

FROM THE EDITOR'S WINDOW

BY MRS. J. S. YEAGER

As they sat reading in the evening cool of the garden the sentimental woman said: "Here's a wonderful thing, dear. It's about a man who reached the age of fifty without learning to read and write. Then he met a woman, and for her sake made himself into a scholar in two years."

"That's nothing," grunted her husband. "I knew a man who was a profound scholar at forty. Then he met a woman, and for her sake made a fool of himself in two days."

"The increasing divorce rate is rapidly making America the land of the free, all right," a visiting Englishman said to an American friend.

"Yes," said the American, "but the marriage rate is increasing too, showing that America is still the home of the brave."

An officer gave this advice to his men during the war: "Treat everyone with politeness, even those who are rude to you. For remember that you are courteous to others not because they are gentlemen, but because you are one."

It is said that both employment and payrolls in Texas have hit the high peak during 1946 and it is hoped the state may, with continued careful management, have new gains from month to month and reach out for new business endeavors and broaden our business activities more than ever before. There is plenty of room in the Lone Star State for more factories, more business pursuits of all kinds, and our people are endeavoring to broaden our educational facilities and doing our best to make our state attractive to any and all who may wish to cast their lot with us.

The Agriculture Department has announced that present trends indicate that food prices will gradually become lower within the next three to six months. Naturally, they were a bit high after the release from OPA but already one can see the trend as the country gradually gets back to normal times.

Many items are expected to be in full production before the end of the year.

Mrs. Ellen McAdoo, Hinshaw, 32 year old daughter of Ellen Wilson McAdoo and grand-daughter of the late President Woodrow Wilson, died at Santa Monica, California December 19 after taking an overdose of sleeping tablets.

Funeral services were held at the Little Chapel of the Dawn at Santa Monica followed by burial in Inglewood Park Cemetery at Inglewood, California.

Baron Robert De Rothschild, of the wealthy Rothschild family died Christmas day of pneumonia in Lausanne, Switzerland.

At one time the Rothschild family was reputed to be the richest in the world but lost most of their fortune during World War II. Baron De Rothschild was 66 years old at the time of his death.

Carrie Jacobs Bond, composer of many of the nation's favorite songs, died December 28 at her home in Hollywood. Mrs. Bond wrote the beautiful song, "End of a Perfect Day", "The Flying Flag", and many more popular and beloved songs.

She was found in a dying condition at home by her business manager, Mrs. Jaine Palmer, and a friend, Mrs. Howard Berbeck. She had lived in semi-retirement for the past ten years.

Mrs. Bond was eighty-four years of age.

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Now that Christmas has come and gone and we are in the early days of the New Year we take this opportunity to thank our readers for their many favors bestowed upon us and for your kindness and for bearing with us during the past year.

We hope our friendly association and cooperation with each other will continue through the new year and we invite suggestions for the betterment of this column and the paper in general, as we want the News to be a real community paper in all respects.

Now that President Truman has declared an end to hostilities we will all, we feel sure, work together for an enduring peace.

CECIL H. RUTHERFORD PROMOTED TO CPL. AFTER COMPLETION OF BASIC TRAINING

Private First Class Cecil H. Rutherford of Putnam, Texas, who is serving overseas with the Air Weather Service, has been promoted to the grade of Corporal.

Corporal Rutherford is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Rutherford of Putnam. He is a 1946 graduate of the Putnam High School. Soon after graduation from high school he enlisted in the Regular Army at Fort Worth, Texas.

Corporal Rutherford completed Basic Training at SAACC Field, San Antonio, Texas in the latter part of July, and soon thereafter he was sent to San Francisco, California to process for overseas duty. He came directly to Japan where he was assigned to his present duties with Headquarters, 43

Weather Wing, in Tokyo. The 43rd Weather Wing, Pacific unit of the Air Weather Service, is in overall command of all U.S. Army Air Forces weather installations throughout the Pacific and China. This organization is responsible for providing accurate forecasts and weather data for the U. S. Army Air, Ground and Service Forces, and for rehabilitating the civil weather service of Japan and Korea.

Corporal Rutherford plays an important part in this essential service. He is presently assigned to duties in the Communications and Intelligence Section. As a clerk-typist in this section, Corporal Rutherford is required to handle many cryptographic documents and related weather correspondence.

LEASING CONTINUES STRIKE WEST TOWN NEAR CROSS PLAINS

Trading continued brisk this week in leases and royalties in the vicinity of the Fogelson-Ingelwright discovery well on the Baum-Swafford tract, five miles West of Cross Plains. Too, much attention is being focused on the Dean Bros. deep test located on the H. A. Young farm, two miles West of Cross Plains, which is expected to reach the Ellenburger some time next week.

Operations were resumed on the Rudwald et al test on the L. L. Howser tract, two miles Northeast of Cross Plains, and reports in town yesterday were to the effect that a nice showing has been encountered in the Caddo lime. Acidizing of the formation is considered likely.

Principal activity in leasing and royalty buying continues to be in the vicinity of the Fogelson-Ingelwright well which topped the Ellenburger a month ago, uncovering 18,000,000 feet of gas and a spray of oil estimated to be in the neighborhood of three barrels per hour. Nothing has been done as yet to reduce the gas-oil ratio.

One of the larger deals this week was the purchase by E. E. Thate, who is associated by Dean Bros. of a 412 acre lease owned by N. M. Dillard. Then Saturday, Homer and Velma Warren leased the old Warren home place, about a mile West of the well, and comprising 100 acres to the Phillips Petroleum Company for a consideration of \$10 per acre. The Dave Ingram tract, strategically located and close in, is reported to have brought \$20.00 per acre. It was bought by Longview operators, Rev. E. H. Parks was reported to have sold acreage adjacent to the Fogelson-Ingelwright block for a consideration of \$20 per acre. 100 acres were in the tract, Phillips Petroleum Company also bought the W. N. Brigner 80 acre lease on the Coleman highway, E. E. Thate and N. M. Dillard closed a deal Monday afternoon for a 176 acre tract owned by C. B. Beeler. Dillard also took a lease on 65 acres owned by Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Smith, just Southeast of the Fogelson-Ingelwright block. Ed Cornelius sold half royalty under his place bought from Dillard several months ago for a consideration of \$75. for his one half, or a \$150. base.

Very little trading has been going on in the vicinity of the well on the Howser farm, however, it is expected that a "play" may develop in that locality shortly.

An effort is being made to block acreage along the Brown county line South of town for a deep test, however, only a drilling contract is being offered and no cash outlay. Due to the fact that nothing had been done toward oil development in that sector, it is expected that the necessary acreage would be obtained.

