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MRS. J. H. MOORE, PROMINENT DEPORT LADY, BURIED MONDAY

Mrs. J. H. Moore of Deport, 86, prominent state and national leader of church, school, club and civic affairs, passed away Friday afternoon in a Paris hospital, following a lengthy illness. She entered the hospital Wednesday night.

Funeral service was held at 10:30 a. m. Monday at Deport Presbyterian Church of which she was a member, and interment in Evergreen Cemetery in Paris. Rev. Raymond Judd of Clarksville and Rev. Meville D. Nesbitt of Central Presbyterian Church, Paris, officiated. The body lay in state an hour before the funeral at the church.

Daughter of George W. and Mary (Grant) Thompson, Mrs. Moore, nee Ollie Thompson, was born October 1, 1873 between Bagwell and Robbinsville, Red River County, Texas. She attended Robbinsville school until nearly 12 years old, then entered the Masonic Female Institute at Borham, no longer in existence, her father being a Mason, where she remained until she was 18. She received a diploma from the school and taught music at Collinsville, near Sherman, until her marriage two years later to John H. Moore on December 18, 1894. She accompanied him to Kentucky where he was a medical student at Kentucky School of Medicine at Louisville, where he graduated in 1897. The couple returned to Deport, he to practice medicine and she to teach music. Dr. Moore gave up medicine to organize the First National Bank, being president many years.

Following the death of her husband in 1926, Mrs. Moore was named to the presidency of the First National Bank in Deport, a post she held until 1954. She was a director of the institution at the time of her death.

Long active in the Presbyterian Church USA, now United Presbyterian Church of USA, she was president of the Synodical of Texas from 1943 to 1946 and a member of the board over a quarter century. Locally, she was church pianist and organist over a half century, and teacher of Sunday School classes.

A firm believer in education, Mrs. Moore devoted much time to schools and Parent-Teacher organizations. She was state president of the Texas Congress of Parent-Teachers Association from November 1947 for a three year term, ending in 1950. Mrs. Moore was chosen one of the nine outstanding women leaders in Texas in 1951 and was honored at a public dinner at Mineral Wells with then Vice-President Alben Barkley speaker. She also served as District P-TA president for three years, being named to the post in 1928 and was on the state board of the organization for 30



years. She served on the National Board PTA for three years, being a member of the Board of Endowment and Chairman of the Board of Trustees.

Mrs. Moore participated in organization of literary clubs locally and state-wide. She is a past president of Third District Federation of Women's Clubs, Deport's literary clubs, a member of the Garden Club at Paris, Paris Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma. She held an Associate of Arts degree conferred by PJC.

Mrs. Moore's interest in and knowledge of the problems of the people, especially youths of today, gave her state and national recognition. Her ability as a public speaker, wise leader and organizer was recognized and respected throughout Texas as well as her own community.

Surviving are three children, Maurice T. Moore and Mrs. John W. Sharbough, both of New York City and John H. Moore, Deport. There are five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Named pallbearers were Jim Griffin, Bob Read, Fred Swint, Claud Burks, Hardy Moore and Sam Stone of Paris.

Many relatives and friends were in Deport during the week end in the Moore home and here for the final rites. They were from Paris, Dallas, Grand Prairie, Waxahachie, Clarksville, Bogata, Mt. Pleasant, Roxton, Blossom, Detroit, Austin, and other places.

Among relatives here Monday for the rites were Mr. and Mrs. Maurice T. Moore, Michael Moore of New York City, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Sharbough of Larchmont, N. Y., M. Thompson Moore, Pebble Beach, Calif.; Eljen Moore, Austin; Willard Moore, Athens; Dick Moore, Mrs. Sam Humphrey, Ft. Worth; Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Moore, Carey Moore, Dallas; Mrs. Louise Knoohuizen, Lake Charles, La.; Mrs. Ike Moore of Bogata. A number of other relatives were here Sunday to be with the family.

Boy Scouts Plan New Program

The Executive Board of the NeTscO Trails Council, Boy Scouts of America, met at the Holiday Inn in Paris, on Thursday, Sept. 15, and planned an expansion program.

This new program calls for an intensified effort on the recruiting of manpower to serve the 3 out of 4 boys who want to be in Cub Scouting, Boy Scouting and the Explorer Program.

Frank Sherman, Organization & Extension Chairman, stated that through the "Together Plan" which will call for the organizing of several units at one time, we hope to meet the need of new units to serve boys in the districts.

R. M. "Bob" Cantrell, president, led a discussion of the plans to hold a Negro Relationship Conference at the Paris Junior College on October 13th.

The Executive Board members will be the host to Negro leaders of the 12½ county area at the dinner.

Judge A. M. Harrison, Council Advancement Chairman, gave a report on the advancement during July and August. 638 awards have been presented to the Scouts during the two month period. This is a large gain over the two months of a year ago.

Committee assignments were made on the forth-coming Annual Meeting. Tom Ewan, Daingerfield, will be the chairman.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Neugent, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kelley and children of Garland spent Saturday night at the Texarkana lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Hobby Johnson of Sims, Mrs. Katie Moore of Beard, Ark., visited Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Williams, Tuesday. Mrs. Moore remained for a longer visit.

United Fund Meet At Talco Sept. 22

The Board of Directors of the Mount Pleasant United Fund met at 10 a. m. in the Council Room of the City Hall and voted to change the name of the organization to United Fund of Titus County. The Board also asked the Talco people to elect a sub-committee and the Chairman of this sub-committee will be a member of the United Fund Board.

A meeting is set up for 10 a. m. Thursday, Sept. 22 in the Educational Building of the Methodist Church in Talco for this purpose and other business. All interested citizens in Talco are asked to attend this meeting. Free coffee and do-nuts will be served. Jim McGuire, President of the United Fund and W. N. Furey, Campaign Chairman and Patsy Slaughter, Campaign Secretary will attend this Talco meeting.

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A new billing feature is being put into operation by The Southwestern States Telephone Company. Each month customers will be sent a paper bill, a machine-punched billing card and a window envelope. On one side of the punched card appears the address of the telephone business office to which payment should be made.

Telephone company officials explain that customers will simply enclose their remittance with the punched card in the window envelope, making sure that the mailing address shows through the window. The new method will make paying telephone bills by mail much easier, predicts the company. The new billing feature was inaugurated with the company's September 11 bills.

Mrs. Opal Morris is attending ETSC at Commerce.

Talco School Ex Students Home Coming Oct. 7-8

Executive Committee of Talco Ex-Students Association met Tuesday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jones to formulate plans for Home-coming to be held on October 7-8. This is date for the Talco-White Oak football game.

It was decided the banquet will be held at the Alps Cafe on Saturday night, October 8 at 7:30 p. m. Following will be a dance at the Country Club. A program is set for Friday at 10 a. m. at the Talco School, then lunch and in the afternoon the pep rally.

