

FROM THE EDITOR'S WINDOW

BY MRS. J. S. YEAGER

It is said the state of Connecticut boasts of at least seven communities named for places mentioned in the Old Testament.

A letter, said to be the product of the astute mind of our former President John Quincy Adams, was recently sold by auction and brought the neat sum of \$168.

A recent test of the inside of a cucumber showed that while out in the field with a ground temperature of 98 degrees the inside of the cucumber registered 78 degrees or twenty degrees cooler.

According to reports coming in from Germany the natives of that country are engaging in tobacco farming.

It is estimated that about 1,250,000 plants were set out and the natives are said to be expecting a mint for the harvest, as experts have figured that a yield of some 1,750,000 small packages of tobacco should be the result of their experiment.

The grapefruit season in that part of South Texas known as the Valley is now about over and the last shipment of the fruit under federal-state regulations, for this season has been made.

Teacher: What is an island? Pupil: A piece of land entirely surrounded by water except in one place.

Teacher: Why the one place? Pupil: Well, that's on the top.

A colored soldier, filling out an application, wrote "no" in answer to the question, "Have you any dependents?"

"You are married, aren't you?" asked his commanding officer. "Oh, yessah, yessah," the soldier replied, "but she ain't dependable."

It is said about 40,000 bushels of corn and other grain were destroyed in a mill fire recently at Farmer City, Illinois.

Besides the corn, about 5,000 bushels of oats and soybeans were destroyed along with the mill and elevator.

Owners of the mill have estimated the damage at between \$75,000 and \$100,000.

The boy who attracted nationwide attention when he was seven years old because of his weight, which at that time was 235 pounds, has recently died in North Dakota at the age of 19 years.

Instructor Will Be Added To Co. Voc. School Soon

Due to increased enrollment and progress being maintained in the veterans county vocational school, it is becoming necessary, states L. C. Cash, coordinator, for the school to employ additional instructors in Trades and Industry and Distributive Education.

Qualified persons desiring to make application for a teaching post in the school are requested to contact either Cash or Billy M. Jobs, county service officer, at Baird.

MRS. W. K. BOATWRIGHT, 88, LAID TO REST IN ROSS CEMETERY, BAIRD, SUNDAY AFTERNOON

Mrs. W. K. Boatwright, 87, wife of the late W. K. Boatwright of Callahan county, died at 1:30 p. m. Saturday in the home of her son, W. H. Boatwright, on a ranch about five miles west of Putnam.

Funeral was held at 3 p. m. Sunday in the First Baptist church at Baird, of which she was a member. Rev. A. A. Davis, pastor, conducted the services. Burial was in Ross Cemetery under the direction of Wylie Funeral home.

Mrs. Boatwright was born October 24, 1858, in Upshur county. She came to Callahan county in 1897 and had lived with her son for the past six years since the death of her husband.

Survivors are her son; two sisters, Mrs. J. A. Jackson, and Mrs. Lizzie Renfro of Baird; six grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Bob Norrell, Dr. V. E. Hill, Sidney Harwel, John Hughes, Archie Nichols and Pat Haley.

FUNERAL RITES FOR MISS COATS MONDAY

Funeral was held for Miss Hazel Coats, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harris Coats at Moran Monday afternoon.

Saturday night Miss Coats and companion were enroute to Eastland and were riding a scooter and were run down by an automobile a few miles this side of Eastland.

The young man escaped with a few painful bruises, but Miss Coats, who was rushed to a Gorman hospital, died Sunday afternoon.

The driver of the automobile, George I. Lane, about 50, of Eastland, was arrested on a charge of negligent homicide filed by John Hart, Eastland county sheriff. Lane made bond of \$1500 Monday morning.

Two other young people were with Mr. Douglas and Lane Coats, but the other two were not injured, they were returning to Cisco and only learned of their trouble when they rode back toward Eastland to see why Miss Coats and Douglas were delayed.

Farm Vets Will Meet At Baird On Tuesday, July 30

Veterans taking farm training through the county vocational school are requested to meet with officials of the school in the county courtroom in Baird at 6:00 o'clock on the evening of Tuesday, July 30, announces Billy M. Jobs, service officer.

Purpose of the meeting will be to discuss the Agriculture Schooling program for the county.

Veterans contemplating enrolling for any subjects taught in the county school are requested by Jobs to secure a Certificate of Eligibility as soon as possible. Jobs is in the city office at Cross Plains each Saturday to assist discharges in this and other problems confronting the veteran.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR MRS. MAGGIE HARDY WEDNESDAY EVENING

Funeral services were held for Mrs. Maggie Alexander Hardy Wednesday afternoon at 3 p. m. at the Presbyterian church in Baird. She died Monday at the Hendricks Memorial hospital in Abilene.