M. R. Sturles was in from the Dothan community Saturday afternoon. In talking about the recent snow, he thought that oats were killed out until they might not have a stand left. However, he thought the snow generally would be of great benefit to farmers of this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Davis are the parents of a baby girl weighing eight and three-fourths pounds, born in the Baird hospital on Dec. 19. The baby has been named Charlene. Mother and baby are doing nicely.

HI-WAY COMMISSION OUTLINES AGREEMENT

In order that the people of Road District No. 1 of Callahan County may know what the Highway Department proposed to do with reference to relocating U.S. Highway No. 80 through your county, a desire to outline our previous agreements relative to this matter.

A copy of an order passed by the State Highway Commission on the 13th day of November, 1946, of which a copy has been furnished you, provided that, if Callahan County furnish right of way of such width as to permit the immediate construction of two additional traffic lanes, and not less than 170 feet in width for U.S. 80 from the Eastland County line to the Taylor County line, the State Highway Department would agree to the following:

1. The outstanding bond indebtedness of the County for expenditures made on the present route of U.S. Highway 80 now assumed for payment by the State through the Board of County and District Road Bond Indebtedness will remain the responsibility of the State.

2. That portion of the present route from near Baird to the Taylor County line will be retained on the Highway System for State maintenance.

3. A connecting road from the proposed location of U.S. Highway No. 80 to the present location of U.S. Highway No. 80 at Clyde will be constructed by the State on right of way to be furnished without cost to the State.

4. The following Farm to Market Roads requested by the County will be given consideration for designation and construction by the State in the order requested by the County for future programs to the extent of the allocations which may be made available for Callahan County:

- (a) From the Denton Store to the town of Clyde.
- (b) From Putnam to Cross Plains.

In addition to the above matters, at an informal meeting of your court with the Engineering Department of the State Highway Department, it was agreed and understood that if there should be any surplus left from the proposed bond issue of \$150,000.00 after procuring the right of way for U.S. Highway No. 80, and after division of said surplus between Precincts No. 1 and No. 3, according to the proportion of taxes paid in the two precincts in Road District No. 1, if the Commissioners Court will use any such portion remaining from said bond issue, and allocated to Precinct No. 1, for the construction of an additional road in Clyde from the proposed location of said Highway No. 80 to the present location of said highway, the State will see that said road is completed.

The State further proposes to the City of Baird that upon the City furnishing any necessary pipe, that it may have available, it will relocate the water lines that may be in the proposed new right of way outside of the city limits free of cost to the City; for the City to furnish as much skilled labor as it can, the State to pay for any such labor furnished.

Sincerely yours,
S. J. Treadway,
District Engineer

Glenn Thames was in from the Union community Saturday afternoon trading and visiting with relatives and friends here. Mr. Thames and family moved from Putnam out there about two years ago.



MISS INEZ MAUND

Appointment of Miss Clyde Inez Maund as home economist for Lone Star Gas Company in this territory has been announced by M. L. Bird, division superintendent for the Company. She succeeds Miss Sue Herndon. Miss Maund is available for consultation on menu planning and meal preparation and will advise on how to get the most economical use from modern gas appliances. She will have headquarters in Abilene.

A native of Lampasas, Miss Maund received her B.S. degree in home economics from Southern Methodist University, then served as assistant dietician of Central College, Fayette, Missouri, and dietician of Hockaday School in Dallas. She joined Lone Star Gas Company in 1945 and underwent training in the home economics department in Dallas to prepare for her assignment in this territory.

CATTLE THIEVES ARE ACTIVE IN COUNTY

Cattle thieves in Callahan County are active to an extent, according to reports. R. T. Bart, who lives on Highway 20, seven miles from Cross Plains, who lost two Hereford bulls and a mottled faced steer taken from his herd Sunday before last.

Other cattle owners in the Rowden vicinity have reported thefts of one or more animals recently.

Sheriff S. S. Nichols was in town one day last week investigating the thefts. Bart reported that he found an animal with a rope about its neck and began an investigation that led to discovery of the stealings.

MISS CLAUDIA ALLEN AND BOBBY WILLIAMS MARRIED DEC. 29TH

Announcement has been made here of the marriage of Miss Claudia Guy Allen of Ft. Worth to Mr. Robert D. Williams of Putnam. The couple were married in Fort Worth on December 29 in the Floyd J. Spivey home, the Rev. Spivey reading the ceremony.

Mrs. Williams is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Allen of Moran and formerly of Putnam. Mr. Williams is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Williams of Putnam.

Bobby Williams is a graduate of the Putnam High school. He served some time in the Pacific theatre during the war and has been associated with his father in the ranching business since his return.

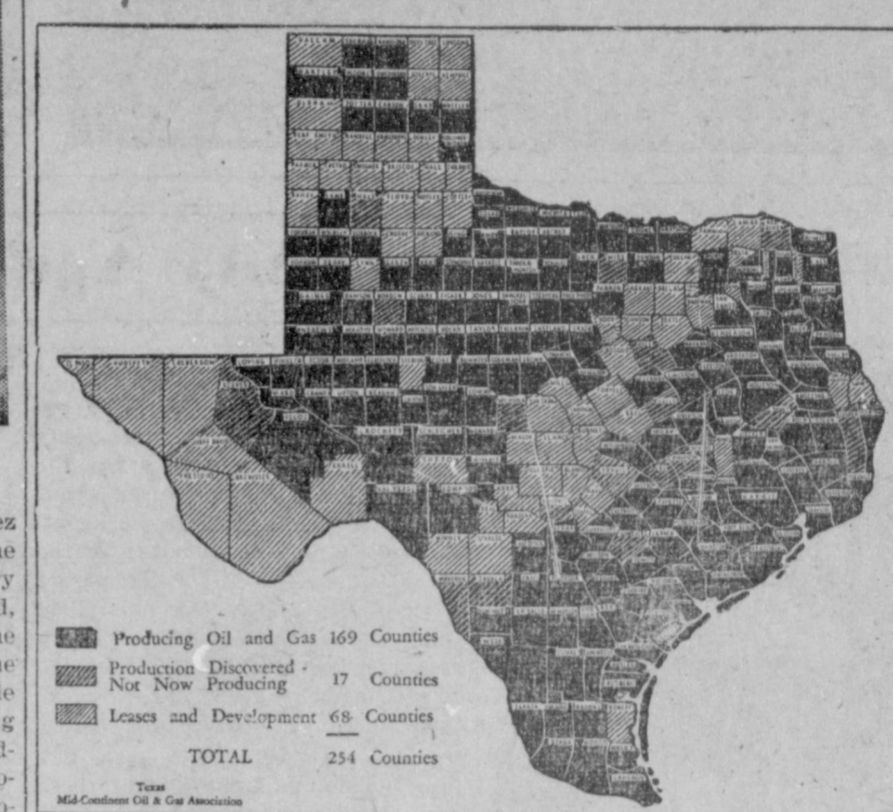
NELSON & SON OPEN GROCERY IN CISCO

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Nelson and son, who formerly lived in Putnam, moving to Clyde a little more than a year ago, have opened up a first class grocery in the building just north of Shobal Honston in Cisco.