All ex-students are urged to attend this annual affair. These home-comings are for ex-students to renew old acquaintances.

OIL NEWS

Application to drill — Talco Field, Gibson Drilling Co., Cato Estate Well No. 1, 2.2 acres, M. V. Delgado survey, special permit. Proposed depth 4500 feet.

Application to drill — Wildcat, Trice Production Co., State of Texas Lease 46741, 20 acres, Well No. 1, Red River-Titus County line at Sulphur River, special permit. Proposed depth 5000 feet.

Don't Tell Him We Didn't Warn You

Atlanta.—A fruit stand dealer, irritated by the steady disappearance of fruits and vegetables, put this sign over a cantelope stall: "Attention all thieves: "If you steal one, steal the biggest one because the judge will give you just as much time for stealing a little one."

Clerks said pilfering has fallen off drastically since the sign was posted.

Trojans Lose To New Daina, 12-0

Talco Trojans marked up their first loss of the season to powerful New Diana Eagles, 12-0 last Friday night before a capacity crowd for their home opener.

It was a hard fought game all the way for the Trojans, but their fine defensive play managed to hold the huge Eagles to only one touchdown each half, with both of them earned the hard way.

Dixon took the opening kickoff for the Trojans and returned it 21 yards, but after that the huge Diana line held the Trojans to just two first downs and yardage was hard to come by. Fullback Pete Dixon made the Valley Honor Roll by scampering 47 yards, after the Trojans had recovered a fumble, for Talco's longest run of the game. Line-man Johnny Mack Brown also made the Honor Roll by being a hustling tackler against the heavier Eagles.

But even in defeat, the Trojans looked real good with their fine defensive play and a hustling ball club all the way.

Dept.	Talco	New Diana
First downs	2	17
Net yds. rushing	88	216
Passing yardage	2 for 10	2 for 63
Penalties	1 for 5	1 for 5
Fumbles rec. by	3	0
Punts	6-31	2-39

The Trojans go to Liberty-Eylau Friday night, where they are hopeful of racking up another win. Many Talco fans are expected to accompany the team to give them good support.

Bogata Woman Severely Burned

Mrs. Herman Belcher of Bogata suffered severe burns on the face, right arm and right side when a radiator cap to a tractor blew off and scalded her Thursday.

Mrs. Belcher had been operating the tractor while baling hay, and started to climb upon the vehicle to check the water in the radiator when the accident occurred. She has been confined to her bed since that time.

Delta County Gin Burns Friday

Vasco Gin in the eastern part of Delta County, burned to the ground Friday night. Along with it went three bales of cotton, enough seed cotton for three more and 45 tons of seed. The gin was owned by Grover Pickering of Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Nichols of Ft. Worth, visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Jones, Sunday.

Class Officers Elected for Year Talco School

Elections of class officers were held at Talco High School this week. They are as follows:

Freshman Class
President, Jessie Lee Blalock; vice-pres., Butch Perdue; secretary, Barbara Morse; treasurer, Ronnie Nelson; reporter, Shelby Johnson. Student Council representatives are Shelby Johnson and Louise Davis. Mrs. Nadine Caldwell and Bobby Staten are class sponsors. Mrs. A. L. Rodgers is class chairman. There are 45 enrolled in the class.

Sophomore Class
Officers are: President, Larry Slaughter; vice-president, Eddy Brown; secretary, Myrna McDonough; treasurer, Johnny Mack Brown; reporter, Johnny Taylor; Student Council representatives are Carolyn Rodgers and Rodney Russell. Mrs. Sarah Parish and Bobby Cox are class sponsors. Mrs. W. S. Richardson, Mrs. Louie Bond and Mrs. Robin Slaughter Jr., are room mothers. There are 47 in the class.

Junior Class
Elected officers are: President, Wanda Hearron; vice-president, Jimmy Clemmons; secretary, Carol Jean Swaim; treasurer, LaDonna Buchanan; reporter, Kenneth Davis. Student Council representatives are Lank Easterling and Wanda Hearron. Class sponsors are Mrs. Merl Burton and M. L. Barron. Mrs. Ois Swaim is the class chairman. There are 37 in the class.

Senior Class
Named officers were: President, John Whitten; vice-president, James Via; secretary-treasurer, Dianne Cook; reporter, Susan Ryan. Student Council representatives are Johnny Gable and Evelyn McDonough. Mrs. Lucille Perkins and Mr. Whitaker are class sponsors.

Student Council
Officers are: President, Danny Perdue; vice-president, Wayne Parker; secretary, Jerry Ann Rothwell; treasurer, Mike McAfee.

Spanish Club
The Spanish Club also elected officers. They are: President, Wayne Parker; vice-president, Lonnie Verble; secretary, Susan Ryan; reporter, Sherry Sikes.

Some of the new students registering this year are Christelle Anschutz, Jo Franks, Nelda Byram, Deana Anschutz, Janell Molnar, Charles Jennings, Ronnie Logan, Henry Griffin, Edd Lum, Marshall Logan, Billy Thompson, Jesse Lee Blalock, Harold Gaines, Danny Conarroe, C. W. Fry, Sidney Barde.

Mrs. Docia Wilson of Paris, visited Mrs. Effie Kelley, Sunday.



Austin.—With all the hoopla over the national elections, many Texans may get to the polls Nov. 8 before they realize they have other important decisions to make that day.

Four proposed amendments to the Texas Constitution will be voted on at the general election. Voting to approve or reject alterations in the state's basic law is one of the most important responsibilities a vote rhas. It is the average citizen's one and only opportunity to participate directly in the lawmaking process.

Here, in brief, are the proposed amendment (in the order they will appear on the ballot) and what they would do:

Amendment One: Would authorize creation of special hospital districts in Lamar County, Hidalgo County and Commissioners Precinct 4 of Comanche County.

Approval of this amendment would not actually create these hospital districts, but would give local voters authority to do so in a local election.

Amendments such as this one, which apply only to the areas specifically mentioned, usually are passed on the grounds that they give local voters authority to take care of local affairs. Since it is permissive rather than mandatory, local voters can decide for themselves whether they want to carry it through.

Some argue against such amendments on the grounds that such details as this should not be added to an already overly-long Constitution.

Amendment Two: Would permit a rate of interest not to exceed 3% per cent on bonds issued hereafter for the benefit of the Veterans Land Fund. Present constitutional ceiling is 3 per cent.

Veterans Land Board is authorized by law to sell bonds and use the money from these sales to buy land which is re-sold to qualified Texas veterans. Law provided for the sale of \$200,000,000 in bonds but the Board has not been able to sell the last \$62,500,000 of these bonds because, in today's market, 3 per cent interest does not make them an attractive investment.

Financial experts think that raising the permitted interest rate to 3% per cent should be sufficient to make the bonds salable again.