Survivors are the husband, three brothers, R. L. Joe F., and J. E. Alexander. James Alexander, a nephew, and Mrs. A. W. Burks, a niece, both of whom were reared by Mrs. Hardy and sister, Mrs. J. H. Grimes.

MISS MARIAN PEARL DAMON APPOINTED TO REPRESENT PUTNAM

Cisco is to have a homecoming and bathing review on August 12th, and the Cisco Chamber of Commerce requested that Putnam have a young lady representative at the review.

Acting upon the request from the Cisco organization, the mayor appointed Miss Marian Pearl Damon as sponsor from the city of Putnam. Miss Damon is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Damon and has lived in Putnam practically all of her life. She is also a graduate of the Putnam High school, graduating with the class of 1944.

BURNAM FAMILY HOLDS REUNION AT SWEETWATER

A reunion of the children of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Burnam, a pioneer family of Sweetwater, and formerly of Callahan county, was held recently in Sweetwater. The Burnam's moved from Alabama to Texas at an early day, and settled near Putnam.

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Burnam and family of Stanton, Miss, Johnnie Lou Burnam and H. C. Burnam, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie McCoy and children, Lou, Vena and James McCoy, Mr. and Mrs. Mose Laws and children, Burt Laws and Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Cummings.

Mr. and Mrs. Lige Burnam and family of Cisco, Miss Jeanette Berry, Mr. and Mrs. Roy C. Burnam, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Burnam and Nedra, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Lane, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Burnam and family, Mr. and Mrs. Oran Burnam and Jimmie, Mr. Clovis Eastman, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Burnam and Claudine, Mrs. Jack Everett, Retha Burnam, Gayle Burnam, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burnam and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Burnam and children, Bobby, Nan and Buford, Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Roach, Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Sage and children, Patsy Ann and Willie Vea, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Bailey, Mrs. Alice Kile, Mrs. Lucile Kelley and family, Mrs. Odell Martin and Ronnie.

Douglas Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Wood and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Wood and Sanita Ann, Mary Odell Wood, Treva Wood, Holmes Wood, Mrs. Veda Yarbrough and family, Mrs. Jerald Carter and James, Mr. and Mrs. John McFarrie, Mr. and Mrs. Burette Ramsey, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Colkinsworth, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hughes and children, Linda and Clovis, Mr. and Mrs. Elvie Lewis, David Lane and sister, Will H. Jobe, Joe C. Burnam, Mrs. J. M. Moore, J. A. Alphan, and Mr. and Mrs. Leon McDonald.

WATER USERS URGED CONSERVE WATER THROUGH SUMMER

The weather is very dry and hot and our water supply is going fast. And it is urged that everyone conserve water and hold the use of water to a minimum so that we will not be without. The city council would not like to have to place restrictions on the use of water but unless the people will help, it may be necessary.

There are several means that the city might have to use in order to conserve the water. The price could be raised until it would be so high people would use less or the amount per meter could be lowered, however, the city does not want to resort to that. Many places are on rations now. Clyde and Baird are calling on citizens to use a minimum, and Cross Plains is doing the same. If it rains we will have plenty but the city has no control over the rain.

SWAN ELLIETT DIES IN CISCO WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, JULY 17

Swan Elliott, 66 year old former resident of Cross Plains, died at his home in Cisco Wednesday, July 17, at 3:40 p. m. after several months lingering illness.

Funeral services were held at the Thomas funeral home Thursday afternoon at 6 o'clock with Lesley Seymour of Ennis, and Rev. Allen A. Peacock of Cisco, conducting the service. Mr. Elliott had been an active member of the Baptist church since a young man.

Mr. Elliott was born March 8, 1880, at McKinney, Texas, and was married to Miss Ida Key March 22, 1908, in Cisco.

Survivors are his wife; one son, Robert H. Elliott; also two sisters and one brother, Mrs. New Lewis of Eastland, Mrs. C. L. Holt of Abilene and Fran Elliott of Farrell. Burial was in the Oakwood cemetery at Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Green have returned from Beaumont where they have been most of the time for the past four years where Mr. Green has had employment. They will leave their home here for awhile and had their address of the paper changed back to Putnam.

EXPLAIN FREE VOTE FOR EX-SERVICEMEN

The News this week received an official clarification of the statute permitting ex-servicemen to vote without the necessity of a poll tax receipt. The explanation follows:

"Any person that at the time of election or within 18 months prior to the date of election, was a member of the armed forces of the United States, is entitled to a vote without having paid a poll tax; however, a service man or veteran must meet the qualifications required of other voters, except in so far as payment of poll tax is concerned.

"He must have resided in the State of Texas one year and in the county six months. He does not have to show his discharge papers. If he is challenged, or the election judge is not sure, he will require him to make an oath as to his qualifications, the same as an oath made by the person losing his poll tax receipt.

