

Fro mthe Editor's Window

Did you know the world's only helium plant is in Texas? It is located at Amarillo and has a production capacity of 24,000,000 feet of helium annually.

Fritz Kreisler, world famed violinist, was struck down by a car in New York a few days ago and received a skull fracture and other severe injuries.

From the Hico News-Review comes this bit of information:—"Vitamin B-1 bread, as we explained to the nearly teen-age daughter, is what we have got smart enough to make after getting so smart we took out the ingredients our forefathers had sense enough to leave in the flour."

Will man ever learn to quit meddling with nature? He should know by this time that all the elements contained in wheat are very necessary to the welfare of mankind and all should be left in the flour.

Miss Mildred Yeager of the Putnam News was recently honored in the well known column "U.S. and Us" of the Times Herald, one of Washington leading dailies, and was attributed a floral salute as a compliment of the Blackstone Florist, Inc.

Thousands of well trained Canadian fliers have, within the last few days, safely reached England to take their places in the war against Germany. They were accompanied by a heavily armed convoy and reported the crossing was quiet and even dull with not one U-boat or hostile aircraft being sighted on the entire trip over.

The national WPA administrator, Harry Hunter, has announced that the WPA rolls all over the country will be reduced to approximately 1,300,000 persons by July 1. He stated that there are now around 7,000,000 unemployed in the country and even with increased employment through defense works it is unlikely the number of unemployed will drop below 5,000,000 people this year.

The Clyde Enterprise speaks the sentiments of a majority of the people we believe when he says:—"We never did have any patience with a balky horse. These sit down strikes give us the same sort of feeling that a balky horse does, only worse. We sincerely hope that by the end of the National Congress there will be an effective, enforceable law 'again' it."

It couldn't Happen Here—We heard a man grumbling the other day about his barber getting absent-minded. He said the last time he went into get a shave that the barber wrapped a newspaper around his neck and handed him a towel to read.—Hamilton Herald Record.

Jim Yarbrough was in town Saturday from the Union community and in talking of the rain, he thinks that there is too much rain for grain which is causing rust in places

Miss Zada Williams spent the week end visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Williams.

Dr. Williams Francis Fry, A Preacher And Teacher Died May 1

Dr. William Francis Fry, 73 died of heart disease at Lubbock Friday, May 1. He was professor of Biblical training at Texas Technological college under auspices of the Baptist General Convention of Texas.

PENSION CHECKS TO BE THREE DOLLARS LESS THAN IN APRIL

Old Age Pension Administration announced Tuesday that pension would be reduced for May by three dollars from the April payment. The average will be \$11.46 with \$14.35 for April and will go to \$133,569 as compared to April 128,835.

POST \$100 REWARD FOR UTILITY BILLS OF ANCIENT VINTAGE

There is a hundred dollar reward out for "Old Bill". It's the old electric bill that is "wanted," according to A.D. Everett, local manager of the West Texas Utilities, who announced the reward.

CROSS PLAINS TO GET SINGING CONVENTION FIRST SUNDAY IN JUNE

The Callahan County singing convention held its monthly meeting at the high school auditorium Sunday afternoon, which was fairly well attended, considering the amount of rain the past few days.

WEST TEXAS HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION WILL MEET IN ALBANY SATURDAY 10TH

In an historic setting members of the West Texas Historical association will gather at Albany Saturday for the body's seventeenth annual meeting.

RED CROSS IN NEED OF PEOPLE TO KNIT

The Red Cross needs a large number of sweaters knitted Mrs. L. E. Williams has the yarn if you can or will knit see her soon. There will be a great deal of sewing to be done. Also if you would help with this it will be greatly appreciated.

The Mississippi River is the father of the waters.

PUTNAM RECEIVES 3.74 INCHES RAIN MAKING A TOTAL OF 13.74 IN 41

Well, did it rain? Since our last report Putnam has had the following rain on Sunday and Sunday night it rained .72 inches and on the 28th it rained .25 inches making the total for April 4.11 inches.

The present rains give the City the best water supply in about three years. The lake caught full, while it did not run around; but it is just ready to go over the spillway. Another light rain would run it around.