Amendment Three: Would change the pay scale of members of the Legislature to give them

annual salaries of \$4,800 plus \$12 a day for each day in session. It would limit regular sessions to 140 days (present limit is 120 days). Lawmakers would receive \$12 a day for each day of a 140-day regular session plus \$12 a day for each day of a 30-day special called session.

At present, legislators receive no annual salary. They get \$25 a day for each day, up to 120 days, of the regular session plus \$25 a day for each day of a 30-day called session. They receive no pay in years the Legislature does not convene (such as 1960). Under this proposal, they would receive \$4,800 a year base pay whether they spent any time in session or not.

Present provisions for travel expenses would not be changed. These provide for the lawmaker to receive \$2.50 for each 25 miles of the round trip between his home and Austin once each session.

This amendment is essentially a compromise between the present arrangement and the constitutional change proposed in 1958. Last time the proposal was for annual salaries of \$7,500 and not per diem. It also provided for annual sessions which, many think, contributed to its defeat.

Proponents of the current plan say that it will make it possible for better qualified people to serve in the Legislature without having to make so much of a personal financial sacrifice to do so. Oponents argue that it will create "professional legislators." They contend that it is better for the lawmaker to have another job in private life to keep him closer to the problems of the people.

If the amendment is passed, a Texas legislator would receive for his two-year term of office minimum pay of \$9,600. In other states, the pay for a two-year term ranges from \$200 in New Hampshire to \$15,000 in New York. Average is about \$3,600.

Amendment Four: Would give the Legislature authority to classify loans and lenders, to license and regulate lenders, to define what part of the charge made on loans should be considered interest and to fix the maximum rate of interest which should be charged.

This is generally known as the "anti-loan shark" amendment and is being supported by a blue ribbon committee of citizens from over the state.

At present the Constitution provides that the maximum rate

of interest shall be 10 per cent. This is widely, almost universally, violated by the small loan industry, usually through additional charges besides the interest—"handling charges, service charges," etc.

Attorney General's department investigations have turned up cases of flagrant abuses by loan companies, making charges that totaled altogether as much as 300% of the amount loaned. On the other hand, the investigators themselves admit that a loan company making short-term, high-risk personal loans cannot stay in the black on 10 per cent.

If this amendment is passed, it will be up to the Legislature to decide what is a fair charge. Even those legislators who voted for this proposal admit they dread the prospect of having to decide what rates are fair.

HIGHWAY SLOWDOWN DUE
—Public highway work in Texas will be cut back about one-half for the months of November and December, the State Highway Department announces.

This is a seasonal drop, according to State Highway Engineer DeWitt C. Greer. Spring and summer are the "rush season" for highway work because the weather is good. They are also the months when revenue from gasoline taxes runs high.

Sale of license plates next spring will bring the annual bounce-back money to the Highway Department, and a rise in highway contract lettings is expected about the same time.

Total construction contracts for September and October are expected to hit about \$21,000,000 each month, but will probably drop to half of that for November and December.

SHORT SNORTS—Kenneth I. Kimbro has been named chief clerk under Comptroller Robert S. Calvert. He succeeds the late Gus Farrar. A. T. (Moon) Mullins, chief clerk of the General Land Office, has resigned to enter private law practice in Austin. Mullins has been with the Land Office since 1948. U. S. Dept. of Agriculture has predicted this year's Texas cotton crop at 4,425,000 bales, an increase over earlier predictions. Other crop forecasts: sorghum, 276,432,000 bushels, just short of last year's record crop; peanuts, a record yield of 313,125,000 pounds; carrots, up 6 per cent; and pinto beans, 30 per cent increase.

Lightning Strikes Utility Pole

Lightning struck a highline power pole near Rugby Tuesday about mid-morning during an electrical and rainstorm. Electric service was disrupted in towns in this area served by Community Public Service Co. The bolt which came about 9:45 a. m. set fire and burned the pole.

It required approximately an hour for CPS Co. employees to restore service to Deport, Reno, Blossom, Detroit, Bagwell, Pattonville, Fulbright, Cunningham, Minter and Milton.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Martin accompanied her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Boyd and daughter, Donna Sue to their home at New London, Saturday. Mrs. Boyd suffered a heart attack and was in Talco Clinic three weeks and spent a month with his daughter, Mrs. Martin, before returning home.

Two Sentenced For Hunting Deer

Two brothers, ages 29 and 19 years, from the Greenwood area in the northeast part of Red River County, were sentenced to 60 days in jail and fined \$200 and costs each by County Judge Gavin Watson, Jr., Saturday morning after the men pleaded guilty to charges of hunting deer illegally at night.

The offenders were arrested in the woods early Saturday morning by Game Warden Charlic Burnette. The younger man had a previous game violation on his record.

A son was born Sept. 12 to Mr. and Mrs. M. H. McLemore. He weighed 5 lbs. 2½ ozs. and has been named Kevin Hunter. Mrs. McLemore is the former Miss Janice Seay of Talco. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dan Seay of Talco and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny McLemore of Deport.



RUFFY TWINS
By FELIX JONES

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INSURANCE
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INVARIABLY IN ADVANCE

SUMMER says goodbye Thurs-
day, Sept. 22, after three months
of hot weather. As usual sum-
mer was hot, but the mercury
officially reached the 100 mark
for only one or two days. A tinge
of fall was felt last week when
temperatures dipped to 55 de-
grees.

WE CAN NO MORE make mer-
chants advertise than they can
make customers come into their
store to buy merchandise. But
we can offer a good medium for
telling the people you have some-
thing to sell in an attractive man-
ner and make them want to come
back once you get them started.

MRS. J. H. MOORE, prominent
church, school, club and civic
leader, who passed away last
week, will be long remembered
and greatly missed by everyone
who knew her. She was a good
friend; her pleasant and sincere
personality and astute sense of
humor won for her the respect
and admiration of her many
friends. Mrs. Moore spent her
life in promoting better
education, improvements in civic,
club and church work. She
always had time in her busy car-
eer for counsel and advice. She
was a valuable citizen.

MET A FELLOW on the street
this morning we had not seen in
some time. The first thing he
said was, "hey, you've got it
made, haven't you?" We thought
he was kidding and went along
with, "sure have, I'm really lay-
ing it away." He then said, "How
many more years do you have?"
We looked puzzled, so he clarified
by asking "when will you be 65?"
We got the point and answered,
"It won't be long now." Actually
we are not that old and we are
not even allowing ourselves to
think of being 65 and receiving
a pension. We think this is an
erroneous impression people get.
We don't believe there is one in
ten who really looks forward to
receiving a pension. It may be
a consoling thought to keep way
back in our minds, but we want
to forget it right now and keep
on earning money, with just en-
ough time off to go fishing.

