-5; Austin 11-10; Smith 0-0. BB—MacKinstry 8, Austin 5, Smith 1. SO—MacKinstry 7, Austin 2, Smith 2. Winning pitcher—MacKinstry. Losing pitcher—Austin. Umpire—McKinney, Picorey and MacNelley.

Name Grand Jurors Franklin County

Following is a list of Grand Jurors drawn at the February term of the 76th Judicial District Court, by Commission, to serve at the August term of court, which began at Mt. Vernon on Aug. 4:

Holley Lawrence, E. L. Padgett, Loyd Joyner, R. C. Wilson, Sam Luallen, Norris Hoffman, Allen Wright, Charlie Goode, Morris Hughes, Bun T. Stretcher, A. C. France, Jeff Parchman, Robert Peterson, J. R. Hill, Vard Patten, Phil Campbell.

Sixteen are listed above and twelve chosen to form the grand jury.

Jerry and Virgil Jones went to El Paso Saturday to take Billy Gene's car to him in camp. They returned home Monday.

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Tomato Crop Brings Growers \$135 Acre

Twenty-six thousand acres of tomatoes, marketed for the green wrap trade this season by East Texas growers brought them an average of \$135 an acre, according to figures compiled by J. F. Rosborough, marketing specialist of the Extension Service.

Last year the area harvested tomatoes from 33,000 acres and sold them for an average of \$38 an acre. The supply and demand factor accounted for this difference.

American Liberty Will Enlarge Its Mt. Pleasant Plant

American Liberty Oil Company has let contract for expansion work at its refinery at Mount Pleasant.

The program will cover construction of a feed preparation unit, Thermofor catalytic cracking unit, gas fractionation unit and modification of the present polymerization plant.

All of the work will be done by Flour Corporation through its Midcontinent division at Houston. Cost of the program was not announced.

Franklin County Election Results

Election figures in Franklin County, taken from the Mt. Vernon Optic-Herald, show results as follows:

There were no contests for county and precinct offices except treasurer and county commissioners and only 2262 votes were polled.

In the County Treasurer's race, Clovis Lawrence upset Tom Briley by a vote of 1310 to 915.

In the commissioners races there will be a run-off in two of the precincts, with one precinct having no opposition.

In precinct 1, there will be a run-off between Carl Cox and Madison Mitchell with votes as follows: Carl Cox 172, Madison Mitchell 178 and Ray Briley 131.

Precinct 2, George Wims cased out Forrest Suggs by a vote of 223 to 132 for Suggs.

Precinct 4, Coy Veasey and Lewis Banks will appear in the run-off with tabulated votes: Lewis Banks 189, Narvel Lawrence 153, Coy Veasey 222 and W. D. (Jack) Guthrie 51.

In precinct 3, L. L. Morris was re-nominated for the office without an opponent.

The following county officers were re-nominated without opposition:

District Clerk, J. W. Middleton; County Judge, L. E. Seay; County Attorney, Leonard Passmore; Sheriff and Tax Collector-Assessor, John E. (Junior) Tittle; County Clerk, L. E. Bryant.

Sam Draper was nominated for the office of Public Weigher by a majority over eight other write-in candidates.

Dixon Hatcher Line Coach at PJC

Dixon Hatcher, PJC instructor and former Deport and Bogata High School coach, has been named the new line coach for the PJC Dragons. Mr. Hatcher was formerly head coach at the college, resigning in 1948 because of ill health. He has been in retirement since that time, remaining as an instructor at PJC.

Talco Oilers Take Two Games from Sulphur Springs

By JERRY JONES
Talco Oilers took a firm grip on second place in the East Texas Amateur Baseball League Thursday and Saturday nights by taking two games from the Sulphur Springs Eagles by scores of 8 to 3 and 21 to 6 respectively. Ray Tucker, Talco's dependable left-hander, pitched a fine game in winning his ninth game of the season Thursday night in Sulphur Springs.

Saturday night the Oilers treated the Eagles as "Country Cousins" by pounding out 26 hits which were good for 21 runs, including a big 3 run 6th inning. Sulphur Springs jumped on Talco's Burrus for three hits and three runs in the first inning, but after a shakey start, Burrus settled down and the Eagles' batters couldn't quite master the offerings of the young righthander.

Talco started the scoring spree in the second inning. Shaw opened the inning with a hard single to center and took second on a single by Arnold Glover. With two on and none out Pinkey Griffin hit into a double play, but Shaw came home for Talco's first run. Talco scored two more in the third and two runs in the fifth. Then in the sixth the big Talco bats began to find the range and before the side had been retired the Oilers had sent 12 men to the plate and had scored 9 runs on 9 hits. Talco scored five more runs in the 7th and three in the 8th to end the scoring for the evening. The Oilers knocked out nine extra base hits which included seven doubles and homers by Ken Williams and James Gray. Arnold Glover and Red Shaw were the other big guns in the offensive play for Talco, each collecting four hits.