TARLTON STEADHAM AND CARTER BOWEN SPOKE AT HOME COMING FRIDAY

Tarlton Steadham of Austin reared and received his education from the Putnam school and Carter Bowen who formerly lived in Putnam, but moving away from here a number of years ago with his parents.

B. O'FLAHERTY NEW EDITOR ELECTED TO CISCO DAILY NEWS

B. O'Flaherty of San Angelo has been made manager of the Cisco Daily News succeeding B. A. Butler, who founded the paper. O'Flaherty, owner of the Cisco News until it was merged with the Daily Press in 1937, recently has been operating a paper in San Angelo.

Mrs. Perry Triplett and son Dwight of New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reyle of Dallas, Mrs. Lottie Davenport of Ranger, Mr. and Mrs. Buel Everett, Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Moore, Cisco, Mrs. Paul Poe Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Cook, of Brownwood, Mrs. Arthur Purvis and son of Fort Worth, all were here for the home-coming Friday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Virgel Brown Thursday a baby girl. Mother and baby both doing nicely.

Putnam-Moran Road Project Started Thursday Morning

The road project in this county from Putnam, to Moran was started Thursday morning. The work began about 1000 feet north of the Bankhead highway through Putnam. This is a WPA job and will employ a large force of men for several months as they will have about twelve miles of road to complete before the job is completed.

Is also reported funds are available on highway 36 in Callahan county and completing highway 36 will provide an added direct route between camp Barkeley near Abilene and Camp Bowie at Brownwood, the two training centers in the defense program in this district.

BROWN COUNTY WILL VOTE ON BEER 17TH

Brown county commissioners court in session Monday set May 17, as the date for a beer election there, to determine whether or not 3.2 sales will become legal in bone-dry Brown county.

Both wets and dries appeared before the court asking a vote on the question. Surprising, was the fact that a petition was submitted by the dries bearing 912 signatures.

Fred Heyser of the Zion Hill community was in Putnam Saturday afternoon and stated there would be no water-moons this year on account of the heavy rains. He stated, they had five inches Friday afternoon and it was measured rain and not guessed at.

Mrs. Vernon Kille and daughter of Big Spring, and Mrs. Pete Jackson of San Angelo and daughter, Nancy, visited with their grandmother, Mrs. Ida Rogers and attended the home-coming Friday returning to their homes Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Harrell of Red River, New Mexico, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Cook, Mrs. Dan Fleming, Mrs. Harwell's mother and other relatives and friends in and around Putnam this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Triplett of Artesia, New Mexico visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cribbs Friday while attending the home-coming of the Putnam high school.

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CROSS PLAINS DRY IN BEER ELECTION HELD ON SATURDAY

Cross Plains goes dry by a large majority in Saturday's beer election. Beer was voted in 1934 and against it 1935 for it 1938 and for it in 1940, by 32 majority. Hardly anyone expected a wet vote in Saturday's election, since conditions have changed in the last twelve months.

DEFENSE HITS FARM IMPLEMENT RUBBER NEEDS

WASHINGTON.—Because of record consumption of crude rubber in the United States and the slow pace of arrivals from the Far East producing centers, the government and consuming industries are studying methods of conserving it.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Armstrong and children of Jal, New Mexico, visited their parents here during the week end attended the home-coming of the Puenam high school students.

Mrs. Gus Brandon and Mrs. Adolph Brandon were shopping in Cisco Tuesday.

WORRY ABOUT WAR BLAMED FOR DALLAS DRINKING

DALLAS.—War nerves are driving Dallasites to increased liquor consumption, F. O. Goen, deputy supervisor for the State Liquor Control Board, said recently.

Since January 1, the number of liquor package stores in Dallas County has jumped from 165 to 195, the highest number licensed since liquor was legalized, Goen said.

CHEMICAL FROST BRAKE

University of Missouri chemists have hit upon sprays of water and chemical solutions which when applied to fruit trees in early spring arrest the fruit bud development and prevents loss of the crop from sudden frost.