They purchased the stock and fixtures from another party. They are not new hands at the business having been in the grocery business in Putnam for several years before moving to Clyde. They are carrying a nice line of groceries and invite their friends to call and see them. Especially would they be pleased to have all of their Putnam friends to call and visit with them regardless of whether or not they purchase anything. They invite you to make their store your headquarters when in Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Rouse of Cross Plains visited with his son, Melvin Rouse and family, over the past week end.

THE NEW REPUBLICAN CONGRESS PLEDGED TO PASS LAWS CURBING LABOR RACKETEERS



Each of Texas' 254 counties currently is producing or has produced oil or gas, or has land under lease for oil and gas development, a new map prepared Jan. 1 by the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association shows.

Texas oil and gas counties number 169, while former petroleum counties total 17. The 68 others have land leased for oil and gas exploration and development. Counties added to the oil column include Edwards, Knox and Madison, where recent discoveries were made, and Newton, and Walker,

which had shows earlier, but which reported their first production last year.

Nearly 54,000,000 acres, or virtually one-third the entire land area of Texas, is now under lease for oil and gas development, Texas farmers, ranchers and other landowners receive around \$215,000,000 a year in lease and royalty payments, the Association reported.

This extra "cash crop" totals more than two billion dollars for the past twenty-five years, or nearly one-seventh of the value of all Texas agricultural crops during the period.

MRS. T. W. BRISCOE MOVES TO AUSTIN

Mrs. T. W. Briscoe, who served as tax collector and assessor for Callahan county for the past six years, informed the writer Monday that she was moving to Austin the last of the month where she has accepted a position with Steck and Company, operators of a large stationery and printing business in Austin.

Mrs. Briscoe made a very able and efficient officer while in office. The people of the county regret that she is leaving but wish her much success in her new home and field of work with the Steck Company.

MR. AND MRS. RAMSAY HAVE THEIR CHILDREN FOR CHRISTMAS DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ramsay had a dinner Christmas day honoring their children and grandchildren and most of them were in attendance.

Those present for the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Jim Yarbrough of Cisco Rt. 1, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Carter, James and Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. John McIntire of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Doc Isenhower and family of Cisco, Miss Dorothy Isenhower of Brady, Wesley of A & M College, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Isenhower and son of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fetters of Denton, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Wood and family of Cisco, Elvin Wood of Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Francisco and sons of Putnam, Mr. and Mrs. Burette Ramsay and daughter of Moran, Mrs. Mike Hughes of Baird, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Burnum and family of Cisco, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Everett of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Jeter of Moran. They all brought lunch and everyone had a very enjoyable time together.

Rev. Orville Reese of Scranton left last week for Galveston for treatment. He has been in falling health for several weeks.

Mrs. A. A. Dodd and Mr. and Mrs. Hawley Dodd and children are visiting Mrs. Dodd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Warren, in the Hart community. While here they visited with other relatives and friends before returning to Dimmitt.

Owing to the bad weather the meeting of the Callahan County Development Association that was to have met at Oplin on January 7th was postponed to January 21. The meeting will be held at the Oplin school building and everybody is invited to attend.

\$100. PRIZE OFFERED BEST JUNIOR WRITER

The Texas State Historical Association has announced a first prize of \$100.00 for the winner of the 1946-1947 Junior Historian Writing Contest. Eighteen people will receive awards totaling \$345.

Contest entries may deal with any topic in Texas history, but contestants are urged to work on some subject related to their community or local history. Some suggestions for topics are: cattle, saddles, trails, Indian depredations, transportation, natural history, exploration, oil, economic, political, or biographical subjects.

"Any boy or girl in Texas under twenty-one years of age may become eligible for competition," stated H. Bailey Carroll, Editor of the "Junior Historian", the magazine of the Association which is written almost exclusively by young Texans.

April 1, 1947, is announced as the closing date of the contest. All interested are invited to write for further information to the Junior Historian, Box 2131, University Station, Austin 12, Texas.

Funeral Rites At Cottonwood Mon. For Early Settler

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 2:30 in the Cottonwood Baptist church for L. C. Thompson, 79, retired farmer, who died Sunday afternoon at four in the Callahan county hospital at Baird.

Rev. A. A. Davis, Baird Baptist pastor, conducted the funeral service and burial was made in the family plot of the Cottonwood cemetery beside the grave of Mrs. Thompson, who died in 1931.

Born in Virginia Aug. 4, 1856, Mr. Thompson had lived in the Cottonwood community for 54 years. He was a farmer there until his retirement several years ago.

He is survived by four daughters and four sons: Mrs. M. P. Wilcox and Mrs. Forrest Scott of Cottonwood, Mrs. Rub. Sutton of Abilene, Woody Thompson of Cisco route 4, S. D. of Snyder, Loy of Burbank, and Bonnie of Baird. Thirty-four grandchildren and 22 great grandchildren also survive.

Mrs. Ida Rogers was in town Wednesday morning and while here she called at the News office and took out three subscriptions to the News. Mrs. Rogers is one who never forgets her expiration date on the News. We thank you very much for the re-newsals, Mrs. Rogers.

From the Industrial News Review: "One of the immediate questions of the day is just how far labor can go in its program of more money for less work and still leave solvent industry to provide the jobs.

The CIO claims that industry can boost wages by around six billion dollars a year without raising prices, a statement recent wage price trends completely contradict. On top of such demands for increased wages, it is estimated that labor may now sue industry for as much as six billion dollars in back pay for time spent in getting to work. This "portal-to-portal" pay is an indirect means of raising wages with no increase whatever in worker productivity, paying men for inactive hours. In other words, labor costs are again skyrocketing.

Industry and the consumer look like a plump goose, but labor may wake up one morning and find the goose is no longer able to provide the golden eggs that mean employment.

Editor. Public opinion is thoroughly aroused against labor unions, as well it might be after coal strikes in the same year, not to mention the steel, automobile, electrical, packing house, railroad and hundreds of other strikes in 1946.

