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"When The One Great Scorer Comes to Write Against Your Name He Writes Not If You Won or Lost But How You Played The Game."

THURSDAY, MARCH 29, 1945

From The Editor's Window BY MRS.J.S.YEAGER

Recently France has paid to the United States \$40,000,000 on her account to us for Lend-Lease materials sent to North and West French Africa. This is not the first payment "a socialistic tendency infil-France has made. Although terating all phases of endeavwar-torn and troubled this last payment brings the total all makeshifts," Dixon deof what she has paid up to clared. "They break all tenets \$153,668,907.

She now owes us only \$31,-000,000 and negotiations are to make the final payments.

water as usual, but put in four be hard to say." tablespoons of salt instead of coffee. Heat just as if you were making coffee. The salt of the sa will do the job in the way it At 2,170,278 should be done according to Barrels for April "Helpful Hints" in one of our exchanges.

"miracle drug," is now being April calculated to result in placed in drug stores and actual production of 2,170,278 made available to the civilian harrels of crude daily, was an-

It is said most of the drug- mission. gists had placed orders with distributors as soon as it was prescriptions.

saving the lives of countless for war. The overall allowthousands of wounded ser- able, including natural gaso-

The Acco Press gives the more than the PAW certificafollowing bit of information tion for all petroleum liquids. which they took from "The Ladies Magazine" of June, M. E. FRYE & SONS 1870: Until the year 1770 this SELLS POLE BULL law was in force in England: FOR \$1,000 RECENTLY "Whoever shall entice into Douglas Frye was in from bonds of matrimony any male the ranch Saturay morning gan. A number of friends and the Bayou H. D. club and at a troyed, the United States car owner, requesting him to subject of her Majesty by and stated M. E. Frye and acquaintances of the Weeks recent meeting she explained plans lend-lease 30,000 new means of rouge, white paint, Sons had sold a Hereford poll- were in attendance from dif- to the women how she used pre-fabricated houses to the tire inspection station for tire void."

The haughty girl senior sniffed disdainfully as the tiny freshman cut in. "And just why did you have to cut in when I was dancing?" she inquired nastily.

The freshman hung his working my way through college and your partner was waving a five-dollar bill at

The woman autoist posed for a snapshot in front of the fallen pillars of an ancient temple of Greece.

"Don't get the car in the picture," she said, "or my husband will think I ran into the place."

United Press reports from London that the War Office wants simpler writing: "end" for termination, "help" | for facilitate, etc. The instructions, however, raed: "Nothing is more conducive to long-winded and stilted writing than the use of a formal, pedantic or polysyllable substitute for a natural word of expression."-News-Review.

resigned as Governor of the unanimous vote on final count of a final passage. The funds are the term 1945-46. Bahama Islands. He will be postcard ballot, ratifying the matched by Federal Govern-

are said to be appointed for who succeeds Jack Frost, is a

may live in Paris after peace bull, Publican Domino, Jr. 122d, self on the bill yet, but it is behas been restored in Europe.

friends.

Roger Dixon Takes Government to Task On Buying Cotton

Roger Dixon, president of the Texas Cotton Association take administration to task on decision of buying cotton and termed the order another sad blow to free initiative, and private industry.

He called the development or. The national policies are of sound economics and the regulation of quotas and subsidies for foreign sales are at present under way for her contrary to the principles of the Atlantic charter. Ulti-To thoroughly clean your have to be discontinued, but coffee percolator, fill it with how far in the future this will

According to a release from the Railroad Commission, a Penicillan, known as the statewide oil allowable for population for the first time. | nounced Tuesday by the com-

Although average net daily allowable was put at 2,305,128 learned that limited quantities | barrels a 5.85 estimated under would be placed on the market production will reduce calcufor civilian use, on doctor's lated flow to 2,170,278 barrels or 278 more than certified by Penicillan is credited with the petroleum administration line and distillate, next month Mr. and Mrs. Qualls

Spanish cotton, steel corsets, ed bull to C. E. Jordan, Ma- ferent places. crinoline, high-heeled shoes, son for \$1,000. This is the or false hips shall be prose- highest price that any bull has the guests, many interesting cuted for witchcraft, and the sold for in Putnam. Mr. Frye games were played and the marriage declared null and stated that he was taking four honorees were presented with to Marshall to the livestock many lovely gifts. show and had intended taking five, but had sold this one be- O. Finley and Omalee of Cisfore going.

has been called as pastor of Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Burthe Baptist church here for nam and children, Mr. and full time and will be here to Mrs. J. P. Strickland, Mrs. head in shame. "I'm sorry, take up his duties as pastor Tommy Wyatt, Mrs. J. A. next Sunday at 11 o'clock and Yarbrough, Mrs. George again at night.