Box score Saturday night game:

TALCO—	AB	R	H	E
Seabaugh, If	5	3	3	0
Duncan, lf	0	0	0	0
Williams, ss	5	2	2	0
Jones, cf	6	2	2	0
Gray, 3b	5	4	3	0
Shaw, 1b	5	2	4	0
Tucker, 1b	0	1	0	0
Glover, rf	6	1	4	0
Griffin, 2b	5	2	2	0
Parks, 2b	1	0	0	0
McDuffy, c	5	2	3	1
Adams, c	1	0	0	0
Burrus, p	5	2	3	1

SUL. SPGS—	AB	R	H	E
Sparkman, cf	5	1	2	0
Wooten, 1b	4	1	1	0
Chapman, ss	3	0	0	2
Brack, lf-2b	5	1	2	0
Andrews, rf	4	1	2	0
LeFan, c	4	1	2	0
Romack, 2b-p	3	0	0	0
Harry, 3b	4	1	1	1
Ramey, p	3	0	0	0
Donovan, lf	0	0	0	0

Summary: R—Seabaugh 3, Williams 2, Jones 2, Gray 4, Shaw 2, Tucker, Glover, Griffin 2, McDuffy 2, Burrus 2, Sparkman, Wooten, Brack, LeFan, Harry. Errors—Burrus, Chapman 2, Harry. 2BH—Seabaugh, Williams, Gray 2, Griffin, McDuffy, Sparkman, Andrews. HR—Williams, Gray, Brack. Winning pitcher—Burrus. Loser—Ramey.

Shower in Honor Mrs. Tommy Kidd

Mrs. Tommy Kidd, the former Miss Mary Ellen Broughton, was guests of honor at a miscellaneous shower July 30 at the home of Mrs. M. C. Bean. Mrs. Roger

Light Showers Visit This Area

Light showers of rain fell in this section Monday and again on Wednesday morning. Some localities reported the rain heavier while others reported only a trace. The scattered showers cooled things for a short time.

The hottest day this year was last Wednesday when the mercury climbed to 99. The mercury has reached above 96 for the past 10 days, until the shower Monday dropped the temperature to 85.

Cotton farmers look on the showers with a frown, fearful the rain will increase insects in the crop. Prospects at present indicate a good yield this year. Early poisoning was done by many farmers and fewer insects are reported where that practice was carried out. Poisoning of cotton planted later is being done and with the scattered showers, many will continue to do so in an effort to fight the pests.

Not enough rain has fallen to be of great benefit to pastures, ranch land, late feed crops and gardens.

Streets in Talco Get Working Over

Streets in Talco are now in better condition than they have ever been. Practically every one has been graded and oiled, weeds have been cut, drainage ditches opened, old well sites cleaned up and the town generally presents a much better appearance.

Mayor George Bond and the City Commissioners are the spark plug of the work—more power to them.

Hood, Mrs. S. A. Tidwell, Mrs. Oren Williams, Mrs. Jerry Caldwell, Mrs. Elsie Kelley and Mrs. Bean were co-hostesses for the shower. Twenty guests attended and fifty-three who were unable to attend sent gifts.

Those attending were: Mrs. Roy Lilley, Mrs. Clarence Leake, Mrs. Gertie Broughton, Mrs. Bob McClung, Mrs. Ellison Hobbs, Mrs. J. R. Sloan, Mrs. Sally Gage, Mrs. Jim Davis, Mrs. Richard Miller, Mrs. O. B. Hopwood, Mrs. Leo Roberts, and Mrs. Lillian Broughton, mother of the bride, and Misses Mattie Lou Martin, Bette Coursey, Alice Ruth Tidwell and Sandra Bean.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hestand and Jo Ann took Mrs. Hestand's sister, Mrs. Ruby Martin and children to Grapeland during the week end to visit relatives. Mrs. Martin lives in New York State.

Mrs. Hammett Buried Monday

Mrs. Bettie Elizabeth Hammett, 83, passed away Monday at 2 a. m. at the home of her son, Charlie Abernathy of McCoy. Her parents were the late Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Lewis. She had been ill about a month.

Funeral services were held Monday at Lone Star cemetery, conducted by Rev. M. R. Burgess of Clarksville, with burial there. Bogata Funeral Home had charge.

Survivors include four children by a former marriage, E. C. Abernathy of Clarksville, E. C. Abernathy of Paris, Charlie Abernathy of McCoy, and Mrs. Cordie Horan of Munday; a son, Tommie Hammett of Clarksville, 17 grandchildren, 23 great-grandchildren, four half brothers and one half sister.

Pallbearers were Ben Johnson, Hollis Mathena, Charlie Whitten, Perry Phillips, Robert Rice, A. L. Webster and Donnie Mauldin.

Inspectors Capture 8 Illicit Stills

Texas Liquor Control Board inspectors in June reported the seizure of eight illicit stills. With the stills, which had a cubic capacity of 435 gallons, inspectors captured 580 gallons of mash and made six arrests.

Two stills were taken in Harrison County, two in Titus County, and one each in the counties of Gregg, Cass, Hunt, and San Augustine.

Eighth Lamar Traffic Fatality

Eighth Lamar County traffic fatality of 1952 was listed Sunday when Curtis Smith, 26, of Howland, Rt. 1, died at a Paris hospital of injuries received in a July 6 automobile collision.

Smith was one of five persons hurt in the accident. The death was the second from traffic accidents within Paris this year. Six other persons have died in smash-ups on rural roads and highways.

Paris Woman Burns to Death

Mrs. Mary Blankenship Boone of Paris, burned to death Tuesday in a fire which destroyed a tourist cabin she occupied at Hugo, Ok. Officers said Mrs. Boone checked into the court about midnight and apparently fell asleep while holding a lighted cigarette in her hand. The body was identified by Mrs. Jim Blankenship of Paris, the victim's mother.

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Just to Keep the Record Straight

It was amusing to listen to some speakers at the recent national Democratic convention quote economic figures, and the years they used were this nation's great depression year of 1932, and 1952. But none of them said it was "borrowed" prosperity we now have.