A. H. Nelson visited his son, O. H. Nelson in Abilene Saturday afternoon and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson and family returned home with Mr. Nelson, also Mr. and Mrs. Clark Tabor and boys of Clyde came over Sunday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Nelson returning home Sunday afternoon.

Miss Theda Smith is able to be out again after a tonsilectomy operation, Miss Smith is one of the teachers in the Putnam school.

M. R. Surlis of the Dothan Community was in Putnam Saturday afternoon, circulating among friends.

The only sensible time to go around blowing your own horn is when it's on your car.

Mrs. Alvin Agnew was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cribbs last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cribbs and daughter Helen Chlo spent Monday in Abilene.

Mrs. Arthur Purvis and son of Fort Worth attended the homecoming last week.

The Texas petroleum industry now pays 44.1-2 per cent of all State business and property taxes, NOT including sales taxes such as the gasoline tax. If sales taxes are counted, petroleum and its products bear 54 per cent of the State's tax-income.

Texas oil bears a total of 22 different taxes, or 21 in addition to the State gross production tax. cents per barrel.

Texas oil producers now pay direct taxes amounting to \$788 a year for every employee they have.

The town of Rattlesnake, Fla., gets its livelihood largely from canning rattlesnake meat and converting other parts of the reptile into medical preparations and leather, according to the census bureau.

School Homecoming Was Well Attended On Friday, May 2nd

The high school homecoming was a success, however, there was not as many people attended as would have on account of the rainy weather. There were about two hundred ex-students who attended, from various parts of the state and a few from other states.

At noon they moved from the new auditorium over to the old building where lunch was spread using more than two hundred plates. The lunch was free and furnished by the ladies of the town.

The climax of the day was when Mary Alice Burnam, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Burnam was crowned queen.

After the crowning of the queen the meeting was turned into an old fashion square dance where many of the older people took part with lots of fun and amusement for the remainder of the evening.

\$162,589 Advalorum Taxes Levied In '40 In Callahan County

Motor vehicle registration is running a few hundred behind as there has only been 2,773 motor vehicles registered to Saturday night, as compared with 3,184 in 1938.

Also valuations in the county is lower; in 1938 we had a valuation of 7,988,801, while in 1940 the valuation was only 6,851,195, or about 4.20 per cent lower than it was in 1938.

Figuring this on a tax bases at the present county rate which is divided as follows: county general 25 cents on the 100 valuation would be \$17,127, the public building at the same 25 cents on the 100 valuation would be \$17,127 and the jury tax of 15 cents on the 100 valuation would be \$7,191, road and bridge at 15 cents on the 100 valuation would be \$7,191 and a 2 cent predatory animals would be \$1,270. This adds up a total of \$50,006 as county taxes.

State taxes on the same valuations would be 35 cents on the 100 valuation and would be \$23,979, and the schools collect 35 cents on the 100 valuation which would be \$23,979 with a pension tax of 7 cents on the 100 valuation would be \$4,634 making a total of state and county advalorum tax of \$102,589, besides this the car tax will run about \$35,000 making a grand total of \$137,589, or figuring on a per capita bases it would be \$8.55 per capita for every person in Callahan county.

Something To Chew On There are, in the United States, 65 different kinds of canned vegetables, 43 of fruit, 37 of fish and shellfish, 29 of meats and 30 of soups.

PROLEIC Five muskrats were taken to Prague in 1905 and their offspring have spread into upper and lower Austria, Bavaria, and Germany, and now number more than 100,000,000.

BROKE RECORD There never had been more than four candidates for the Democratic nomination for governor of North Carolina until 1940, when there were seven.

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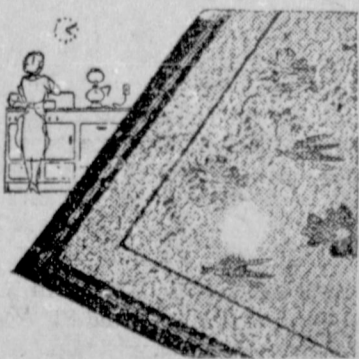
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BROWNWOOD, — Perishable foods handled by the camp quartermaster's office at Camp Bowie are now stored in one of the Army's largest and most modern refrigeration plants.

