# The Talco Times

Talco, Titus County, Texas Thursday, August 17, 1977

# TAC Threatens Closure Of Red River Airport

The Red River County a decision from the commis-Commissioners' Court and the Clarksville City Council met Monday night in a joint session to discuss the threatened closing of Red River County Airport by the Texas Aeronautics Commission because of hazardous runway conditions.

The Council and Commissioners' Court were notified by letter from the TAC that the runway had been severely damaged by the harsh winter and that unless a new coat of asphalt were applied, the runway would have to be closed. Another winter, according to TAC estimates, would result in the need for complete reconstruction rather than

resurfacing. W. O. Karpenko, Chief Engineer for the TAC, who inspected the surface recently and wrote the letter, estimated that the cost of the resurfacing would be approximately \$80,000. Karpenko wrote that the state would be willing to provide 50 percent of the cost if the county and city would provide jointly the remaining \$40,000.

The resurfacing would include rerolling the existing pavement, placing a herbicide to keep out the vegetation that is crawling from the sides and resurfacing with 11/2" of asphaltic concrete.

The TAC engineer called for

sioners and city council within two weeks, as the State's new fiscal year begins Sept. 1. Funds would not be available in

approximately \$10,000 on the T-Hangers.

The County has \$99.01 in the budget for the airport. No budgeted figure was available from city officials.

The commissioners and councilmen determined that the land on which that airport is located is owned by the county, and the airport is operated jointly by the city and county.

leasing operator, and according to an unsigned contract on file in the office of the County Clerk, has a rent-free contract to operate the airport for 25 years. J. D. Trissell, owner of the flying service, stated that he had a duly executed and signed contract in his files. The contract leases to Trissell the ground on which his hangar is located, in exchange for the operation of an office and lounge that is supposed to be

Howard Fuller Injured In Accident Howard Fuller of Mount GMC pickup driven by Fuller

Pleasant sustained a broken leg in a two car accident wrong side of the road when it investigated by the Depart- collided with a 1973 Pontiac ment of Public Safety Monday afternoon on Highway 271 and McLean Street in Talco.

According to the investigating officer, Tony Bynum, a 1959

Organ Memorial Fund Established

An Organ Memorial Fund has been set up at the First Baptist Church in Bogata. This was started with donations in memory of Michelle Glass. Contributions may be made to this fund in memory of loved ones and proper acknowledgement will be sent to the proper persons or family involved.

#### Rebels

#### To Scrimmage Clarksville

The Rivercrest Rebels will scrimmage the Clarksville Tigers at Rebel Stadium at 7:30 p.m. Friday, August 19.

The Rebels have been holding workouts every night under the direction of head coach Milford Groves and assistants Perry Cowan, Wake Wood, and Jon Moss.

ONE WAS INJURED in this two car crash in Talco around 4 p.m. Monday. Howard Fuller, who suffered a broken leg, was the driver of the 1959 GMC pickup. The driver of the Pontiac was Hughie Lee Bowman of Tulsa, Okla, (Staff Photo)

People getting monthly

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living together again.

1978, Karpenko stated. Clarksville Mayor Maurice

Isbell told those attending the joint meeting that the City of Clarksville spent \$49,000 on the airport during the construction and since its opening in 1972. County Judge Murray Giles said that the records were not complete, but that the county had spent \$11,000 on improvements, \$15,000 for the land, and

Trissell Flying Service is the

was traveling south on the

from Tulsa, Okla. The Pontiac was occupied by nine people. Heavy damage was sustained

driven by Hughie Lee Bowman

by both vehicles. Fuller and the occupants of the Bowman car were taken to the Titus County Memorial Hospital, but only Fuller was admitted. The others were

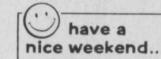
Fuller was enroute home from a local grocery store where he was employed as a substitute butcher for the day.

open and accessible to the public during reasonable business hours. Trissell also said Tuesday that he had a document that named him airport manager.

County auditor Jack Armstrong said that the county has received no money from the owners of the aircraft using the T-Hangars for rent on the hangars, or Trissell Flying

Service. The lease agreement with Trissell Flying Service further provides that the lessee purchase and maintain public liability insurance on the airport. Judge Giles said that no policy was on file with the

Clarksville Mayor Isbell said that 17 local business firms use the airport, and that those firms are responsible for



#### **Dump To Open Two** Mornings A Week

Bogata Mayor Clifford Barnard announced this week that the Bogata trash dump will be open only Thursday and Saturdays from 8:00 a.m. until 12 noon. The action was made necessary by an excessive amount of dumping in the city dump by persons living outside the Bogata area.

Charges of \$1 a load will be made payable to the attendant. Burnable and non-burnable trash nust be separated and dumped in separate locations,

adding \$6 to \$7 million a year to the economy of Red River available from a federal much in such a short time. The County, in addition to the use by privately owned aircraft.

Neither the City Council nor the Commissioners' Court has funds available at this time for the resurfacing. Isbell suggest-

construction of the airport.

County Commissioner Dar-

agency, or that the county and surface was defined by the TAC city portion of the cost be as "thin." Trissell is landing on provided in services in the the grass alongside the runway to save the surface.

The commissioners and win Floyd questioned why the councilmen began the forma-

tion of an airport advisory board such as other counties have, and the city named Austin Guest and Jerry Ables as their representatives on the board. Judge Giles said that he realized that the appointment of a board was urgent so that

made, but that the county would secure the signed contracts and other legal documents pertaining to the operation of the airport before county representatives would be named to the board.



## Counties Among Top Ten In Soybeans

Red River County and Lamar County were among the Top Ten soybean producing counties in the state in 1976, Texas Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown has announced.

Red River County farmers produced 452,800 bushels. which was 5 percent of the state total of 9,022,000 bushels, he

said. Lamar County farmers produced 352,800 bushels, which was 3.9 percent of the

inted in soybeans in 1976, ultimately harvested. helped somewhat by fall Production averaged 26 bushels

"Harvesting last year was completed almost three weeks ahead of the average completion date," said Commissioner Brown. "Although it Statewide, 375,000 acres looked like some crops were going to be hurt badly while 347,000 of these were dry August weather, they were

RED RIVER COUNTY Commissioners Darwin Floyd and Earl Humphrey examined the active runway at Red River County Airport southwest of Clarksville Tuesday morning. The thin asphalt surface was damaged severely by last winter's weather, and the Texas Aeronautics Commission is threatening shutdown if the runway is left as it is. The buildings in the left background are T-Hangers occupied by private aircraft. The building in the right background is the property of J. D. Trissell, operator of Trissell's Flying Service. (Staff Photo)

#### Gospel Jubilee Set August 30

A gospel jubilee to benefit the Lamar County Muscular Dystrophy fund will be held at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, August 30, in the Deport School Gymnasium at Deport.

A number of gospel singing groups will be featured, including The Decisions, the Gospel Roads, the Norwood Family, and The Davidson Sisters. Ralph Taylor will be the master of ceremonies.