COFFEE FOR S. S. CLASS
Mrs R. W. Prestidge entertained
the Bethany Sunday School
ladies class of Calvary Baptist
Church with a morning coffee
Tuesday. Those present were
Mrs. L. R. Lemay, Mrs. Henry
Easterling, Mrs. L. M. Gandy,
Mrs. Elmer Luttrell, Mrs. Allen
Sikes, Mrs. Buford Taylor, Mrs.
Ida Thomas, Mrs. H. F. Teague,
Mrs. O. S. Goodloe, the hostess,
Mrs. R. W. Prestidge, one visitor.
Mrs. Flora Hastings of Ventura,
Calif.

UNNECESSARY NOISE
The judge reproved a man for
making unnecessary noise in the
courtroom. The man replied,
"Your honor, I have lost my over-
coat and am trying to find it."
"Well, sir," said the judge,
"people often lose whole suits in
here without making as much
disturbance as you are making."

STAR THEATRE

TALCO

SATURDAY ONLY
"Flame Over
India"
Kenneth Moore
Lauren Bacall

SUNDAY - MONDAY
"Please Don't Eat
The Daisies"
Doris Day David Niven
Janis Page

TUESDAY & THURSDAY
"13 Fighting Men"
Grant Williams
Carole Mathews

CLOSED FRIDAYS DURING
FOOTBALL SEASON

EDITORIALLY SPEAKING

BURT LOCKHART
in Pittsburg Gazette

Many of Uncle Sam's children
are waiting until November 8 to
choose their Santa Claus.

Money is all powerful. You can
buy enough trouble with it in
five minutes to keep you in prison
the rest of your life.

Many a guy goes into the stock
market hoping to make enough
money to keep the wolf from the
door, only to find the wolf to be a
bear.

Castro blames all his troubles
on the U.S. A good look in the
mirror by the dictator will reveal
the real cause of all his present
future troubles.

The old fashioned mother who
had eight or ten children didn't
have electric switches in her
home, but she did have plenty of
the other kind.

Kruschev is coming to the Unit-
ed Nations soon on his own in-
vitation. He will not be guest of
the U. S. Government. If he is snub-
bed it will be because he is Rus-
sia's chief snubber.

The old fashioned man believed
in saving up something for a
rainy day. A large part of the
younger generation have a dif-
ferent idea. They expect the gov-
ernment to provide umbrellas.

We spend most of our time criti-
cizing the government for exces-
sive money spending, and the rest
of the time writing our congress-
man for more social security,
more highways, more school
houses, free hospitalization and
medicine.

Castro has confiscated the \$25-
million plant of Swift & Co. Cu-
bans are happy. They are getting
a heap of everything for nothing.
Castro pays for all property in
bonds redeemable in fifty years.
At the end of fifty years the
bonds may probably be worth a
dollar a bale.

Miss Nelda Jones Is Shower Honoree

Miss Nelda Ruth Jones, bride-
elect of James Charles Kelso, was
honored Saturday afternoon with
a miscellaneous gift shower in
the home of Mrs. A. L. Rodgers.
Co-hostesses were Meses. Joe
Kirl, J. T. Goodroe, Jimmie
Haynes, Jack Winn, Luther Gie-
ger, Billie Vickers, and Harold
Bonham.

Guests were greeted by Mrs.
Rodgers and Mrs. Felix Jones,
mother of the honoree. Mrs. Bon-
ham presided at the bride's book.
The registering table was decora-
ted with a white taper in a milk
glass carrying holder, a strand of
pearls, a white lace handkerchief,
and a long stem rose.

The bride's colors of red and
white were used for the refresh-
ment table. Mrs. Haynes, assist-
ed by the other hostesses, served
from a table laid with a white
madeira cloth centered with an
arrangement of American Beau-
ty roses in a lead crystal basket
bowl with two red birds nestled
in lace fern at its base. Two long
white tapers burned at either
end. Other appointments were of
crystal. Refreshments consisted
of white frosted pineapple punch,
dainty sandwiches, peppermints,
and frosted nuts.

Mrs. Vickers assisted the hon-
oree in displaying the many gifts.
Thirty-five guests registered dur-
ing the tea hours. Out of town
guests were Mrs. Fred Blackard
of Oak Grove, Mrs. Charles S.
Nichols of Fort Worth and Mrs.
Carl Wims of Bogata.

TIGER IN THE HOUSE



Silver Cloud, Dark Lining

In a period of expanding prosperity the Cautious Charlies
are always out of step. No one wants to hear that the
factors which seemingly are building prosperity may
carry within them the seeds of a future rude awakening.
In the booming twenties, with stock prices going up and
up, who would believe that the seeds of a bitter depres-
sion were being sown in inflated stock prices? During the
Florida land boom of the same era, nearly everyone
wanted to rush in and get rich—until the bubble burst.

Right now wages are at an all-time high, and most of
us never had it so good. Who wants to listen to the Cautious
Charlies worrying about foreign competition and
the outflow of investment capital? With government
funds giving more people roads and schools and houses,
who wants to be told that it means more debt and more
taxes and more inflation? Why listen to the doom cry-
ers croak about the need for tax rate reform and govern-
ment economy and moderation in wage demands?

It may be true that we never had it so good, but it would
be nice to keep it that way. Perhaps someone should
pay a little heed to the Cautious Charlies.

JUDY CASE FETED ON BIRTHDAY

Mrs. C. S. Case entertained her
daughter, Judy, with a weiner
roast for her 12th birthday on
Friday. Those enjoying the oc-
casion were Karen and Marla
Pittman, Cheryl Harton, Richard
Shaw, Ronnie and Gayla Easter-
ling, Lyndon Reed, John Mark
Haley, Mike Haynes, Sharon
Williams, Pamela Miller, Rose-
mary and Ronnie Gartman, Anna
Sue Webb, Ardy Morris, Billy
and Tommy Brock, Gloria and
Peggy Kelley, Bruce Case, Sue
Wright, Wanda Hanks, Patsy
Jones, Mrs. Elroy Brock and Mrs.
Henry Easterling.

CLASS ENTERTAINED

Fidelis Class of the Calvary
Baptist Church met for its month-
ly business and social meeting in
the home of Mrs. Joyce Martin.
Devotional on Love was given by
Mrs. Ruby Mitchell, Mrs. Martin
voiced the opening prayer. Re-
ports were read and Secret Pal
gifts were exchanged. Refresh-
ments were served to Mrs. Peggy
Hargroves, Mrs. Ganelle Case,
Mrs. Ruby Mitchell, and Mrs.
Bobbie Schoffner.

BIBLE CLASS MEETS

Friendship Bible Class of the
Calvary Baptist Church met
Thursday night in the home of
Mrs. James Gandy. Mrs. J. H.
Weatherall brought the devotion-
al. Seventeen members were
present.