The steel and concrete cold-storage building, located in the western part of the quartermaster warehouse area, was placed in use a few days ago.

The plant, operated under the supervision of Major Paul Frick, camp sales and commissary officer, and Captain M. Shipley, camp veterinary officer, has a capacity of 300 tons of food. In it can be stored thirty-two car loads of frozen meat or sixteen cars of fresh meat in carcasses, six carloads of vegetables and two carloads of dairy products.

Two rooms, seventy by thirty-nine feet, are used for freezing rooms. Temperature in this section can be brought down to ten degrees above zero.

The two vegetable storage rooms, each seventy-two by twenty feet, are kept at a temperature of 32 to 40 degrees. The two meat storage rooms, forty-two by thirty-nine feet, are kept at around 30 degrees. Foods are issued from two fifty-five by eighteen-foot issue rooms which have a working temperature of 35 degrees.

## NEW EAST TEXAS CROPS

LONGVIEW, — New crops for East Texas that pay is an agricultural aim of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce in 1941. Farmers interest is increasing throughout the region in soybeans, flax, castor, tung and industrial sweet potatoes and in chufa nuts, the agricultural department reports.

## TEXAS RANK SECOND

Texas moved into second place as a rice producing state, according to the 1940 census. Louisiana retains first place, producing 4,940,404 barrels of rice in 1940 from 2,888,027 acres. Texas produced 2,888,027 barrels from 186,236 acres.

California ranks third among the states with a production of 2,202,755 barrels; Arkansas is fourth with a crop of 2,125,345 barrels. Only two other states are listed among those producing rice — Georgia and Florida with small production in each.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Heslep and daughter of Wichita Falls, were guests of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Jim Heslep through the week end while attending the home-coming of the Putnam high school. Mr. Heslep accompanied them home.

Americanism: Working so hard as to destroy good health in order to have the money to try to recover.



## Arkansas Traveler!

The names of the district highway foremen are posted on signs beside the road. . . . As you approach a curve or sharp turn, there is a marker that tells you the top speed that is safe to make. . . . Odd name: Sell-a-Million filling station — Driving through a forest, guess what the Guerdon picture show is advertising? "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine." Forest.

Approaching Hot Springs, you see a roadside inn which proclaims, "Wisconsin cooking" and I always thought it was cheese that State was famous for. . . . A poet must have named "Green Pasture Camp."

Hot Springs is a picturesque city, the business district (with a very long main street) nestling in a valley with steep hills on all sides. There is a Hollywood sort of atmosphere: here is an old Indian with long, plaited hair; there are two young men with bushy whippers, and watch out for that cripple in a wheel chair which he propels along the sidewalk at a fast rate with two cans which he uses like a pair of oars.

The row of bath houses is impressive. People with folding metal cups get drinks from the fountain of hot water on the street. A man is sitting on the steps of a bath house and is resting his arm on a sign, "Do not sit on these steps."

Hot Springs is a city of huge hotels, Happy Hollow where children ride horrors, lace and jewelry shops, sight-seeing buses, shooting galleries, instantaneous photo stands.

You need never lack for something to do in Hot Springs—climb the hills or drive through miles of scenery, boat on Lake Hamilton and dine at the cafe built in the form of an stern-wheel river steamer, play golf, go to a night club, see wrestling matches or boxing and, during the month of racing, watch the horses run at beautiful Oaklawn Park.

Viewing the "sport of kings" is E. H. Crump—you know, Mister Crump, the political "boss" on Memphis, Tennessee. Rosy-faced, his once-red hair now powdered with gray, he has had a song and a race horse named for him.

And that chap with the old cap twisted around so far that it looks like a beret is One-Eyed Connelly himself in person. He's been crashing gates since he was nine years old and the harder it is to gain admittance, the better he likes it. He has posed as prize-fight "second" or has borrowed a Western Union cap and a yellow envelop and once he had to buy a few sandwiches and put them on a tray—that was at the Dempsey-Carpentier fight where he tried 15 times before he made it).

The races draw thousands of visitors to Hot Springs and they fill the hotels, cafés and stores to overflowing and spend millions of dollars, which benefits all lines of business. Many Texans (unable to see racing in their own State) are in the throngs.