LLOYD WHEELOCK

Lloyd Wheelock was declared operation expenses. elected president of the Texas The Duke of Windsor has Hereford Association by a virtually the bill back to the House for erintendent of the schools for paper you have and let us load. FINAL GINNINGS succeeded by W. L. Murphy, choice of the directors at a recent ment and the amount propos- election on Saturday, April 7, PUTNAM RED CROSS 58 year-old colonial secretary. meeting held in lieu of the annual ed is expected to raise the av-, when two trustees will be elec- OVERSUBSCRIBES Governors of the Bahamas membership gathering. Wheelock, erage about \$3.25. It is thought the Windsors stitute. He is the owner of the enson has not committed him- Hayes and Austin Bochetto. which was declared grand cham- lieved by all that when it Stock Show a short while before. | sioners.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

First National Bank

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS MARCH 20, 1945 CISCO, TEXAS

Resources

Loans and Discounts Cash and Exchange U. S. Government and Federal Land Bank Bonds at Par Federal Reserve Bank Stock Banking House Furniture and Fixtures Overdrafts	898,389.36 1,610,200.00
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\$2,765,779.82

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British Planning

With Lend-Lease

\$51,000,000, it has been re-

States move to help the Brit-

vealed. Thus did the United

They will be of the latest

design, the houses will contain

SALVAGE PAPER

SATURDAY, APR. 3

busy now and bring all the

the truck.

past quotas.

To Erect 30.000

Liabilities

Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.0
Surplus Earned	50,000.0
Undivided Profits	46,121.0
Deposits	

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is 2,332,592 barrels or 2,952 Honors Mr. and Mrs. Weeks With Party

gave a party Monday night let a summer drouth prevent British homes substantially Weeks Jr. of Detroit, Michi- Mrs. Atchley is a member of least 250,000 of these des-

For the entertainment of mato crop.

Those present were Mrs. R. co, Mrs. Howard Cerlile and boys of Cisco, Mrs. Burette Weeks, Mac F. Holmes Wood, and Ray Tatom. Those sending- gifts, Mrs. Dick Yarbrough, A. Yarbrough and Mrs. Jack Ramsay.

PENSION CHECKS MAY BE \$3.25 LARGER IN APRIL

Pensions to the old people may be increased by about the tub 2 or 3 times weekly. three dollars in the near fu- Keep the weeds down. In hot should bring it in on April 4th. names if anyone wishes to application is made. No application is made. No application is made. ture. The Texas Senate pass- weather provide a shade and ed, joined the House of Repre- windbreak made from old sentatives in voting more sacks tacked on to poles. funds for old age assistance.

The house bill to raise the month's state allotment from BAILEY JOHNSON \$1,900,000 to \$2,200,000, was TO HEAD CLYDE passed after an amendment SCHOOLS FOR 1945-46 limiting the expenditures for

Mrs. Atchley Tells Club Women Way To Grow Tomatoes

Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Qualls Mrs L. L. Atchiev doesn't With more than 2,500,000 the tub garden to insure a to- United Kingdom at a cost of

Here's How to Make a Tub Garden

Get an old tub, several five ish government on the all gallon cans, or cut discarded touchy housing question in a oil drum in half. Cut long country with an increasingly slashes about half way up liberal outlook. tub, 3 to a 5 gallon can. Sink houses will be about \$1,700 checked against these records. Rev. Gentry of Brownwood Ramsay, Jo Ann and Gloria the ground convenient to wa- roofed homes will be shipped the ground convenient to water supply. Fill to the ground out complete, with the British level with barnyard manure expected to supply the glass! Will be Held on and cover with an inch or two on the site, however. of good soil. Pour in water until the tub is full.

Select a drouth resistant ranges, sinks and bathroom variety of tomatoes. Set to- fixtures, including cast iron mato plants opposite each enameled bathtubs, with lavagash and about 8 to 10 inches tory of galvanized iron piping. from the sides of the tub. About 10 to 12 inches farther out and between tomato plants, set 4 or 5 bell pepper DRIVE SET FOR plants and 4 or 5 egg plants. Around tubs or bucket try squash, or cucumbers or cantaloupes.

been set for April 5th in Put-Water thoroughly through

The Clyde school board re-The amendment will send elects Bailey Johnson as sup-

Clyde is to hold a school ted. Joel Griffin and Steve QUOTA ON 7th DRIVE If the House passes the bill Tarrant are trustees whose

her home Tuesday.

FOR 45-46 SCHOOL

TO GLADEWATER

NAT WILLIAMS

Williams of Putnam, resigned able to applicants. his position in the Ballinger, Five pound and one pound Gladewater schools.

Williams became superin- applications. fore going to Ballinger.

on July the 1st, this year.