METHODIST MINISTRY GROUP AT TALCO CHURCH

Red River Group Ministry
meeting was held at the First
Methodist Church in Talco Mon-
day night. The speakers were
Rev. Boyd DeVore, supt. of Sul-
phur Springs District, and Bill
Copelin, supt. of Mt. Vernon
school, who spoke on the subject
of Stewardship. The North Tex-
as Conference Methodists will be-
gin studying this subject in their
churches in October. Refresh-
ments of home-made ice cream
and cake were served by the la-
dies of the church.

TWO YEARS FOR ONE

Letter to a Boston paper: "Dear
Sir: When I subscribed a year ago
you stated that if I was not sat-
isfied at the end of the year I could
have my money back. Well, I
would like to have it back."
"On second thought, to save
you trouble, you may apply it to
my next year's subscription."

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David Brian
Plus
"His Majesty
O'Keefe"
Burt Lancaster
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Plus
"Four Fast Guns"
James Craig
Martha Vickers

SUNDAY - MONDAY
TUESDAY

"The Rat Race"
Tony Curtis
Debbie Reynolds

WEDNESDAY - THURSDAY

Gary Cooper in
"The Court Martial
Of Billy Mitchell"
Cinemascope & Warnercolor

TEN AND TWENTY YEARS AGO

Condensed from Back Files of The Bogata News for Dates Indicated

Week of September 15, 1950

Class officers at Talco school
were: Seniors—Martha Edwards,
Bob Parker, Ethel Alsbrook,
Meurline Teague, Imogene
Rhodes; Juniors—Jimmy Patter-
son, Paul Miller, Nelda Jones,
Helen Gibson, James Burgin; So-
phomores—Jerry Worden, Bobby
Martin, Joyce Wells; Freshmen—
Jack Dyess, Shirley Adcox, Wil-
lie Mae Black, Joyce Ann Rich-
son, Patsy Easterling.

Mrs. Nora Williams had given
up her work in the school cante-
ria and was visiting her daugh-
ter, Alice Williams, student in
Tyler commercial school.

Miss Bonnie Ray and Leon
Jones were wed in a ceremony
at Calvary Baptist Church in Tal-
co.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Frye cele-
brated their 22nd wedding an-
niversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob McClung
had moved into their new house
on the highway and Geiger
street.

Week of September 13 1940

Bishop Ivan Lee Holt of Dal-
las, had made the dedication talk
at Johntown Methodist Church.
Mrs. B. E. Dunagan, R. C. Walker
and L. E. Gilbert of Talco, were
on the musical program.

Talco school had an enrollment
in high school of 194 at the open-
ing on Sept. 9.

William Bishop and Betty
Frances Thomas had been mar-
ried in Paris.

Sam Paddy Jr. of the Wilkin-
son community, had undergone
an operation and was seriously
ill.

L. E. Gilbert and Miss Louise
Thompson had been married at
the First Methodist Church by
Rev. C. B. Williams.

Bill Moore, John Wise Har-
grove and F. A. Jones had gone
to San Antonio after enlisting in
the Army.

Constable Loyd Graf and Po-
liceman Elmer Cato were assist-
ing in the search for two youths
who had kidnapped and killed
George Robertson, a Lamar Coun-
ty deputy sheriff.

Week of September 22, 1950

Lightning struck the Waddell
Grocery and Mrs. Waddell re-
ceived slight shock.

Sgt. 1st class L. D. Summerlin
had been killed in action in Ko-
rea. He was the son of Mr. and
Mrs. John Summerlin, Rt. 2, Mt.
Pleasant; Cpl Wayne Cothren, son
of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Cothren of
Bogata, had been seriously wound-
ed in Korea on Sept. 5.

Marriages: Viola Hazlewood
and G. L. Stapleton; Mrs. Beatrice
Van Meter and Mack Mewborn.
Clarence Blackburn, Titus
County native, died at Keirville
Veterans Hospital.

Petitions were being circulated
in Titus County, calling for hos-
pital bond election Nov. 7.

Billy McElroy of Austin, was
having a new home erected for
his mother, Mrs. A. V. McElroy,
and his brother, Herman McElroy
in Talco.

Week of September 20, 1940

Talco school officials had an-
nounced the purchase of a mod-
ern motion picture projection ma-
chine to be installed in the audi-
torium.

Funeral services had been con-
ducted for J. E. Fry, 70, promi-
nent resident of Talco.

Talco citizens and the faculty
entertained with a bridal shower
for Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Gilbert,
both teachers in the school.

Twin daughters had been born
to Mr. and Mrs. John Smith of
the Wilkinson community.

Farris Brown had purchased
the service station owned by E.
W. Smith on the highway west of
town and was moving the build-
ing.

Officers elected for the fresh-
man class were: President Floyd
Ford; vice-pres., John Paul Jones;
secretary, W. C. Blackwell; treas-
urer, Charlene Allums; reporter,
Marjorie Howard and sergeant-
at-arms, Junior Ham.

The draft bill had been signed
by the president and the first call
date for inductees was set for
Oct. 16.

Haskel Floyd, 31, who had
burned to death in a refinery
fire at Dallas, was buried at Cut-
hand.

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee Smith of
Bogata announce the engagement
and approaching marriage of
their daughter, Martha Jo, to
Howard Duane Bryson, son of Mr.
and Mrs. Howard Edd Bryson of
Bogata. The ceremony will be
performed December 16.

KEEP ALL OF 'EM

First Citizen: "I don't think
I'll vote for any of the candidates.
I don't know any of them."
Second Citizen: "I don't know
what to do, either. I know all of
them."

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PROBABLY DONE NOTHING
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you done?"
"Me?" answered the startled
applicant. "About what?"

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Mrs. A. L. Blackburn is visiting her son, Mr. and Mrs. Ney Blackburn.

Mrs. Bobby Edge and children visited Mrs. Jessie Lovell at Bogata, Saturday.

Rev. L. R. Lemay visited Jess Shaw, seriously ill in a Tyler hospital, Monday.

Mrs. Gladys Seward of Fort Worth spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. J. R. Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bennett visited their son, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Bennett at Overton, Tuesday.

Rev. and Mrs. Walter Zimmerman attended the funeral of their nephew, at Ore City, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hill of Clarksville, visited her niece, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Butler, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Winn spent the week end with their daughter, Miss Jackie Winn of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Lilly of Dallas, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Lewis.

Miss Becky Foster of Arlington, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Lewis visited his brother, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Lewis and Mike of Atlanta, Sunday.

Mrs. Jerry Jones and son, Rusty, spent Monday with her mother, Mrs. Earl Shaddix of Dainergfield.

Miss Lena Merl Luttrell spent the week with her niece and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wildie at Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Horn of Atlanta, visited their son, Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon Horn and Patricia, Friday.