The new Republican Congress has a direct mandate from the people to pass legislation that will curb irresponsible racketeering labor leaders, such as John L. Lewis and others of his kind. For more than ten years labor unions have full sway and have been pampered and petted, appeased and encouraged to run hog wild in every conceivable direction. Under the last administration labor could do no wrong. The White House said so, so did the NLRB, the Supreme Court and a majority in Congress. Sit down strikes took over plants. Pickets stopped the United States mail, closed shops were established and millions of workers were forced to join unions and pay dues in order to hold their jobs. The unions had the country by the tail on a down hill pull.

This is why we have a Republican Congress and they were pledged to remedy the situation and unless they keep their promises to the people who elected them they will be swept from power in 1948.

DR. GEO. COX DISCUSSES PREVENTIVE MEASURES FOR PELLAGRA DISEASE

Pellagra, although not a communicable disease, is one of great concern to public health officials in Texas for many people die of pellagra in this state every year. The disease is caused by the lack of certain essential foods, and as it comes on slowly may not be recognized until the victim begins to have serious systems such as sore mouth, stomach trouble, and reddening and scaling of the skin.

"When these symptoms appear, the disease has been present for some time," states Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. "The longer an individual has pellagra the harder it is to cure. It is advisable, therefore, to watch for the early symptoms such as nervousness, indigestion, and burning of the hands and feet, and if these symptoms appear, treatment should be instituted at once. In its advanced stages pellagra may become so severe as to not only cause physical suffering but seriously affect the mind."

Pellagra is not contagious, Dr. Cox pointed out, and he emphasized that it can be prevented entirely by including the right kinds of food in the daily diet. These essential foods include milk, fresh meat, whole wheat products, salmon, brewer's yeast, as well as tomatoes and other fresh fruits and vegetables. The inclusion of these foods in the daily diet will prevent pellagra, and in the case of any disease, it is better to prevent it than to try to cure it.

M. D. Helst, prominent oil operator in the shallow field about 9 miles north of Putnam in the Hart community, was in town Saturday afternoon and while here made the News office a short visit. He reported the temperature dropped to 12 below at his place Saturday morning. This is the lowest that has been reported to this office.

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Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burchfield

Celebrating fifty years of marriage on Sunday, December 22, 1946, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burchfield of this city welcomed their friends from 2:00 to 6:00 p.m. They were married in Coleman County in 1896.

Mrs. Doyle Burchfield presided at the white leather, gold trimmed guest register which was placed on a tall table banked with yellow and white mums. After congratulating the honorees, guests were invited to the refreshment room where coffee was poured by Mrs. Thelma Burchfield and cake was served by Miss Exie Burchfield from a linen covered table centered with an elaborately decorated one tiered wedding cake delicately inscribed in gold. At either end of the cake stood white chrysanthemum encircled golden candle holders with burning tapers. Later guests were called to admire lovely gifts displayed in a bedroom. During the afternoon Mrs. Clyde Bunnell of Abilene softly played traditional piano selections of "I Love You Truly", "Ah Sweet Mysteries of Life", "Love's Old Sweet Song," and "Memories."

Celebrating the day with their parents were Miss Exie Burchfield and Mrs. Harold Bowlin and small daughter Janice Ann, both of Ft. Worth, and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Burchfield of this city. Another daughter, Mrs. Lillian Weaver of Pyote was unable to be present. Mrs. Ruby Strickland and husband, Tom C. Strickland, of Burkett, granddaughter and W. C. Mary Zelma, Anita and Bonita Strickland, great-grandchildren also were present.

Friends calling were Mrs. Howard Coburn, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Sims, Ross Henley, Mrs. George Scott, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Smith, Mrs. Hattie Adams of Burkett, Mrs. Blindworth of Burkett, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Millran and children of Enla, Mr. and Mrs. Bunnell of Abilene, Mrs. Gertie Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Placke, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Edington, Miss Hazel Ogilvy, Mrs. Zulma Painter, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Holdridge, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Williams, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Koenig and daughters, Lavern and Elizabeth, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Adair, the Reverend and Mrs. D. L. Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Henderson, Mrs. J. H. Strahan and Mrs. E. C. Koenig.

Mrs. Robert Williams was out from Ft. Worth the past week end visiting with her husband. They were recently married in Ft. Worth. Mrs. Williams is at the present employed in Ft. Worth.

Mrs. Enna Lovelady has been quite ill for the past several days but is reported to be up and on the road to recovery.

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County Agent Column

SUMMARY OF WORK

At the end of each year, a report is compiled on the past years work done in the county by the County Home Demonstration agent and the County Agricultural agent. The following is a summary of the county agents work for the period of December 1945 to December 1946 under the agents, Robert L. Shults, J. C. Shockey, and A. R. Grote, Jr., present agent.

In order to give as complete a picture as possible, there were 227 days devoted to work and of these days 153 were devoted to adults and 124 days devoted to 4-H Clubs and older youth; 59 days were spent in the office and 218 in the field and to further break down the days, 53 days devoted to agricultural planning; 26 days to crop production; 50 days to conservation of natural resources; 5 days were devoted to farm management; and 95 days to livestock production.

Soil Building Crops Increased

The answer to the farmers for a soil building crop seems to have been found. Hairy Vetch and Austrian Winter Peas are the answer. The fall planting of these crops has seen an increase of 8,220 acres over 1945. The AAA office, the SCS, FSA, the vocational agricultural instructors, and the county agent have been primarily responsible for the increase. From the trial planting of Jim Faircloth, Baird, L. M. Stewart, Clyde, John Jordan of Opalin, C. F. Browning of Baird, C. H. Shadous of Baird, S. O. Whitmore and R. T. Burk of the Enla community have all had very good results and through their demonstrations the people have seen, vetch grow and produce. Olin English of Rowden has been the demonstrator of Austrian peas. C. F. Browning estimated that he turned under 10 tons of green manure per acre in his orchard. Others have realized an acreage return of \$40 to \$72. It has been shown that it pays to fertilize and inoculate the vetch and pea seeds before planting. Fertilizer should be applied at rate of 150 to 200 lbs of 20% superphosphate per acre.

Registered Sorghum Breeder in County

Raymond Spravls of Putnam has entered the certified and registered seed breeders list. He bagged 500 heads of Plainsman Maise, 1900 heads of Hegari, and

150 of Beaver Milo.

The agents have assisted farmers in ordering 2000 lbs of registered and certified seeds, and in securing seed oats and wheat.