Extensive Program On Tire Inspection Launched at Abilene

An extensive program of tire inspection is being put on in Abilene to be sponsored by tire dealers, recappers and firms in the near future, was approved unanimously a few days ago by 33 representatives, as it appears it will not limit the inspection work to cars in the city of Abilene but any car parked on the streets may have its tires inspected and notice placed on the tire pointing out defects and advising the owner to go to some tire inspection station and have tires inspected.

And if your tire is inspected there will be a notice to have honoring Mr. and Mrs. George her from having tomatoes. damaged by bombing, with at tires inspected, the ration board will mail a letter to the take his car to an authorized attention.

Failure to comply with the request may result in the local board denying your application for a new tire. Records will be kept by both the tire board and the gasoline rationing board and all future apfrom the bottom, 4 or 5 to the The estimated cost of these plications for tires will be

Trustee Election Saturday, April 7

on April 7th. Seven trustees to be elected. The new disthat can be elected. As the supply is not adequate for News understands, there will more than one issuance. be seven names on the ticket, (7) Attach Spare Stamp Scrap paper drive has that a truck will be sent down does not appear on the ballot. those stamps are attached. from Abilene on April 5th. So The seven names to appear on (8) No application will be it is necessary that the paper, the ballot are: U. L. Lowry, processed while the applicants be delivered to the News office A. B. Hutchison and Henry waits, even though the panel not later than April 4th. We Frye, from Putnam; R. C. may be in session. Therefore, skipped March on account of the size of the town, we could not get enough to make a truck load. Let every one get Hill.

SHOWS INCREASE OVER 1943 CROP

in Callahan county for the usual fine support. five-year terms and the Duke former mayor of Corsicana, an in- in its amended form, it will terms expire. Hold-over memhad not served the entire dependent oil operator and a direction go to the governor for bers are A. C. Forrester, Harman for Putnam, reports Put- that there were ginned in Caltor of the American Petroleum In- his approval. Governor Stev- ry Steen, John Bailey, Earl nam has raised the quota of lahan to March 1, 2991 bales \$500. The quota was placed of cotton from the 1944 crop, Worth and her friend, Paul at \$500 and that much has as compared with 2929 bales Trippet, spent the day Sunday Mrs. Ema Blackshear of been raised to date. This for the 1943 crop. This was visiting in the home of Mrs. pion of the Southwestern Exposition and Fot Stock Show at Fort bill This will sign the Jasper visited with her broth- makes Putnam 100%, having an increase of 62 bales over W. M. Crosby and Mrs. Jewel tion and Fot Stock Show at Fort bill This will be the stock of the southwestern Exposition and Fot Stock Show at Fort bill This will be the southwestern Exposition and Fot Stock Show at Fort bill This will be the southwestern Exposition and Fot Stock Show at Fort bill This will be the southwestern Exposition and Fot Stock Show at Fort bill This will be the southwestern Exposition and Fot Stock Show at Fort bill This will be the southwestern Exposition and Fot Stock Show at Fort bill This will be the southwestern Exposition and Fot Stock Show at Fort bill This will be the southwestern Exposition and Fot Stock Show at Fot Mrs. Alton Hutchison was tion and Fat Stock Show at Fort bill. This will make an allot- er and family, Mr. and Mrs. raised their quota in every the 1943 ginnings. The Eula Golson, returning to Fort in Baird Monday morning vis- Worth, after having won grand- ment of \$4,400,000 each W. P. Stephens in Cisco the drive and in most cases over- gin was the only gin in the Worth Sunday afternoon, iting and talking with old championship at the Houston Fat month to be paid out to pen- past week-end. returning to subscribed several times on county ginning as much as where Miss Louise has em-1.000 bales for the 1944 crop. | ployment.

1945 Home Canning Sugar Program

A supply of the new home Nat Williams, superintend- canning sugar applications ent of the Ballinger schools, a form R-341, will be received position held for the past six soon in this county at which years, and a son of Mrs. Louie time they will be made avail-

school the past week to accept home canning sugar coupons the superintendency of the which will be used in issuing rations will not be available The move will take Wil- until April 1, in the case of the liams, one of the most suc- five pound coupons and until cessful administrators of May 1, for the one pound. West Texas, out of this region | Therefore, the board requests for the first time in his school that 30 days be given in which to receive and process initial

tendent of the Cross Plains It should be noted that the school soon after his gradua- top of the home canning sugtion from Hardin-Simmons ar application is perforated so University. He served there that the board may use the eight years and as superin- name and address given by the tendent at Baird two years be- applicant in a window envelope in mailing coupons His resignation was accept- back to the applicant, thus ed by the board to be effective eliminating the necessity of addressing envelopes.

Only one issuance of home canning sugar is to be made to any applicant in the Ft. Worth District during the coming home canning season. In this respect it is requested that one application be made for all members of a family.

The Callahan county quota of home canning sugar is only 100,000 lbs. for 1945. As the quota designated must be observed, every application must be screened carefully.

the following information is very important:

(1) The initial issuance must last the entire year, as no applications will be accepted after October 31, 1945.

