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By Sweeney Folk Wants Local News To Winnsboro

Theo Duke, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Duke of Talco, was signally honored at Sweeney recently. the local news. If you He is a graduate of Talco High School and learned about the picture show business under W. L. Cox at the Strand. Here is what the Sweeny newspaper says about the event;

"Few persons have ever garnered for themselves so many friends in just four short years as did Theo Duke, genial picture and your friends want to know

"Sweeny lost one of its citizens last week, when 'Duke' was transferred to Bastrop, that had the rare distinction of being liked by everyone. To older folk of Rudd Candidate the community he was a fine young man, and to the younger generation, he was "one of the boys." To everyone, even though To the Voters of Titus County: they hadn't been here long enought to know him well, he was

"Mr. Duke, a young man in his Clerk. early twenties, came here four young sons, Darry and Mike.

"I'm sure it wasn't coincidental of the office to be handled. that he was transferred to Bastrop for that is where he served me in the campaign will be deephis apprenticeship as assistant ly appreciated and will be remanager. If it had not been that membered. the move was a promotion, the Sweeny citizens would have petitioned that he stay, but his friends want the best for this progressive, civic minded young

"Duke" had the "nack" of being able to get along with everywas theater manager, a position he took very seriously and did a first class job.

"He was an enthusiastic sports

night at the theater here. All the stay here and E. L. Slay on bemerchants got together and de- half of the merchants presented cided they couldn't let him leave him with an electric mix-master without a token of their appre- and a beautiful set of cuff links. ciation for the cooperative way "For one time the friendly he had worked with them during picture show man was speechless. his stay here. So as a complete He was overcome emotionally, surprise, "Duke" was a "show for in his friendly unassuming stoper" at his own theater at 8 manner, he was the last one to o'clock. The show stopped and think anyone would ever pay the lights flashed on. Duke was him tribute."

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For Re-Election

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In doing so, I wish to state I years ago, with his pretty little am at present serving my first to Box 355, Winnsboro, and I will wife and fit in with the activity term in that office, and have done of the town like a glove. The everything I could possibly do to are not renting out our Talco profamily has grown to include two administer its duties in a way that you would expect the affairs

Any help or influence you give Sincerely, JIM RUDD.

(Pol. Adv.)

Sloans in Charge Trojan Cafe

The Johnnie Sloans are again in charge of their Trojan Cafe, one and entered into any civic having taken over Monday from project that didn't take him the Bill Perdues, who operated away from his job, for first he the place during the past year.

Mrs. Sloan is an experienced cafe operator. See The Trojan ad in this edition.

n but since all the local sports "picked up" in the lobby by City rivities took place when his Marshal Tipps, and escorted to jury trial. ow was running, he confined the stage where Mayor J. R his enthusiasm to talking it over Smith, representing the citizens, with the boys the morning after. made a speech lauding Duke for "Friday, Jan. 6, was his last his accomplishments during his

Duke is Honored Your Home Paper Halliburton Going Weekly Report

and with the change will go two ant. families that Talco will regret

Halliburton came to Talco with Hospital Jan. 19 for surgery. the field in 1936. T. C. Little for Earl Lide and later went with 23 for treatment. Halliburton.

established to be nearer the cen- pital Jan. 24 for treatment. ter of the company's work. It will continue to service Talco and for second and third degrees will also work the Winnsboro, burns on his ankle. Quitman, Picton, Yantis and Cynthia Ann Rite other small fields.

"I regret very much to leave at school Wednesday. a "darn good" theater manager. election to the office of District during that time," Mr. Little told the address of my Talco Times for treatment. be seeing you occasionally. We a sprained ankle on Jan. 18. perty and are burning bridges," he added.

Judge Roy Bean **Assesses Fines**

Bad weather, illness and ab-Judge Roy Bean to postpone hold- ginned prior to Jan. 16. ing his usual court and assessing ago. But the venerable judge before. finally got around to the matter last Saturday and when the ex-

More power to you, Judge. They are usually guilty, regard- 5,743,043 and 3,051,571. less of the charge, and we haven't heard of anyone demanding a

Saturday Aunt Silly Day in Talco

will be fined one dollar.