Table with 2 columns: Precinct Name, Number of Paid Poll Tax Holders. Total: 2,832

COTTONWOOD CHURCH TO START MEETING ON SUNDAY MORNING

Rev. D. L. Barnes, Cross Plains Methodist pastor, will do the preaching in an eight day revival meeting starting Sunday morning at the Cottonwood Methodist church and continuing through the following Sunday.

Services will start at 8:30 each evening and a cordial invitation to the entire public to come and be present in any or all services is extended.

SALT TANK SCHOOL TO HAVE REUNION AT CROCKER CHURCH

A reunion of students and teachers of the old Salt Tank School will be held Saturday night and Sunday, July 27 and 28, at the Crocker church in Eastland county, according to J. M. Shook, president of the ex-students association.

Music and games will afford entertainment Saturday night and Sunday morning there will be a preaching service conducted by Rev. Ural Sherrill, former pastor of Crocker church. At lunch time on Sunday a basket lunch will be laid under the tabernacle and the afternoon spent in singing songs, re-acquaintances and reminiscences. All ex-students and teachers of the school are urged to remember the date and be on hand for a grand get-together.

A FINAL MESSAGE

On behalf of my candidacy for County Commissioner, Precinct 3, I wish to ask my friends for their support in Saturday's election, July 27th.

It's true a person's friends don't always vote for him, but a candidate cannot be elected without his friends; so, I'm asking my friends to stand by me.

If I'm elected I will be truly appreciative and will endeavor to show such appreciation by faithfully performing the duties of the office.

Sincerely, CLAUDE KING (Pd. Pol. Adv.)

Mrs. Bill Austin was in Putnam for a short visit one day the first of the week. She was enroute to Dallas, and stopped as she went through. Her husband formerly operated in the Putnam shallow oil field.

Bryan Bradbury of Abilene was in Putnam Saturday afternoon campaigning in the interest of his campaign for congress. He spoke to a fair-sized crowd on the sidewalk in front of the Orr Drug Store.

WHEN WAR ENDED AMERICANS WERE REGALED FROM ALL SIDES WITH RECONVERSION PLANS

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an amendment to Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto a new section to be known as "Section 7-a"; providing that subject to legislative appropriation, allocation and direction all net revenues derived from the taxes, except gross production and ad-valorem taxes, levied on motor fuels and lubricants and motor vehicle registration fees shall be used for the sole purposes of acquiring rights-of-way for and constructing and maintaining public roadways; for the administration of laws pertaining to traffic and safety; and for the payment of principal and interest on county and road district bonds or warrants voted or issued prior to January 2, 1939, and declared eligible for debt service prior to January 2, 1945; providing that one-fourth (1/4) of such net revenue from the motor fuel tax shall be allocated to the Available School Fund; providing and insuring that each county shall never derive less revenue from motor registration and percentages of such fees allowed to be retained by each county under the laws in effect on January 1, 1945; negating any interpretation of this amendment as authorizing the pledging of the State's credit for any purpose; providing for the submission of this amendment to the voters of this State; prescribing the form of ballot; and providing for the proclamation of the election and the publication thereof.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new Section to be known as 7-a and to read as follows:

"Section 7-a. Subject to legislative appropriation, allocation and direction, all net revenues remaining after payment of all funds allowed by law and expenses of collection derived from motor vehicle registration fees, and all taxes, except gross production and ad-valorem taxes, on motor fuels and lubricants used to propel motor vehicles over public roadways, shall be used for the sole purpose of acquiring rights-of-way, constructing, maintaining, and policing such public roadways, and for the administration of such laws as may be prescribed by the Legislature pertaining to the supervision of traffic and safety on such roads; and for the payment of the principal and interest on county and road district bonds or warrants voted or issued prior to January 2, 1939, and declared eligible prior to January 2, 1945, for payment out of the County and Road District Highway Fund under existing law; provided, however, that one-fourth (1/4) of such net revenue from the motor fuel tax shall be allocated to the Available School Fund; and, provided, however, that the net revenue derived by counties from motor vehicle registration fees shall never be less than the maximum amounts allowed to be retained by each County and the percentage allowed to be retained by each County under the laws in effect on January 1, 1945. Nothing contained herein shall be construed as authorizing the pledging of the State's credit for any purpose."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Amendment to the Constitution shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at the General Election to be held in November, 1946, at which election each ballot shall have printed thereon the following words:

"FOR the Amendment to the Constitution of the State providing that subject to legislative appropriation, allocation and direction all net revenues derived from taxes, except gross production and ad-valorem taxes, levied on motor fuels and lubricants and motor vehicle registration fees shall be used for the sole purpose of acquiring rights-of-way for and constructing and maintaining public roadways; for the administration of laws pertaining to traffic and safety; and for the payment of principal and interest on county and road district bonds or warrants voted or issued prior to January 2, 1939, and declared eligible for debt service prior to January 2, 1945; providing that one-fourth (1/4) of such net revenue from the motor fuel tax shall be allocated to the Available School Fund."