Charles Donald Easterling of Dallas, spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Easterling, and other relatives.

Pvt. Wayne Blackburn of Ft. Sill Okla., spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ney Blackburn.

Mrs. Nora Williams visited Mrs. Lillian Broughton and her mother Mrs. Jones at Saltito, Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Welch visited their son, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Welch, Patti and Dawn, of Dainergfield, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Fuller visited the past week with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Fuller and children of Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. James Meeks, Stevie and Danny of Big Sandy, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Williams.

Mrs. Stella Gauden of Leonard, spent the week with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Gauden, Carol and David Glenn.

Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Haley, Joel and John Mark, attended the picnic for all pastors and their families of the Pittsburg Association held Saturday night at the Lakeview Encampment at Pittsburg.

THE AMERICAN WAY



Nikita, Go Home!

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Bailey of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wims of Bogata, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Reed, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Luttrell visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Ritchie, Raymond and Robert in Paris, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Simmons and son, Jerry Dee of Green Hill, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Simmons, Sunday.

Mrs. Abbie Wade, Mrs. Tom Glass and Nelda of Mt. Pleasant, visited relatives at the home of Mrs. O. S. Goodloe, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Leigh and daughter, Patsy Sue of Longview, visited her brother, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. O'Keefe, Saturday.

Mrs. C. A. Bennett and two sisters spent Tuesday with their mother, Mrs. Nannie Mason at Alto, who celebrated her 89th birthday.

Mrs. Dick Hood, Mrs. Gordon Simmons, Miss Eva Fussell and Mrs. G. Gieger of Mt. Pleasant, visited in Longview, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Harrell and children of Houma, La., visited her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Combs, over the week end.

Mrs. DeWitte Demaree of Longview, spent Sunday with her sisters, Miss Mae Williams, Mrs. M. E. Jones and Mrs. A. C. Waddell.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Spruell of Oil City, La., spent Sunday with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon Reed, Lyndon Ray and Mike.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurel Goodloe, BeBeJo and Larry of Irving, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. O. S. Goodloe and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Hendrix and Mrs. D. Lightsey visited Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Blalock and children of San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Lightsey and children in Houston the past week.

Mrs. T. P. Pierce, Mrs. Fred Clemmons and grandson, Kevin, visited Mr. Clemmons' mother, Mrs. F. H. Clemmons of Mineola, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hanks of Dallas, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cogburn and Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Hanks, over the week end.

Miss Nelda Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Bailey of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wims of Bogata, visited Mr. and Mrs. Felix Jones, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kelley and children of Garland, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kelley and Mr. and Mrs. Lank Easterling.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Bragg of Dallas, Mrs. Eva and Vivian Robnett of Klondike, visited Mrs. Sallie Wages and Mrs. Thelma Jones, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Neely spent Sunday at Pittsburg hospital with their son-in-law, Bill Watkins of White Oak, who underwent surgery there Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Whitten visited Mr. and Mrs. Jess Watkins, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Whitten, Mrs. Emma Guess, Mrs. Ethel Whitten, all at Bogata, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cain, Debra, Jimmy and Michael of Garland, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Nora Williams and her sister, Wanda.

Mr. and Mrs. Cap Gandy of Henderson, visited his brother, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Gandy, Thursday. They were enroute to visit their son at Bowie.

Mr. and Mrs. Basel Boyd and children of Seymour, Mrs. Albert Harvell of Cuthand, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. V. McConnell Wednesday night and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kennedy and Mary Ann moved to St. Jo Saturday. They have been employed by Talco Well Service and Superior Iron Works and Supply Co.

Mrs. F. A. Jones Sr. celebrated her 88th birthday Thursday, Sept. 22. Her daughters, Mrs. O. B. Hopwood and Mrs. Floyd Cato of Black Oak, Ark., spent the day with her.

Foster Loveless of Corpus Christi and Corrie Loveless of Los Angeles, Calif., returned to their homes Sunday after visiting their sister, Mrs. O. S. Goodloe, the past week.

Mrs. C. B. Presley went to Dallas Friday afternoon and their daughter, Patsy, who is attending school there returned home with her mother to spend the week end.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Keeling were his sister, Mrs. Dora Richerson of Pittsburg and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Earl Richerson of Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. Dick Dixon spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. R. W. Morris of Gladewater. Dick Dixon and boys spent Sunday with his grandmother, Mrs. Dave Spencer of Pritchett.

Mrs. Olen Williams, Mrs. Vernon Williams and Mrs. Katie Moore of Bearden, Ark., visited Mrs. James Meeks and children in Big Sandy, Wednesday. Tina Woods returned home with them for a visit.

Mickey Via is attending East Central State College at Ada, Ok. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Via and son, Jimmy, Misses Jerry Ann Rothwell and Martha Lewis attended the ball game at Ada Saturday night.

Miss Wanda Williams spent Thursday night with Miss Barbara Watson and Marilyn Kirl at Commerce. Barbara returned home with Wanda to spend the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Hawthorne announce the arrival of a daughter, Sept. 19. She weighed 9 lbs. 14 oz., and has been named Tammy Ann. Grandparents are Mrs. W. A. Hawthorne of Talco and D. H. Hall of Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. D. F. Austin, Larry and Laura Lee of Bonham, visited her sister, Mrs. E. W. Smith, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Mankins and her brothers, Leston and Preston Mankins of Mt. Pleasant, over the week end.

Foster Loveless of Corpus Christi, spent Friday till Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Flora Hastings of Ventura, Calif., his brother, Corrie Loveless of Los Angeles, Calif., at the home of his sister, Mrs. O. S. Goodloe of Talco.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Smith and son, Jessie, spent the week end with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sikorski and Tommy at Bryan. They also visited Mr. Smith's mother, Mrs. Ella Smith at Fairfield. She returned home with them for a visit.

CUNNINGHAM

By MRS. CLETUS COOPER
Mrs. Harry Slusher, Mrs. E. S. Wyatt, Harold Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen, Mrs. Eugene Norwood and Mrs. C. E. Cooper attended the funeral of Gene Burns at Bogata, Tuesday.

Jesse Smith spent last week in Paris with his children, Orlon, Lloyd Smith and Mrs. Seth Itains. Several from here attended the Missionary service at Paris at the Full Gospel Church. Speakers were Rev. and Mrs. Johnny Bell, recently returned from Japan. Pictures were shown of their work in Japan.

Supt. J. E. Jones and family went to Canton Friday night to visit Mrs. Elza Cherry and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Kelso and family of Avery, spent the week end here with Mrs. Allie Rees and L. H. Taylor and family.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Ashford and children of Dallas, were here for the week end with her mother, Mrs. Allie Rees and others. Glenn Kennedy of Paris, visited his uncle, Claude Kennedy and family, Saturday.

Mrs. Otis Watson entered a Paris hospital Thursday night for treatment. She is improved.