Admission will be \$1 for Redidents who are

Airport Action Needed Now The relative importance of an airport is never realized until a community loses that vital arm of transportation. Over 90 percent of all air travel is served by general aviation, of which the Red River County Airport is an important part. The concept that airliners carry all or most of the travelers is not true. They carry less than 10 percent and serve only the larger cities. Your private aircraft, air taxi and charters make the final connection and tie the system together. Red River County and the City of Clarksville depend on industry and agriculture to pay their bills. The present industry in Red River County is going to take a long look at keeping or expanding plant operations in this area if the executives are unable to get to their industry without driving to Clarksville from Paris or some outlying

adults and 50c for students. organizing and planning the event are Mrs. Bob Crawford, Mrs. Frank Malone and Mrs.

services of spraying and dusting of crops and fields. Resolution of the problem of a dangerous runway at Red River County airport needs to be done in the shortest time possible. The legal and financial matters also have to be resolved, along with the runway problem. The formation of an airport advisory board to supervise the operation and direct the future growth of the airport will be of the utmost importance in resolving some of these problems.

community, because of an unsafe or closed airport.

The agriculture industry depends on the airport for the

AN EDITORIAL

By Robert W. Wright

The advisory board should have been established when the airport was constructed, but this was not done. There have been several thousand dollars (that should be in the city and county treasury now) thrown away because of lack of proper management through an advisory board. The people who are hangaring their aircraft at Red River County Airport should be paying rent. However,

when everyone is responsible, no one is responsible. To this point we have been fortunate, no one has been killed, no aircraft has been lost on the unsafe, deteriorating runway, and we still have an airport.Will time run out before action is taken?

# Grogan Grandchildren

#### **Continue Education** been selected as a member of Dr. Wayne Grogan, Jr., age

26, visited his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Wayne Grogan of Rockville, Maryland during the July 4 holiday weekend. He completed his medical internship at the Boston University Medical Center on June 30 and returned to the same institution to start a two year residency training program in the specialty of Internal Medicine on July 5th.

Allen Ray, age 23, Dr. and Mrs. Grogan's other son, will start his second year of law school at the University of Southern California in Los Angeles in late August. He was notified recently that he has

the USC Law Review staff, an honor accorded to selected top students of the first year law school class based on academic performance and a writing competition. One of the functions of the Law Review staff is to write, edit, and publish a periodical for the USC law school. Allen Ray has been working for an attorney in Los Angeles during the summer months between his first and

are grandsons of Vera Grogan of Bogata, Texas.

Students in the Prairiland Independent School District will report for classes on Aug. 26 according to the school

district's revised calender. Most school districts in Texas made minor calender revisions after the Texas Legislature recently lowered the required number of school days from 180

Teachers will hold inservice

second years of law school.

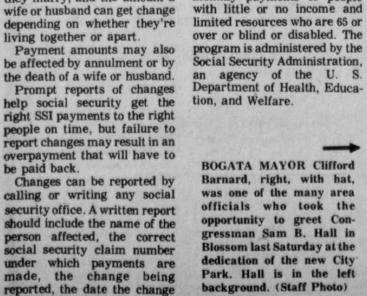
Wayne, Jr., and Allen Ray

#### Calendar Dates Announced

training from Aug. 15-18 as they get back to school.

> Student holidays Prairiland will be: Sept. 5, Labor Day; Nov. 14, teacher workday; Nov. 24-25, Thanksgiving; Dec. 22-30, Christmas: Feb. 20, teacher workday; and March 27-31, spring break.

The last day of school will be



affect their payments.



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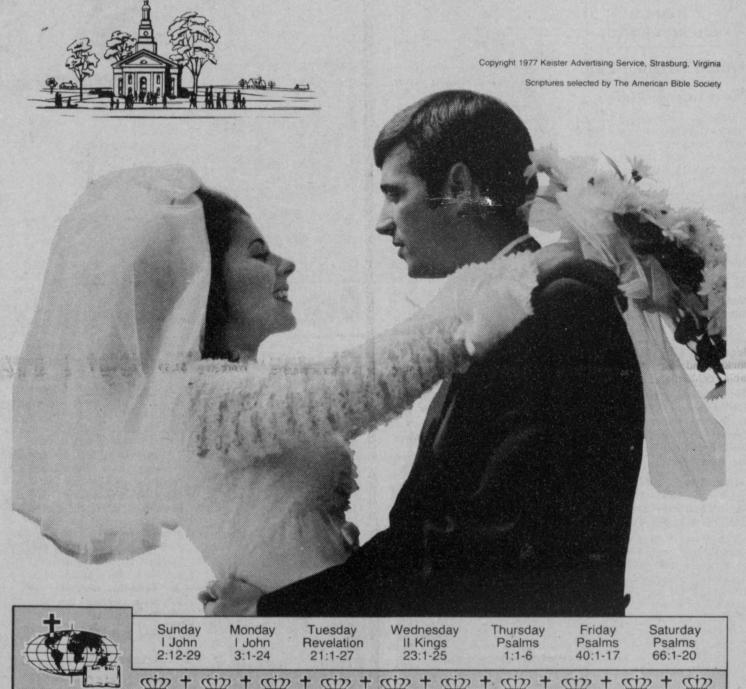
# FOREVER AND FVFR

This picture was taken just a year ago. It was a perfect afternoon for a garden wedding reception. Joan and Kenny were so much in love.

Now, this morning, a letter came in the mail from Joan telling us that she is coming home. She's thinking about divorce — that the beautiful dream that she and Kenny shared has turned into a nightmare.

Naturally, her father and I will welcome her. This is her home and always will be. But this is a problem that we shall not try to solve by ourselves. We will turn, as we know Joan will, to our church, and to the very minister who both baptized and married her. Maybe all of us, working together, will find a way through God's Will and His Word.

The Church comes very close in times of stress. Remember that.



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#### WON'T YOU PLEASE HELP?

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# Elishia Dugger Weds Dennis Tackett

In a formal ceremony, Miss Elisha Louise Dugger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dugger Jr. of Fulbright became the bride of James Dennis Tackett, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Tackett of Clarksville August at 7:00 p.m. Rev. Curtis Hoover pastor of the Fulbright Baptist Church officiated at the double ring ceremony in the church. The wedding was solemnized before an arch decorated in miniature yellow and white daisies and yellow roses with greenery and leather leaf foliage and two seven branch candelabra. In the background on a white pedastal was a large memory candle flanked with two baskets of white gladiola.

The bride wore a gown of white nylon acetate in English lace with scalloped neckline covered with pearls when escorted to the altar and given in marriage by her father. The sleeves of lace were trimmed in pearls and beads, the full A line skirt was covered with miniature brocade roses and fell gently in a chapel length train cascaded with a nylon ruffle. She chose a matching laced Juliet cloche pearled and beaded and attached English illusion flowing to formal length. Her bouquet was a cascade of white and yellow daisies, yellow roses, and baby breath mixed with carnations.

Mrs. James Lee sister of the bride was matron of honor and Benitaann Duggar sister of the bride was bridesmaid. Both wore blue knit dresses with lace overlay trimmed in daisies and large picture hats.

Candle lighters were Debbie Ward of Fulbright and Cassandra Kay Duggar sister of the bride. They wore blue knit with high princess necks with lace overlay bodice with white daisies. Little Miss Lori Shipp of Bogata was flower girl dressed in yellow and carried a basket of blue daisies. Larry Tackett brother of the groom from Ore City was best man and Jerry Luther of Clarksville was groomsman. Ushers were James Lee and Mark Ward of Fulbright and wore tuxedos with blue ruffle shirts.