Consider Public Health Nursing, Cox Tells Grads

Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, is appealing to young women high school graduates to seriously consider the public health nursing profession as a career, when re-entering school this fall. "Public health nursing offers young women opportunities for lifetime careers which are highly useful and satisfactory. Demands for professional nurses now exceed the supply in public health and other fields of work," Dr. Cox said. "Possibilities of travel, varied experience, income, and other features of the profession compare very favorably with those open to women in other careers."

Education for nursing is available in 37 schools in Texas and enrollment is now underway for fall classes, which open about September 1. All schools still have vacancies. Applicants should be graduates of high school or have some college credit, with a record of good scholastic standing, be in good physical condition, and of high moral character. An interest in people and their problems, also ability to work well with one's hands is necessary.

Prerequisite training in public health nursing includes a 36 month course including vacations. Medical, surgical, obstetric, pediatric, psychiatric and communicable disease nursing are studied. Completion of courses, entitles the individual to the diploma of the School and to take State Board Examinations leading to the R. N. Certificate.

Details regarding nursing education can be secured from hospitals, physicians, nurses' organizations and local health departments, as well as the Texas State Department of Health.

WEST BROTHERS MOVE TO NEW LOCATION ON FINLEY WEST OF TOWN

West Brothers have just completed a well for A. C. Moore on the Isenhower and have moved their equipment on a lease about five miles west on the Finley No. 1 on an 80 acre lease, section 67 ROH survey. This well is to be a 600 foot test and they are just now spudding in on the lease. They will rush this well to completion as early as possible.

KING BROTHERS REUNITED AGAIN

Chief Petty Officers Clinton and Calvin King, and Keith King, who has recently returned from China and Tokyo, were together for the first time in six years, when they met at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude King, this week end. Other guests in the King home were Miss Lucile Boatman and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Vernon Smith of Cisco, and Albert Weed of Dan Horn.

TO THE VOTERS OF CALLAHAN COUNTY:

During my campaign for the office of Tax Assessor-Collector for this county I have travelled over the County in an effort to meet each of you personally. However, I regret to say there are many of you I have been unable to meet. I will most sincerely appreciate your consideration and support in the coming election.

I wish to thank each of you who have helped me in any way and I promise if I am elected to give you courteous and efficient service at all times.

M. H. (Bob) JOY (Pd. Pol. Adv.)

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. King of Sweetwater spent the week end visiting Mrs. King's brother, Claude King, and family. Miss Maxine King made the return trip with them and will visit in Sweetwater several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Yarbrough were in town from the Union community Saturday afternoon purchasing a few pounds of ice and a few groceries for the Sunday dinner.

Weldon Flemming gave the News a classified ad last week for a loan, and came in Saturday and paid for the ad, and stated it did the work, that is, he found the calf before the ad appeared, and that was getting results.

A year ago when the war ended, the American people were regaled from all sides with extravagant forecasts concerning reconversion of industry and the production of consumer goods. According to the optimistic predictors, the country would soon be treated to an enormous flood of merchandise ranging from unlimited quantities of nylon to revolutionary new era automobiles.

The truth has turned out to be the exact opposite. As Benjamin H. Ham, president of a National Retail Dry Goods Association, put in a recent address:

"I do not hesitate to state that there's less good staple merchandise available at popular prices today than at any time in my experience as a retail merchant.

"There are less shirts, less hostery and mens clothing on retail shelves than at any time during the war years, when we were fighting two wars on widely separated fronts, maintaining an armed force of 12 million men and sending out vast quantities of goods under lend lease.

"We have governmental reports, of course, that our production is the 'highest in years' There figures however are grossly misleading. They take no cognizance of quality determination, the disappearance of low priced goods, subsidies or the greatly decreased value of the dollar.

"So long as business remains the slave of politics we will have an economy of scarcity of an abundance."

County Hospital Shows \$5,000 Net Profits For 1945

The Callahan County Hospital showed a profit of \$5,267.46 in 1945, according to a recent auditor's report. This report should be most gratifying to tax payers, inasmuch as the institution has been showing a loss in operational expenditures in prior years.

With a cash balance of only \$104.84 at January 1, 1945, the hospital totalled receipts of \$23,514.41 and disbursements of \$18,351.81 at the end of the year, thus showing more than five thousand dollars above operation costs.

