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## State Capital NEWS

By Vern Sanford

Austin.—Election year upheavals plus Texas' "lame duck law" are playing havoc with the work of interim legislative committees.

Atty. Gen. Will Wilson ruled that, except in special cases, interim committee members not re-elected to the Legislature may not continue to serve on the committees. This brings a shake-up in the membership of a number of study groups now in the midst of their work.

Biggest change will be in the make-up of the House General Investigating Committee which has been asked to look into several politically touch questions. Going off the five-member committee are the chairman, Rep. H. J. Blanchard of Lubbock, and Reps. Joe Burkett of Kerrville and Carl Conley of Raymondville.

Nine other legislative committees lost one or more members who either did not run again or were defeated.

Not affected were members of the Commission on State and Local Tax Policy. Attorney General noted that this group was set up under a law which specifically provided its members should serve a two-year term.

Also continuing to serve, whether re-elected or not, will be those members of the Legislative Council and Legislative Budget Board who—like the Speaker of the House—are members because of the jobs they hold.

In the appointment of committees on which "lame ducks" may not continue to serve, next year's speaker and lieutenant governor face a problem. Only way to prevent vacancies would be to second-guess the political future of each appointee.

**YOUTH CRIME RISE SEEN—**Juvenile delinquency in Texas will get worse before it gets better, the Texas Youth Council director predicted.

Dr. James Turman presented to the Legislative Budget Board the Council's request for an appropriation of \$4,235,470 for the coming biennium. This is an increase over the present two-year allocation of \$2,487,442.

A part of this increase is to build for future needs. Turman noted that the Gatesville Training School for Boys had 403 boys in 1950 compared to its present average of 1,300. He predicted an average population of 1,790 during the coming two years and 2,959 by the end of the sixties.

Turman also urged the setting up of a system of paid parole supervisors "to keep some of these kids from coming back." He said that some of the boys had been to Gatesville as many as five times and that up to one-third were repeaters.

**ANTI-LOAN SHARK COMMITTEE**—A citizens committee is being formed to work for approval of a constitutional amendment to give the legislature more regulatory power over the small loan industry.

Abner V. McCall, executive vice president of Baylor University, is chairman, and Tom Reavley, Austin attorney and former secretary of state, is vice chairman.

Proposed amendment will be Number Four on the general election ballot in November. It would give the Legislature power to license and regulate lenders and set maximum rates of interest. Until and unless the Legislature set a new rate, the present constitutional maximum of 10 per cent would apply.

Adoption of Amendment Four is an essential first step, said McCall, to wiping out Texas' reputation as "the lone shark state." He said that Gov. Price Daniel, Lt. Gov. Ben Ramsey and Atty. Gen. Will Wilson favored the amendment and were honorary members on the committee.

**TEC HITS CHEATERS**—Texas Employment Commission has filed complaints against some 100 persons accused of drawing unemployment compensation pay while actually working.

As a result of a widespread investigation, TEC has filed several score suits against persons it declared were receiving benefits and salaries at the same time.

Some of the defendants have already been tried, fined and ordered to repay the money received from TEC. Most of the cases involve workers in Houston and Brownsville.

Law provides that workers who lose their jobs through no fault of their own and cannot get other jobs may receive \$26 a week for up to 26 weeks, while unemployed. Violators can receive up to a \$50 fine and 30-day jail sentence.

**LAWBREAKING ON INCREASE**—Department of Public Safety report shows that one of the fastest growing statistics in Texas is the number of major crimes committed—up 10.3 per cent for the first half of 1960.

For the first six months of this year DPS estimates 96,681 major crimes were committed in Texas, compared to 87,679 for the same period in 1959.

One of the brighter spots in the report is that murders and homicides decreased by 15.1 per cent. Burglaries, however, rose 19.2 per cent.

**VACCINATIONS URGED**—Texas is one of the safer states as far as paralytic polio is concerned, but it's seventh in the nation in number of whooping cough cases, ninth in diphtheria and scarlet fever.

All these rates could be cut, said a State Health Department spokesman, if there were fewer people who can't be bothered with getting protective shots.

Late August and September are the usual season for polio epidemics, the Department warned.

**GOOD PASTURAGE**—Texas range conditions showed a bigger mid-summer improvement this year than in any summer for 37

## A. Y. Sikes Rites Held Thursday

Funeral services were held at 10 a. m. Thursday at Mt. Pleasant for Young Alexander Sikes, 80, of Mt. Pleasant. Rev. Eugene McCullough and Rev. Nelson Parrish were the officiating ministers. Burial was made in the Talco Cemetery.

Mr. Sikes died at 5:50 p. m. Tuesday in a Mt. Pleasant hospital. He was born Jan. 3, 1880 in Texas.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Sarah Sikes, a daughter, Mrs. Nolan Redfearn, Mt. Pleasant; two sons, Marshall Sikes, Talco and Carl Sikes, Mt. Pleasant; seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

## Additional Locals

Mrs. James Roach of Mt. Pleasant, visited Mrs. Lucy Walls, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Munn and Nelwyn moved to Gladewater, Tuesday.

Kyle Munn visited his brother, Wilson Munn, in a Dallas hospital, Saturday.

Mrs. Jessie Davis of Bogata, visited Mrs. Inez Tidwell Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Dick Hood entered the hospital at Mt. Pleasant, Sunday for treatment.

John Boyd of Kilgore, was admitted to Talco Clinic July 26 and dismissed Aug. 13.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wims of Mt. Vernon, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Reed, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wims of Mt. Vernon, were guests of Mrs. W. H. Crawford, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Burks of Gladewater, visited Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Worthington, Sunday.