A young man from the city was sent to take an inventory of a farm. He hadn't had any experience in this type of work, but he managed to make a list of all the chattels and stock until he came to an animal which he was unable to identify—a goat.

So he phoned his boss and said, "What do you call this thing that's around here with a rough coat that's worn out in spots, a beard, and a long, sad face?"

"That, you fool, is the farmer!"

Around Austin: For over two years, Jim Carroll, former Houston Press oil editor, has waged an unrelenting campaign against the price-fixing fair trade bill. "Mr. Anti-Fair Trade," as he is frequently called, was happy the other day: "The bill's supporters have now admitted officially before a Senate committee that it will repeal the anti-trust law. My ambition was to expose the seriousness of the bill. If Jim Hogg's greatest contribution to Texas is to be wiped off the books, the people are entitled to know about it. And may the people have been given official notice."

There are no cuspidors in the gallery of the House and signs warn citizens against using the floor. Has a tobacco chewer a rights no more nowhere, not even in his Capitol?

## CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas,  
To the Sheriff or any Constable in Callahan County, Texas, greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Barney J. Gordon, by making publication of this citation once each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there by a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Callahan County, Texas, being the 42nd Judicial District, to be holden at the courthouse, thereof in Baird, Texas, on the 2nd Monday in June, 1941, the same being the 9th day of June, 1941 then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 26th day of April, 1941, in a suit numbered 10151 on the docket of said court, wherein Phae Gordon is plaintiff and Barney J. Gordon is defendant, said petition alleging that plaintiff and defendant were married on October 29th, 1940; that they lived together as husband and wife until on or about December 26th, 1940, when by reason of the cruel treatment of defendant toward plaintiff she was forced and compelled to leave him; that he drank liquor to excess; that he gambled and did not support plaintiff; that he borrowed money on her automobile, and did not pay it back; that he took her rings and sold them, and that they were incompatible and could not get along; that plaintiff is suing defendant for divorce and restoration of her maiden name, and other relief which she may be entitled to.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Witness, Raymond Young, Clerk of the District Court of Callahan County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, in the Town of Baird, in Callahan County, Texas this 26, day of April, A.D. 1941.

RAYMOND YOUNG, Clerk of the District Court of Callahan County, Texas. 41-9

Issued this 26th day of April A. D. 1941.

All but three of Texas' 254 counties now have oil or gas production or exploration.

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# Home Making Hints

## Check on Your Child's Diet

We see and hear each day—news that is shocking—but when we hear or see statistics that show us that at least 42% of our Americans or not physically strong enough not physically fit we shrug and muse that figures are not very interesting—Use common sense in the matter—Do all of your associates have fitness? Does one out of each two have perfect health? It is time that we need some of the education we are getting on how to be physical fit.

Good health is better than Aladdin's lamp when it comes to make children's dreams for the future come true. For good health often is the key to good jobs—to success at those jobs—and to a through enjoyment of living.

May 1 was Child health day throughout the nation—by proclamation of the President of the United States. It was the official day for parents the country over to check up on the kind of a foundation they are building for the Health of tomorrow's citizens. If you did not—check today.

In his proclamation, the president asked especially that the people of every community review the extent to which they are providing certain health needs of children. And foremost on the list of health needs for children is nutritious food.

Good food is the basis for good health. It builds tissue, strong bones, and sound teeth. It helps to repair the body, keeps it in good running order, and gives energy for work and play. Furthermore, good food habits established in childhood are an asset throughout life, because they make selection of the right diet second nature.

But what is good for children? Rowena Carpenter, nutrition specialist of the U.S. Dept. of Agri's Bureau of Home Economics tells briefly in the following suggestions:

Getting the right food for children need not be a complicated matter, says Mrs. Carpenter, not if you keep in mind the important food groups and plan to include representatives from each of these groups in the meals every day. It needn't be an expensive matter, either. For fortunately, many very nourishing foods are also cheap. And in each of the good groups there are better food bargains than others.