The county of Callahan received more revenues in 1945 than in some previous years, according to the report, with \$119,802.67 in-take and disbursements \$103,395.82, thus keeping the county well within the prescribed budget for 1945. In 1944 the county "found itself somewhat in the red" with revenues only \$109,094.49 and disbursements \$113,468.04. The county hospital fund is credited with having aided in bringing the general fund to its present amount more than any other account.

TO THE VOTERS OF PRECINCT NO. 3:

It has long been the hope of every person aspiring to public office to quit undefeated, and I am no exception to this rule.

I have no knowledge of having done anything that will justify my being refused a second term, for surely such is democracy. Still it shall be left up to you to decide this on July 27.

Whoever you elect as your commissioner will need the wholehearted support of all the people. To those who have cooperated with me in my tenure of office I am very grateful. I have strived to bring an authentic report pertaining to affairs of the county to every tax payer.

Any degree of achievement acquired on the roads, credit should be given to the equipment operators. In handling the county's business I owe much credit to the officials who cooperated with me in bringing about needed changes. Changes that will be reflected in years to come on future officials. Kindly soliciting your vote and support, I am Sincerely, I. G. MOBLEY

Benjamin Hill of Dallas county was campaigning in Putnam Saturday afternoon in his race for commissioner of agriculture.

G. L. Harser was able to be out again this week after several days confinement to his room on account of illness.

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Ray Steadham, a former citizen of Putnam having been reared here, sends in a years subscription to the old home town paper. Thanks, Ray, we are glad to have you on the list for the best paper in Putnam.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Buchanan left Saturday afternoon for Fort Worth, where they will be the guests of Universal Mills, and appeared on the radio Sunday afternoon in connection with the fiftieth wedding anniversary program over the radio.

Joe Coleman has been employed in the mechanical department of the Cook garage for the past three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Kiling left Sunday for Fort Worth where they will remain for two or three weeks before returning to Putnam.

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## Constitutional Amendment—(Continued from page 1)

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"Each voter shall strike out with pen or pencil the clause which he desires to vote against so as to indicate whether he is voting FOR or AGAINST said proposed amendment."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have same published as required by the Constitution for Amendments thereto.

Registration should be done as early as possible. Advance enrollment will be very beneficial to us in making plans for the short course. However, you may register on the opening day, or upon arrival at the College. Come to room 327, Thursday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Smith of Cisco visited her sister, Mrs. E. P. Foster, and Mr. Foster Sunday.

Mrs. Foster's mother, Mrs. J. W. Wood of Gatesville, arrived Sunday to spend this week with her.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bradley of Dallas arrived Saturday to visit several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Clint Brashear.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Hughes spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tipton Wrinkle. Other guests in the Wrinkle home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Wrinkle of Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. George Morgan and family of Baird spent Sunday with the B. P. Pillay family.

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## County Agent Column

The following announcement has been received by this office from the Poultry Husbandry department of A. and M. College:

A 3 weeks poultry short course will be held at A. and M. College June 24 to July 12. Two weeks will be given to chickens, the last week to turkeys. The course had been planned to train flock selecting and pullorum testing agents, both for chickens and turkeys, and to serve as a refresher or training program for hatcherymen, poultry breeders, or others interested in chicken or turkey raising. College credit may be earned by those attending for the full three weeks.

A license may be earned for doing official work with chickens by attending either the first or second week. During the third week official turkey training work will be given. A registration fee of \$10 will be charged for three weeks attendance. The one week fee will be \$5. Meals and lodging will be available on the campus or nearby.

A special visitors day is being planned for Wednesday, July 10 and a number of outside speakers will appear on the Visitors Day Program.

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Animal Industries Building, for your registration. Write to E. D. Farnell, Poultry Husbandry Dept., College Station, Tex., for any additional information.

Any poultryman who desires to obtain a license as Flock Selecting and Pullorum Testing agents under the National Poultry Improvement Plan should plan to attend this course.

For further information regarding the course, contact the County Agent's office.

### DDT RECOMMENDATION STATED

Texas county agricultural agents have been advised that for the present, the only treatment recommended for the control of horn flies, lice and mosquitoes on livestock is wettable DDT powder.

DDT for this purpose is now on the market in two different forms, 1—dry, in wettable powder; 2—liquid in oil or oxylene solutions or emulsions. Both forms may be diluted for use as a spray or dip.

The decision to recommend only DDT in wettable powder form for use on livestock was made by a committee of entomologists and animal husbandmen who checked all known sources of information. The group will make further recommendations as research on DDT goes on.

The committee pointed out that DDT in wettable powder goes into for use as a spray or dip. There was no evidence that it was harmful to animals even if used at strength somewhat greater than that recommended by the manufacturer.

### Classified Ads

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Ex-GI's can now reinstate policies without a medical examination, regardless of how long they have been out of the service, provided their health has grown no worse during the lapsed period, Sission said.