Eight stitches had to be taken in W. K. Baxter's knee Jan. 18. Halliburton Oil Well Cement- Mr. Baxter cut his knee while effort to learn about and print all ing Co. is moving its headquar- working on the Ray Buchanan ters from Talco to Winnsboro, house. His home is in Mt. Pleas-

W. O. Tutt of Rt. 2, Talco, was very much to lose: The T. C Lit- treated for injuries received tles and J. W. Whatleys. The when a limb from a falling tree change is being made this week hit him in the mouth on Jan. 18. Ed Hall was taken to Baylor

Mrs. Ben Elliott was admitted came to Talco to sell Ford cars to the Mt. Pleasant Hospital Jan.

Mrs. Walter Whitney was ad-The Winnsboro office is being mitted to the Mt. Pleasant Hos-Ray Faulkner is being treated

> Cynthia Ann Ritcherson, Talco Rt. 2, sprained her ankle while

Talco after twelve years' resid- W. T. Sullivan is responding ence here and the many friends nicely to his treatment following nouncing my candidacy for re- I have been fortunate to make a heart attack Saturday morning. J. J. Smith was admitted to the The Times editor. 'Please change Mt. Pleasant Hospital Tuesday

Miss Joan Ford was treated for

15,641,310 Bales **Cotton Ginned**

The Census Bureau reported sence from town of officers of that 15,641,310 running bales of the Burks-Cloar Post caused cotton from the 1949 crop were

This compares with 14,140,444 fines, whether or not they were bales ginned to the same dates guilty, at Christmas time a month last year and 11,390,100 the year

Ginning this year and last, respectively, by states: Arkansas chequer was checked there was 1,584,835 and 1,834,810; Louisiana more than \$218 to take care of 632,993 and 730,004; New Mexico the indigent of this community. 253,410 and 223,134; Oklahoma 571,520 and 360,244 and Texas

PARENT-TEACHERS ASS'N HEARS DR. SCOTT

Talco Parent-Teachers Association met in regular session in the school auditorium on Thursday Aunt Silly will arrive in Talco evening, Jan. 19. After a short next Saturday afternoon on the business meeting Dr. Harvey 3:30 bus. Saturday has been Scott of Texarkana, brought a proclaimed as Aunt Silly day in timely message to the group. He Talco by Mayor Dick Rodgers and used as his topic, "Parental Reit is reliably reported that any sponsibilities." Dr. Scott is our man caught on Talco's streets district chairman of Parent Edunext Saturday wearing any hat cation. Refreshments were servexcept that of feminine headgear ed to about 100 guests in the Home Economics room.

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Aunt Silly Comes To Talco With All Local Cast

"Aunt Silly" comes to Talco The hilarious comedy of fun, "Aunt Silly" has come to Talco. The story is located in Dillsford, a pleasant town on the banks of the beautiful Ruffle River. "Aunt Silly" is a three-act comedy of laughs from beginning to end, sponsored by the American Legion-Burks-Cloar Post 290.

It is the story of Sam Sellum, who has returned to Dillsford after a long time and the mayor, his life long friend, persuaded him to take the part of Aunt Silly when Cecelia Dill, the real Aunt Silly is taken ill and can't You won't want to miss seeing the Great Senator Pompous as he goes after Aunt Silly's money

This hilaroius comedy is to be presented Monday and Tuesday nights, Jan. 30-31 at the Talco High School auditorium at 7:49 p. m. under the direction of Jean Norris, a professional director. 'Aunt Silly" has ten characters and a cast of 100.

The cast in order of the appearance are Wanda Pittman, Jackie Wynn, Eugene "Sheeney" Blalock, Jewel Haynes, Floyd Parrish, Mac Pittman, Charlene Westbrook, Kenneth Westbrook, Harry Carlisle and Beulah Smith

The "Toyland Revue" includes Charlotte Sikes, Lauanne Rogers, Douglas Miller, Nancy Buchanan, Marjorie Richardson, Eddie Brown, Kenneth and Johnny Davis, Dickie Parrish, Virgil Jones, Linda Kay Thomas, Dickie and Perry Dalby, Larry and Nelda Blassingame, Barbara Davis, Phillip Cox and David Northam.