Ranchers Treat Cattle For Insects

For the first time in the history of the county, steps have been taken to rid the cattle of hornflies. Demonstrations were conducted on eight ranches in 5 communities on DDT for the control of hornflies and lice. Tom Haden, Clarence Gay, and Fred Wylie of Hart community used dipping vats in their control; R. L. Murphy of Cottonwood, C. B. Snyder and E. W. Moutray of Baird; M. E. Fry of Admiral, and J. N. Williams of Putnam sprayed their cattle with a .02% DDT solution in their hornfly demonstrations and practically every rancher in the county sprayed cattle for hornflies following these demonstrations with good results.

The number of ranchers treating cattle for grubs has increased over last year. The agent supplied all interested with information concerning grub control and distributed circulars to all ranchers besides rendering individual aid.

4-H Clubs

There are seven 4-H Clubs in the county with 107 members. These clubs were met eight times during the year and the boys received training in crops, livestock, and soil conservation and the feeding and care of farm animals. Eight registered girls were distributed to boys in Enla, Clyde, Denton, and Opalin communities. Howard Johnson showed the grand champion gilt of the district show in Abilene in September. He also won a \$125 registered Jersey calf.

Terraces Still Being Built

Terraces and contour lines have been run for thirty-five farmers and ranchers by the agents on approximately 3600 acres. Nearly all lines have been built by local contractors to date.

The agents made 281 different farm home visits and visited 568 total farms in conducting extension work. There were 82 news articles published, 636 bulletins distributed, and had 843 office calls during the year.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Caraway of Abilene spent the week end visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jobe.

Mrs. Ida Rogers returned to Putnam a few days ago from Big Spring where she had been visiting with her granddaughter, Mrs. Vernon Kile and her husband. She met her son, Will Rogers and Mrs. Rogers from Casa Grande, Arizona. They all went to San Angelo where they had Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Jackson. Mrs. Jackson is a granddaughter of Mrs. Roger.

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FARMER HEADS THE "MARCH OF DIMES" DRIVE IN COUNTY

Annual Campaign Dedicated To Mustering Funds For Campaign Against Polio.

The 1947 March of Dimes, annual fund raising drive of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis which sparkplugs the never-ceasing battle against polio, will be held January 15 to 30, it was announced today by County Judge J. Lester Farmer, chairman of the March of Dimes campaign committee in this county.

The need for funds, Mr. Farmer said, has never been greater since the nation has just emerged from the worst epidemic of polio in the history of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis founded in 1938 to spearhead and co-ordinate the battle against this disease.

Need for Money

"United States Public Health Service figures show," said Mr. Farmer, "that the 1946 polio epidemic is second only in severity to the great epidemic of 1916, the worst in recorded history. This means that not only were the Foundation and its chapters called upon as never before to supply expensive equipment, personnel and every other aid known to modern science to the stricken, but they still must assist those who have not yet achieved maximum recovery. And there are more of these than there have ever been before."

The National Foundation also spent millions of dollars during 1946 in medical scientific research to trace the cause of infantile paralysis," Mr. Farmer explained. "It will continue to do so until that cause is discovered and conquered."

"The National Foundation also intends to pursue vigorously its far-reaching educational program to inform the public on precautions against the disease; what to do if and when polio strikes, and what your March of Dimes is prepared to do for every American, regardless of age, creed, color or race, stricken by the dread crippler—and that is to provide the best available care, regardless of cost, until maximum recovery is assured."

Appeals for Support

"The people of Callahan County, in common with Americans everywhere," Mr. Farmer went on, "have been most generous in the past in supporting the fight against infantile paralysis through the March of Dimes. Indications are that they will be even more generous this year because they know that this fight is their fight. They realize that the March of Dimes is their best insurance against polio—and that the battle will go on in the laboratory until final victory is won and infantile paralysis joins the other great scourges of mankind unmasked and disarmed by knowledge."

"The annual March of Dimes," Mr. Farmer concluded, "is the only means the National Foundation has for financing its battle against infantile paralysis."

FFA BOYS READY TO SHOW CALVES

FFA and 4-H Club members are daily readying fat calves for the annual show here next Thursday, January 23. Judging will start at 1:20 in the afternoon. The show will be held on lots East of the C. D. Westerman Service Station and \$150.00 in awards will be made. Each boy or girl entering an animal will receive \$3.00. Five fat calves from other parts of the county will also be entered by students of A. R. Grote, Jr., county agent.

Prizes in the wet lot division will be \$25.00, \$20.00, \$17.50, \$15.00, \$12.00, \$8.00 and \$5.00. Four awards will be made in the dry lot division. Thirteen students will show eighteen animals. Cross Plains boys will leave immediately after the show here to show at Brownwood January 27 and on to Houston to open with the show there on Jan. 29. No calves will be auctioned here and no hogs will be shown this year.

In as much as we have had a number of inquiries from subscribers wanting to know the reason they haven't received the News, there was no paper Christmas week and the week following it was covered up with snow, or in other words we were unable to get it out because of the extreme cold weather and snow.

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REPORT OF CONDITION

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 BAIRD, TEXAS

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS DECEMBER 31, 1946

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	309,049.33
U. S. Government Obligations	2,109,968.93
County and Municipal Bonds	21,975.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	2,500.00
Cash and due from Banks	1,117,373.16
Banking House & Furniture & Fixtures	14,444.19
TOTAL	3,575,310.61
LIABILITIES	
Deposits	3,406,670.24
Capital	50,000.00
Surplus	33,490.00
Undivided Profits	36,524.86
Reserve, Preferred Stock Retirement Fund	18,000.00
Reserve for Contingencies, Taxes, Bond Premium, etc.	30,625.57
TOTAL	3,575,310.61

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STATEMENT OF CONDITION

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS DECEMBER 31st, 1946

FIRST NATIONAL BANK
 CISCO, TEXAS

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	550,427.26
Cash and Exchange	977,781.28
U. S. Government Bonds	1,776,442.42
Federal Land Bank Bonds	25,000.00
Home Loan Bank Bonds	99,968.75
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	3,000.00
Banking House	20,400.00
Furniture and fixtures	6,400.00
	\$3,459,419.71
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	50,000.00
Surplus Earned	50,000.00
Undivided Profits	44,047.87
Reserved for Taxes	8,800.00
Reserved for Contingencies	2,000.00
Cashier's Checks Outstanding	16,493.52
War Loan Deposits	40,148.65
Individual Deposits	3,247,929.67
	\$3,459,419.71

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Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation that may appear in the columns of The Putnam News will be gladly and fully corrected upon being brought to the attention of publisher.

Mrs. Earl Rutherford and daughter were shopping and visiting with relatives in Abilene Saturday. Harry and Benson Sandlin were looking after business interest in Cisco Tuesday morning.