Melvin Tapp and son, Mel of Ft. Worth, spent Saturday night with his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Tapp. They were enroute to Washington, D. C.

years, reports the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture.

Range conditions usually grow less favorable from July to August in Texas, but this year they got substantially better.

Though some areas of the state were reported very dry, 85 per cent was rated 12 points above the 10-year average.

**SHORT SNORTS**—Parents of children who will enter school for the first time this fall are urged to get the children's birth certificates immediately. State Health Department noted that requests pile up at school opening time and can delay the child's entrance into school. . . Texas general revenue fund went \$6,000,000 deeper into the red last month. This brought the fund's deficit up to \$59,061,860.

## Work On Business Loop to Begin by September 1st

Talco Chamber of Commerce directors and officers held their regular monthly meeting at the Snack Shop Tuesday. Talco City Directory, now being prepared, was examined and approved, with only a few ads left to be secured. The directory will be finished soon and distributed free of charge.

It was announced that John D. Wright had turned the cold drink concession stands over to the Chamber of Commerce for the 7-W Rodeo to be held August 25-26-27. Jerry Stansell, Jerry Jones and L. R. (Bill) Miller were appointed to head the groups for each night. The entire membership was divided into three groups to serve one night each. Chairman of each group will notify members time to serve.

Jerry Jones was then asked by Chamber President E. L. Miller to bring the directors and officers up to date on the business of the Loop thru town to be constructed by the Texas Highway Department. Mr. Jones reported that work would begin by the 1st of September and would take 15 days to complete. The state will do all the work and hereafter maintain. Several methods were discussed to help the City pay their part for repair and building new curbs and gutters.

The directors tabulated the director ballots and approved Lonnie Verble and Ois Swaim as new Chamber of Commerce directors to take office September 1.

## Talco Soldier In Alaska Maneuvers

Ft. Richardson, Alaska.—Army Specialist 4 Raymond E. Warren of Talco, recently participated with other personnel from Company C of the 23rd Infantry in an unprecedented march over 60 miles of untracked territory on the Kani peninsula in Alaska.

Designed to test the ability of a rifle company to operate tactically in rugged mountain and glacier country, the trek required only seven days instead of the allotted 12 days.

Warren, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond E. Warren, Talco, is regularly assigned to the company at Fort Richardson, Alaska. He entered the Army in February 1958. The 24-year-old soldier is a 1953 graduate of Talco High School and attended East Texas State College in Commerce.

## Approve Money For Cooper Dam

Public works appropriation bill carrying \$250,000 for the Cooper Dam and Reservoir moved back through the Senate Wednesday night and was passed.

The bill now goes back to House-Senate Conference to resolve differences. The \$250,000 is ticketed to finish up downstream levee work on the Sulphur project.

Negotiations for actual water in the reservoir are still continuing between local interests and the U. S. Corps of Engineers.

## OIL NEWS

Titus County—Trix-Liz (Woodbine field); Jones-O'Brien, Inc., Shreveport, No. 5 Adele Garbade 4,000-foot test 5½ miles east of Talco, 450 from north and 1,263 from west lines of James I. Smith survey. A548 Jones-O'Brien No. 6 Garbade, 4,000-foot test 433 from north and 504 from east lines of Smith survey.

Mrs. Johnny Lilly, Becky and Brenda Lewis, spent Tuesday till Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Cato Jones of Abilene and made the acquaintance of their new nephew, Gregory Cato. Mrs. W. T. Lewis returned home with her daughters after spending two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Jones.

## Two Entry Classes For Horse Show Red River Fair

Two of the most popular show events for the Red River County Fair and Livestock Exposition have been expanded with new classes for both the Horse Show and the Junior Calves Divisions. The Exposition will be held Sept. 29-Oct. 1 at the Legion Park in Clarksville.

Under the leadership of Junior Livestock Co-Chairmen Billy Sam Allen and Paul Herschler, 32 entries are expected from 4-H and FFA boys and girls thruout the county competing for ribbons, trophies, and some \$1300 in prize money.

There are 21 entries in the Fat Calves Class and 11 in the Breeding Class, bulls and heifers, a new show division for those youngsters beginning a herd.

All entries were received and weighed on June 1, with records beginning as of that date. Full records will be presented by the contestants with the entries and these will be considered in the point system of judging to be used for cash awards. Other judging factors will include: rate of gain; care, grooming and showmanship; feed conversion ratio; place in show; and pen care during exhibit. Show places, for ribbons and trophies, will be determined on appearance, finish and conformation. Weights are expected to run from 750 to 1100 pounds.

Entries will be exhibited during the entire run of the show, from Thursday through Saturday, in the Livestock Building. There will be no calves auction as many contestants will take their entries to the State Fair in Dallas the following week. A number will also be shown at the Four States Fair in Texarkana the preceding week.

Sheriff Slim Hulén, chairman of the Horse Division, has announced two entry classes for this year's show: Registered and Grade (unregistered). There will be four classes under each division: Quarter Horse, Appaloosa, Gaited, and Pony. Ribbon awards will be given winners in all classes.

The Horse Show is scheduled for Saturday afternoon in the Exposition show ring, with all entries to be shown at halter, except in the gaited horses, which will be saddled and ridden for judging.

Full details can be obtained from Sheriff Hulén, who also emphasized that registration papers must be presented at the time of the show for entries in the registered classes.

## Two Vehicles Collide at Deport

Jenks Whittle of Deport and an Oklahoma City man were involved in a car-pickup collision on Highway 271 in West Deport Sunday noon. The accident occurred at the intersection of Highway 271 and Deport-Minter F-M road near W. L. Phillely store.

It was reported both vehicles were traveling west and the Oklahoma man, driving a late model Chevrolet, attempted to pass as Whittle was making a left turn, and crashed into the pickup.