Some also boasted of what the party had done for the farmer. Truth is it hasn't done more than half enough. Drive out any country road and observe the abandoned houses and idle acres, once in a high state of cultivation.

What became of those farmers who had made a good living tilling the soil. You will find their names on subscriptions lists of country newspapers, great bundles going to Dallas, Ft. Worth, Waco, Austin, Houston, Galveston, Corpus Christi, San Antonio, and other large cities.

Government regulated farm economy has forced them to seek a livelihood in the cities. It is to laugh when they talk about what has been done for the farmer.

Haxe you forgotten the government shooting and burning of cattle, when many families had not had a good meal of red meat in months? What about the killing of pregnant sows and plowing up cotton where the acreage authorized had been overplanted? If you want something more recent, consider the over-estimate of the 1950 cotton crop that cost growers millions of dollars.

Ask any farmer who was forced to move to the city to make a living for himself and family. Interview rural mail carriers who now serve about two-thirds of rural folk they delivered mail to before Roosevelt and Truman regulators, price-fixers and bosses took over.

We write of these things because they are first hand information and we want to keep the record straight.

"I wish to congratulate you upon the accuracy of that prediction you recently made on state officers," said a highly intelligent old-timer who called to pay his respects. "What I'd like to see now is your prediction on the national election," he added. That election is too far off now, and besides, this editor struck out in the last presidential election. His batting eye was on the blink and he lost his shirt to a friend who predicted otherwise.

Edgar Bryson who has been employed by the Beaumont Journal as a reporter, has returned to the Paris News, where he was employed previous to going to Beaumont. Bryson began his newspaper career on the Deport Times. He reports that Troy Griffin, former Deport man, who also began his newspaper work in The Deport Times office, and later edited The Talco Times, is now chief news editor of the Beaumont Journal and drawing a big salary. The Times is proud of most of the boys we have tried to teach the newspaper business.

Weather morgue in this newspaper office says Aug. 10, 1936, was the hottest day ever recorded in his area. Thermometers rose to 114 degrees and the boys amused themselves by frying eggs on a concrete sidewalk. That was about the same temperature as recorded in Dallas in 1910. This writer recalls that he was working as a printer on the fourth floor of a building in Dallas, and we pulled the windows down to keep out the hot air. After work hours we went to the YMCA and went swimming to cool off. Before he could get dressed in the basement locker room, sweat saturated freshly laundered underwear.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
REV. R. E. BAUCUM, Pastor
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School. H. G. Dyess, supt.
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship.
7:00 p. m.—B. T. U. Mrs. C. C. Collins, director
8:00 p. m.—Evening worship.
4:00 p. m. Monday—W. M. U. Mrs. R. J. Rosson, pres.
7:30 p. m. Wednesday evening—Prayer and song service.
7:30 p. m. Friday—Brotherhood R. W. Prestidge, pres.

Don't throw away your worries on the outcome of the primary election and national conventions. Save some of them for the future.

EDITORIALLY SPEAKING

BURT LOCKHART
in Pittsburg Gazette

It will again be Congressman Dies. A strong spoke in the congressional wheel.

A good politician is one who manages to say nothing in a multitude of words.

Gov. Stevenson was right. He didn't seek the nomination—he only hoped it would seek him.

It is not every man who says he is not a candidate for president who would not accept a nomination.

Met a high school boy the other day who frankly admitted that at the age of 15 his father knew more than he.

Barkley could not stand CIO opposition. Another reminder that old politicians never die—they just resign.

A Pittsburg housewife is confident that she will never lose her husband's love, although her beauty has faded. She says she still cooks good biscuits.

The disgraceful scenes incident to the two national conventions in Chicago suggests the urgent need of a better system of choosing nominees for president.

Down in Cuba they mix alcohol with gas. They mix it in this country too, but it is usually followed with flowers and slow murder.

A farmer friend expressed amazement the other day that a lot of people didn't buy up all the little pigs during Henry Wallace's administration instead of killing them.

On an island in the South Pacific there are not taxes, unemployment, crime, beggars, jazz bands or radios. Neither are there any inhabitants, which explains it all.

Four rattlesnakes recently admitted to the New York zoo have been named Stalin, Grymko, Molotov and Vishinsky. What the snakes are going to do about it is not clear, but our guess is they are biting mad.

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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 20

proposing an Amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding a new section thereto to be known as Section 61 to authorize cities, towns, and villages of this State to provide insurance for employees; providing for the submission of the proposed Amendment to the qualified electors; and providing for proclamation and publication by the Governor.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding a new section thereto to be known as Section 61 to read as follows:

"Sec. 61. The Legislature shall have the power to enact laws to enable cities, towns, and villages of this State to provide Workmen's Compensation Insurance, including the right to provide their own insurance risk for all employees; and the Legislature shall provide suitable laws for the administration of such insurance in the said municipalities and for payment of the costs, charges, and premiums on policies of insurance and the benefits to be paid thereunder."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electorate of the State at the General Election to be held on the first Tuesday after first Monday in November, 1952, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon (or in counties using voting machines the said machines shall provide for) the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for Workmen's Compensation Insurance for employees of cities, towns and villages"; and

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for Workmen's Compensation Insurance for employees of cities, towns, and villages."

Each voter shall mark out one (1) of said clauses on the ballots, leaving the one (1) expressing his vote on the proposed Amendment; and if it shall appear from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast are in favor of said Amendment, the same shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

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7:30 p. m.—Evening worship.
7:00 p. m. Wednesday—Prayer meeting.
7:00 p. m. Thursday—Brotherhood and W. M. U.

The U. S. purchased the Virgin Islands from Denmark.