(2) Coupons cannot be expected to reach the consumer until at least 30 days from the date on which he files his application. This will give the board time to act on the individual application.

(3) Coupons will not be given to applicants at the board site but will be mailed

to the applicant by the board. (4) The board, at is discretion, may issue less sugar than the amount applied for. Decisions in individual cases will be made by the Sugar panel based on the total overall allocation available to the county if it is to stay within the limitations of the fair share.

(5) Suppliers cannot possibly provide everyone with canning sugar at one time. Therefore, the public should spread out over as long a period as possible the purchase School election to be held and use of its home canning sugar.

(6) No additional applicatrict requires that an entire tions from the same person or new board shall be elected at family will be honored later on this election. Everybody the plea that "fruit is spoilshould be interested enough ing" once that individual or that they would go out and family has had one allotment help to select the best board from the board. The national

but blank spaces will be left No. 13 from War Ration Book nam. All who have paper under each name for write-in 14 of each person for whom The News has been informed elect some one whose name cation will be approved unless

Ames, from Hart; Bud Booth obtain your application at the from Pueblo; H. O. Smith, board in person or mail your Union; and R. B. Taylor, Zion request for an application to the board on 1c postcard. Additional procurement sites will be designated later.

It is our job to make the most equitable distribution we can of the limited amount of J. H. Shrader has just re- sugar available. We know leased the final ginning report that we can count on your

Miss Louise Crosby of Fort

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We Owe Us

By GEORGE S. BENSON President of Harding College Searcy, Arkansas



ON THE morning of November 12, 1918, a dusky American soldier slept through two or three bugle calls and was waked at last by his sergeant gruffly ordering

him to rise. Y'all kan't boss me roun' no mo," came the protest, "dis wah am ovah. I jes sign up fer de duration."

"How right you is, boy!" the sergeant replied. "De wah am ovah, sho 'nuff, but de duration ... it have jes begin."

There is a five-year-old epigram like this: "Who cares about the national debt? We only owe it to ourselves." It implies that we will be very easy with ourselves on collection day, but can we afford to be soft? We owe ourselves more money than we can ever collect the interest on, unless we work hard and pay our taxes. These debts to ourselves are genuine, and bigger than most of us realize.

Tinkling SOME people owe Cymbals themselves new cars, or new tires for their old cars. Since they can't buy these useful items, they waste their money on silly pastimes.

Easy money that rattles in our
pockets because there is nothing
to buy, is not prosperity. Actually
it is bogus money. If a higher income does not help me live better, my prosperity is phoney. Prosperity is born of work.

America is bleeding in war and suffering in want this very day. Our needs are no less real because certain items are off the market. National income figures | for the United States illustrate the point perfectly. On paper, our national income was 135 billion dollars in 1943, breaking all records, but actually we received 150 million dollars a day less takehome money in 1943 than in 1929.

Phoney WE ARE going in debt. Wealth When 1943's debt was subtracted from what we called our national income, it was 20 billion under 1929. String nine 0's after all figures in the table below; they are billions: Figures in billions National Income\$ 81 \$135 Government Deficitnone 3 56

\$ 78 \$ 58 Difference-\$20,000,000,000.

The average war-time wage is more cents per hour; the average salary more dollars per month. Consequently our total national income is more billions of dollars per year than in any previous boom, but the debt changes the picture. It will have to be paid in money that represents constructive work, doing and making useful things for better living.

for peaceful years to come. The anecdote at the beginning of this article was told to suggest this: When the fighting stops, it will be no signal to commence sleeping late trying to subsist on warcrease our efforts and do our part to meet our national obligation, "the duration will have just be-

Home Demonstration | County Agent Clubs Planning to Have All-Day Clinic

With the approach of Eastpartment stores.

county plans to have an all- future citizens of the county. sense of color and design can do miracles with a few simple be the men and women of the council voted to have a hat (clear). Varnish will not do later years. because it sometimes leaves

Companies where these sup- than to permit the work to the Deep Creek H. D. club. plies may be ordered, can be stop and lose what has alsecured from the H. D. agents ready been gained.

Fred Farmer; Deep Creek, April 12, Mrs. Alton Davis: Mrs. R. W. Cook.

the Leader office.

typewriter ribbons. Leader office. sides in Moran.