Smith Davidson and son, Jackie of Deport, passengers in the 1950 Chevrolet pickup with Whittle, suffered scratches and minor bruises. Both drivers escaped injury.

Highway Patrol investigated the accident and it was reported both drivers were fined. Whittle for no operators license and the other for passing at intersection.

Wanda Nell and Joe Edmond Humphrey of Idalou, are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Suel.

## WRIGHT'S BIG RODEO AT TALCO IS SET FOR AUGUST 25-26-27

John D. Wright's Fourth Big Rodeo will open on Thursday of next week. The three-day event, Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights, Aug. 25, 26, 27, will be staged at the 7-W Ranch, 2½ miles south of Talco on Highway 271.

Performances will get underway each evening at 8 o'clock at the rodeo arena. There will be bulldogging, Brahma bull riding, bareback riding, ladies barrel racing, wild cow milking, and a children's pig scramble.

Admission price will be \$1.00 for adults and 50 cents for children.

The show will be produced by Clyde Crenshaw of Haworth, Okla., who has a reputation of putting on good shows. He has staged the past three rodeos at Talco.

John D. Wright owns a substantial rodeo arena and grand stands, at his ranch. It is built largely of steel pipe and steel

sheeting and is the best in this area. Considerable improvements were made at the arena recently.

Attention of the reader is directed to an advertisement in this edition regarding the rodeo.

Needless to say Talco folk are pulling for a successful affair with this rodeo, and are behind it 100 per cent. They invite folk from neighboring towns to see all three of the shows. The price is very reasonable—\$1.00 for adults and 50c for children.

If the weatherman will be kind on rodeo dates, Talco should have a successful affair of its big rodeo.

Talco Chamber of Commerce will sponsor a horse parade at 4:00 p. m. on Thursday, August 25th to help kick-off the fourth 7-W Rodeo to be held August 25-26-27. Everyone is invited to saddle up and assemble at the City Hall in Talco at 3:30 for this parade. Manager Jerry Stansell and J. O. Blakley are in charge.

## Reminds Farmers Child-Labor Law

Farmers who hire workers for harvesting fall crops are reminded that the Federal Fair Labor Standards Act sets a 16-year age minimum for the employment of children in agriculture during school hours.

The reminder came from Regional Director William J. Rogers of the U. S. Department of Labor's Wage and Hour and Public Contracts Divisions, Dallas, the agency which administers this law.

"Today and in the foreseeable future, the need for youngsters to meet even higher educational standards is beyond question," he said. "The child's chance for success in later years can depend on whether he enrolls in school this fall."

Mr. Rogers pointed out that children may lawfully work on farms before and after school hours or on week ends, but that their place is in the classroom when school is in session in the school district where the child is currently living.

"The law protects the children of migratory workers as well as local children," he said. "The only exception to the law is the child working exclusively for his parents or guardian."

An age certificate showing that the youngster is at least 16 is the best protection the farmer can have against inadvertent violation. In Texas, these certificates are available, as a public service, from local Texas Employment Commission offices.

He added that the Federal

## Bogata Mexican Is Fatally Shot

A Bogata Negro who fired at what he thought was "some kind of animal" in a ditch near his home in the pre-dawn hours Wednesday will face charges for fatally shooting his Mexican neighbor.

Dead is 54-year-old Jose Ortiz, a Mexican handyman who had lived in the Bogata area for several years.

In Red River County Jail awaiting charges is a 36-year-old Negro who lived next door.

The dead man formerly had worked for the Paris and Mt. Pleasant Railroad, living at Talco, but had worked around Bogata for several years. Officers were attempting to locate a brother who formerly lived at Blue Island, Ill. They were also checking the story, however that Jose Ortiz may not have been the Mexican's real name, that he was not a naturalized citizen and had come to Texas as a lad of 15. This complicated the search for relatives.

Charges are pending against the Negro, and officers said the Grand Jury would have to decide the future of the case.

child-labor law applies to farmers who engage in interstate commerce or ship their products in interstate commerce, either directly or to firms who ship them across State lines in their original form or as an ingredient of another product.

Bill Thurman of Whitewright, visited friends in Talco, Tuesday.

SADDLE UP! EVERYONE INVITED!

## Horse Parade

THURSDAY, AUGUST 25th

4:00 p. m.

Sponsored by Talco Chamber of Commerce

## ALL COWBOYS & COWGIRLS

Assemble at the Talco City Hall at 3:30 p. m.

For the Parade

Kick-Off For the Fourth Big

## 7-W RODEO

AUGUST 25 - 26 - 27

2½ MILES SOUTH OF TALCO ON HIGHWAY 271

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**INVARIABLY IN ADVANCE**

THIS NEWSPAPER is in the advertising business, but we admit there is no better advertisement for a town than freshly-painted homes, well-kept lawns, beautiful flowers and parks and a clean, neat appearance. Sometimes we are too busy to bother with appearances and neglect our own premises. We repeat, we think it pays big dividends and is the best thing we know to attract new residents and industry as well as make a happier and more pleasant place to live. A drive over town will disclose many beautiful lawns here and many more being cultivated. To give credit where credit is due, we also admit the ladies of the community with their green thumbs and sense of pride and vanity are responsible for most of these improvements.

### The Old Timer

"The people who tell you never to let little things worry you have never tried sleeping with a mosquito in the room."