Hospital News

Patients at the Grant Hospital from this area the past week include:

Mrs. Roy L. Kisner of Johnstown, was admitted Sunday for minor surgery and was dismissed Tuesday.

A son, named Nathan Lee, was born Aug. 4 to Mr. and Mrs. Rupert C. Hinson of Johnstown. A daughter was born Aug. 1 to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Smith of Bogata. She was named Barbara Jean.

TO THE PEOPLE OF TITUS COUNTY:

I wish to express my appreciation to you for your votes and support in the July 26th Primary, in electing me your Democratic nominee for the office of County Clerk. I shall never cease to be grateful for your votes.

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Announcements

The Talco Times is authorized to make the following announcements, subject to action of voters in the Aug. Democratic primary:

For County Judge—R. W. (Humphrey) JONES HARRY TAYLOR

For District Clerk—EDWIN A. WHITE HOMER BOWDEN

For Sheriff—LOYD SINCLAIR L. D. (Jabo) LANDERS

For Assessor-Collector—LYNCH HARPER JIMMIE BARRETT

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LOCAL NEWS

By MRS. O. B. HOPWOOD
PHONE 1608 or 79

Mrs. Loyd Graf entered a Paris hospital Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Winn spent Wednesday in Dallas.

Mrs. C. T. Richardson is visiting in Dallas this week end.

Mrs. D. A. Morgan of Odessa, visited here the first of the week.

Barney Tate of Lampasas, is visiting his sister, Mrs. J. C. Fail and family.

Mrs. C. E. Griggs spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Ray in Hawkins.

Mrs. Nannie Leake's condition in a Mt. Pleasant hospital is slightly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Trimble visited relatives in Shreveport the past week end.

Mrs. Emil Byal of Kermit, visited Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Gieger Friday of last week.

Mrs. E. W. Henry entered a Paris hospital Monday night for surgery on Tuesday.

Miss Beulah Smith has returned from a visit with relatives in Abilene and Lubbock.

Mrs. A. G. Eberts and son, Donnie are visiting relatives and friends in Beaumont and Galveston.

Miss Wanda Clark, employed in Dallas, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Allison and sons of Greggton, visited her sister, Mrs. A. Dyson, during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Rodgers, Leon and Montie, are vacationing in different parts of Texas.

Miss Helen Ruth Gibson has returned from a two weeks' visit with her aunt in Ft. Worth.

Sell Fishback and Farris Ray of San Saba, visited relatives and friends here and at Bogata the last of the week.

Eddie Griggs returned Saturday from a visit with his brother, Randolph Griggs and family, in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brown of Mt. Pleasant, visited her mother, Mrs. J. H. Blackburn, and other relatives, Sunday.

S-Sgt. Eldred C. Munn and family, stationed at Ft. Sill, Ok., arrived Sunday to visit his brother, Kyle Munn and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Miller and two children spent the week end with his father, Ellis Miller and Mrs. Miller in Kilgore.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Jackson and Jeanie of Kilgore, spent the week end with Mrs. Jackson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Carroll.

Miss Clara Ruth Hoffpauir and Eugene Davis visited her aunt, Mrs. M. A. Ferguson and family in Greggton during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Frye have returned from El Paso where they visited their son, Sgt. Edward Frye Jr., who is stationed there.

C. E. Jones, accompanied by Harold Bonham, left Wednesday for Temple for regular examination at Scott & White Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bragg and son of Grand Prairie, visited Mrs. Bragg's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Morris, during the week end.

Mrs. Joe Marshall of Arlington, Va. visited her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. George Bond and other relatives during the week.

Mrs. W. T. Hughes and son, Gaylon of Talco, were Sunday guests of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Sam Kelsey and family in Deport.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Williams who have been making their home with his mother, Mrs. Nora Williams, moved to Mt. Pleasant Monday.

Starlyn O'Keefe accompanied her grandmother, Mrs. Scarborough, to Camp Lejeune, N. C., to visit Mrs. Scarborough's son, Capt. J. R. Scarborough and family of the Marines.

Miss Louise Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Clark, has finished the course of study required for graduation from high school in a Dallas school. She is employed in Dallas.

Miss Peggy Gieger left Friday for Dallas, where she is employed. She will also enter school for one-half credit to complete her course of study for graduation from high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Morris have received announcement of the birth of a son, Benjamin Harold, to Mr. and Mrs. David Dooley in Piedmont, S. C. Mrs. Dooley is the former Miss Elois Morris.

Linda Dee and Laura Lee Austin of Bonham are visiting in the homes of their aunt, Mrs. E. W. Smith and Uncle Eugene Mankins this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Laughlin and two children of Baytown, returned home Monday after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Laughlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Johnson and children of Palestine, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lewis, and other relatives during the week end.

Mrs. Effie Kelley returned Monday from a visit with her daughters, Mrs. Don Wimp and Mrs. Ivan Holleman and families in Gravite Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Morrow and Joy Ann of Hawkins, visited Mrs. Morrow's sister, Mrs. H. A. Hoffpauir, and Miss Clara Ruth Hoffpauir during the week.

Tommy and Linda Neugent are visiting their sisters, Miss Rosemary Neugent and Mrs. Edgar Stevens and Mr. Stevens in San Antonio for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Harrison and children of Natchez, Miss., spent the week end with his sisters, Mrs. J. W. Garner and Mrs. J. J. Nelson and families.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Perdue and daughter of Rockport, are spending their vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Perdue and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lofue.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Gieger and Loren Glen of Tyler, spent Friday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Gieger and took Gayla Sue home after a visit with her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Parr and Kenneth Logan went to Oklahoma City Friday and brought his mother, Mrs. C. E. Parr, home. Mrs. Parr had been attending a niece, who was very ill.