Resigns, Enters Conservation Work

not trying to tell the court cil meeting. Practically all spring millin- how to run the business, but it

Mr. Meador has made many

NO DISTRICT MEETING OF THE DEMONSTRATION COUNCIL FOR 1945

Mrs. Fred Farmer, Mrs. W. M. Meador who has Robert Poindexter, and Mrs. er, there is a lot of interest served Callahan county for Alton Davis were elected votamong home demonstration about two years as county ing delegates at Callahan club women in making purses agent, tendered his resigna- county home demonstration an in renovating spring mil- tion to the commissioners Council, Saturday, March 17. linery. Mrs. Fred Farmer, court which was accepted. Although there will be no dis-Mrs. A. L. Barnes, and Mrs. N. The resignation was effective trict H. D. meeting this year, H. Stephenson of the Eula March 21, which was last there will be some voting by H. D. club, have been using Wednesday, Mr. Meador was correspondence. Council had the corde thread and straw very active during his term as a good attendance of 31 membraids, crocheting hats and county agent and had worked bers and visitors present, with bag sets. Their work is equal up a good interest among the 9 of the H. D. clubs representto the \$20.00 and \$30.00 hand young people by organizing ed. Mrs. Carl Cook, chairbags found in our better de- boys and girls into 4-H clubs man, presided. Committees over the county, creating a reporting were: Finance, Mrs. Every H. D. club in the great deal of interest of the Wesley Wagley, education, Mrs. Ray Young; 4-H sponsor, day hat clinic in April. A club As little as we think about Mrs. Mallie Johnson, recreawoman with ingenuity and a it, the boys and girls that Mr. tion; Mrs. C. M. Johnson,

materials. For instance, if a county in just a few short clinic in April instead of the straw hat needs stiffening, years and the training receiv- program planned in the yearthat job can be done with ed under his instruction will book. Council discussed straw sizing, or shellac, be of much value to them in whether or not to buy pineapple cooperatively. It was Of course we can not blame decided that each club presiwhite spots on the straw. Or Mr. Meador for going where dent would find out how many if you want to dye a straw, he could get more money, but would want pineapple in her you can use tube oil paints unless the county secures an- community. Mrs. Edmund paint down with naptha. If lost. No doubt the county's committee will give a report of the straw has been shellaced it finances are low and we are this survey at the April coun-

Women all over Callahan ery supplies are available such appears the county had better county came to the home demas crinoline, buckram, veiling, economize along some other onstration Council Saturday lucite clasps, straw cloth, etc. line and secure another agent to see the exhibit set up by

Mrs. L. C. Duncan and Mrs. Clifford Esman are making good uses of old bottles by Home demonstration clubs friends since he has been in painting them and making atwho have already made ar- Callahan county who will re- tractive vases. Mrs. A. H. rangements for their clinics gret his leaving, and it is Vicars has solved the waste are: Enterprise, April 5th, hoped that the court will basket shortage problem by home of Mrs. Sam Sherrill; make an effort to secure an- combining paint, ingenuity, Eula, April 10th, home of Mrs. other one as soon as possible. and the ice cream hamper. Mrs. John Hughes and Mrs. Mrs. J. V. Randolph heard from Alton Davis, along with other Midway, April 13th, home of her son, Andrew, who sent his club members are making Purple Heart and the bullet that good use of the feed sack. broke his arm, to his parents in Mrs. Curtis Gilliam exhibited We have plenty of quarter-inch Moran. Andrew is now in Eng- a picture which she had made and three-eighth-inch staples, at land in U. S. hospital. Another by framing a floral design in one of our local boys in same hos- material. Each H. D. club is pital is C. A. Waters, son of the responsible for an exhibit at Just received, new supply of late Louis Waters. His mother re- Council one time during the

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FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE

City of Putnam

I, Eva Moore, City Secretary and Treasurer of the City of Putnam, hereby certify that the following report on the financial conditions of the City funds showing the amount of collections and disbursements since December 21st, 1943.

EVA MOORE, City Secretary and Treasurer.

CITY OF PUTNAM-WATER ACCOUNT

December 21, 1943—Balance\$ Collections	276.22 2,897.21
	\$3,173.43 \$2,999.73
December 23, 1944—Balance	173.70

CITY OF PUTNAM-GENERAL FUND

Collections	132.19
Disbursements\$	194.75 122.99
December 23, 1944—Balance\$	71.76

CITY OF PUTNAM-SINKING FUND

December 21, 1943—Balance	\$2,176.68 1,341.87
Disbursements	\$3,518.55 \$ 943.99
December 23, 1944—Balance	\$2,574.56

CITY OF PUTNAM—CEMETERY FUND

December 21, 1943—Balance\$ Collections	35.97 123.50
	159.47 156.15
December 23, 1944—Balance\$	3.32

CITY OF PUTNAM—COUNTY ATTORNEY FUND

December 21, 1943-Balance\$	10.00
Collections	10.00
\$	20.00
Disbursements	NONE
December 23, 1944—Balance\$	20.00

WATER SINKING FUND

A MAIN BAIN	Collected to January 1, 1945\$ Disbursements	NONE
A WATTA SALLS	January 1, 1945—Balance	150.00
4		