Carl Ford Taylor of Santa Monica, Calif., was in a car wreck several days ago. His car was demolished. His injuries included several broken ribs, severe cuts and bruises, an injured knee. He was not dangerously hurt. We hope he will soon be well.

Mrs. E. S. Wyatt visited her aunt, Mrs. Fred King and Mr. King of Paris, and other relatives, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Slusher spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives in Paris.

Supt. J. E. Jones and family, Harold Bell, Mrs. E. S. Wyatt and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cooper attended Sunday night church service at Milton Rev. Jimmy Connater is the pastor.

The Eugene Norwood family and others visited Mrs. Otis Watson Sunday in the home of a sister, Mrs. Orlon Smith in Paris. Mrs. Watson is improved and had left the hospital, but staying in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Johnny Musgrove for a few days.

Mrs. Weldon Smith entered a Paris hospital Wednesday and had surgery Thursday. We hope she will soon be well again.

Mr. and Mrs. Ural Deshong spent Sunday in Talco with her sister, Mrs. Norman Sain. Mrs. Posey returned home.

There will be singing the fourth Sunday, Sept. 25, from 2 until 4 p. m. at the Methodist church. Everyone is invited.

Some farmers planned to start cotton strippers Monday, but two inches of rain fell in some places Saturday. Lightning was bad and wind blew hard. Lightning burned out C. E. Cooper's radio.

Mrs. Claud Kennedy received word Wednesday that her mother, Mrs. Emma Askins, was ill at her home in Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Kennedy of Paris, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Kennedy, Sunday.

May Posey of Talco, spent last week here with her daughter, Mrs. Ural Deshong.

Mrs. Dorothy Dean Baker and daughter, Jannie of Gregton, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Pynes.

A birthday supper was given Sept. 23 in honor of Bobby Ray Kennedy by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Kennedy.

Visiting Bill Archable were his parents from Tyler over the week end.

Lloyd Smith and family visited Jess Smith Sunday.

Hermon Clement, ill several days, is some better.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Ray Kennedy recently were her sister, Melba and her aunt from Fort Worth.

Mrs. Ida Rains, Mrs. Jordan and Mrs. Bertha Landrum visited in the home of Mrs. Lue Chance, Saturday.

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JOHNTOWN

By MRS. G. A. VAUGHAN
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Williams and two children and Mrs. D. A. Baxter visited Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Morris and children of Daphny. In the afternoon they drove to Winnsboro and other points sight-seeing.

Mrs. Lilly Cox of Oklahoma City, Okla., visited her brother, Rudy Williams and family, Saturday.

Ross Terrell of Houston, visited relatives here Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bain and John Sale.

Mrs. Jackie Watson is having some re-modeling and re-decorating done on her home north of town on Highway 271.

Mrs. John Sale and daughter, Miss Josephine, are in Dallas visiting Mr. and Mrs. Merrell Sport and children.

Mrs. T. W. Smith of Talco, visited Mrs. D. A. Baxter, Saturday. Mrs. Thelma Steelman and Mrs. Jeff Hines of Paris, visited Miss Verah Cotten and Mrs. Maggie Chesshir, Wednesday.

Mrs. Jim Davis of Talco, was in the W. A. Cotten home, Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd B. Whitby of Houston, visited her father, W. A. Cotten and her aunts, Miss Verah Cotten and Mrs. Maggie Chesshir, recently.

Mrs. John Hervey visited Mr. and Mrs. Carleton Spence in Naples, Saturday and Sunday. She was accompanied home by her niece, Mrs. Jimmie Burk and Mr. Burk, who after visiting in Naples were enroute to their home in Dallas.

Visitors of Mrs. Irene Pew, Saturday and Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hood and daughter, Mrs. Jimmie Huckabee and two children, Kay and Eddie of Lorenzo, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Dryden and daughter, Mrs. Fred Stahl, Mr. Stahl and baby, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hawkins and Cheryl of Longview, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ward of Bogata and Mrs. J. E. Thomas and baby of Ardmore, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hawkins and Cheryl of Longview, spent Saturday night with her sister, Mrs. M. J. Dodd and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Couch of Bogata, were Sunday visitors in the M. J. Dodd home.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Thomas and children of Ardmore, Okla., visited in the G. A. Vaughan home from Friday to Sunday. They also visited his mother, Mrs. Gladys Thomas, a patient in Paris sanitarium.

Paul Williams of Bogata completed the kitchen cabinet in the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Williams that's nearing completion here, Saturday.

Mrs. Lila Pirtle accompanied Mrs. Billie Pirtle of Bogata to Mt. Pleasant and Talco, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Pirtle and Vance of Longview, spent the week end here. Her father, R. L. Smith, who spent the past week in Longview, returned home.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Watts and Mrs. J. A. Watts over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Allums and daughter of Mesquite and Mr. and Mrs. James L. Watts of Greggton.

Mrs. L. F. Fail accompanied Mrs. Travis Watts to Mt. Pleasant Monday, where she received dental attention.

Burl Duffie received painful burns on his arm and face Sunday when a radiator cap blew off and threw steam on his arm and face.

Mrs. W. R. Bain was a business visitor in Paris, Friday.

Out of town visitors at the Baptist Church Sunday included Rev. Will Allen of Mt. Pleasant, W. P. Hood and his granddaughter, Kay Huckabee of Lorenzo.

Rev. Garnet Walker of Mt. Pleasant, will preach at the Baptist Church here Sunday, Sept. 25. Sunday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Baxter were Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Morris and children of Daphny, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Vaughan of Bogata and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Williams and children of Johtown.

George Brumley of Ft. Sill, Ok., spent the week end with his grandmother, Mrs. Bob Condra and Mr. Condra. Other relatives visiting Sunday were Mrs. Britt Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Kelso of Bogata, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Elliott of Lawton, Ok.

Mrs. Jim Pirtle has been attending her mother, Mrs. Emma

Alcorn Claims New Law On Disc Jockeys Offers Little Public Relief

Editor's note: Alcorn Alcorn, philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Sulphur, discusses popular music this week. We guess that what he's doing.

Dear Editor: With the world fraught with danger, I feel sort of guilty thinking about something frivolous, but if Congress can do it, I guess I can too.

What I'm talking about is a new bill passed by the last session of Congress and just signed by President Eisenhower making it against the federal law for a radio disc jockey to accept undercover pay to play a phonograph record over the air.

When I first read this article hurriedly, I thought it meant it was now against the law to play some of these so-called popular records over the air and I thought well, now, Congress is making progress, but when I read it closely I discovered it's still perfectly all right to play the things, just so the record-maker or the song-writer or the publishing

company doesn't pay you something extra to do it.

This is not what I call progress. I didn't think the crime was in taking money for playing them, I thought the crime was in playing them in the first place, but that's not the way Congress voted. You can still get off scott-free for playing them, provided you do it for nothing.