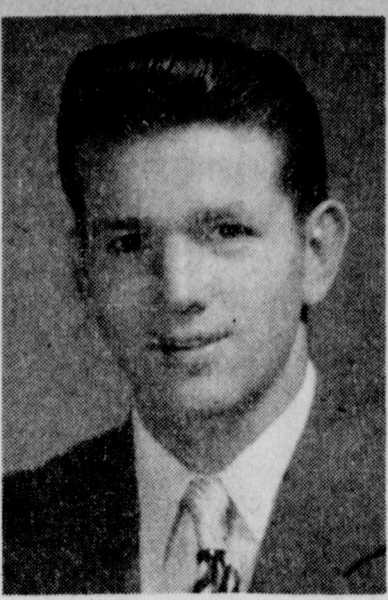
Mrs. Milton Pearson and Mrs. J. G. Scarborough of Houston, arrived Tuesday to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Trimble and Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Pearson respectively until Monday of next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Kelley went to Mineral Wells Friday to spend the week end with her brother, Legrand Cato and family. Jane Kelley, who had been visiting there three weeks, accompanied them home.

Mrs. Leo Roberts, Eloise Roberts, Mrs. Lloyd Gauntt and two children spent the week end in Dallas with Mrs. Roberts' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Puckett and with Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Goodwin in Ft. Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Atlee Barger and children of Flint, Mich., returned home Tuesday after visiting Mr. Barger's brother, J. H. Barger and family. Mr. Barger's mother, Mrs. Alice Williams of Mt. Pleasant, also spent the week here.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Jones of Talco over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fly of Texas City, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nicholson of Cookville, Mrs. Lillian Damron of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dickson, Elaine Phillely and Virginia McGill of Deport, Mrs. Raymond Damron and daughter, June of Bogata.



QUINNON DAVIS of Bogata, is the new laboratory technician at the Grant Hospital in Deport. Mr. Davis was born at Talco and reared in Bogata. He attended Gradwohl School of Laboratory Technicians in St. Louis, Mo., and served his internship at St. Luke's Hospital in St. Louis, prior to coming to the Grant Hospital. He assumed his duties on Aug. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shumaker, their two children and Mr. Shumaker's mother, Mrs. Mattie Wootten of Raymondville, are here to visit Mrs. Wootten's daughters, Mrs. E. J. Smith and Mrs. Ralph Smith and their families.

C. C. Busselle, Humble pumper for a number of years, has been moved to Humble Lake, where he will pump water instead of oil. He recently had a little trouble with his "ticker," and his many friends hope that life at the lake will put him in good condition again.

Mrs. W. T. Calloway and Jean have been visiting Mrs. Calloway's sisters in Louisiana. Miss Joan Calloway, who has been attending school in Natchitoches, La., will finish her course this week. Mr. Calloway will spend the week end in Natchitoches and bring them home.

Mrs. W. H. Crawford, Mrs. Ora Stephenson, her two daughters, her two grandsons, Mrs. Lorena McFerrin and Gabie Gene McFerrin returned Monday from Ratan where they visited relatives including Mrs. Crawford's brother, Grover Stephenson and Mrs. Stephenson's sister.

Mrs. T. A. Mankins of near Mt. Pleasant, spent Sunday night and Monday with her daughter, Mrs. E. W. Smith and husband. During which time they attended the Methodist church of which Mrs. Mankins is a member and visited her sister, Mrs. Ellen White and her son, Eugene Mankins and family.

METHODIST CHURCH

JOHN DVORAK, Pastor
Church School—9:45 a. m.
Morning worship—11:00 a. m.
Sunday evening: 6:45 p. m.—Youth Fellowship. Seniors and Intermediate.
7:30 p. m.—Evening worship service.
Wednesday evening 7:30 p. m.—Mid-week Bible study.
8:30 p. m.—Choir practice.

Some one has observed that the thing that keeps a lot of men broke is not only the wolf at the door, but the silver fox in the window.

Talco Happenings Ten Years Ago

AUGUST 7, 1942

Marriages: Miss Martha Lee Fuller and Bill Miller had married July 31. Miss Odessa Reid and Harrison Lewis had married in California.

Matt Williams, 23, negro had been sentenced to die in the electric chair by Bowie County District Court at New Boston for criminally assaulting a four year old white child.

Devaney Drug store at Bogata, owned by J. H. Devaney since Feb., 1932, had sold to Aubrey Buckman of Clarksville.

Franklin County men who left for Army duty at Mineral Wells, were James Stanley, James Franks, Earl Glover, John Burgin and William Kear.

William McMichael had been given a \$500 fine, and a year jail sentence for stealing the tires off of Porter Norwood's car in Detroit.

Mrs. Thomas Patterson and Mrs. W. M. Walker Jr. had entertained Mrs. Jerry Dodd with a shower.

A swimming party for horse riders was enjoyed by Dr. and Mrs. George P. Grout, Supt. and Mrs. B. E. Dunagan, Misses Dixie Lee Holloway, Bertha Furgia, Bessie Nell Hazzard, Bonnie Nell Ray, Vonnie Fay Lindsey, Mrs. Eddie Ray and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Moore.

Mrs. Henry Sweeden had honored her son, Sherrill on his 3rd birthday with a party. Refreshments of cream and cake were served to Robert Kendrick, Carolyn Ryan, Joyce Richardson, Johnnie Garman, Harold Cain, Douglas Parks, Robbie Parker, Lela Van Winkle, Jackie and Bobby Carlisle, Clara Hoffpauir, Bobbie and Martha Nell Brown.