Prenuptial music was by the bride's cousin, Mrs. Robert Kennedy of Cuthand. She also accompanied Miss Carylon Carroll of Talco, as she sang "Let It Be Me" and "The Wedding Song".

Following the wedding a reception was held at the home of the brides grandfather Raymond Dugger Sr. with Mr.

Deport, Texas, 75435.

Mrs. Wayman Alexander

Pat Wright

Kennedy as hosts. Members of the house party were Kathy Pirtle and Gail Ward of Bogata, Brenda Baird of Cuthand, Mrs. Larry Tackett of Ore City, Mrs. Larry Stringer of Clarksville and Mrs. Kenneth Thomas of

The bride is a 1977 graduate of Rivercrest High School and the groom a graduate of Clarksville High School is

employed at Piggly Wiggly in Clarksville.

After a wedding trip to Hot Springs, Ark. and Branson Mo. the couple will be at home at Deport Rt. 1 in Fulbright.

The grooms parents Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Tackett were hosts at a rehearsal dinner at the Branding Iron Restaurant in Clarksville on Friday evening before the wedding.



Mrs. Dennis Tackett

#### Mrs. John Davis Honored With Shower

Mrs. John (Rooster) Davis. the former Kelly Buchanan, of Bogata was honored with a pink and blue shower Tuesday. August 9, 1977 at the home of Mrs. Sonny Belcher in Bogata. Assisting Mrs. Belcher as hostesses were Mrs. Dan Tabb and Mrs. Jim Bill Chaloner.

The storybook characters Raggedy Ann and Andy were used as the theme for decorations with dolls and a

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centerpiece. A Raggedy Ann and Andy coat rack, a gift to the honoree from the children of the hostesses, was used to decorate the wall as background for the serving table. Other decorations using the chosen theme were also displayed.

The approximately 15 guests and honoree were served refreshments, played several games befitting the occasion, and Mrs. Davis opened and displayed her gifts.

#### Sheriff's Report

The Titus County Sheriff's Department recovered approximately \$450.00 worth of stolen fishing tackle last week. The equipment was stolen from the Charles Moses residence at Winfield, June 26, 1977. Three iuveniles were apprehended in the matter and were turned over to the Juvenile Court.

Citations issued included three for DWI, two for public

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## Talco Personals

Mrs. H. E. Stuart and family of

Grannis, Ark. Her grand-

daughter, Mrs. Larry Mills and

children accompanied her

Orvis Welch of Fort Worth

has been here visiting his

brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs.

Elton Welch. He also visited in

Mount Pleasant with Preston

and Leston Mankins and

several friends in the Golden

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Clem-

mons and boys returned home

Tuesday after visiting his

brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs.

Johnny Fred Clemmons in New

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Jones

left for their home in

Morecraft, Wyo. after visiting

her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Dured Hall and family; her

sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charley

Ray Whitney and family. They

also attended the Jones reunion

at Dellwood Park in Mount

home for the weekend.

Years Nursing Home.

Mexico.

Mrs. Ollie Jones and her sister, Mrs. A. C. Waddell and Miss Mae Williams spent last Friday and Saturday in Vivian, La. visiting their cousin, Mrs. Tracy Williams.

The Rev. Barney Treece took his mother, Mrs. B. R. Treece back to her home in Shongaloo, La. after she had spent the week here. Her granddaughter Teresa Treece accompanied her home for the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jones and Randy Blackman, Jamye and Heather have returned to their home in Morecraft, Wyo. after visiting here with relatives and friends and attending the Jones family reunion in Mount Plesant Sunday.

Mrs. Shirley Duncan of Litton, Colo. visited here during the weekend and attended the Jones family reunion.

Mrs. Janie Wright and son Micheal of Dilley spent the weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Hood and his parents Mr. and Mrs. John D. Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayman Alexander and Mrs. Gladys Garretson visited in Mineola Saturday with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Mewborn and Lea.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Margaret Locke were her grandson, John Keith of Dallas and his friends, Mark, Berry and Kyle Byrd, Mrs. Locke's niece and nephew, Perry and Lisa Dickey from Broken Bow,

Here from Paris, France is Mrs. John D. Wright's sister, Mrs. Mary Ann Schneilin. She plans to return to France next week after being here for three weeks to attend her mother, Mrs. Monnie Hargrove who is a patient in the Titus County Memorial Hospital and to also visit her brother, Lemuel Hargroves and family of Talco and John Wise Hargrone and family in Mount Pleasant and other relatives and friends.

Belinda Burgin has returned to her home in Daingerfield after spending several days with her grandmother, Mrs. Ella Burgin.

Mrs. Christine Mayes and her daughter, Mrs. Willie Mae Hobson were in Texarkana Monday to be with Mrs. Mayes daughter, Mrs. Doyle Rushing when she had surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Frugia of Bizell. La. were here last week visiting his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Frugia.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayman Sunday to visit Mr. Alexander's brother, Mr. Warren Alexander, at the V.A. Hospital. Recent visitors in the home of

Mrs. Lucy McClung was a great-niece, Kathy Barwick and her friends Linda Armstrong from Los Angels, Calif. Mrs. Ray Matherly of Burkbarnett returned home Tuesday after visiting her

mother, Mrs. B. L. Gilger. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Miller and Mrs. Ruby Harcrow carried the Miller's granddaughter, Angelia Miller to her home in Henderson after she had spent the week with them. They also

visited a sister Mrs. Lillie Mae Mrs. John Northam visited Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Mauldin in Bogata Monday.

Mrs. Mark O'Brien and baby has been dismissed from the McCuiston Hospital in Paris . Mrs. Lille Hanks is a patient in the Titus County Memorial

Hospital in Mount Pleasant. Mrs. Paula Rolf and daughter, Dynphania of Mount Pleasant visited her aunt, Mrs. W. W. Belcher, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Blackwell from Camden, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Pierce from Benton, Ark., little Christie and Paul Sistrunk from Benton, Ark. attended the funeral services of John Blackwell's mother, Mrs. Lina Westbrooks, in Mount Plesant Sunday.

Ashlee and Jason Dixon returned to their home in Gillette, Wyo. Friday. They were met in Denver by their parents Mr. and Mrs. Jacky Dixon. They had spent the summer here with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Dixon, Talco and Mr. and Mrs. Lenton Roach, Mount Pleasant and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Allean Kelly of Dickinson is visiting her mother, Mrs. Martha Perry in the Golden Years Nursing Home the past two weeks. She also visited other relatives in

Fern Whitney, Cathy and Bubba of Dallas are visiting

returned home after spending the week with her daughter,

#### **Obituaries**

#### H.O. Hignight

1, Pattonville, in the Clardy community, died at 2:00 p.m. Tuesday August 9, 1977, at McCuistion Regional Medical

p.m. Thursday in the Leverett and Steele Funeral Home Chapel with burial in Highland Cemetery.

Lamar County many years. Survivors include three sons,

Malcolm Hignight of Dallas,

Henry Orvile Hignight of Rt.

Hignight was born Jan. 15, 1893, at Deport, son of Zack Hignight and Nancy Jane Osborn. He married Alice Bell McGill on Dec. 24, 1911, in Pattonville. She died Oct. 2. 1971. He was a retired farmer and rancher and lived most of his life in the Clardy and Deport area. Hignight was a member of the Bethel Baptist Church at Clardy and belonged to the Stamps School of Music. He taught singing schools in

Services were held at 2:00 grandchildren.