The important foods for children

are: Milk and milk products—vegetables and fruits—whole grain cereals and bread—eggs—lean meat fish, or poultry—and cod-liver-oil. Children may have other foods, of course. But mothers who plan their children's meals so they eat enough variety of foods in each of these important groups can be pretty sure their children are well fed.

Mrs. Carpenter gives some tips on selecting economical foods in each of these groups:

Milk every child needs from 3-4 to 1 quart a day. But this need not all be fresh whole milk. Some of it, especially that used in cooking, can be the cheaper forms of milk, such as dry skim milk and evaporated milk. Remember, if you serve skim milk that you need to serve plenty of foods rich in vitamin A that the milk fat contains. This may be butter, cod-liver-oil, greens or any other vegetable or fruit rich in the Vitamin A. Cottage cheese and mild American cheese are other suitable foods for children from which they can get part of their daily quota of milk.

Vegetables and fruits—try to get at least 4 servings a day. One should be rich in vitamin C and one rich in Vitamin A. There is a wide choice of the fruits and vegetables that are rich in these two vitamins. Rich in vitamin C are oranges, grapefruit tomatoes, greens, cabbage, turnips and rutabagas. Rich in vitamin A and iron are green leafy vegetables, such as beet tops, kale, spinach, collards, and wild greens. Yellow vegetables rich in vitamin A are carrots, rutabagas, yellow turnips, yellow-squash, sweet potatoes, apricots, and yellow peaches.

As for the other servings of vegetables, one or more might be potatoes or sweet potatoes because of the good return in food value these vegetables give for their cost. Prunes, dried fruits, bananas, dried peas, peanuts, also have a lot to offer for their cost. Apples and root vegetables are a cheap source of food most of the year round. And pears, grapes and fruit in season add variety.

Eggs—if possible, a child should eat one every day. If not, try to see that he gets at least 4 or 5 a week. Regardless of grade or color, eggs are a bargain package of food value.

Lean meat, poultry or fish—All

lean meats have about the same food value whether the cut is tough or tender and no matter how cooked. Liver and kidneys are especially rich in iron and some vitamins, and pork is rich in B or thiamin. Low cost forms of poultry, lean pork—less tender cuts of lean meat with little bone or gristle—canned pink salmon, mackerel, sardines—salt cod and other salt fish.

Cereals and bread—all children need at least one serving of cereal a day. If you can afford just four servings a day of fruits and vegetables, try to get at least half of your servings of bread and cereal as whole grain products or as enriched bread.

Cod liver oil—infants and young children need some kind of fish liver oil or direct sunshine the year round. They need the vitamin D they get from the sunshine and the cod-liver oil to help build strong and bones, ordinarily they do not get enough from a well-balanced diet. Two teaspoons of cod-liver oil is the usual amount to give children between 1 and 2 years old. How much children need after that depends on how much sunshine they get—and it is naturally less in the summer season when it is cold and cloudy. But nutritionists and doctors agree that children should continue to take cod-liver oil throughout the years of rapid growth.

The richest heritage any child can have is not dollars and cents but a good strong healthy body—to be able to be physical fit—appetites must be trained while the child is young so as he will get the foods throughout life that will keep him strong in body.

### Briefs

1. The strawberry preserve recipe last week should have read 1 quart of sugar 1-1/2 quart of strawberries. (I do not think it was a mistake of the printer but my own mistake.)

2. Mrs. C. B. Young of the Enterprise community tells me that she has a box rented in a Freezer Locker Plant and that they are well pleased with it in fact she says that up to this year they had always canned the pork that was not curable. This year it was stored in the locker box and she says that fresh pork is much better than the canned. She has had other products stored in the box and is equally satisfied. She is planning to store vegetables fresh rather than doing so much canning. Callahan county farmers are missing something by not having a locker plant near by to store surplus food in.

3. The following schedule is for the area meeting during May:  
May 14—Eula School Bldg. 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. Wednesday  
May 15—Denton Methodist church 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. Thursday  
May 16—Clyde Church of Christ 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. Friday  
May 20—Putnam 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesday  
May 21—Union 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. Wednesday  
May 22—Dressy School Bldg. 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. Thursday  
May 23—Atwell School Bldg. 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. Friday

Every one is invited to attend these meetings who is interested in Food Preservation—storage of fresh vegetables will be given, latest news on canning of fruits and vegetables, canning budgets, canned wheat and grinding whole grain products. Miss Vada Cole Farm Security Home Supervisor will help give this demonstration.