Robert W. Sisson, Lubbock Veterans Administration Regional manager, said success of the campaign would result in invaluable service to thousands of veterans. The contact service of the Veterans Administration today was seeking every veteran who has let his G. I. Insurance lapse to offer reinstatement without a medical examination.

"This liberalization is only effective until January 1, 1947," he pointed out. "Time is running out for many of these veterans and we must use every means to inform them of this priceless opportunity."

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THE REXALL STORE PHONE 33  
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Mrs. Clinton King and small daughter have returned to Long Beach, Calif., after spending several days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude King.

Chief Petty Officer Clinton King of the United States Navy will be stationed at Galveston, Texas, in the near future. He is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude King.

Keith King has returned from China and Tokyo and is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude King. He has reenlisted in the Navy and will report to Camp Wallace at Houston in the near future.

Will Buchanan, George Biggestaff and Homer Pruet were all transacting business in the county capitol Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Willis of Arlington visited Mr. Willis' sister, Mrs. Wylie Clinton, the past week end.

Mrs. Fred Cook and Mrs. Frances Clinton were shopping in Abilene last Thursday.

Arnold Pruet and Mrs. Joe Green were visiting and shopping in Baird Monday morning.

Dutch Snyder of Abilene was looking after oil interest in Putnam Monday afternoon. Mr. Snyder was an operator in the Putnam field for a number of years, drilling two or three deep wells.

Mrs. William Durbin and children of Long Beach, Calif., are here visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary Guyton. They will be here about three weeks before returning to their home in California.

Mrs. Annie Brown of Grannis, Ark., was visiting in the home of Mrs. Cleo Brown the first of the week.

Lee Howell, a brother-in-law of Mrs. Cleo Brown, visited her Monday of this week. They were enroute west and will be back through Saturday and stop for awhile.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Silts of Tucumcari, New Mex., and Miss Ruby Silts of Franklin are here this week visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ramsay. Mr. Silts is a brother of Mrs. Ramsay.

Several candidates were in town Wednesday, including all of the candidates for assessor and collector, Mrs. T. W. Briscoe, M. H. Joy, and O. C. Yarbrough.

Mr and Mrs Carl Wallace of Dallas are here this week visiting in the home of Mr and Mrs. J. S. Yeager, Mrs. Wallace's parents.

Ed Roberson of Burkburnett was here this week visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ramsay. Ed formerly lived in Putnam.

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen Pruet attended the Pinnell homecoming in Cisco a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Butler left the first of the week on their vacation, going from here to Stith and Stanton and from there to San Antonio and possibly other places before returning to their home, visiting with relatives and friends.

A. T. Blalock was in Putnam the first of the week from Fort Worth spending his vacation here and at Clyde visiting with his brothers.

Mr. Blalock is a former citizen of the Scranton community before going to Fort Worth. He is now engineer on the Rock Island railway.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ruyle of Dallas spent the week end visiting with Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Cook, Mrs. Ruyle's parents

## Sample Ballot of the Democratic Primary July 27

I am a Democrat and pledge myself to support the Nominee of this primary.

### FOR UNITED STATES SENATOR:

Tom Connally of Falls County  
A. B. (Cyclone) Davis of Dallas County  
Laverne Somerville of Dallas County  
Terrell Sledge of Hays County  
Floyd E. Ryan of Harris County

### FOR GOVERNOR:

Grover Sellers of Hopkins County  
C. R. Shaw of Harris County  
John Lee Smith of Throckmorton County  
Homer P. Rainey of Travis County  
Reese Turner of Travis County  
William V. Brown of Bowie County  
A. J. Burks of Ector County  
W. J. Minton of Grayson County  
Beauford Jesler of Navarro County  
Walter Scott McNutt of Marion County  
Chas. B. Huthelton of Dallas County  
Floyd Brantley of Harris County  
Jerry Sadler of Gregg County  
Caso March of McLennan County

### FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR:

Allan Shivers of Jefferson County  
Jo Ed Winfree of Harris County  
Boyce House of Tarrant County  
Larry Mills of Dallas County  
Turner Walker of Harris County

### FOR COMPTROLLER OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS:

Clifford E. Butler of Harris County  
George H. Sheppard of Nolan County

### FOR STATE TREASURER:

Jesse James of Travis County  
Clarence Williams of Travis County

### FOR COMMISSIONER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE:

Bascom Giles of Travis County

### FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL:

Price Daniel of Liberty County  
Pat M. Neff, Jr., of Harris County

### FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION:

L. A. Woods of McLennan County

### FOR COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE:

R. E. McDonald of Travis County  
J. E. McDonald of Ellis County  
Benjamin F. Hill of Dallas County  
W. R. Chambers of Brown County

### FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONER:

Ike Lyons of Harris County  
Mac Coker of Dallas County  
Olin Culbertson of Jackson County

### FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE SUPREME COURT (Place 1):

John H. Sharp of Ellis County  
Chas. T. Rowland of Tarrant County

### FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE SUPREME COURT (Place 2):

James B. Hubbard of Nueces County  
Graham B. Smedley of Tarrant County

### FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE SUPREME COURT (Place 3):

J. E. Hickman of Eastland County

### FOR JUDGE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS:

Jesse Owens of Wilbarger County  
Weaver Baker of Kimble County  
Joseph Donnell Dickson of Baylor County  
Tom L. Beauchamp of Smith County

### FOR REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS 17TH DISTRICT:

Gilbert (Gib) Sandefer of Taylor County  
William W. Blanton of Shackelford County  
R. M. Wagstaff of Taylor County  
Omar Burleson of Jones County  
Bryan B. Bradbury of Taylor County  
Robert R. Herring of Stephens County  
Nina J. Headrick of Nolan County  
Ted Miles of Jones County

### FOR CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS 11TH DISTRICT:

Clyde Grissom of Eastland County

### FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS 11TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT:

Albert S. Mauzey of Nolan County  
E. J. Miller of Brown County

### FOR REPRESENTATIVE 107TH FLORIAL DISTRICT:

T. S. (Tip) Ross of Eastland County  
Rankin Blackburn of Eastland County  
L. R. Pearson of Eastland County

### FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY 42ND DISTRICT:

Thos. E. Hayden, Jr., of Taylor County

### FOR COUNTY JUDGE:

J. Lester Farmer

### FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY:

F. E. Mitchell

### FOR CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT:

Mrs. Corrie Driskill

### FOR CLERK OF THE COUNTY COURT:

Bruce Bell

### FOR SHERIFF:

W. A. Petterson  
S. S. (Nick) Nichols

### FOR ASSESSOR AND COLLECTOR OF TAXES:

M. H. Joy  
Mrs. T. W. Briscoe  
O. C. (Clyde) Yarbrough

### FOR COUNTY TREASURER:

Mrs. Will McCoy  
Presley (Turk) Reynolds

### FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION:

B. C. Chrisman

### FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 3:

C. C. King  
I. G. Mobley  
Orville Taylor

### FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, PRECINCT NO. 8:

Ollie Cunningham

### FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, PRECINCT NO. \_\_\_\_\_:

L. D. Maynard

### FOR CONSTABLE, PRECINCT 8:

L. D. Maynard

### FOR CONSTABLE, PRECINCT NO. \_\_\_\_\_:

L. D. Maynard

### FOR PUBLIC WEIGHTER, PRECINCT NO. \_\_\_\_\_:

Hugh W. Ross, Jr.

### FOR COUNTY DEMOCRATIC CHAIRMAN:

Hugh W. Ross, Jr.

### FOR PRECINCT CHAIRMAN, PRECINCT NO. \_\_\_\_\_:

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heyser were shopping and circulating among friends and relatives in Baird Saturday afternoon.

J. E. Buford and Mr. and Mrs. Conlin of Baird were visiting with relatives in Putnam Saturday afternoon.

**ALLAN SHIVERS IS FULLY QUALIFIED**



Senator Allan Shivers is the only candidate for lieutenant governor who has the experience and qualifications that are so badly needed to properly preside over the Texas Senate, the lieutenant governor's chief function.

Allan Shivers gained this experience through 12 years of service as a senator, interrupted only by two years overseas duty with the Army. He is also the only war veteran seeking the lieutenant governor's office.

(Pd. Pol. Adv.)

**TO CALLAHAN COUNTY VOTERS:**

As July 27 approaches, I wish to say a sincere "Thank You" to the many people who have complimented the quality of work which has been accomplished in my office during my three terms. Because that work is still the chief merit I am claiming in asking for reelection, it is very pleasant to hear such comments.

Many of you I have not seen personally to this campaign because I have remained faithful to my honest belief that, as your present Tax Assessor-Collector, my duty is to be on the job most of the time during office hours. Please ask your friends and mine about me if you do not know my qualifications, and give me your serious consideration when you go to the polls to select one of the three who seek to be Assessor-Collector.

Sincerely,  
**MRS. T. W. BRISCOE**

**Blanton Thanks Opponents**

**TO THE PEOPLE OF THE 11TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT:**

I am unable financially to run the usual newspaper advertising before the first primary, and I will not permit friends to run any for me.

I want to thank my seven opponents for a clean race, and to assure everyone that so far as I am concerned, it will remain the same through the second primary in August.

I would appreciate your votes and influence, and the honor of serving you as your representative in Congress.