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Atwell News

By Mrs. Ben Riffe

Elder D. C. Foster filled his regular appointment at the Primitive Baptist church Sunday morning. They held all day services and ordination services were held. Elder Marcum of Cisco was ordained as a minister of the gospel.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pillans and children visited his parents in Austin first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pillans entertained the following children Sunday: Benja. of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. George Morgan and children, of Baird; and Mr. and Mrs. Ned Moore and children, of Albany.

Mrs. Burtram Rouse recently returned to the home of her son, Ebb Rouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Brashear and Reba Joe spent Monday of last week with Mrs. Annie Brashear and Linnie in Rising Star.

Coleman Pillans returned Saturday from San Antonio after spending a week with his brothers there.

Misses Melba and Roma Gene Reece of Scranton spent the week end with Reba Brashear.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Duncan, Elmer Duncan and Messers Tipton Wrinkle and E. P. Foster attended the funeral of Clay Thompson at Cottonwood.

Mrs. Nathan Foster spent three days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Erwin and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Erwin near Sabanno.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Porter and Janice of Oklahoma City spent several weeks recently visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pillans and relatives near Sabanno.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Riffe and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Keelon Riffe in Cisco Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Matthews and Jimmy of Abilene spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Brashear.

Mrs. Truett Holly of Cross Plains visited in the Ben Riffe home Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hutchins and family of Cross Plains visited Mrs. Minnie Hutchins Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Duncan visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Robinson near Cottonwood Sunday.

Delbert McWilliams and Billy Dan Havens of Baird visited in the Ebb Rouse home Sunday.

NOTICE: Watkins dealer in East half of Callahan county R. B. Redden living at Mrs. T. L. Hamlin, Putnam, Texas.

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FARM NEWS

By B. B. McPherson, Adm. Officer

1947 AAA Program Announced

Soil and water conservation practices for which AAA payments will be offered in Callahan county under the 1947 program have been selected and approved. The practices are as follows:

1. Construction of terraces for which proper outlets are provided.
2. Construction of diversion terraces.
3. Construction of earthen dams or reservoirs for livestock water or erosion control.
4. Strip cropping on the contour.
5. Field strip cropping not on the contour.
6. Elimination of destructive plants on non-crop pasture and range land.
7. Establishing a satisfactory cover of winter legumes seeded in the fall of 1946.
8. Growing a green manure or cover of summer legumes.
9. Application of potash and phosphate other than raw rock phosphate.
10. Application of raw rock or colloidal phosphate.

\$95,200.00 has been allocated to this county to be used in assisting farmers and ranchers with carrying out the approved practices for the 1947 program year. Of this amount, \$10,831.56 has been obligated to Callahan county farmers as assistance in carrying out winter legume practices, leaving a balance of \$84,368.44 in the county budget. In order that each person will be afforded an opportunity to obtain his fair share of the funds allocated, each farmer and rancher is requested to read this column in the issue following the 10th of each month, in which a statement of funds remaining in the county budget will be given.

The operations of the 1947 program are basically the same as those in 1946. To be eligible for AAA payment for approved practices carried out in 1947, the farmer or rancher must secure prior written approval of the County Committee before the practice is started, and report performance by the closing date shown on the approval. The prior approval requirement is primarily for and is very necessary to maintaining a budgetary control to assure funds obligated for practices will not exceed funds allocated to the county. Request for approval to carry out an approved practice may be made by writing, telephoning, or personally calling at the county AAA office. Request to carry out a practice should not be made until shortly before the practice is to be started.

Cottonwood News

MRS. S. B. STRAHAN

Mrs. Violet Coats of Albuquerque, N. M. visited over the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gib Wilcoxon, and her sister, Mrs. Blanton Childers. She was enroute to Brady where she will accept employment in the hospital there.

Mrs. S. A. Moore, accompanied by her son, Dorsey, and son-in-law, Dock Taylor, returned to Brady after a trip here Sunday. Mr. Moore is still convalescing at Brady from a severe attack of the shingles. Mrs. Moore reports if he does not improve soon they will enter another hospital. She expresses a great deal of anxiety about him.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Coffey are on their vacation in Hot Springs, New Mexico. They are accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Anderson of Edinburg, Texas.

"Uncle" Clay Thompson expired at his home here Sunday night. Funeral services were at the Baptist church and burial in the local cemetery.

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NOTICE OF BOND ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS: COUNTY OF CALLAHAN:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held in Road District No. 1 of Callahan County, Texas, on the 28th day of January, 1947, on the proposition and at the places more particularly set forth in the election order passed by the Commissioners' Court on the 27 day of December, 1946, which is as follows:

AN ORDER
CALLING AN ELECTION ON THE PROPOSITION OF ISSUING ONE HUNDRED FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$150,000.00) OF BONDS OF ROAD DISTRICT NO. ONE OF CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS.

WHEREAS, there has been presented to this Court the petition of W. O. Wylie, Jr. and 170 other persons, representing themselves to be resident, qualified electors of Callahan County Road District No. 1, who own taxable property in said District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, praying that this Court order an election in Road District No. 1 of Callahan County, Texas, to determine:

"Whether or not the bonds of said Road District No. 1 of Callahan County, Texas, shall be issued in an amount not to exceed One Hundred Fifty Thousand (\$150,000.00) Dollars, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 3% per annum, payable semi-annually, and maturing at such time as may be fixed by the Commissioners' Court, serially or otherwise, in not to exceed 22 years from the date thereof, for the purpose of the construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, graveled or paved road and turnpikes or in aid thereof throughout Road District No. 1 of Callahan County, Texas; and whether or not taxes shall be levied annually on all taxable property in Road District Number One sufficiently to pay the annual interest on said bonds and provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the bonds at maturity," which said petition was heretofore filed in this Court; and

WHEREAS, heretofore on the 11 day of December, 1946, the Commissioners' Court passed an order fixing a time and place for a hearing of said petition, to-wit: December 27, 1946, and directed the County Clerk to issue a notice of such time and place of hearing to inform all persons concerned of their rights to appear at such hearing and to contend for or protest against the order of such election; and

WHEREAS, the County Clerk has heretofore duly executed said notice by posting true copies of said order of hearing in three public places within said Road District No. 1, and another copy thereof at the Courthouse door of said County for ten days prior to the date fixed for the hearing, and said notice has also been published in a newspaper of general circulation published in said Road District No. 1, namely, The Baird Star, one time, on the 20 day of December, 1946, which was at least five days prior to the date fixed for said hearing; and