There will also be two beautiful numbers given with eight beautiful girls: Fay Cox, Earlene Lee, Ethel Alsobrook, Doris Penn, Patricia Hammond, Dale Neeley Kathryn Newman and Wanda Barnwell. Also eight handsome young boys, including Johnny Giddens, Billy Ray Whitney, Ben Loving, J. B. Walker and Wayne

Specialty numbers to be rendered throughout the play and in the Patio Party will be by Bonnie Dunagan, the Pine Heads (Don Spruell, James Burgin and Eugene Blalock), Sallie Taylor, Jane Kelly, Patricia Ryan, Sugar Bob Combs, Sue Davis and Joyce

The "guests" who come to see the hilarious comedy wil be ushered in by four charming young ladies, Gladys Matlock, Jean Blackburn, Joan Calloway and Alice R. Williams.

Don't miss this wonderful show, with all these kiddies and people from Talco at the High School auditorium Jan. 30-31.

Abandoned Liquor Still Destroyed

A liquor still with 150 gallons of mash, was destroyed by officers 8 miles north of Detroit in Red River County.

The still, reported located on the old Joe Gibbs ranch, had been abandoned for several days, according to Liquor Control Board Inspector H. B. Stanley. He and Red River County deputies J. C. Beville and Joe Kelsoe made the

Besides the three 50 gallon barrels of mash, the officers found and destroyed a 50-gallon cooker and other equipment used for liquor making purposes.

Another still about 20 miles northeast of Clarksville was seized and destroyed Friday. Equipment included a 55-gallon cooker, four empty mash barrels and about 20 feet of one-half inch copper coil.

This Budget Needs Balancing

Titus County's contribution to the March of Dimes in 1949 emounted to \$912.63.

Hospitalization and treatment for twelve polio victims reported in this county cost \$5,506.18. The National Foundation supplied the local chapter with \$2,705

for treatment of the Titus Coun-It is now costing \$126 a week

to provide teratment for one child alone. No one knows how much will be needed in 1950 to care for polio victims, but it could be more

than last year. Give generously.

Scholastic Award Four Are Injured Legion Auxiliary In Car Crash

Because both the valedictorian School graduating class are awarded scholarships by colleges with an all local cast and chorus. and universities over the state, the American Legion Auxiliary Frank Carr Jr., of Mt. Vernon. of Burks-Cloar Post decided to post a scholarship for the third highest grade of any member of this year's graduating class, if his or her father was a war veteran. In the event the student's father was not a veteran, the scholarship will go to the next best grade student whose father was a veteran.

> There will be no restriction on the college or university. It can even be a Junior College. If a business college is selected the fund will be limited to \$80.

The scholarship must be used by the person to whom it is awarded or the award will be changed to one who will use it.

Talco Legion Auxiliary has DEGREES AT U. T. only ten active members at present. The membership roll should be much larger. There is a very definite work for such an organization in any community with a Legion Post, and veterans should use their influence to increase the membership of the local organization.

ANNOUNCE MARRIAGE OF FORMER TALCO GIRL

Paris, spent the week end with Keeven of St. Louis, on Jan. 14. their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Mrs. Keeven will continue her Bond. While here they an- studies until her graduation in nounced the mariage of their the spring.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. White of and salutatorian of Talco High Pittsburg, and their 4-year-old son were hospitalized at Mt. Vernon, following a head on collision with another car driven by

Mr. White suffered a chest injury, and lacerations about the face and body, Mrs. White suffered severe cuts and bruises about the chin and the baby was severely cut and bruised. Young Carr was bruised and badly shaken up by the impact.

The accident occurred near White Oak Creek bridge when young Carr driving north undertook to go around a truck. He pulled into the left lane and met the White car head on. He says he did not see any lights. Both cars were badly smashed.