### Pleasant Drive-In Theatre

MT. PLEASANT

FRIDAY - SATURDAY  
"Because They're Young"  
Dick Clark  
plus  
"3:10 to Yuma"  
Glenn Ford - Van Heflin  
Felicia Farr

SUNDAY - MONDAY  
"Visit to a Small Planet"  
Jerry Lewis

TUESDAY  
WEDNESDAY - THURSDAY  
"And God Created Woman"  
Brigitte Bardot  
Plus  
"The Night Heaven Fell"  
Brigitte Bardot  
Stephen Boyd

## WANT ADS

Rates: 3 cents per word first insertion; 2 cents per word each additional insertion. No ad accepted for less than 50 cents per issue. Terms cash unless you are a regular advertiser in this newspaper.

**NEW ADMIRAL 23"** television, only \$239.95. Bogata Lumber Co. d30b46t29c

**NEW Admiral 11 cu. ft.** chest-type freezer, \$219.95. Bogata Lumber Co. d30b46t29c

**VENETIAN Blind Repair.** Re-tape average two-tape blind for \$1.50. Phone ME 2-5780, Bogata. d30b46t29p

**ONE Week only! 20% off on 4-burner Grand gas range.** Reg. \$139.95, now \$111.96. Bogata Lumber Co. d30b46t29c

**BALING NOW—Johnson, Bernuda, Prairie.** See Mrs. S. A. Tidwell, Talco or H. H. Milam, NW of Deport. t-ffc

**SEE Our Barwick carpet samples** before you buy. You get newer carpet and a better selection. Bogata Lumber Co. d30b46t29c

**SEE US for all your decorating** needs: Wallpaper, canvas, enamel paint, carpets, linoleum, tile, etc. One stop, does all at Bogata Lumber Co. d30b46t29c

**FOR SALE — 63 a. good pasture** land, one-half open; plenty water; good barn and new 4-wire fence. Near Bogata. Bogata Realty, ME 2-5621. t-ffc

**LOST — Black, tan and white** male Beagle dog; red collar. Last seen near Carl Hall farm. Reward. Notify T. S. Ray, 1318 South Lide St., Mt. Pleasant 29c

**EASY automatic washing machine.** The only automatic on the market with a guarantee on the transmission for the life of the machine. See them at Bogata Lumber Co. d30b46t29c

**FOR SALE — 85 a. good bottom** land; 65 a. open, 20 a. woods. Good hogwire fence, barn and corral, on oil road; electricity, plenty water; heavy sand and black land; no minerals. East of Talco. Bogata Realty, ME 2-5621. t-ffc

**\$400 MONTHLY SPARE TIME** Refilling and collecting money from New Type high quality coin operated dispensers in this area. No Selling. To qualify you must have car, references, \$600 to \$1900 cash. Seven to twelve hours weekly can net up to \$400 monthly. More full time. For personal interview write P. O. Box 1055, Boise, Idaho. Include phone number. d29b45t23-p

### EDITORIALLY SPEAKING

BURT LOCKHART  
in Pittsburg Gazette

Only the guy with money to burn can afford a hot time.

People would not object so much to taxes if they were painless.

Income taxes are so high a man can not afford to become a millionaire.

See America first. The rest of the world is messy to see at this time.

The most useless thing in the world is a dollar that is out of circulation.

It is no news that Russia does not approve either of the nominees for President.

Nobody expects to see that heavenly day when there will be no taxes. To remove taxes would mean the removal of all the "gimmie" programs of the government. The best that can be hoped for is for Congress to see that taxes do not go higher, which may be considered a forlorn hope.

## WILKINSON

By MRS MORRIS BLALOCK  
Visitors in the A. T. Blalock home Tuesday were Mrs. Hugh Crooks and daughter, Angie Ruth of Midway. Mrs. Marion Bell and Mr. and Mrs. Al Sonnier of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Romus Burgin of Talco, were supper guests.

Mrs. D. E. Ricks and son, Don, and grandson of Ft. Worth, spent a few days this week with her father, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Blalock and visited other relatives in the community.

Mrs. William Bell and daughters and Mrs. Earl Fomby of Mt. Pleasant, visited in the A. T. Blalock home Wednesday.

Mrs. Morris Deaton of Mt. Pleasant and nephew, Dickie Bob Crooks of Midway, visited Mrs. Deaton's parents and Dickie Bob's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bragg, Thursday. They also visited in the A. T. Blalock home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock were Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Blalock and boys in Mt. Pleasant.

Velma Joe Franks is spending three weeks with her aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Lowry Gaddis at Dallas. Mrs. C. C. Blalock and daughter of Snyder, visited Mr. and Mrs. James Blalock over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Garland Mantooth of Irving, visited Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Moles and sons, Sunday. Shirley returned home with them after a week's visit. Becky Preddy remained another week.

Visitors in the Morris Blalock home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Dason and son, Jerrell and Mrs. Blalock's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wilson of Hooks. Mr. and Mrs. Romus Burgin of Mt. Pleasant, visited in the A. T. Blalock home, Saturday.

Mrs. Alvin Blalock and Mrs. Morris Blalock were at Argo Thursday night for church services.

Rev. and Mrs. Leo Massie and children of Henderson, spent Friday and Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Morris Blalock. Rev. Massie will hold a revival at the Baptist church this week. Everyone is invited to attend these services.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Aliston and children of Dallas, were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Thompson, formerly of this county, now of Dallas, announce the arrival of a son August 7. Both mother and baby are doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Belcher and children of Dallas, were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Moody Belcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Taylor and children of Cookville, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Taylor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Haren.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dyke and little grandson, Stevie, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Dyke and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Robinson of Mt. Pleasant, were guests Saturday night of Mrs. Robinson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Dyke.

Rev. and Mrs. Leo Massie of Henderson, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Phillips. Mrs. Loyd Haren and son, Lydon, Mrs. Sally Haren, Mrs. Alvin Blalock and Mrs. Morris Blalock were in Mt. Pleasant Thursday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Haren and son, Lydon, recently visited relatives in Commerce and Dallas.