Elwine Hignight of Paris and Grady Hignight of Sherman; three daughters, Mrs. Roy (Helen) Anderson of Clardy, Mrs. S. C. (Artie Lee) Short of Paris and Mrs. James (Nelda) Campbell of Ben Franklin; 13 grandchildren and 20 great-

#### **Guy Farris**

Guy Farris died Augst 8 at 8:00 a.m. at his home on Route 4, Mount Pleasant.

Farris was born in Kansas, July 9, 1887, and is a former Talco resident.

Survivors include his widow, Berta Moore Farris of Mount Plesant; five daughters, Vera Devine of Colorado, Edna Hopkins of Kansas, Gladys Adams of Foreman, Arkansas, Bonnie Hayesfield of Port Aransas, and Loyce Smith of Florida; three sons, Wayne J. Farris of Upland, California, Eugene Moore of Greenville, and Billy Joe Moore of

Choirs To Appear At Cunningham

The Youth Choir and the Hand Bell Choir of the Highland Park Baptist Church in Texarkana, Texas, will appear in Cunningham at the Baptist Church at 7:30 p.m. Friday, August 19.

The two groups are under the direction of Jim Landrum, a former resident of Cunningham. Everyone is invited to attend

**Preparing Mummies** 

Ancient Egyptians believed that the dead couldn't survive in the spirit world unless their bodies were well preserved. It took about 70 days to prepare a body for burial as a mummy.

California; nine grandchildren, and 13 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held 10 a.m. Thursday at Bates-Cooper-Weems Funeral Home Chapel with burial in the Talco Cemetery. The Rev. John Dyer







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#### HARD WORK MAKES **FARMER FEEL BETTER**

In the mountain towns of eastern Tennessee, people still fend for themselves much as they did 100 years ago. Their lives have not been greatly touched by the hustle and bustle of the 20th century.

Leonard Reed, of Oneida, a small town of 4,000 residents, is one of them. At 78, he still plows his 15-acre farm with the help of a mule, the same way he's worked the land since he was a boy. When his own land is tilled, he helps his neighbors, plowing the fields for people who don't have the luxury of owning a mule.

When he was younger, Reed worked for a local lumber company for 15 years, until an ulcer made him quit and go back to farming the family land.

"I don't think working agreed with me," Reed told a writer from The National Council on the Aging. "Since I've been on my own again, my health gets better and better.'

Work does agree with Reed, though-at least it does when he's the boss. From the time the crops are planted straight through harvest, Reed works from sunup to sundown, helping his neighbors and tending his own fields. If Reed and his fellow farmers are to have a successful harvest, then all those hours in the fields are necessary. And without a successful crop, people will go hungry during the winter, because that's the way life has always been in Oneida, Tennessee.

"City folk might think this is an awful rough way to live," Reed said, "but I wouldn't trade it for the world. Now, living in a city, why that's downright crazy, to me. You couldn't pay me

enough to live in one." Even though Reed is dependent on the size of his crop for his family's subsistence, he and the others living nearby like the free-

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roll taxes unless the job is

being done by an indepen-

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your son is not an indepen-

Q: Is there any law

against somebody parallel

without permission? People

park there blocking off ac-

cess to my mailbox, and the

postman won't deliver the

A: Unless there are local

zoning restrictions or ordin-

ances outlawing parking in

that location, the parking in

front of your house and mail-

box is allowable under Texas

dent contractor.

dom of their lifestyle.

"I don't have to answer to nobody," Reed said. "How many city folk can say that? Even if there's a bad year, we all make out all right. People around here help each other out. That's another thing I bet you don't find too much of in the city."

Some of Reed's seven children who moved away agree with their father. One son recently moved back to Tennessee, and another is looking for a place to buy.

"Unless you're raised in this part of the country, you can't really understand why people stay," Reed said. But if you are raised down here, then you can't understand why people leave."

Not that Leonard Reed, his family or his neighbors care if they're understood. In fact, it's city folk and factory workers whose lives Reed thinks need changing.

"As long as my mule can pull and my neighbors say hello I'll be a happy man,' Reed said. "Outside of that and putting in a full day's work, a man can't ask for much more, can he?"

DID YOU KNOW that during Biblical times the average person lived to be about 36 years of age? In 1900 the life expectancy at birth in the United States

ety's office.

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was 49.2 years. Largely because of advances in medicine, life expectancy is now IN MARICOPA COUN-

TY, Arizona, the Legal Aid Society of Phoenix is bringing legal services to older people. Using a specially equipped van, a team consisting of a lawyer, a paralegal and a secretary regularly travels throughout the county. The van stops at senior citizen and nutrition centers to provide legal services for those who cannot travel to the Legal Aid Soci-

ped with a small library to cover civil cases such as wills, simple probates, contracts, consumer frauds, and problems involving Social Security, welfare and food stamps. Services are free for anyone over 60, although contributions are accepted.



# Consumer

by John L. Hill Attorney General

Q: After the buyer and I trouble under this arrangesigned the contract of sale ment and so can the employfor my home, the buyer decided to back out of the deal.

What can I do? A: If the buyer put down earnest money for the sale, you may retain that earnest money. Another alternative generally allowed is for you to bring suit to compel the buyer to go through with the sale. Remember, the real estate contract should specify the remedies available to both parties if a breach of contract takes place.

Q: My sister and I are over 65. Our small pensions barely cover the costs of keeping up two households. What we want to know is this: Is it legal for brothers parking in front of my house and sisters to marry in Texas? If we married, we could draw spouses pensions and make ends meet.

A: The law is very specific in this area. You may not marry your sister. The law says a marriage is void if one marries a brother or sister or a half brother or sister. It goes on to say that marriages are not allowed with a parent's brother or sister of the whole or half blood. Nor may one marry an ancestor or descendant by blood or adoption.

Q: My son has gotten a summer job at a barbeque restaurant. The owner says he'll pay my son \$2 an hour in cash, but no tax well be taken out of his pay. He does this with all of his employees. Is this legal? Can my son get into any trouble? A: Your son can get into

law. If it is an abandoned vehicle, local authorities may be able to remove it. According to postal regulations, mail service should be continued if the blockage is only temporary, but if it is continual, mail service may be interrupted. If cars park there only occasionally, about the only thing you can do is put a note on the wind-

Send your questions to "You and the Law," State Bar of Texas, P. O. Box 12487, Austin, 78711. Answers may appear in columns in hypothetical





er. Your son has a duty to see that the employer withholds payroll taxes. True, your son is in a tough posibeat-you ought to fire him." tion, not wanting to jeopardize his job. If he makes call like that about you? It's not collection efforts. more than \$750 this sumlikely, of course, because if you mer, he'll have to file an inowe a debt, you usually pay come tax return and report and pay on time, according to his taxes. Eventually, IRS statistics. will come to visit his employer. The law says that an employer must withhold pay-

when, because of sickness, unemployment, or other reasons, you may be unable to. At that point, you may come aspects of consumer deception, and fraud.

exhibited by the small number of unscrupulous businesses, agencies, or individuals engaged in debt collection efforts. While most debt collection efforts are honest and within the law, the small number that are dishonest or deceptive can mean a great deal of trouble for some

In Texas, we have two strong laws against unlawful debt collection practices: the Deceptive Trade Practices-Consumer Protection Act and Act.