Talco's deep test, the W. H. Jackson No. 1, was to be drilled by the Bayou Construction Co. of Shreveport, La. Machinery had been moved in and rigging begun.

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Election Figures Precinct Officers

Official figures in the July primary for Red River County, not appearing in last week's edition of this newspaper are:

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct: A. W. Rogers, 74; Fred B. Horner, 123; Elmer Arnold, 1; Bud Furgerson, 2; Ben Johnson, 5; Boyd Smith, 1; Paul Wilson, 1; Dave Puckett, 3; Sam Simpson, 2; Lum Fennell, 1; Roy Gibson, 6; Ward Baker, 1.

For Constable, Precinct 3: Dick Hale, 75; Grover Spier, A. F. Roberts, N. A. Gibson, Thomas Wright, John Hart, C. M. Arnold, Fred Horner, 1 vote each; Bud Furgerson, 27; W. C. Little, Wheeler Embry, Lum Fennell, 2 each; Eric Gable, 73.

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct 2: Burl Duffee, 1; W. R. Baxter, 69.

For Committeeman, Precinct 10: M. B. Trimm, 16; Travis Hale, Fred Prichard, 1 each; Dick Hale, 2; Ben Ray 3.

For Committeeman, Precinct 11: John K. Ford, 9; William Humphreys, W. H. Whitten and Ben Ray, 1 each.

For Committeeman, Precinct 12: Jack Franklin, 5; Doug Alsobrook, 1.

For Committeeman, Precinct 13: Paul T. Hill, 1; Alvis Summers, 3; M. L. Fisher, 54.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

C. I. MEYERS, Pastor
Sunday School—9:45 a. m.
Morning worship—11:00 a. m.
C. A. Young People's Service—7:30 p. m.
LMC—Monday, 3 p. m. Mrs. C. I. Meyers, president.
Wednesday night service—7:30 p. m.

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Baptism—And the Blood

Often when the subject of baptism is discussed someone will say, "Well, I just don't see what baptism could possibly have to do with salvation." Those who contend for the necessity of baptism are frequently accused of being narrow-minded and of believing in water salvation. This is an unfair and an unjust accusation; for Jesus, our Lord, commanded baptism . . . "He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved" (Mk. 16:15-16). ". . . Repent and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins . . ." (Acts 2:38). The fact that our Lord commanded it should be sufficient; for He knows better than do we, what man needs to do in order to be saved; and we, certainly, should not belittle one of His commands.

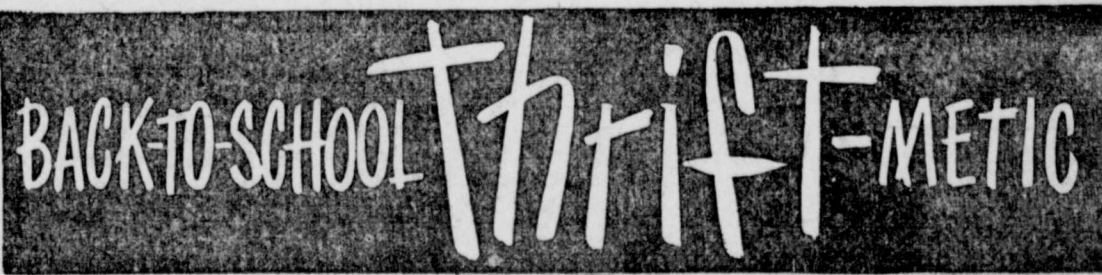
All who believe the Bible will agree that man is saved by the blood of Christ— ". . . the blood of Jesus Christ, His Son, cleanseth us from all sin" (Jno. 1:7). How then do we contact the saving blood? It was in the Lord's death that His blood was shed (Jno. 19:34); therefore, we must contact His death to contact His blood. We contact the Lord's death in baptism. "Therefore we are buried with Him by baptism into death . . ." (Rom. 6:4). If we contact the Lord's death in baptism, and He shed His blood in His death, why would we not also contact His blood in baptism? Surely, we would. Friend, "are you washed in the soul-cleansing blood of the Lamb?"

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Alcorn Tells Candidates Television, Radio Haven't Replaced Handshake

Editor's note: Achin Alcorn, philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Sulphur, has some advice for the Presidential candidates this week, although we don't recall anybody's asking for it.

Dear Editor: A bunch of us was sittin' around out here the other day discussin' politics and how the radio and television have changed campaign methods.

"Campaignin' is a lot easier now," one man argued. "All you have to do is sit in an air-conditioned studio with a speech somebody else wrote for you and be seen and heard by millions of voters. Everybody gets to see what you look like. Can't fool the public any more."

I do not exactly look at it this way, that is, I got confidence in some candidates' ability to fool the public regardless of how much progress science makes, but I also got confidence in the public's ability to fool the candidates, and it's for that reason candidates shouldn't put all their faith in reachin' people over the radio and television.

For example, we can see Washington on television, but Washington can't see us. I know what

Eisenhower and Stevenson look like, but they don't know what I look like. It's one thing for the public to size the candidates up, but I suspect it's sort of important for the candidates to size the public up.

Television is fine for lettin' the candidates reach the public, but it ain't worth a darn for lettin' the public reach the candidates, and any candidate who doesn't know it and depends exclusively on campaignin' from a studio is liable to run an excellent race and not wilt any collars but wind up short on votes.