There wouldn't be room at the top if everybody could get there on an escalator.

When it comes to making whoopee we must hand the prize to a political convention.

Some men give their wives credit for their success, but are careful to have the bank account in their own name.

The bombs that fell on Hiroshima 15 years ago killed 78,000 people, which is a terrifying reminder of what could now happen to any nation with the use of weapons now far more deadly than the bombs that hit Japan.

## TEN AND TWENTY YEARS AGO

Condensed from Back Files of The Talco Times for Dates Indicated

### Week of August 18, 1950

Titus County Fair and Dairy Show had been cancelled because of an outbreak of anthrax in parts of East Texas.

Deaths: Mrs. R. T. Wilkinson, wife of former District Judge R. T. Wilkinson Sr. of Mt. Vernon; Mrs. S. J. Hawk of the Needmore community.

Marriages: Rovee Holloway and Patsy Barrett; L. Ren Reed and Beatrice Maethett.

Three Talco teachers had resigned: Clyde Isaacs, science teacher, would go to Corpus Christi; Claris Mable Kennedy, married; Arthur Johnson to Panola Junior College.

Mrs. Myrtle Johnson, Talco school librarian, had resigned and would work in Kilgore High School. Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Crowston of Hagansport, had lost their home and most of its contents by fire.

### Week of August 16, 1940

Funeral services had been held for Thomas Hays, 69, who died at his home at Mt. Pleasant. Charley Clevenger had fallen off a wagon, breaking several ribs.

A son, weighing 8 lbs., and named Emilio, had been born to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Perry.

Levi Boyles of Gladewater, had been assessed a two year sentence in connection with a harness theft ring operating in Red River and Lamar Counties.

Final census figures for Titus County for 1940 were 19,226; 1930 figures were 16,003.

Talco merchants had sponsored a watermelon slicing in the Earl Lide building. Talco string band furnished music for the evening.

A daughter had been born to Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Honeycutt.

### Bridal Shower For Martha Easterling

Thursday night Calvary Baptist Church was the scene of a bridal shower honoring Miss Martha Easterling, bride-elect of Bill Walls of Mt. Pleasant. Ten hostesses entertained in the Fellowship Hall from 7:30 until 9:30. Hostesses were Mmes. Bill Miller, Clarence Leake, Herbert Kelley, Cecil Tanner, Kenneth Westbrook, M. J. Davis, A. C. Newsome, J. W. Via, John H. Weatherall and Eugene Hargrove.

The hostesses presented the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Lank Easterling and the groom's mother, Mrs. W. C. Walls, with corsages of white carnations. Miss Shirley Whitney presided at the register table which was covered with a white organdy cloth over blue, centered with an arrangement of white flowers.

Miss Tommy Jean Caloway presided at the punch bowl and served frosted punch and Miss Shirley Whitney served white cake squares, decorated with blue rosebuds. Background music was played by Miss Barbara Mankins, pianist. The refreshment table, laid with a white organdy cloth over blue, was appointed with crystal. The centerpiece was fashioned of a large blue and white net heart with crystal wedding bells and lilies of the valley.

Many beautiful and useful gifts were received by the honoree. Out of town guests were Mmes. W. C. Walls, Roy Scott Bill Scott, Billy Gene Lyles, Miss Bessie Scott and Miss Essie Scott, all of Mt. Pleasant and Mrs. Ray Kelley of Garland.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Worthington, Lugene and Belinda Jo of Shreveport, La., spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Worthington. Gene returned home Sunday. Mrs. Worthington and children remained for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dodd of Commerce and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Justiss of Daingerfield, visited their daughter and son, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Webb and children, Tuesday. Janie Webb returned home with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Justiss for a week's visit.

### MONA WRIGHT IS BIRTHDAY HONOREE

Mona Wright's fourth birthday was observed with a fish fry given by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Wright August 10, at the Wright's 7-W rodeo arena, the group afterward attending the rodeo opening night in Paris. Attending besides the Wright family were Lyndon Reed and family, J. C. McGonagill and family, Mrs. Monie Hargrove and daughter, Patsy of Mt. Pleasant, and Miss Mary Ann Brown.

Times Want Ads Pay.

### Additional Locals

Rev. James Schafer will preach at the Macedonia Baptist Church at Pittsburg Tuesday night at the Workers meeting. Rev. Forest Rodgers is the pastor and Rev. Robert Evans, moderator.

Those from out of town attending the funeral of Miss Kate Moore Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. Amos Wilson of Bogata, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Moore of Texarkana, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Miller of Pittsburg and Miss Alma Cornelius of Chicago.

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## Nila Lee Smith Weds Jimmy Sloan

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smith of Talco, announce the marriage of their daughter, Nila Lee, to Jimmy Sloan, August 6 at Hugo, Okla. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sloan of Talco, a graduate of Talco High School and attended Paris Junior College two years. The bride will be a senior in Talco High School for the 1960-61 term. They are residing in Talco.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Neely's latest report Sunday night from grandson, Stevie Simpson, at the Galveston hospital, was that he is improving but would not be dismissed for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Zack Henley and two children of Dallas, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Henley. His sisters, Carolyn and Gayle, returned home with them for a two weeks visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kennedy visited her mother, Mr. and Mrs. Pargett of St. Jo. They also visited his father, Hugh Kennedy of Dalby Springs, over the week end. Mary Ann Kennedy returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Johnson and son, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bob Johnson, all of Dallas, spent the week with their parents a grandparent. Mr. and Mrs. Bob McClung and Mrs. Johnson's sister, Mrs. Nadine Caldwell and Gayla.