Attorneys in our Consumer Protection Division testified last spring before a Congressional committee about debt collection in our State, the protections consumers now have, and others that might be

Committee members learned that from September 1973 through February 1977, our Consumer Protection Division processed about 800 complaints of abusive debt collection practices, and dispensed information on the subject to hundreds more Consumer Protection Division inquirers. A total of nearly in Austin, Houston, Dallas, \$18,000 in restitution was San Antonio, El Paso, obtained for consumers who Lubbock, or McAllen. Outside were unfairly solicited for those areas, call this toll-free debts. Close to \$17,300 was number: 1-800-252-9236.

AUSTIN-"He's a dead- collected in civil penalties for the State from those who were What if your employer got a engaged in unlawful debt

What kind of illegal practices have our attorneys found? Everything from harassing telephone calls to But there may come a time employers, to threats to garnish wages, to collection forms that look like legal documents. Also, threats to have out-of-state debtors up against some of the worst extradited to Texas and their children made wards of the courts, threats of repossession These are occasionally of all of the debtor's household goods and appliances, and use of profanity to the debtor and his family.

All of these tactics are illegal, our attorneys stress, and should be reported to our office. In many cases, such fraudulent efforts to collect debts may actually reduce the ability of the debtor ever to pay off the amount owed. For example, our attorneys have found that any collection efforts that include contact with a debtor's employer, even when such contact is not the Debt Collection Practices harassing, have a tendency to jeopardize job and income. Where this occurs, neither the debtor nor the debt collector's best interests are served, and the collector may lose any chance of ever collecting the money owed.

Our office is not involved in assisting debt collectors to obtain payments. Under the law, we are involved in seeing that any illegal or deceptive attempts to obtain payment from a debtor are stopped. If you have any question or complaint about debt collection practices, call our

# CANCER

American Cancer Society M. D. Anderson Hospital and Tumor Institute

about the new x-ray body scanners, and I would like to know how useful they are in

dealing with cancer." finding cally and effectively.

A teenage boy writes: "I do a lot of water activities both for fun and I work as a lifeguard. I have very fair skin and burn very easily. So I wear a tee shirt even in the pool. Why do I still have a problem with the sun?"

ANSWERline: You are wise to protect yourself from excess sun, which can cause skin won't work because when wet, it allows half of the sun's damaging ultra-violet rays to get through to your sensitive skin. Your local American Cancer Society Unit has a pamphlet called "Sense in the Sun!" with facts, practical advice, and insight into common myths about sunning. It's yours for the asking.

A postal worker asks: "When did scientists first discover

A lawyer notes: "I've read that cigarettes are so bad for

smoking has been questioned

since it was first introduced

Tobacco

ANSWERline:

ANSWERline: You are referring to computerized axial tomography, "CAT," which enables physicians to see images of the body in crosssection slices from the head down. "CAT" scanners are being used clinically, and they are proving useful in difficult-to-detect tumors within the body such as brain tumors. Manufacturers are still perfecting the machinery in hopes of cutting down scan time to prevent blurred pictures that can be caused by body movements such as the heartbeat. "CAT" is an expensive tool, one that medical institutions are beginning to learn to use economi-

into Europe by Spanish explorers in the 16th century. To jump a few centuries, in 1927 an English physician, Dr. F.R. Tylecote, reported that in almost every case of lung cancer he had seen or studied, the patient was a regular smoker. Other physicians, notably Dr. Alton Ochsner, a surgeon and a past president of the American Cancer Society, began noticing and writing about a surge of lung cancer deaths among cigarette smokers, and then in 1949 the ACS began to support research into a causative association between cigarettes and lung cancer. By 1951 the Society's own scientists were involved in a pioneering study that covered 187,783 men for nearly four years and the investigators found much higher death rates among cigarette smokers. In 1961 the U.S. Surgeon General began a sweeping study that clearly established the cigarette hazard. By the end of the decade studies of laboratory animals taught to smoke offered additional cancer. However, a tee shirt proof that cigarettes and lung cancer are unquestionably causally related to each other.

> Do you have further questions? Call your local unit of the American Cancer Society or call M. D. Anderson Hospital & Tumor Institute's Cancer Information Service, 1-800:392-2040 toll-free in Texas. 792-3245 in the Houston area.

from HISTORY'S SCRAPBOOK

August 19, 1890-The daughters of the American Revolution are organized-membership is restricted to those having one ancestor who aided in establishing American independence.

DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

August 20, 1741-Alaska is discovered by Danish navigator Vitus Jonas Bering.

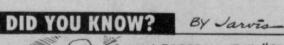
August 21, 1951—The United States orders construction of the world's first atomic submarine.

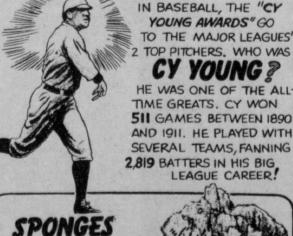
August 22, 1762-The first American woman newspaper editor, Ann Franklin, assumes her duties on The Newport Mercury, Newport, Rhode Island.

August 23, 1914-Japan declares war on Germany in August 24, 1909-Construction crews start to pour con-

crete in Gatun Locks, the Panama Canal. August 25, 1718-The city of New Orleans, Louisiana, is

founded and named in honor of the Duke of Orleans of France.





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AL SMITH... NEW YORK DEMOCRAT WHO RAN FOR PRES. AND LOST TO HERBERT HOOVER, WAS GOV. 4 TIMES. HE SUPPORTED THE REPUBLICANS IN THE '36 AND '40 ELECTIONS, AFTER HE SPLIT WITH F.D. ROOSEVELT.



AUSTIN--During the special legislative session recently medication administration. concluded, one the the major issues considered was the

acted swiftly on this issue standards set by the licensand, after many hours of ing agency. These "grades" committee hearings and sev- will be available to the puberal hours of debate in both lic to use in determining the Senate and the House, which home would be most enacted Senate Bill 9 which suitable for their loved ones. addresses many of the prob- It is hoped that the grading lems encountered in our system will help to encournursing homes.

legislature has many major prove the quality of care. points--the thrust of which Provisions in the new law is to give our licensing agen- require that each patient cies the legal authority and receive one medical examipower to act on abuses nation per year, and require found in nursing homes, nursing homes to have at Throughout the hours of tes- least one open hearing each timony on our nursing home year where friends and situation, the fact was family of the patients can brought up again and again air any problems they have that the majority of our with the care given the nursing homes are good, patient by the nursing home. with abuse of patients being the rule.

the problems.

In short, the bill encompasses nine major points. It alleviates the dual licensing ment of Public Welfare. Prior to enactment of the bill, both these departments had a part in the licensure of nursing homes which caused confusion on the part of both the agencies and the homes.

The bill requires in-service education of all employthe residents; furthermore, it requires that persons adhave completed a state-ap- care.

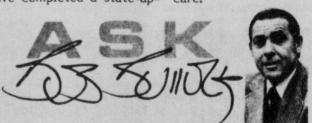
by Bill Clayton proved training program in

Another innovative approach taken by the legislacondition of Texas nursing tion is a system whereby the licensing agency can grade The Texas Legislature homes that exceed licensing age competition between The bill passed by the the homes and thereby im-

Perhaps the most signifithe exception rather than cant feature of the bill is that it gives the licensing Taking this fact into ac- agency the power to obtain count, the bill passed is not a temporary restraining oran attempt to cause hard- der to halt the operation of ship to the many fine nurs- a nursing home if its violaing homes in the State but tions of the regulations enrather is an effort to up- danger the health and safety grade the few homes causing of the patients. It further provides that a nursing home can be assessed a fine of \$100 to \$500 for each violation that endangers the functions of the Health health and safety of the Department and the Depart- patient for each day the violation occurs.