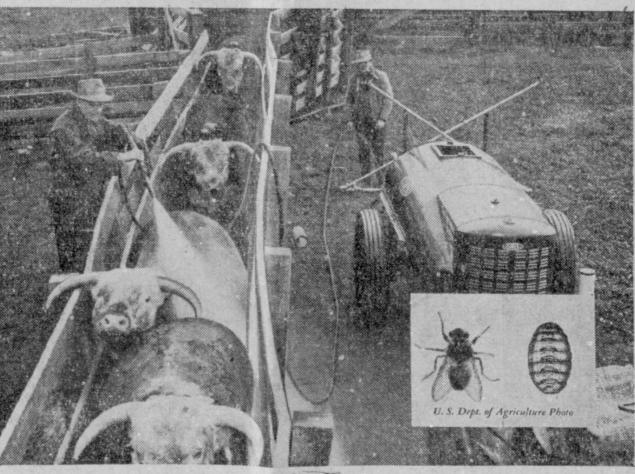
Before me, a Notary Public in and for Callahan County, Texas, on this day personally appeared J. S. Yeager, Mayor, and the following aldermen, George Damon, John Cook, Gus Brandon, U. L. Lowry and W. W. Everett, all known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and after being duly sworn by me, depose and state under outh that the oath that they, and each of them have carefully examined the report and find the same to be true and correct to the best of their knowledge and belief.

> J. S. YEAGER, Mayor GUS BRANDON W. W. EVERETT U. L. LOWRY GEORGE DAMON JOHN COOK

Sworn to and subscribed before me, a Notary Public in and for Callahan County, Texas, on this the 7th day of March A. D. 1945, at Putnam, Texas.

MARY GUYTON, Notary Public in and for Callahan County, Texas.

POWER SPRAYER BRINGS DEATH TO PESTS



Cattle grubs and heel flies (see inset) cause a \$100,000,000 national annual loss in meat, milk and leather production, according to the U.S. Department of Agriculture. By forcing out grubs and killing them with a Power Sprayer, a product of Food Machinery Corporation.

ranchers believe they have found a way toward altimate control of these destructive pests. The Power Sprayer has nearly a score of other farm uses, ranging from painting the barn to spraying molasses on old hay and dry grass to make is edible for cattle.

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Mrs. Spicer Advises County Agents Office Will be Kept Open

The writer was in the county agent's office Monday morning and Mrs. Katye Spicer requested the News to state that the office will remain open. She has been requested by the State Extension department to keep open, even though they do not have an agent. Mrs. Spicer is very efficient and any business you have with the county agent's office, can be transacted just as though the agent was still employed. So if you have business that should be handled by the county agent, it can still be taken care of by Mrs.

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Personal Mention

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Livingston and daughter, Carrol Jean, of Ralls, last Thursday to attend the funerson-in-law and daughter of Rev. and Mrs. W. M. Culwell, accompaned them home from Avoca and were guests here Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Patterson have returned from a visit with their daughter, Mrs. F. W. Watts at Lake Jackson. Mr. Patterson who walks with the aid of crutches stated he was much improved in health and is now able to be out on the streets in Moran.

A. J. Jackson who has been confined to his home the past two and baby daughter, Mary Lea, 2 weeks quite ill, is reported somewhat improved.

were business visitors in Abilene

mother, Mrs. G. W. Jeter and was able to get the mail out on his brother, Willie D. Jeter of Orange, route while the pretty little Mary Texas were Abilene visitors last Lea was their guest, but that was Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Grace and Mrs. Mary Jones of Hamlin visited in Moran Thursday and Friday of last week.

Mrs. J. V. Randolph met her niece, Miss Josie Randolph, in Cisco enroute from Los Angeles to Ala-Randolph and brothers in Long Beach before coming east. Miss Josie Randolph visited a few days in the Randolph home in Moran.

Mrs. T. L. Ledbetter is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Joe Chambliss the past two weeks. She sends in a contribution to Moran Red Cross

Mrs. Lee Ayers returned Monday from a 10-day visit to Portales, N. M., where she visited her daughter, Mrs. Leroy Day, who was ill in a hospital, and Mrs. J. D. Collins worth, her sister of Portales.

Miss Katherine Freeman, teacher in Ballinger schools will be home Thursday evening for Easter vaca-

Miss Carolyn Choate, cashier and bookkeeper for W.T.U. Co. at Baird will spend Easter in Moran with her mother, Mrs. Emma Jean

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Murray moved Saturday to their new home in west Moran purchased from Claud

Mrs. Fay McCanlies and daughters, Katie Jane, Mrs. Maravel Dean Stewart and Mrs. Ruby Fay Kyles and little son, Mac Dean of Fort Worth, spent the week-end in

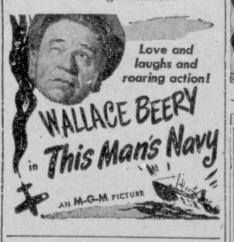
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Mrs. J. R. Thomas has returned | builder of gas pipe lines from the from a visit with her daughter's Moran gas field to Cisco, the beginfamily, Mr. and Mrs. V. Abodie and I nings of the Treat & Crawford gas Mrs. H. J Locke, Mr. and Mrs. Gas System.