WHEREAS, this Court, having met at the time and place set for the hearing of said petition, proceeded to hear such petition and all matters in respect to the proposed bond election, to hear the contentions for and protest against the calling of such election, and it is found by the Clerk that the said petition is signed by more than fifty legally qualified electors who own taxable property in Callahan County Road District No. 1, and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, and that the notice required by law to be given of said hearing has been given; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the hearing held on said date and from the evidence submitted at said hearing, the Court has determined that the proposed improvements would be for the benefit of all taxable property situated in such Road District No. 1, and that it is desirable and necessary to issue the bonds of said Road District No. 1 in the amount of One Hundred Fifty Thousand (\$150,000.00) Dollars to construct said improvements, and that said election should be ordered; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioners' Court further finds that the amount of said proposed bond issue, together with all outstanding bonds of the same nature heretofore issued on the faith and credit of Callahan County Road District No. 1, will not exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of said District; and

WHEREAS, said Callahan County Road District No. 1 has heretofore been legally created by an order passed by the Commissioners' Court on the 14th day of November, 1917, which order is of record in the minutes of the Commissioners' Court;

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED BY THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF CALLAHAN COUNTY, TEXAS:

That an election be held in said Callahan County Road District No. 1 on the 28th day of January, 1947, which is not less than thirty days from the date of this order, to determine:

"Whether or not the bonds of said Road District No. 1 of Callahan County, Texas, shall be issued in an amount not to exceed One Hundred Fifty Thousand (\$150,000.00) Dollars, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 3% per annum, payable semi-annually and maturing at such time as may be fixed by the Commissioners' Court, serially or otherwise, in not to exceed 22 years from the date thereof, for the purpose of the construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes or in aid thereof throughout Road District No. 1 of Callahan County, Texas; and whether or not taxes shall be levied annually on all taxable property in Road District No. One sufficient to pay the annual interest on said bonds and provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the bonds at their maturity."

The metes and bounds of Callahan County Road District No. 1 as created by the Commissioners' Court on the 14th day of November, 1917, are as follows, to-wit:

BEGINNING on the West boundary lines of Callahan County, at the S. W. Corner of the Anthony Bates Survey No. 9, (Abst. No. 12) for the N.W. Corner of this district, Thence with the S. boundary line of said Anthony Bates Survey to the most northerly N.E. corner of Section No. 29, S.P. RY Co. lands, in Block No. 8, at the point on the W. boundary line of Sur. No. 80 B.B.B. & C. Ry Co. land, (Abst. No. 1182) Thence S. to the S. W. Cor. of said Sec. No. 80, Thence E. with the S. boundary line of said Secs. No. 80, (Abst. No. 1182) and Secs. Nos. 57, (Abst. No. 61) 56, (Abst. No. 1241) B.B.B. & C. Ry Co. Surs to the S.E. Corner of said Section No. 56; Thence N. with the E. boundary line of said Section 53 (Abst. No. 944) to the N.E. corner of Sec. No. 56 (Abst. No. 944) B.B.B. & C. Ry. Co. lands; Thence E. with the N. boundary line of Sur. No. 56 (Abst. No. 944) the N. boundary lines of Sec. No. 57, (Abst. No. 32) Sec. 70, 71, 84, 85, 98, 99, 114 and 115 of the B.B.B. & C. Ry. Co. lands to the N. E. corner of said Sur. No. 115 B.B.B. & C. Ry Co. lands; Thence S. with the E. boundary lines of Sur. No. 115 and 116, B.B.B. & Co. lands to the S. E. corner of said Sur. No. 116; Thence E. with the N. boundary lines of Sur. No. 138, 143 of said B.B.B. & C. Ry Co Survey to the N. E. Corner of Survey 143; Thence E. across the J. Pointevint Sur. and Sur. No. 1 T & N O Ry Co lands, to the center of W.B. lines of Sur. No. 63, B.O.H. lands; Thence E. with the center lines of said Sur. Nos. 63, 64, 65, B.O.H. lands and the center lines of Sections Nos. 7 and 8 D. & D. As. lands; Thence E. with the S. line of Sur. No. 133, University lands to the S.W. corner T.E. & L. Sur. No. 2041; Thence E. with S.B. lines Sur. No. 2041, to the S. E. corner of same; Thence S. to the S.W. corner, Thence N. 2972, T.E. & L. Co. lands; Thence L. with the S.B. line of said Surs. Nos. 2972, and 2259 T.E. & L. Co. lands to the S.E. cor. of Sur. No. 2299; Thence S. with the E.B. lines of T.E. & L. Co. Sur. No. 2299 to the S.E. Cor. of same;

Thence E. with the S.B. lines of Surveys Nos. 2272, 2280, 2288, 3151, T.E. & L. Co lands to the S.E. Corner of said Survey No. 3151; Thence S. with the E.B. lines of Sur. No. 3152, T.E. & L. Co. lands to the S.E. Corner of same; Thence E. with the N.B. Lines of Surveys Nos. 3153, 3163, and 3171 T.E. & L. Co lands to a point on the E. boundary line of Callahan County; Thence S. with E. boundary line of Callahan County to the S. boundary line of Survey No. 129, H. & T.C. Ry Co. lands; Thence W. with the N.B. lines of Sur. No. 128, H & T Ry Co lands to the N.W. corner of the M. Cherry Sur. (Abst. No. 110); Thence W. with the N.B. line of Sur. Nos. 21, 19, and 18, B.O.H. lands and N.B. lines of Sur. Nos. 315, 316, 317, S.P. Ry Co lands, and N.B. lines of Surveys Nos. 36, 37, 38 and 39, of the T & D Asylum lands to the N.W. corner of said Survey No. 39; Thence N. to the middle W. line Survey No. 22, L & D A lands; Thence W. to the N.E. cor. of Sur. No. 148, B.B.B. Ry Co.; Thence W. with the N.B. lines of surveys Nos. 148, 130, and 125, to the N.W. corner of said Survey No. 125, B.B.B. & C. Ry Co lands; Thence S. with the W.B. lines of Sur. No. 125 to the S.E. corner of the Thomas Ashur Sur.; Thence W. with S.B. lines of said Ashur Sur. to the S.W. corner of the W. Gattlin Sur.; Thence N. to the N.E. corner of the T. D. Gibbs Sur.; Thence W. with the N.B. line of the said Gibbs Survey, to the N.E. corner of Surveys Nos. 1, B.B.B. & C. Ry Co lands, continuing West with the N.B. lines of said Surveys Nos. 1, 4, 9, 14 and 19, to E.W. corner of said Survey No. 18, B.B.B. & C. Ry Co lands; Thence N. with the W.B. lines of Survey No. 20, to

the center of the W.B. lines of Sur. No. 21, B.B.B. & C. Ry lands; Thence W. with the center lines of Surveys Nos. 22, and 31, to the W.B. lines of survey Nos. 31, B.B.B. & C. Ry Co lands; thence N. to the N.W. corner of said Survey No. 31; Thence W. across Sur. No. 35 S.P. Ry land to the N.E. corner of Survey No. 13, S.P. Ry Co. lands (Block 8) Thence W. with the N.B. lines of said Section No. 13, and the N.B. lines of Surveys Nos. 32 and 31, Lunatic Asylum lands, to the intersection of the W.B. lines of Callahan County; Thence N. with the W. boundary line of Callahan County to the place of the beginning.