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# LOCAL NEWS

**MRS. NORA WILLIAMS**  
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Mrs. Betty Barger was in a Mt. Pleasant hospital suffering from pneumonia the past week.

Mrs. Edith Stamps of Dallas, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Olen Williams for the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Lewis went to Maud Monday to visit relatives and Mike returned home.

Mrs. D. J. Smelley returned home Monday from a two weeks stay with her mother, Mrs. L. W. Hendon, who is ill.

Mrs. Maud Leftwich of Talco, visited her sister, Mrs. Ethel Whitten in Bogata the past week.

Vernon Smith of Dallas, spent the week end at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Smith.

Mrs. Luther Gieger visited her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Van Cato at Clarksville, Sunday.

Miss Marjorie Richardson spent Friday till Monday with her sister, Barbara Richardson at Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Whitley of Fontana, Calif., visited Mr. and Mrs. Leon Gable and girls Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Pittman's son, Jerry, was admitted to Talco Clinic Monday for medical care.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Williams of Houston, spent Saturday night with Mrs. Nora Williams and Wanda.

Andy Morris spent the week with his aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Thompson and Gary at Sulphur Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Hughlin Griffin of Clarksville, visited Mrs. J. R. Lee and other friends in Talco, Saturday.

Clyde Holder visited his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Holder Jr. at Marshall, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dickerson of Clifton, are moving to Talco and will reside in the Elton Belcher house.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Pittman of Maple Springs, spent Sunday with their son, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Pittman.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Foster and Linda visited their daughter, Miss Becky Foster at Arlington, over the week end.

Mrs. James Cain and three children of Garland, visited her mother, Mrs. Nora Williams, and Wanda, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Sanders, Mrs. Georgia Sullivan of Mt. Pleasant visited Mr. and Mrs. George Keeling, Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Guess of Bogata, is spending the week with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Whitten and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Gandy spent Friday night with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Cap Gandy of Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rhodes of Dallas, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bennett and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Perkins and daughter, Gretta of Sulphur Springs, visited Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Whitten and boys, Sunday.

Balen Kay Thompson of Sulphur Springs, spent the week with Mr. and Mrs. Hershell Kelley Jr. and children.

Mrs. Eill Woods and daughter, Tina of Longview, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Williams.

Mrs. C. B. Presley, Patsy, Ronnie and Cecil spent Thursday and Friday with her mother Mrs. C. W. Hedges of Kilgore.

Mrs. Edgar Stubblefield of Hawkins and Mrs. Alfred Flanagan of Mt. Pleasant, visited Mrs. R. T. Fuller, Monday.

Mrs. Chas. Parson, Mrs. Charlie Russell and Mrs. Shelby Barger were patients in the hospital at Mt. Pleasant, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Doris Shelton and children of Denton, visited his aunt, Mrs. Inez Tidwell, and Miss Alice Ruth, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cullie Bradley of Irving and Ben Bradley of Mt. Pleasant, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Welch, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ansell Medlin of DeQueen, Ark., formerly of Riverside, Calif., visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Primm, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith, Don, Jon and Remona left Monday for a week's vacation in Baton Rouge, La. and Tennessee.

David and Donald Watkins of White Oak, are spending the week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Neely.

Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Hendrix and son, Mike of Longview, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Hendrix.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Petty and granddaughter, Rosemary of Lufkin, spent the past week with his sister, Mrs. Lucy Walls.

Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Wilson of Galveston, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Gentry of Sulphur Springs, visited relatives in Talco, Friday.

Mrs. Elbert Cates of Foulk, Ark., and Mrs. Georgia Sullivan of Mt. Pleasant, visited Mr. and Mrs. George Keeling, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Rogers and son, Robbie returned home Sunday from a 14-day visit with their relatives at Magnolia, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Hahn, Debbie and Becky of Freer, are spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Belcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Williams, Kerry and Bill spent the week end with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Williams, at Garland.

Mrs. Pearl Ard of Mt. Pleasant, and James Ard of Jackson, Miss., spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Elton Welch and Mrs. Pearl Hays.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wilhite and daughter, Sandy of Daingerfield, spent Friday with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Case, Judy and Bruce.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smith visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Mankins and brothers, Leston and Preston of Mt. Pleasant, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Nix and Johnny Wright of Daingerfield, visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Case, Judy and Bruce, Thursday.

Mrs. W. S. Richardson and daughter, Marjorie, visited Mrs. Richardson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Robinson of Overton, the past week.

Mrs. Ernest Smith and Mrs. Howard Morris attended a bridal shower for Mrs. Morris' sister, Mrs. Manuel Driggers of Mt. Pleasant, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Fuller visited Mrs. Dick Hood, Mrs. C. H. Parsons, Mrs. Charlie Russell in Memorial Hospital at Mt. Pleasant, Tuesday night.

Major and Mrs. J. A. Perrone and daughter, Peggy of Rantoul, Ill., visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Richardson, Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lewis returned home Thursday night after spending two weeks with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Palmer of Hodges, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Welch, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Sikes and Diane visited Marshall Sikes' father in the hospital at Mt. Pleasant, Thursday night.

Barry Hopwood of Texarkana, spent the week with his grandmother, Mrs. O. B. Hopwood and great-grandmother, Mrs. F. A. Jones Sr. Wendy Hopwood of Texarkana, spent Tuesday till Friday with her grandmother and great-grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Williams and Sharron visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Tunnell and her mother, Mrs. Edith Stamps in Dallas over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bradley of Mt. Pleasant and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bradley of Irving, visited Mr. and Mrs. Elton Welch and Mrs. Pearl Hays, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Ney Blackburn visited in Little Rock and Hot Springs, Ark., the diamond mine at Murfreesboro, Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Neely received word Wednesday their grandson, Stevie Simpson, was doing fine, but their son-in-law, Bill Watkins is ill at Galveston.