I. E. Durham Were in Sweetwater al of Mrs. J. D. Dulaney, a relative of Mrs. Durham.

John Daughtry of Tyler, Texas, visited the Lockes Sunday. Mr. Daughtry was originally from West Virginia. He is superintendent of Arcadia Oil Co., at Putnam and

W. P. Kerwood of St. Marys, Va., s in Moran looking after the interests of St. Mary's Oil Cc, He and Mr. Locke will go to the Rio Grande Cpl. and Mrs. Herman Donawho

menths old, have spent their furlough with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Raymond Donawho in Moran and Mrs. Donawho's mother, Mrs. R. E. Singleton, Moran route 1. It was stated that Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Allen and mail carrier, Grandpa Donawho all. Cpl. Donawho is M. P. in Air Force at Dalhart and after a delightful visit home returned to duty last Saturday.

> Junior Hassen came in from John is on leave from Boston. Eddie is ! days. Both brothers attended the American Legion oyster supper in

Moran Sector Gets Renewed Play in Leasing Activities

More than 33 years ago M. W. Bahan, late of Fort Worth, was leasing lands for oil and gas in vicinity of Moran, and was one of the organizers of the Moran Natural Gas Co., later the Albany Natural Gas Co., and pioneer developer and

their new baby son in San Antonio. | unit that later became Lone Star

Mr. Bahan was also in that early day connected with The Texas Co. natural gas department in development of the Strawn sand pool at Moran, the first commercial oil production between Corsicana and California, going westward, and it was as long ago as 1909 when The Texas Co., natural gas department, drilled its first gas wells east of Moran on the James Cottle farm, supplying gas for the first local distribution system in West Texas, and Mr. Bahan was one of the developers of the program that was later extended to Albany and Cisco.

Bahan Brothers, Fort Worth oil and gas producers, have now returned to the scene of their illustrious father's activities.

Blocking leases west of Moran, they have about 4,000 acres under lease, including the tracts where oil was first found west and north of the city limits—running right up to the city line. Old leases that went dormant more than 20 years ago with the pluggings of wellswells that would today be saved. re-pressured and perhaps waterflooded for secondary recovery Tarleton College last week-end to have been revived and the lands of visit his brother, Eddie Hassen who late G. E. Waters, first Texas Co. oil scout, Elliott-Gray, Thomas E. bama. She had visited Glenna a sailor in the U.S. Navy and has Hayden, Ppol and others adjoining seen a lot of water in the last 60 the Wild farm west of Moran are center of the block.

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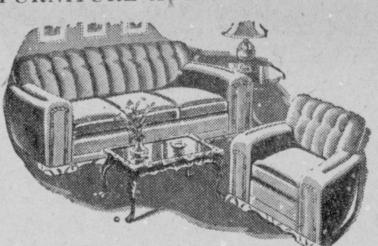


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week-end visiting with his Sunderman. He came from New York in an airplane to Fort Worth and came on to Putnam in a car. He was taken back to Fort Worth there to some place in Cali- We do everything to improve prior to cementing the upper

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Mrs. C. A. Dittmore and Mary Guyton made a business trip to Abilene Tuesday after-

Putnam, Texas

Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Qualls attended the funeral of L. Y. Hatchery, Baird, Texas. Siddall, Cisco, Tuesday after-

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Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mitchell who have been stationed in Louisiana for several months, spent the week-end visiting in the home of Mrs. Mitchell's stock. Bring us your certifi-Pruet. Mr. Mitchell has been year, they cost no more. honorably discharged from the service and has accepted a position with a firm at Stephenville where they will be at | home for the present. Mr. the week-end visiting with her Mitchell left the first of the parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. week for Stephenville, but Williams at Elmdale, return-Mrs. Mitchell will remain here ing to Putnam Sunday aftera few days.

STARTED PULLETS

R. O. P. sired English and seven acres; will lease or White Leghorn pullers three sell the 72 acres and house weeks old available until next year. Also will rent 130 about March 20th, \$25 per acres in June this year. Good 100. — STAR HATCHERY, goat proof fence all around Baird, Texas.

Mrs. Maud Porter and Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Gunnell visited in the home of Mrs. W. M. Saturday afternoon looking Crosby Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Mercer WANTED - To buy 50 were in Baird Monday morn- White Leghorn Hens and one ing where Mr. Mercer had bred gilt. W. A. Strickland, business with the old age as- Putnam, Texas. sistance office.