> To ensure that abuse of nursing home residents is reported, the bill by law penalizes any person who has knowledge of such abuse and fails to report it to the licensing agency.

I believe that this new law ees of nursing homes who will help to prevent those have any direct contact with few unfortunate incidents that have occurred in our nursing homes, and that it ministering medication must will improve the quality of



Comptroller of Public Accounts

A. A special homestead

Your office notified me tax exemption for those age 65 and over is optional under recently that my corporation's right to do business in Texas had been forfeited because of a franchise tax liability. Does they allow one. this mean I have to close my

business? A. No, you don't have to shut down your business. But a corporation whose right to do business has been forfeited loses its access to the state courts to sue or defend itself.

Dear Mr. Bullock:

The corporation's officers and directors also may be held personally liable for any debts incurred by the corporation.

A corporation loses its protections not only when its right to do business has been forfeited but at any time it fails to file a franchise tax

return on time. I suggest you pay your taxes right away - for your own protection, as well as that of other corporation

officers and directors. Dear Sir: Is the wood I buy for my fireplace subject to sales tax?

A. Yes, firewood is taxable. Mr. Bullock:

I will turn 65 in September, and I understand I will become eligible for a special homestead exemption at that time. How do I go about getting the exemption?

state law, so you will need to check with your local tax authorities to see whether The amount of the exemption varies among those entities granting it. The

law specifies, however, that any exemption must be at least \$3,000. Mr. Bullock: Members of our congregation take turns

purchasing the flowers for our Sunday worship services. Are we required to pay sales tax on those flowers since they are being used by the church? A. If the flowers are

purchased directly by the church, there is no tax. But since they are being purchased by individuals belonging to the church, they are taxable.

Ask Bob Bullock is produced as a public service to the taxpayers of Texas by the State Comptroller's Office. The answers here do not necessarily apply in every similar situation and should be used only as a general guide.

If you have a question, write Ask Bob Bullock, c/o Tax Information, LBJ Building, Austin, Texas 78774 or call toll-free 1-800-252-5555.

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#### **Public Notice**

SECTION A
ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed proposals addressed to the Mayor and City Council of the City of Deport, Lamar County, Texas, will be received at the office of Mr. Walter Gifford, City Secretary, until 7:30 p.m. o'clock on September 12, 1977 for the furnishing of all necessary materials, equipment, superintendence, and labor required for excavation and shaping of Mustang Creek in the City of Deport.

Bidders must submit with their bids a Cashier's or Certified Check for two hundred dollars, payable without recourse to the City of Deport, or a Proposal Bond in the same amount, from a reliable Surety Comapny, as a guarantee that Bidder will enter into a contract and execute bond and guarantee forms provided within five (5) days after notice of award of contract to him. Bids without check or Proposal Bond will not be considered.

All unit prices must be stated in both

sidered.
All unit prices must be stated in both script and figures. The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive formalities. In case of ambiguity or lack of clearness in stating the price of the bids, the Owner reserves the right to consider the most advantageous construction thereof, or to reject any or all bids.

bids.

Bidders are expected to inspect the site of the work and to inform themselves regarding local conditions under which the work is to be done. Attention is called to the provisions of the Acts of the 43rd Legislature of the State of Texas and subsequent amendments concerning the wage scale.

subsequent amendments concerning the wage scale.

The project is to be financed with a grant from the Department of Housing and Urban Development, under the Community Development Program, and all program requirements must be compiled with.

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compiled with.
Instructions to Bidders, Proposal Forms and specifications may be obtained at the City Hall, Deport, Texas.
CITY OF DEPORT, TEXAS Charles Foster, Mayor

TRASH DUMP NOTICE The Bogata trash dump will be open to the public Thursdays and Saturdays, 8 a.m. 'till 12:00 noon. Charges of \$1 a load will be made payable to the attendant. Burnable and nonburnable trash must be separated and dumped in separate locations as directed by the attendant.

Wm. C. Barnard Mayor of Bogata

#### **Obituaries** Mrs. Lena Westbrook

Mrs. Lena Pierce Westbrook, 79, formerly of Talco, died in Memoria in Mount Plesant Friday, August 22, 1977.

Services were held at 2:00 p.m. Sunday in the Mount Plesant Funeral Home Chapel with burial at Greenwood Cemetery in Hot Springs, Ark. The Rev. William Crommer of Tennison Memorial Methodist Church of Mount Pleasant officiated.

Mrs. Westbrook was born Sept. 20, 1897, in Little Bay, Ark. She was a member of the Tennison Memorial Methodist Church in Mount Pleasant and a member of the Order of the Eastern Star.

Survivors include two daughter, Mrs. Ann Burns of Mount Pleasant and Mrs. Betty Mullins of New York; two sons John Blackwell of Camden, Ark., and Peter Blackwell of Oxford, Miss.; a sister, Mrs. Minnie Stephenson of Mount Pleasant and formerly of Talco: 14 grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Loyd Sinclair, Roy Hensley, Loyd Morgan, Bruce King, Johnny E. Thomas, Glen S, Jackson and J. T. Thomas, all members of the Order of the Eastern

#### Sam A. Bryson

Sam A. Bryson, 76, of Deport died Thursday evening August 11, 1977, in McCuiston Regional Medical Center in Paris. Services were held at 10:00

a.m. Saturday, August 13, 1977, at Grant Funeral Home Chapel in Deport. The Rev. Royce Litchfield officiated and burial was made in Highland Cemetery at Deport.

Bryson was born in Biardstown Aug. 15, 1900, son of R. H. and Azzie Lee (Wright) Bryson. He was married Dec. 16, 1928, to Venice Roberts in Deport. Mr. Bryson, grandson of Judge Sam C. Bryson, an early county judge for Lamar County, was a retired hardware salesman.

Survivors include his widow; one son, Gordon Bryson of Tyler; two grandchildren, Steve and Lori Bryson of Tyler; and four brothers, Rob Bryson of Deport, Ed Bryson of Bogata, Curtis Bryson of Wichita Falls and Kenneth Bryson of Shreveport, La.

#### Mrs. Leola Baker

Mrs. Leola Baker, 1170 Van Zandt, died Tuesday in Medical City Hospital in Dallas.

Funeral services were held at 2:00 p.m. Saturday at the Solona Baptist Church, with the Rev. M. A. Logan officiating with burial in the Solona Cemetery, under the direction of Maxey Funeral Home.

Mrs. Baker was born Jan. 27, 1930, in Red River County, a daughter of Bill and Mary Runnels. She received her education in Red River County schools and was a member of Sulphur Springs Baptist Church. Mrs. Baker was married to Arthur G. Baker,

who preceded her in death. Survivors include her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Runnels Sr. of Fulbright; five daughters, Mrs. Jessie Printers, Mrs. Ocie Ellis, Mrs. Ola

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19, 1930. They have lived in

Texas, Arkansas, Oklahoma,

and Louisiana. He lived in

Detroit until 1966 when he

became ill, and then moved to

Fulbright, where he lived until

1972. For the past five years he

has lived in Oregon and Maude,

Survivors include his widow,

Mary Ola Marie Hayes

Hembree of Lubbock, one son

Jack Hembree of Paris, four

daughters Mrs. Louis (Glenda)

Gonzales of Lubbock, Mary

Evelyn Hembree who preceded

him in death in May 1946, Mrs.