Mrs. D. J. Smelley, Rev. J. A. Haley, Mrs. H. F. Teague, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Luttrell attended Workers conference at East New Hope Baptist Church, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurel Goodloe and Larry of Irving, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. O. S. Goodloe. Larry remained for a week's visit with his grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Lightsey and daughter, Mrs. Leon Barger, Kerry, Pamela and Blane of Richardson, attended the Brasell reunion at Seymour, Friday till Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed Perdue and daughter, Cecilia of Natchez, Miss., visited his mother, Mrs. W. A. Perdue and Billy and his sister Mr. and Mrs. Jack Winn, the past week.

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Mrs. Bill Via and Bobby Fitch are spending the week with Mrs. Naomi Fitch at the home of her sister, Mrs. John Cromer of Hartford, Ind. Mrs. Fitch will return home with them.

Mrs. Roy Primm, Mrs. Nora Williams and Wanda spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Williams and children of Arlington on Ben Brook Lake, west of Ft. Worth.

Mrs. Alvin Arnold of Green Hill and her granddaughters, Martha and Marie Arnold of Dallas, visited Mrs. W. H. Crawford, Mrs. Lorena McFerrin and Mrs. Lec Kron, Tuesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Leake of Ft. Worth, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Leake and Terry of Wilkinson and his grandmother, Mrs. Maud Leftwich of Talco.

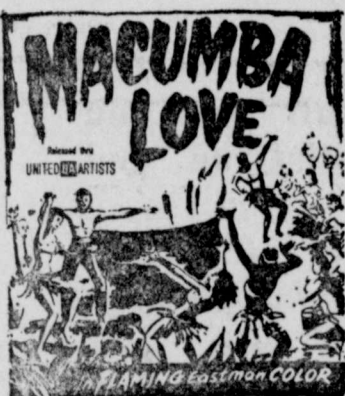
Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Lewis visited Mr. and Mrs. Gene Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Holiday Hayley and Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Berryman, all of Tyler, Thursday thru Saturday. Bill Howard returned home with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis to spend the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Stephenson announce the arrival of a son on Aug. 14 at a hospital at Pittsburg. He weighed 8 lbs. 12 ozs. and has been named Rocky Leon. Grandmother is Mrs. Dean Graf of Maple Springs and great-grandmother, Mrs. Ora Stephenson of Talco.

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## ALCORN AFRAID SESSION BEFORE ELECTION WILL RUIN POLITICS

Editor's note: Achin Alcorn, philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Sulphur, probably is unnecessarily concerned about the current session of Congress, his letter this week indicates, but that's his worry.

Dear Editor: I don't know how it happened and I hope it never happens again, but this idea of a session of Congress before an election, instead of afterwards, has me worried.

What I'm afraid of is it will destroy one of the most cherished things in American political life, from the precinct level to Washington, namely, PROMISES.

Next to a handshake, I guess a promise has been the strongest weapon a man could have when he's running for office, although this doesn't mean a wife and kids don't help too, and I'll never understand how both parties managed to get in a position like they are now where they have a chance to deliver on their promises before the election. It seems to me it's undermining the entire system of politics.

In the first place, a promise should be dangled in front of a man longer than from July to August of the same year. How

much fun would kids get out of Christmas if they didn't start wishing till Christmas eve?

A man lives on promises, at least us farmers do. Pick out any year you want to, and if the average farmer hadn't thought the next one wasn't gonna be better than that one, you wouldn't have much farm population left, or any crops.

The same is true of politics. The very least a voter can do is enjoy a set of promises from convention time in the summer to legislating time along in early spring of the next year, but this idea of promising in July and dashing hopes in August, takes all the fun out of life. If a man can't dream of a better life, of more aid and fewer taxes, longer than two or three weeks, reality will get him down and politics will begin to lose its appeal. It's the craziest thing I ever heard of, trying to deliver on a set of promises before the people have a chance to vote on you. Let's get back to the old system.

Both parties have promised to help the farmer, but if they're wise they'll wait till the planting's all done next spring before they tackle the job.

## Jones To Coach At College of Ozarks

Don W. Jones, formerly basketball coach at Mt. Vernon High School, has resigned from a position on the Sherman High School coaching staff to accept the position of assistant professor of Physical Education, head basketball coach and backfield coach at College of the Ozarks, a senior college located at Clarksville, Ark.

After graduating from Stephen F. Austin College in Nacogdoches, Jones was employed by the Mt. Vernon school system. During the four years he coached there, Coach Jones won two junior high basketball district championships, one high school basketball district championship, one bi-district championship and advanced to the regional playoffs. His tennis team won district two years and advanced to regional. His record for the past four years has been 97 wins and 34 losses. For the 1959-60 season his record was 28 wins and 7 losses.

Jones is a native of Paris, Mrs. Jones is the former Miss Nancy Nell Alsobrook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Doug Alsobrook of Rugby. The Jones and their 11-month-old son, Mike, will move to Clarksville, Ark., next week.

## Dog Lodged In Hole Four Days Rescued

A wolf hound belonging to Don Norrell of Minter, chased a wolf in a hole near Milton Wednesday night. The dog went in after the wolf and became lodged. It remained in the hole until Sunday, when Norrell, Russell Whitney of Minter, and Holland Bell, Tully Temple, Donald Smith and Buster Watson rescued the hound by digging into the hole. The wolf was dead but the dog came out alive—very thirsty and hungry.