Watch the crowds going to The Fighting AAF, on Shaefer's Radio Shop where they can get their irons and radios repaired. Remember the place, just across the TEXAS—Eye-witness combat restreet from First National ports and first-hand reactions of BBank at Cisco, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Whitaker radio program. "The Fighting | of Anson were guests in the AAF," to be broadcast Saturdays home of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. beginning March 31 from 12:30 to Brazel Sunday. The Whitakers 1:00 Central War Time over the were former residents of Put- Blue Network, according to an annam, moving to Anson a num- nouncement recently made by the ber of years ago.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Samples | air warfare. who have been in Beaumont for the past two years where sonal accounts of progress in the Mr. Samples has been employ- air war by General Arnold and ed in a defense plant, spent members of his staff, both here and the week in Putnam.

Everyone should go to the bex Area Centers poils and vote for city alderlenberger Tests men next Tuesday. The election will be held in the city of Promising Value water office back of the post office, and polls will open at East of Ibex one and one-half

Eastland county will be at the 8 o'clock a. m. and close at 7 miles, showing as an important dis-East Side Baptist church in P. m. Three to be elected. The covery, the Ellenberger prospect of Cisco Sunday afternoon. names of John Cook, U. L. Roeser & Pendleton, Inc.-Ambassa-There will be many good sing- Lowry and George Damon will dor Oil Corp. No. 1, J. Price Philers from over the district and everybody invited to attend. blank line will be left so that if has been cland out to bottom after Singing to begin about 2 anyone wishes to vote for cementing 51/2 inch O. D. casing at some one else, he can scratch 4070 feet, and the test flowed while Earl Sunderman spent the one or all the names off and bailing and cleaned itself, indicatwrite in any name he or she ing considerable pressure. On the parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. may wish to elect. The time first test flowing through 238 feet for filling for a place on the of open hole the well made 30 barticket expired Saturday night, rels of Ordivician oil, high-gravity for gasoline and lubricating qualities in 6 hours in the tanks, with R. O. P. sired Englis. White some mud still in the bottom of Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Sun- Leghorn pullets, AAA grade the hole, and with 24 hours back derman and he went from \$20, AAAA grade \$22 per 100. pressure with water flood to kill it our breeding stock that other string.

Steel lime measurement to bothatcheries do but sell our pultom has been corrected to 4308 feet and the suddenness of the flow of oil and gas a week ago, fire which burned the floor and portion of the equipment, prevented opera-Those wishing to apply for tors from recovering a bottom hole canning sugar, get your ap- sample, although the top of Ellenplication blank, fill it in and berger was called at 4290 feet, the bring it to your sugar panel oil saturation was reported 4315 board for them to sign and to 4316 1/2 feet prior to accurate measurement. Test is SE corner The Hart community will of southwest 1/4 section 69, BAL. bring theirs to the Hart west of Eolian on a block of about church house, April 2nd, and 3500 acres.

Chas. F. Roeser and F. Kirk Johnson, both of Fort Worth, head-Colony and Erath at the ing operations on the new well vis-Colony school house, April 5th | ited the test during the week. and 12th, from 10 a.m. until Tanks and separator are set for The Date of the D handling and liner will be run to bottom and the hole washed with R. A. Park of Moran and acid for completion. A nice well is Birt Jones of the Pueblo com- seen for the test, but operators are munity were in Putnam Fri- somewhat in dark on how much day afternoon looking after pay was drilled, as the rig fire disrupted operations completely.

Only drilling the west outpost Thousands of baby chicks for Wild-Ellenberger pool at Ibex. hatching per week. AAA Phillips Petroleum Co. No. 1, Elligrade \$10.00 per 100, AAAA ott & Sons, is shut down at 3973 grade \$12, Leghorn cockrels feet with engine trouble, just above \$4. Fourteen breeds. Star Marble Falls, in NE corner section

Five miles north of Ibex the wild-Grady Pruet was in town cat test of Kidd & Cherry No. 1, Saturday morning and stated McMahon & Doss, west side Stephhe had about 500 acres in ens county, has recovered drill pipe plenty of hog fencing, chicken wheat this year. He thinks he from hole bottomed at 3665 feet and barb wire. If in need of will redeem his reputation on and is fishing for collar. Plagued lost in the past two or three foot gas and water sand this test years. Mr. Pruet is a big cat- is an important one for the area in tle trader and puts in the most | NW corner TE&L survey No. 1520, of his time in the cattle busi- a mile east of the Shackelford county line.

Albert Cline of Moran is drilling Plenty of 6x16 auto tires in on the Cross lease, recently taken over by the Dean Bros. This propparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ellison cate. Why not buy a Good- erty is in section 15, L.A.L., and has been producing for the past 20 years from the 300 to 600 foot sand. Cline has just finished a well at 560 feet, making an estimated 10 barrels, bottomed at \$62, and is now drilling at 400 feet on an offset. There are many of these old leases in this district that will stand test-

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