**WILLIAM W. BLANTON**

**R. E. GRANTHAM**  
Attorney-at-Law  
Practice in all Courts  
Cisco, Texas

**Cottonwood News**

**MRS. S. B. STRAHAN**

Shirley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Moore, is in a Brady hospital suffering from an acute malady which proved very near fatal. Mr. Moore, returning from his daughter's bedside Sunday, states she is slightly improved and will be removed to the home of an aunt, Mrs. Dock Taylor, there soon. The S. A. Moore's are visiting here from the Panama, C. Z.

H. S. Varner was taken to the Baird hospital Sunday morning suffering from an ear infection which has troubled him at intervals for two years. Mrs. Varner is still bedridden and has made no noticeable change.

Rev. Lloyd Connell and family of Garden City visited Mrs. W. O. Peavy this week.

The Walker Hargrove family of Lubbock are visiting his parents, the Dave Hargrove's, and other relatives.

Mrs. Elton Jennings and family are visiting relatives here this week.

The Baptist revival is now in progress. Preaching is being done by the pastor, Clarence Powell, and is already receiving noticeable and successful results. Richard Purvis leads the singing with Lavonia Redden of Abilene at the piano. Mrs. Redden and Celeta with Lavonia are spending this week in Mrs. Redden's Mothers home, Mrs. J. R. Ramey, while Brother Redden is occupied elsewhere in a revival.

The Methodist revival which will immediately follow the Baptist will begin Sunday the 28th. Reverend Barnes of Cross Plains will do the preaching and Doyle Burchfield, also of Cross Plains, will lead the singing with Pat Respass of Goodlett playing the piano.

Mrs. Woods of Houston and Mrs. Tom Smart of Admiral were visitors here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Woody and children of California are visiting her father, Lee Champion and other relatives.

Mrs. Tom Nordyke of Houston, sister of Lee and Frank Champion, is visiting here. Also visiting here is Mrs. Charlie Hite of Los Angeles, a cousin of the men.

Mrs. Connor Elliott of Brownwood spent the week end with her parents, the John Moores.

Mr. and Mrs. Lofton Bragg and children of Crane are spending his vacation in the home of her grandparents, the John Moores.

Mr. and Mrs. Artie Lee Breeding and his father, Hughy Breeding, has as their visitors this week, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Breeding, Johnnie Breeding, Arvie Breeding, Mr. and Mrs. Audery Breeding and Mrs. Alvin Hale all of Lamesa, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Scribner and children of Goldthwaite, Dillie and Recie Clark of Roswell, New Mex.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Lane and little daughter of Odessa, also Mr. and Mrs. Mike Cunningham of Anson visited their parents, the Lewis Coppingers, and their sister, Mrs. Byron Richardson and husband this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Rutledge and children of Waco visited her parents, Frank Champions, this week.

J. P. Purvis of the Atwell community was in Putnam Saturday morning and while here called at the News office. He left a nice box of tomatoes and they were really enjoyed by the editor and family. Mr. Purvis and the News force believe in reciprocity, that is trading with each other. We did not have any tomatoes and Mr. Purvis enjoys reading the News, so the trade was easy consummated. Thanks Mr. Purvis.

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We have known Judge E. J. Miller, both as Judge of the 35th District Court, where he served for twelve years and as an active lawyer in private practice, in which he was engaged for many years. He was an able judge, diligent, industrious, learned in the law, and painstaking in his consideration and decision of the matter involved. We commend him as having the qualities that eminently fit him for the position which he seeks, that of Associate Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals.

- Gordon Griffin
- E. M. Davis
- Gib Calloway
- David J. Morris
- Darrell Shelton
- George Savage
- Gilbert Harrison
- Levie Old

- E. P. Woodruff
- J. Edward Johnson
- R. R. Holloway
- Sam Connally
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- Sidney Mahaney—42 mo. ETO
- William T. Graves—7 years service
- Glen Hightower—5 years service, 2 ETO
- J. T. Weaver—2 years service
- E. A. Order—4 years service
- John Purcell—4 years service
- Fredrick D. Orr—9 years
- Herman A. Terry—4 years
- Jack Lauderdale—2 years CBI
- Adrian R. Allen—3 years

- James W. Calloway—3 years ETO
- Billy B. Wright—2 years
- Hal Wagner—1 year
- Glen A. Tableman—3 years
- Bob Elliott—3 1/2 years PAC
- John Penn—2 1/2 years service
- R. Rhodes—3 years ETO
- J. H. Webb—3 years SWP
- Victor R. Lawson—4 years ETO
- Cy Cooper—5 years SWP
- A. P. Reeves, Jr.—3 years SWP
- Standlee McCracken—2 1/2 years service
- Glenn Boyd—3 years
- Claude Leecker—3 years
- A. R. Westfall—2 years 9 mo. ETO
- J. C. Barnhill—6 years Pac
- James T. Stovall—2 1/2 years Pac.

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FOR

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