Alvin (Cherry) Smith of Paris, and Mrs. Bobby (Sandy)

Campbell of Fulbright. He has

nine grandchildren and one

great-grandchild; and several

nieces and nephews. He also

has one uncle Mr. Will Hem-

bree of Sulphur, Oklahoma.

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of Dallas; one son, Marcus T.

Baker of Paris; one step-

daughter, Mrs. Phyliss Merritt

of Fort Worth; one step-son,

John L. Baker of Wichita,

Kan.; eight brothers, Bill

Runnels, Jr., Willie Runnels

and Herman Runnels, all of

Dallas, L. B. Runnels of

Clarksville, J. B. Runnels of

Childress, L. T. Runnels of

Lubbock, Clyde Runnels of

Bogata and George Runnels of

Oakland, California; five sisters, Mrs. Lillie B. Dennis,

Mrs. Viola Robinson and Mrs.

Mary Thomas, all of Paris, Mrs. Ida M. Wright of

Clarksville and Mrs. Mattie

Williams of Dallas; and eight

Isac Wilson Hembree,

Maude, formally of Fulbright,

died Saturday August 6, 1977.

Burial services were held

Mr. Hembree was born

Isac W. Hembree

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grandchildren.

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OF BUDGET HEARING Notice is hereby given that the annual public hearing on the adoption of the offical budget for the 1977-78 school year for the Talco-Bogata Consolidated Independent School District will be held on August 23, 1977 at 7:30 p.m. at the Rivercrest High School. By order of the Board of Trustees of the Talco-Bogata School District.

Attest: -s-Talmadge Morgan Superintendent

CARD OF THANKS My thanks to each and every one of my friends for your thoughtfulness of me while confined to the Titus County Memorial Hospital and the the Golden Years Nursing Home. Your prayers, visits, lovely cards and beautiful flowers were deeply appreciated. May God's blessings be with each one of you. Jewell Butler.

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Dear Friends there are not enough words to express our appreciation for all the kind things you've done for our family during the saddened hours of the loss of our precious loved one, Michelle. We especially thank the Carol Keiths, Dr. Brooks, Bro. Posey, Bro. Draper, James Wood. Thanks for the beautiful flowers, cards, food, prayers, phone calls and memorial donations in her memory. We'll always have a soft spot in our hearts for our friends. We love you as our brother and sisters in Christ. C. D., Jane and Jennifer Glass and families.

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CHIPPER AT 100-Edward McGowan, formerly Rockdale, had a happy smile for everyone as he walked down the hall to the party in honor of his 100th birthday at the Golden Years Nursing Home in Mount Pleasant Wednesday. (Staff Photo)

Goose Quickie

Cook one-quarter cup of chopped onion in 1 tablespoon butter or margarine until tender. Add 1 cup of sour cream, 2 cups diced cooked goose, dash each of salt and pepper, and one teaspoon lemon juice. Heat; do not boil. Serves 4.

Mrs. Gary Roberts, and David The Jones family and their friends met at Dellwood Park and Heath. WINNSBORO Mr. and Mrs.

Bill Jones Don and Tommy.

DALLAS Dean and Geneva

Floyd, Bob and Mattie Lue

TALCO Mr. and Mrs. Cliff

Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Donald

Ray Jones, Brandy and

Windy, Mr. and Mrs. R. G.

Hood, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny

Hood, John Wesley and

Felecia, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald

Martin, Amy Charlie, Cliff and

Rickey Dale Ritcheson, Mr.

MOUNT PLEASANT Bertine

Floyd, Forest French, Altha E.

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Milton and Susie Patterson,

Ellen Thomas, Mr. and Mrs.

Dud Logan, Mr. and Mrs. L. Z.

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and Mrs. Danny Jones, Mr. and

Mrs. Randy Blackman, Jamye

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CHANDLER, TEX David

TYLER Margaret, Robin and

NEW ORLEANS, LA. Mr.

and Mrs. Carter Bassett and

Jerry Ray Hood and Scott.

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Howard Wesson.

and Michael.

and Heather.

and Faye Floyd.

Genny Calloway

and Mrs. Melvin Easly.

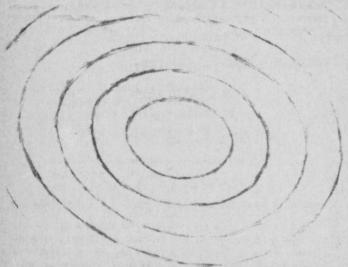
**Jones Family Has Reunion** 

in Mount Pleasant Sunday for a combined family reunion and birthday dinner honoring the 91st birthday of C. W. Jones and the 86th birthday of Mrs.

Those attending were: FROM LITTLE ROCK, ARK. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Jones and Alma Marie, Charles Edd and Martha Jones, Mark and Gasha, Jimmie L. and Janie Jones, Jeri Lynn and Sally Marie and Sonie Osburn, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Jones, Eric, Steve, Barbara, Connie, and

Bertha Smith.

SULLPHUR BLUFF Mr. and



GUESS WHAT-This is something that everyone has used, if you are old enough. The first subscriber to call the newspaper with

the correct answer will win \$5. Last week's winner was David Hudson, manager of Community Public Service in Talco.

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## **School Board Tours Campuses**

The Board of Trustees of the Talco-Bogata met in special session at Rivercrest on Tuesday, August 9, 1977 at 8:30 p.m. Prior to the meeting, the Board toured and inspected the facilities on the Bogata and Talco School campuses. A number of improvements and repairs have been made on each campus during the summer with remaining work expected to be completed prior to the beginning of school for students on Monday, August

While one of the major purposes of the called meeting was to study the proposed school budget for 1977-78, a number of other items on the agenda took a considerable amount of time. Mike Vinyard, Rivercrest principal, met with the Board to discuss and make recommendations related to changes in the student handbook. Changes approved will be discussed with students at the beginning of the school year and general information pertaining to the changes will be made to parents and the public at that time.

In matters related to personnel, Kathryn Ribble was approved as a Social Studies teacher at Rivercrest and authorization was given for the administration to employ a qualified teacher for the third grade at Bogata. In other personnel matters, Mike Vinyard, Rivercrest principal, and Richard Garrison, tax assessor collector, were placed on a 12 months basis. Under the new finance bill, the two elementary principals, Robert Giddens and B.A. Hobbrook, will now work on a 11 months basis. Also related to personnel, all auxiliary employees in the school district were granted a ten percent increase in salaries for the 1977-78 year.

Bids submitted by Mrs. Baird Bread Company and Cabell's Milk Company for bread and milk for cafeteria use were approved by the board. In addition to carpeting for the kindergarten and first grade rooms in the Bogata Elementary School, carpeting was also approved for the hallway of this building. A low bid submitted by Sherwin Williams Company of Paris was accepted for the carpeting. It was stated that the flooring in the Bogata Elementary School was worn to such a degree in many areas that a new covering was needed. On the Rivercrest Campus, approval was given to the replacement of a sidewalk at the front entry of the building.

children attending. The

Parkers are former Blos-

som residents and he was

Blossom until it closed.