4. Are you sure you can your tomatoes the best way to preserve the Vitamin C content? You should be for Vit. C is rich in tomatoes if canned properly, high temperatures killed Vit. C and so does the air. If you are interested there is a new starting leaflet that gives you the latest waiting to be sent to you if you will drop the Home Demonstration Agent the card making the request.

5. Strawberries can be grown quite successfully in this county as some of the commercial growers have proven—this berry can be grown in small pits to furnish your table with berries white in season. Mrs. M. D. Farrar of Enterprise has a bed 6 foot by 30 foot that is supplying her family with berries but she shares them with a neighbor. Mrs. Farrar has had the bed for two years, the first year she set them out a little late but got a light crop, this year she has a heavy crop and took plants out in the fall to set a plot 50 feet by 500 feet. Mrs. Farrar says that the plots are not very much trouble to care for and that she waters them in the hot dry summer months. She also has a frame garden that supplies her with spinach, mustard, lettuce, radishes, and onions.

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## NEW MONEY CROP FOUND IN TUNG NUTS

GULFPORT, Miss. — Gulf Coast planters of tung tree groves, who ten years ago had serious doubts about ever getting profits out of their effort, are jubilant this year with tung oil price now 30c a pound as compared with 6c in 1930, and a steadily increasing demand for this exceptional rapid-drying oil which is preferred to all the American paint and varnish industries. American industries annually consume 125,000,000 pounds of tung oil, nearly all imported, and stocks growing appreciably less.

The tung oil boom extends from Florida to East Texas, with a total planting of around 200,000 acres in all, of which probably 25,000 acres were set in 1940. Next season's acreage may be doubled, enthusiasts say. At the seventh annual convention of the American Tung Oil Association here, lasting through several days, 200 plantation owners, federal and state scientists, including some capitalists from Chicago, St. Louis, Toledo and other northern centers who have become interested in the possibilities of tung production in the Deep South, are comparing notes as to progress methods and outlook.

At ten tung oil mills, most of them erected within the last three years, a crop of 5,000,000 pounds of oil, bringing growers \$1,500,000 is nearing the close of the season. Quality is of the highest, far superior to imported Chinese tung oil, previously the only source. The Japanese have placed restrictions on tung imports which has sent prices sky high and is giving a boost to planting in Gulf Coast areas.

A total of 125 new oil fields were found in Texas last year.

## CIGS FOR MEASURING FISH

You can use cigarettes with which to measure your fish if you are ever in doubt as to whether one is legal and you are out in the middle of the lake without a rule. The length of any standard cigarette is 2-3/4 inches and that of the new "longies" 3-1/2 inches. Lay as many cigarettes end to end beside the fish in doubt and add the total. It may save you a fine.

## Mississippi Plants Most

Largest planting last winter was reported from southern Mississippi in the Picayune-Hattiesburg area, followed by southwestern Louisiana, northwestern Georgia and northern Florida. About 2,000 acres have been planted in Southeast Texas in the vicinity of Beaumont, Jasper and Newton. A federal test orchard of budded trees, instead of

When the House recently voted down by a heavy majority of separate oil and gas commission, that action reflected the sentiment of the large majority the creation of new boards and bureaus, they favor an elective over an appointive body and they feel that the State Railroad Commission has done a good job.

## Will Plant 30,000 Pine Trees

Henderson county farmers have received 30,000 pine trees from the Alto experiment station to be planted as an experiment on land not suitable for crops or pasture. The varieties are loblolly, short leaf, long leaf and flash.

The law cannot be sustained by boost of kindness.

The only person we know of who finds it pays to look down in the mouth is our dentist.

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The expenses of Texas State government have trebled within the past fifteen years.

When gangsters work together, honest, people might as well cooperate.