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Robert Taylor  
Anne Aubrey

COMING SOON  
"My Dog Buddy"

## JOHNTOWN

By MRS. G. A. VAUGHAN

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dryden of Longview, visited his aunt, Mrs. Irene Pew, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Allums and daughter of Mesquite, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Watts over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pirtle and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pirtle left Monday for Mt. Ida, Ark., for a week of vacation and fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Vaughan returned home Friday after a week in Eden, visiting their son, Kenneth Vaughan, Mrs. Vaughan, Marcella and Kenny.

Jerry Faulkner of Talco, a young minister, will preach at the Baptist Church Saturday night, August 20th.

Robert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Williams, who has been ill at his home, is reported up and around again.

Visitors of Mrs. M. A. Watts and children over the week end included the husband and father, M. A. Watts, employed in Lafayette, La., J. O. (Boots) Cooper of Texarkana, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Wagoner and three daughters of Sunnyvale, Calif. Mrs. Wagoner will be remembered here as Miss Joyce Watts.

Mr. and Mrs. Avret L. Vaughan of Bay City, and Mary Ann Vaughan, who had been visiting there, arrived Monday for a visit until Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cicero Rhodes of Hugo, Okla., visited his brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rhodes and Mr. and Mrs. Francis Foster and Fred Foster, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Mauldin of Galena Park, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wicks and daughters, Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Tate of Gainesville, visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. L. Wicks recently, fell at her home since her visit here and painfully cut her leg. Twenty stitches were required to close the wound, as reported by Mrs. Wicks.

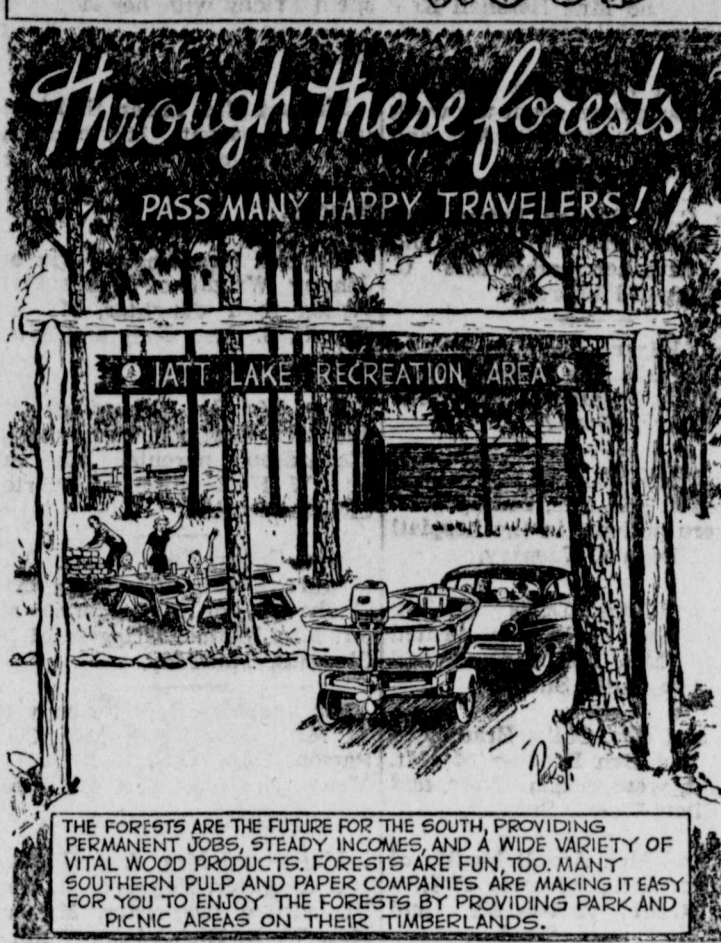
Mrs. D. A. Baxter visited her brother, J. C. Vaughan and Mrs. Vaughan of Bogata, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lowry and Janie returned home after a week in Arkansas, fishing. Mr. and Mrs. Jess Morris and children, formerly of Nacogdoches, arrived Saturday to make their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Gladys Belcher of Bogata, moved Monday to the M. H. Dryden property, formerly occupied by Billy English and family.

Mrs. Vivian Westbrook and her mother, Mrs. T. W. Smith of Tal-

## THE WORLD OF WOOD



## NO MORE MEMBERS WANTED

Oil had been struck on land owned by a church in Oklahoma, and after the church debt had been paid off it was voted that the membership. Forthwith a member of the congregation rose and said, "I make a motion that we take in no more new members."

## RAISED 'EM

The little girl was queried, "How many brothers and sisters do you have, Sue?" "Nine." "Goodness, that many children must cost a lot." "Oh, no," answered Sue. "We don't buy them. We raise them!"

co, visited Mrs. D. A. Baxter, Monday.

Relatives here received word Tuesday that Mrs. M. H. Dryden of Longview, was ill in a hospital there. Mrs. Irene Pew left immediately to attend her.

Mr. and Mrs. Avret L. Vaughan, visiting here from Bay City, spent Monday night and Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. W. C. Barnard of Bogata.

## BUDDING LOGIC

Mother was surprised when her teenage daughter announced that she was going to a movie with a certain young lady.

"But, Janie," she said, "I thought you and Edith had quarreled. How is that all of a sudden you're back together again?" "Oh, I've forgiven her. Mother," explained Janie. "But," confidentially, she added, "I don't think I could stand her if she weren't my best friend."

Only our grandfathers remember the days when congressmen voted for the best interests of the people, regardless of how it affected their political interests.

## CITY SLICKERED

The farmer who had just returned from his first trip to the big city was complaining about the high cost of moving around in the metropolis.

"Would you believe it," he marvelled, "those city fellers even have to tip the hitching posts where they park their cars."

We might forgive the TV programmers for many of their sins if only they would not break into a delightful picture long enough to shoot down half a dozen victims of wild west life.

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