I have never understood it myself, but science with all its on-weep of progress ain't never been able to replace the handshake when it comes to gettin' elected to public office.

My advice to both the Presidential candidates is to not spend all their money on radio and television time, better hold back a little for travelin' around the country feelin' the public pulse. There ain't nothin' that beats knowin' what the people are thinkin'. Microphones and television cameras ain't been given the vote yet.

Yours faithfully, A. A.

Have Medical Check-up for Beginners

Austin. — Dr. George W. Cox, State Health Officer, urges the parents of all children who will respond to the school bell for the first time in September to be sure the child is physically ready for school duties.

"First and foremost is the need for vaccination against smallpox. Parents should see that children are vaccinated before they are one year of age; however if not done previously, at school age vaccination becomes absolutely necessary," Dr. Cox said. "If your child has not been vaccinated, have it done immediately for his own protection and that of others."

Immunization against diphtheria also highly important, Dr. Cox declares. This disease which causes serious illness and deaths among young children can be prevented with toxoid. The child who has never been protected should be given this safeguard against a dreaded killing disease.

Third Cong. Dist. Has Horse Race

Folks over in the Third Congressional District really put on a horse race to name a man for that seat in Congress. With five in the race, Brady Gentry of Tyler, lacked 16 votes receiving a majority. It was for the office vacated by Lindley Beckworth, losing candidate for the U. S. Senate seat, to be vacated by Senator Tom Connally. Now watch Beckworth "accept" some federal judgment.

In the First District Wright Patman defeated Joe McCasland 2 to 1, receiving 41,346 votes to 20,047. Patman carried 44 of Lamar County's 48 boxes. Boxes lost were at Deport, Glory, Roxton and Broadway.

Titus County Man Dies in Korea

Mr. and Mrs. Voll (Bud) Newman, residents of Titus County, have received official word from the Secretary of Defense in Washington announcing the death of their son, Clifton D. Newman, in Korea, on July 23.

According to a telegram received July 25, young Newman, known to most of his friends as Buzz, was placed in a mobile army surgical hospital attached to the 8228th Army Unit, on July 21, critically ill with hemorrhagic fever.

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Cowboy: "Who's your close-mouth friend over there?"
Cowgirl: "He ain't close-mouthed. He's waiting for the janitor to come back with the spittoon."

Even though he may have been immunized as a baby, doctors and health officers usually recommend an additional dose of toxoid to strengthen immunity before entrance into school.

"In addition, before you send your child to school you are urged to take him to your family physician and dentist for a thorough examination," Dr. Cox adds. "You will want to know that he is in good physical condition and can compete with the other children on equal terms. If the check-up reveals any weakness or defects they should be corrected at once. Don't let your child start his school life with an avoidable handicap."

JOHNTOWN

By MRS. G. A. VAUGHAN
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Vaughan and baby of Tyler, visited Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Vaughan.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Cecil and baby of Greenville, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pirtle.

The Baptist meeting that began July 26, will continue thru Aug. 6, with the pastor, Alvin Blalock of Talco Rt. 2, assisted by Herbert Banks, ministerial student of Little Rock, Ark., doing the preaching. A full house has been in attendance at the evening services. Three new converts were baptized Sunday at 11 o'clock at a lake on the J. C. Vaughan farm, south of Boagta.

Mrs. Dan Cotten attended a shower honoring Miss Wanda Rogers at Talco Tuesday, bride-to-be of Billy Joe Vickers of Rosalia.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Hinson Aug. 4, an 8-lb. boy at Grant Hospital in Deport.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Whitlock of Ft. Worth, visited her father, W. L. Wicks, and daughter over the week end.

Visitors in the Burl Duffie home recently included Mrs. Lulu Wooten of Clarksville, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Duffie and son of Ft. Worth and Ollie Perkins of Hooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pirtle and daughter, Fredrika, visited her sister, Mrs. Claud Kennedy and family at Cunningham, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyce Seay of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Pat O'Keefe of Talco, were business visitors here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Duffie have purchased the residence of Mrs. J. R. Scarborough and moved Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Thomas have rented their former home and will occupy it.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Ward of Valliant, Ok., visited Mr. and Mrs. Leon Gable over the week end.

Mrs. Burl Duffie was a business visitor in Clarksville Monday.

Mrs. J. A. Watts has recently received announcements of new babies born to Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Watts of Kingsville, a girl, named Beverly Sue; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Maxwell of Shreveport, La., a girl named Beverly Ann, and to Mr. and Mrs. Dale Watts of Longview, a girl named Deborah.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Duke of Raymondville, visited Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Dryden Monday night.

Twyman Pirtle of Carswell Air Base at Ft. Worth, visited Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Watts are visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Watts at Rustin, La.

Mrs. Luther Randolph, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kinsey, returned to her home at Ada, Ok., Sunday.

Mrs. M. H. Dryden and daughter, Mary, accompanied by "Spanky" Hawkins, Nona Hawkins, Eleanor Vaughan and Mrs. E. V. Pirtle, attended the Red River County Singing Convention at Detroit Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kenemore of Detroit, visited in the Albert Black, Francis Foster and Hubert Horn homes last week.

Mrs. H. E. Hawkins and two children, who have been attending the bedside of her mother, Mrs. W. R. Baxter, who is ill at her home here, left Saturday for her home at Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Pew and Mary Dryden made a business trip to Paris Friday.

W. C. Cole of Fulbright, is visiting his sister, Mrs. N. C. Hinson and family.

Shirley Burns of Bogata, is visiting Shirley Watts this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Whitten Jr. and boys are visiting relatives at Sonora, Cisco and other points in West Texas this week.