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Cards of Thanks, Resolutions of Respect, and any kind of entertainments where admission fee or other monetary consideration is charged, will be charged for at regular advertising rates.

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\* COTTONWOOD \*  
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A funeral service was conducted at the Cottonwood Baptist church, Thursday, May first. Bonnie was the five year old child of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ingram. Rev. E. F. Redden held the service. She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ingram; a brother and a sister, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. O'Neal, grandparents; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ingram, grand-parents. Mr. V. C. Walker of Higginbothams Funeral Home was in charge.

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Mrs. S. A. Moore visited her sister Mrs. Lucie Simms of Goldthwaite last week. \*\*\*

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coffey spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Holder of Burkett. \*\*\*

Mrs. N. G. Borden visited Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Butler of Cross Plains the first of this week. \*\*\*

Mr and Mrs. E. L. Redden and children Lavornia and Celeta, and Dorothy Ramey spent last week end with relatives in Sweetwater. \*\*\*

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Fulton, Misses Clara Dell and Marjorie Jordan were Abilene visitors Monday. \*\*\*

After several weeks of visiting with her children, Mrs. W. E. Carpenter has returned home. \*\*\*

Trustees met Monday night and re-elected Miss Reba Waldrop and Miss Mary Beth Palmore as the teachers for the coming year.

All-Out for Defense



Rep. Lyndon Johnson at work on American defense problems in House Naval Affairs Committee.

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Rev. Slayden preached at the Methodist church Tuesday night. \*\*\*

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Everett of Putnam and Mrs. Clarence Nurdyke of Baird spent Monday with Mrs. Floyd Coffey. \*\*\*

W. E. Melton of Coleman and father were visitors here Tuesday.

COTTON LABORATORY  
AUSTIN. — An appropriation of \$250,000 for two years was voted by the Senate recently for the establishment of a cotton research laboratory in Texas as proposed in Geo. Moffet's Senate bill.

The effort will be to find more uses for cotton and profitable income to the cotton growers. It is not planned to erect buildings but to divide the scientific work among the state institutions.

RAILROADS SHOULD BE ALLOWED TO MOVE GOODS ALONG LINES BY TRUCK

A bill sponsored by Rep. Henry G. Lehman of Giddings, requiring the Railroad Commission to issue certificates to the railroads permitting them to transport goods by truck in the territory served by their lines, is now before the House.

A companion bill, sponsored by Senator Olan R. Van Zandt of Tioga has been introduced in the Senate.

These bills provide that such certificates shall be issued only after the Railroad Commission has conducted hearings and has been convinced that the granting of this right would be in the public interest.

HUNT FOR MILK VITAMINS

American chemists and physicists are searching for hidden food values in milk, which are suspected of having been overlooked in past research. The National Dairy Council is leading a new type of research into the hidden secrets of milk, casein and whey. From the time some years ago when fat-soluble Vitamin A was found in milk little further important discovery has been directed at milk and its products. A group of researchers will direct a new attack upon milk in connection with the national program of improved feeding of soldiers and civilians in relation to defense.

PLASTICISED WOOD

Successful plasticising of several kinds of wood with the aid of weak acids is reported from United States Forest Products Laboratory. Poplar, oak, elm, locust and other woods have been converted into a pasty mass which can be injected into molds. Under pressure and heat the acids are forced into the pores of wood, resulting in a flexible material which can be shaped as long as it is warm into required patterns.

Fashions for women are in what might be called the look-and-see era.

Life is very simple if you have sense enough to go for the simple life.

Japan seems very anxious to prevent the United States from getting into war.

The average club, or organization will grab almost any excuse for a supper.

The Texas petroleum industry now pays over \$75,000,000 a year in State and local taxes, NOT counting gasoline taxes paid by the individual motorist.

The international danger that confronts the United States, according to some people, is to be blamed on Great Britain; the British haven't beat the Germans quick enough.

If the average newspaper man has five hours in which to write a story, he will stand around and talk for four hours and then rush his copy.

The formula for modern magazines seems to be top-heavy with half dressed females.

Loyal American almost went to war last week about a strike; the umpire called it.

If you want to get rid of a man who tries to borrow some money, lend him the money.

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