Congress missed the boat. What it needs is a bill making it against the law to put a nickel in a juke box if what's going to come out comes out, if you follow me. On the radio, you can turn the thing off while the guitar player hollers for his lost love, but in a cafe, you're stuck.

On the other hand, a lot of people must like these records, and who am I to disagree with them? I don't know any more about music than I do foreign affairs. All I know is that if I was a disc jockey, I'd sure want some extra money to play some of that music over and over, day after day.

Yours faithfully, A. A.

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- Mrs. W. H. Crawford
- Talco School Library
- Wright Patman
- Mrs. Ray Womack
- Larry Price
- J. S. Temples
- F. C. Milner
- L. G. O'Shields
- Mrs. A. O. Brown
- J. R. Fox

Askins, ill at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Willie Cotten at Mt. Pleasant. Other children called to her bedside over the week end were Wesley Askins of Cisco, Wade Askins and Mrs. Hettie Tiz of Irving, Mrs. Claude Kennedy of Cunningham, Mrs. Lauda Kidd of Phoenix, Ariz. Her condition is unimproved.

LOCAL NEWS ABOUT BOGATA

Richard Dozier of Dallas, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Dozier, Sunday.

Mrs. Morris Floyd Trimm is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Akars at Midland.

Amos Wilson, Jack Couch and Polk Alsbrook were on jury duty in Clarksville last week.

W. C. Barnard was here from Dallas, where he is employed, for the week end with Mrs. Barnard.

A Monday visitor of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Stubblefield was his sister, Mrs. E. H. Stark of Paris.

Miss Edie Forester and Mrs. Mon Ward visited Mr. and Mrs. Recie Gastos at Idabel, Ok., Saturday.

Mrs. T. T. Kinsey has moved from the garage apartment on her property to her house at 107 Third street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ocie Barnard spent the week end at Lake Texoma, where they were joined by friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Head of Dallas, were Sunday night visitors in the Archie McBride home at McCrury.

Miss Chess Rollins had as Sunday visitors her niece, Mrs. John L. Starks, Mr. Starks and children of Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reed of Oakville, Conn., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bell and Leon, this week.

Lonnie Brown has returned to Dallas after a three months visit with his mother, Mrs. Austin Pettit and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Boggs and children of Amarillo, were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Beck at Rosalie.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Walker and children of Greenville, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John K. Ford and Joe, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Phillips, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Muckleberr of Longview, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dyke and girls and Miss Nelda Byram were guests Sunday of Mrs. Sally Haren.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Harris and children of Mt. Pleasant, visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Harris, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Blalock and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Winkle at Bagwell, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thompson and children of Mt. Pleasant, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, Sunday. Mrs. Jerry Brown and baby and Mrs. Roger Cabell and children of Talco, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Holcomb and children of Sulphur Springs, and Mrs. Buddy Lenox and baby of Liberty, visited their parents, Rev. and Mrs. Alvin Blalock, Saturday.

Mrs. Doyle Hughes of Mt. Pleasant, visited her mother, Mrs. John Riddle, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Blalock and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Berry and children of Mt. Pleasant, visited

THE AMERICAN WAY



He Can't Wear Both

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Presley of Clarksville, visited her mother, Mrs. J. D. Evans and other relatives during the week end.

Last Friday night being an open date, the Bogata Bulldogs saw no action. They are scheduled to play Ladonia there Friday night.

Pleas Turner, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Branson and Dereca Joe Choate were in Hot Springs, Ark., Sunday to visit Mrs. Turner, there for treatment.

Friday visitors in the Mon Ward home were Mrs. Wayland Ward of Mt. Pleasant, Mrs. Eva Anderson of Annona, Mrs. Johnston of Mena, Ark.

Hugh Riley Forester, who teaches in the Dallas schools, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Forester and Miss Ellie Forester.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Morris of Pittsburg, were Wednesday and Thursday guests of her son, H. G. Pierce and family. Dianr Pierce accompanied them home for a visit.

Lester Anderson and son, Stanley of Sands Springs, Ok., are spending some time with his mother, Mrs. Ida Anderson, while employed here. Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Anderson of Dallas, were week end visitors in the Anderson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cole and daughter, Darlene, of Houston, are spending several weeks here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Cawley. Ralph Cawley of Dallas and Bogata also spent the week end here.

Mrs. Muri Clipper of Buras, La., writes Mr. and Mrs. Mon Ward that she and her family suffered no damages from Hurricane Ethel. The Clippers were visiting their daughter, Mrs. Terry Dupre and family at Houma, La., and were unable to return home on schedule because of the storm.

Mrs. Floyd Bell returned home Saturday after spending last week at Brownsville, where she attended the WHD State Meet. Mrs. Jo Gibbs of Midway, Mrs. Fred Ramsey of Blossom, Mrs. Arthur Skeen of Paris, and Mrs. Wells Johnson of Reno, also attended the convention. The ladies took a chartered bus from Tyler.

Lisa Alsbrook spent last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Alsbrook, while her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Williams Jr. moved from Wolfe City to Henderson, where he will be employed on a construction job. The Williams spent the week end in the Alsbrook and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Williams Sr. homes

Examinations For DPS Announced

The Texas Department of Public Safety announces applications will be received until October 1 to fill 120 openings in the DPS field services.

Field service examinations will be given October 5 in Tyler, Houston, Harlingen, Midland, El Paso, Lubbock and Waco; October 5 in Dallas, Lufkin, Corpus Christi, Abilene, Amarillo and Austin; and October 6 in Fort Worth, Beaumont, San Antonio, San Angelo and Wichita Falls.

Col. Homer Garrison, Jr., department director, urged young men between the ages of 21 and 35 to "take this opportunity to serve your state and at the same time begin a life-time career of prestige and security as a patrolman."

He said application forms and full information can be obtained at any Texas Department of Public Safety field office, or by writing to department headquarters, P. O. Box 4087, Austin.

Basic qualifications call for a high school education or the equivalent, height not under five feet, eight inches nor over six feet, four inches, and weight not less than two pounds per inch of height nor more than three pounds per inch of height.

He's Just Testing On a Test Road

Oklahoma City.—Highway patrolman Bill Lancaster stopped a motorist going 80 miles an hour at night, far over the legal limit.

The stretch happened to be a "test road" for two types of surfacing and was so labeled. When Lancaster asked the familiar question, "Why are you driving so fast?" the motorist replied "It's a test road, isn't it?"

CO-OPERATION
"I've got a cow I want to sell you, Charlie."

"Yes? Would she fit into my herd?"
"No; I dunno as she would."
"Does she give lots of milk?"
"No; I can't say as she gives lots of milk, but I can tell you this: She's a kind, gentle, good natured, old cow, and if she's got any milk she'll give it to you."

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