Maxine York of Bogata, is visiting relatives here this week.

The cost of being a politician goes up and up. Kefauver had to mortgage his home and borrow \$30,000 for his campaign.

Construction Work Underway TPL's New Power Plant Near Johntown

Construction crews have moved in at the site of the Texas Power & Light Company's new steam electric generating station near Johntown, and preliminary engineering work is under way.

Temporary construction housing has been built, construction superintendent, resident engineer and chief accountant are on the job and surveying crews are finishing up the last of their work in preparation for the actual earth moving which is scheduled to get under way in the near future.

Designated the River Crest Steam Electric Station, the plant will occupy 1,575 acres in Red River County north of Sulphur River and between the Paris & Mt. Pleasant Railroad and Mustang Creek.

"This additional power capacity which the new power plant will make available should be an important factor in attracting new industries to this part of Texas," W. W. Lynch, TPL president said. "Such a plant in this area will bolster the transmission

network of the entire TP&L system."

The plant will be the latest outdoor type station, consisting of one 80,000-kilowatt turbine generator. It will be designed to use gas, oil or lignite as fuel.

The plant site is near large lignite reserves in Titus County, available to Texas Power & Light Company, and if this fuel is used, it will be processed according to the plan worked out for the Aluminum Company of America's plant in Milam County, near Rockdale, Mr. Lynch said.

Water requirements will be supplied from an off-channel lake having a capacity of approximately 6,000 acre-feet and filled by pumping flood waters from Sulphur River.

A sub-station will be built as part of the River Crest facilities, together with the necessary structures, and oil circuit breakers needed for connection to 132,000-volt transmission lines which will carry the power to various parts of northeast and north central Texas.

Altus, Okla.; Mrs. Charles W. Leigh, Houston, and Mrs. Paul Harrison, Hollywood, Calif. Side-stepping only gets you farther away from where you hope you are going.

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WILKINSON

By DOROTHY M. BLALOCK
Mr. and Mrs. Devon Floyd of Jefferson, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Berry Floyd of Judson, visited Mr. and Mrs. Dee Floyd, Saturday.

A birthday dinner was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock and Eugene Sunday, honoring the birthday of Mrs. A. T. Blalock and W. H. Jackson. Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Leo Blalock and children of Hooks, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Blalock and Jean Leo of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Anschutz, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Anschutz and children, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Jones, Mrs. Edwina Byram, Miss Wanda McGee, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Blalock and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Anschutz, Miss Mary John Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock, Eugene Blalock and W. H. Jackson.

Mrs. Virgil Blalock of Maple Springs, visited Mrs. F. H. Anschutz recently.

Miss Pallie Sue Blalock spent last week with her aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Robertson and children of Talco.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Blalock and children visited the George Winkle family at Shirley, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Blalock of Daingerfield, and the children of Jack Hood of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Floyd and little granddaughter visited the A. T. Blalocks on Sunday afternoon.

R. J. Winkle of the U. S. armed forces, visited in this community last week.

Delois Floyd is spending the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Floyd.

Mrs. Morris Blalock and daughters spent Friday with Mrs. W. L. Robertson and children of Talco.

Mrs. R. P. Moles and sons of

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Mrs. A. W. Neville Dies at Paris

Mrs. A. W. Neville, 84, wife of the editor of the Paris News, died Tuesday after a long illness. Funeral services were pending.

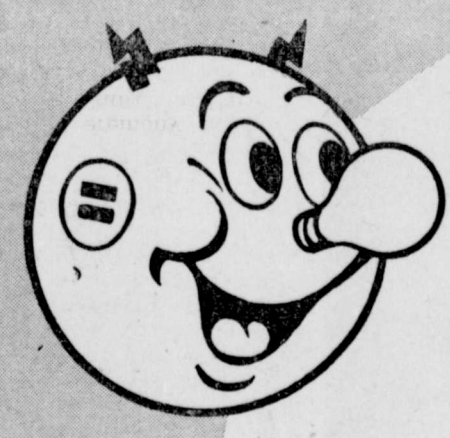
The former Jennie Walker, she was born in a log cabin near Dallas, Miss., the daughter of John Henry and Nancy Meadors Walker. In 1874 she came to Texas with her family.

She was married to A. W. Neville April 12, 1883, in the first wedding ceremony held in the Episcopal Church in Paris.

Survivors include her husband and five daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Faught and Miss Maude Neville, both of Paris; Mrs. Clyde Faught, Mt. Pleasant, visited Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Blalock, Sunday.

Mrs. W. L. Robertson and Linza of Talco, spent Tuesday with Mrs. Morris Blalock and Pallie.

"Everybody talks about the weather but nobody does anything about it."
—Mark Twain



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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Well, What Do You Know?

Do you believe in a bunch of old tales about lightning—about how it's attracted by cats or the warmth of cattle... how it never strikes in the same place twice... or how it's liable to turn milk sour? Lots of people often do—but they're wrong.

Dad Hawkins inspired this column today. He's really studied up on lightning since his own cow barn was struck that time.

"Trouble is, most of us don't know half enough about the subject," Dad says. "And about half of what we do know is false!"

From where I sit, Dad's statement applies to a lot of things besides lightning. Too many people think they know their neighbor's wrong when he votes for his candidate instead of theirs. Some people even resent our right to enjoy a friendly glass of beer if and when we choose. Opinions based on misinformation and prejudice, instead of being "grounded" on true facts can cause more damage than lightning ever did.

Joe Marsh