After the closing drill, the

group enjoyed a variety of

salads, coffee, tea and soft

1977-78 school year was presented to board members and briefly discussed. The 65th Legislature passed a new school finance bill on July 15 which has been made budget work for school much later than normal. The new finance bill makes a number of significant changes in the funding for public schools. The proposed budget for the 1977-78 school year calls for estimated expenditures of \$1,050,000 which is approximately \$101,000 more than the previous school year. The major part of the increase in the new budget is found in two budget items-Maintenance & Operations and in Instructional Salaries and other salaries of school employees. A new salary schedule was approved by the 65th Legislature for professional personnel in public schools and along with salaries of auxiliary employees attributes to approximately \$70,000 of the increase in budget expenditures over the previous year. Revenue from Local Sources are estimated to be \$482,000 and \$554,000 from State Sources. It is the feeling that the new budget can be financed without an increase in the present tax rate which is \$1.75 per one hundred dollar valuation. The budget is tabulated on a taxable value of \$28,000,000 which is about a \$1,000,000 increase over the previous year. This value is based on what is said to be 50 percent of true value.

A proposed budget for the

The public hearing on the adoption of the official budget will be held on Tuesday, August 23, 1977 at 7:30 p.m. with the public cordially invited to at-

#### Country Newspaperin'

Milestones have a way of coming to us each year, The more of them we have it seems the faster they come. But when you have friends and relatives saying and singing Happy Birthday and sending cards and gifts to say nothing of two birthday cakes it makes it worthwhile to be "39 and Holding"

Vera Grogan

#### Fulbright Has Ice Cream Supper

The Fulbright community held its annual ice cream supper Thursday night, Aug. 11, at the Community Center. There were 47 attending. After the ice cream was eaten everyone had to do some form of entertainment or forfeit a dollar. Fifteen made speeches, five sang, and the rest gave their money. Everyone enjoyed the fun and the supper.

TALCO LADY-Mrs. Mar-

singing, cakes and punch Wednesday at the Golden Years Nursing Home in Mount Pleasant. (Staff

#### tha Perry is all dressed up and gives a bright smile as she celebrates her 87th birthday. All the birthday honorees enjoyed the good

#### Seriously Injured Chayme Whitney, nine year

Cyclist Not

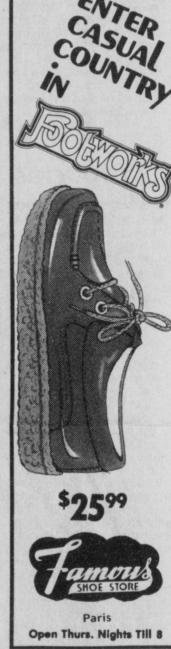
old son of Charles and Charlotte Whitney of Talco, was treated and released from the emergency room at Titus County Memorial Hospital Tuesday afternoon after being struck by a car driven by Mrs. Nadine Caldwell of Talco.

Whitney was on a Honda 125, and according to DPS investigating officer Jim Tatman, was not wearing a helmet.

Mrs. Caldwell was driving a 1975 Plymouth west on Lawrence when Whitney entered from a side street.



CHOW TIME..Five-weekold chickens on Maurice Layton farm at Magee, tifically formulated and mixed feed brought to them by chain feeders. At 8 weeks. broilers weigh 43.7 times their original hatching weight. If humans grew at same rate, 8-week-old baby would weigh 349 pounds.



#### Talco OES Observes Birthday

50th ANNIVERSARY-Mr.

and Mrs. John Parker of

Bogata celebrated their 50th

day with nine of their ten

Talco Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star observed the birthday of their founder, Rob Morris, when they met in regular session Tuesday night, with a salad supper following the close of the meeting. The business session was presided over by Worthy Matron, Fannie Gieger, and Worthy Patron, James Gieger, during which time it was voted to buy a large bag for the secretary to carry all the secretary books and other things which have to be carried to and from the Chapter Hall to her home and back at each meeting. Also, the Masonic brothers extended an invitation to the Eastern Star members to their annual barbecue to be held at the Masonic Hall on September 5.

the dessert. Mrs. Opal Morris was reported to be in the Mc-Cuistion Hospital in Paris for

The ladies are to bring pies for

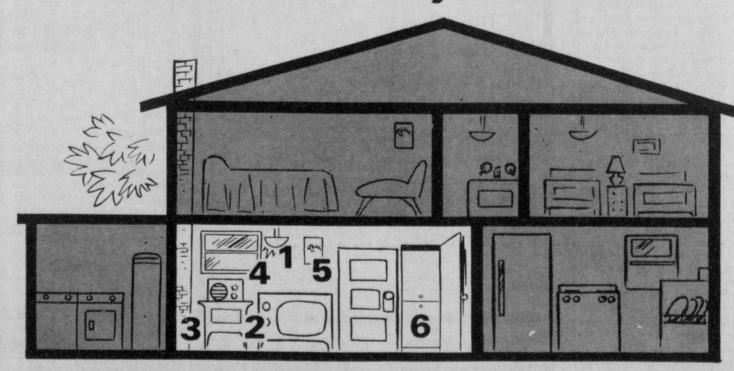
Worthy Patron, Mr. Gieger, gave an interesting story of Rob Morris and his niece.

#### Slusher Reunion Is Held

The annual Slusher reunion was held Sunday, August 14, at the Blossom Community Center. Attending were Mrs. Gracie Chase and W. A. and Mr. and Mrs. Gurley Chase of Edna; Mr. and Mrs. Travis Slusher and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Slusher, Phill and Pam of Mesquite, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Slusher and girls of Austin; Mr. and Mrs. Dale Smyers, Tracie, Britt and Bonits of Duncanville, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ham of the Linden Community, Mr. and Mrs. Talmer Rodie of Red Oak; Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Slusher of Cunningham; Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Croy of Clarksville; Mrs. Joan Woodard and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hart and family of Blossom; Mrs. Smyers of Powderly and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Martin and Paul and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Powell of Bogata and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Don Nabors and baby of Paris.

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2 TV'S AND STEREOS. Enjoy them — that's what they're for. But don't leave them needlessly running when you leave for more than a few minutes. Solid state TV's, stereos and radios require less electricity than tube-type sets. Instant-on TV sets use energy even when they're turned off . . . plug them into a controlled outlet to

3 FIREPLACE. During the summer and when not in use during the winter, keep the damper on your fireplace tightly shut.

4 WINDOWS. Check your windows for air leakage. Install weatherstripping around doors and windows, and if possible install storm

windows and doors for even further energy savings. During the winter, open draperies on sunny days ... during the summer, close draperies to the sun.

5 THERMOSTAT. Suggested summer setting of 78° and winter setting of 68° should keep most families comfortable. When you're going to be away from home for several days, turn your thermostat up 10 degrees during summer, down 10 degrees during the winter. Locate your thermostat away from lamps or direct sunlight

6 AIR CONDITIONING/HEATING

UNITS. Have a specialist check your unit each year. Clean or replace filters at least once a month. Learn about the EER (Energy Efficiency Ratio) before purchasing a new unit. If you do have a breakdown, call a qualified serviceman for repairs and ask for a written estimate of cost.

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