The said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 3, Title 22 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas of 1925, as amended, including the provisions of Chapter 16, Acts of the First Called Session of the Thirty-Ninth Legislature;

All persons who are legally qualified electors of this State and of this County who own taxable property in the District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be qualified to vote, and all such electors shall vote in the election precinct of their residence and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue the bonds shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THERE-

OF."

And those opposed shall have written or printed on their ballots the words:

"AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF."

The polling places and the presiding officers of said election are as follows, to-wit:

Baird, Precinct No. 1, at the regular voting place.
B. L. Russell, Jr., Presiding Judge.

Saffie Eastham, Clerk.
Vada Bennett, Clerk.
L. L. Blackburn, Clerk.

Clyde, Precinct No. 5, at the regular voting place.

Earl Hayes, Presiding Judge.
T. O. Dulaney, Clerk.
Ed Hampton, Clerk.
Pete Bonchette, Clerk.

Eula, Precinct No. 10 at the regular voting place.

Lee Smith, Presiding Judge.
N. H. Stephenson, Clerk.
Bill Ferguson, Clerk.
Paul Shanks, Clerk.

Putnam Precinct No. 8 at the regular voting place.

John D. Isenhower, Presiding Judge.
Will Jobe, Clerk.
Benson Sandlin, Clerk.
Vella Sandlin, Clerk.

The manner of holding said elec-

tion shall be governed by the General Laws of this State regulating general elections when not in conflict with the provisions of Chapter 16, Acts of the First Called Session of the 39th Legislature, hereinabove cited.

Notice of said election shall be given by publication of a copy of this order in a newspaper published in Callahan County Road District No. 1 for three successive weeks before the date of said election. And in addition thereto, there shall be posted copies of this order at three public places in said district, and one at the Courthouse door of the County for three consecutive weeks prior to said election.

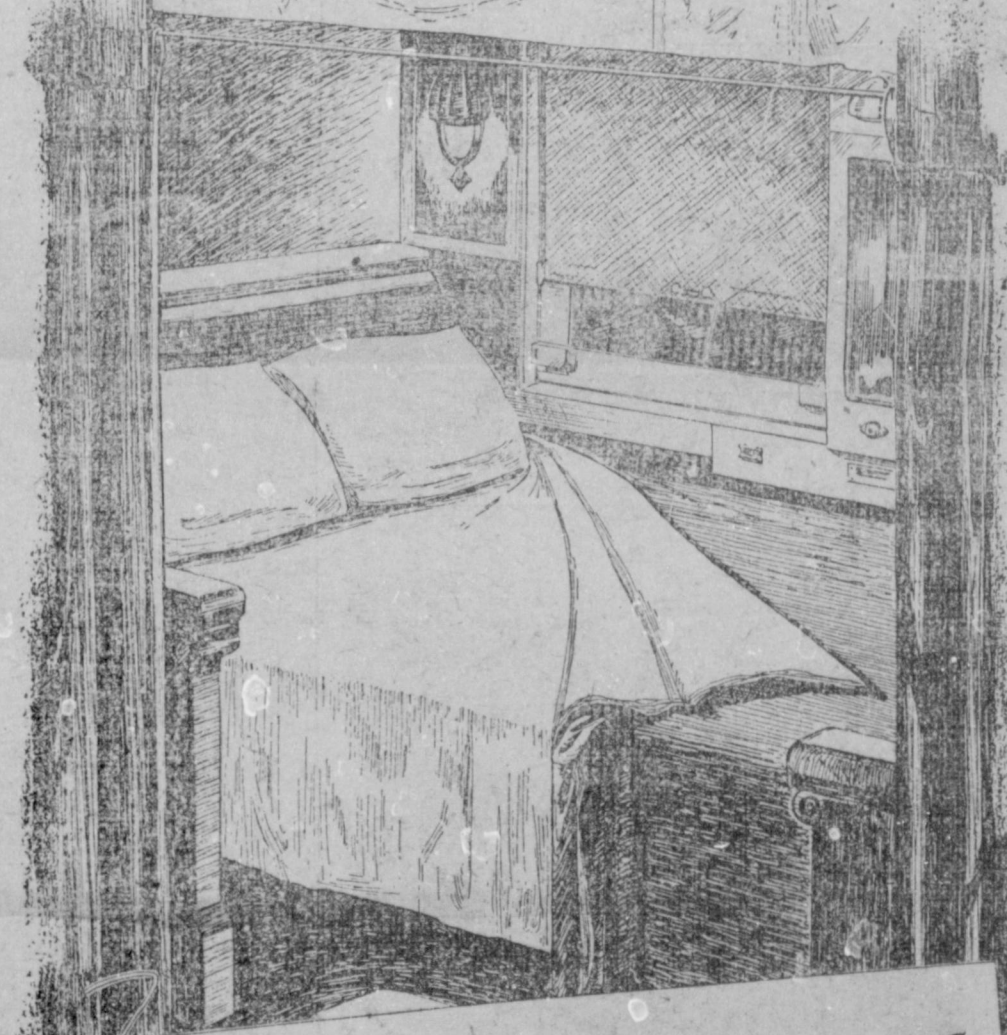
The County Clerk is hereby ordered and directed to post said notices and cause same to be published as hereinabove directed. Further orders by this Court are reserved until the returns of said election, executed by the duly authorized election officers, are received by this Court.

PASSED AND APPROVED this the 27 day of December, 1946.

J. L. FARMER,
County Judge, Callahan County, Texas.

ATTEST:
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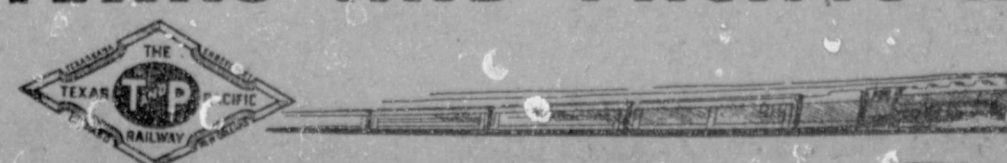
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