CANDIDATES FOR

Three hundred forty-eight senors in the University of Texas College of Arts and Sciences are candidates for degrees at the close of the current semester, January 31. The list of degree candidates includes: Betty Jo Pearson, Talco; Francis Marian Sunkel, Clarksville; Roy Clinton Nance, DeKalb.

daughter, Pansy, student in a St. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bond of Louis school of nursing, to Albert

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Looks like Texas cigarette smokers will be the goats when of our bad financial mistakes. the legislature convenes. There is also talk of a sales tax. Shame on Texas lawmakers, with billions of feet of natural gas being pumped to every great city in the five words: "We are in the hole." nation for which very little tax is collected.

Veterans Administration at Washington is going to close the the going too slow for his gener-1000-bed hospital at McKinney and another will be built over at Bonham that will cost the taxpayers many thousands. This newspaper has been zealous in advocating the best of care for veterans injured in the line of duty, but it is just pork barrel practices as this that make tax payers mad. Bonham, you know, is Speaker Rayburn's home town.

Dr. S. D. Weaver, 62, noted Dallas surgeon, who saved this editor's life after a drunken driver had nearly killed him in Dallas six years ago, died Friday. He was of the quiet, studious type of man, unmarried, and did an immense amount of charity practice, his obituary now reveals. For those who could pay he charged plenty, but this editor would not have complained had his bill been double the amount of his statement.

papers for safer driving in Texas has left us in a five billion-dollar the doctors and nurses in Mt. is finally beginning to pay off, hole. There's nothing for us to Pleasant Clinic. May God bless except in the small towns. In do now but to dig up \$289 each you all. 1949, compared to 1948 the high- and get out of the hole. way death rate is down 89 country roads 9%; cities 5% But the country towns under 2,- the past forty years. The big able case of chronic inconsisten-500 population show an increase job now is to keep it going. With cy. of 6%. For the state at large half the world making deadly the death toll is down 6%. Small weapons and the other half begtowns should take action to im- ging for them, the future is unprove this poor showing. School driver-training has helped. Maybe a few stiff fines and taking away of the driver's license would be a determent. Stunters send millions of dollars to Great annual expenditures more than and show-offs should be taught Britain to help her support So- \$2,000,000? that streets and highways are no place for a circus.

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EDITORIALLY SPEAKING

BURT LOCKHART in Pittsburg Gazette

Now that Grand Old Texas has \$26,000,000 deficit, it can sympathize with Washington.

Occasionally we come across a man who makes so much money e can't afford to enjoy life.

Some of our Texas cities are getting so big that the gangsters keep busy killing off each other.

The more labor saving devices we invent the harder we work to get enough money to buy

Genius has provided the automobile with mechanical brains. The Creator provides the driver with the other kind.

Adam and Eve were fortunate They put over the world's great-

Anyway, we are using our foreign relations to good advantage. We are blaming them for some

Mr. Truman's deficit speech consisted of 27,000 words. Boiled down, he could have said it in

Although you bring up a child in the way he should go, the chances are that he will consider

If you are able to laurh and can make the world laugh with you, what are you waiting for? The radio companies will pay ; ou \$30,000 a week.

Every time we pick up a newspaper or magazine something is printed that reminds us this is an era of square deals, queer deals and dirty deals.

"If you're looking for my husband," said a woman in a distant city, "He's gone fishing. Just walk down to the bridge until you find a pole with a worm on each end.'

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predictable.

Announcements

in the July Democratic primary:

For Representative 35th District JOE P. TAYLOR, JR.

For County Judge-W. W. MASON

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For Sheriff-M. H. (Montsy) GADDIS

For School Superintendent-JAMES V. ADAMS

For County Clerk-THOMAS J. (Jack) HOOD

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Clarksville Loses **Bus Driver Case**

Court of Criminal Appeals has denied the City of Clarksville's motion for rehearing the case of J. M. (Sodie) Watson, Continental Trailways bus driver.

Watson, freed on appeal last November, has been carrying on a legal battle with the City of Clarksville over a speeding fine, imposed more than a year ago. He appealed to the state court from denial of a writ of habeus corpus in a Dallas district court, and he was freed last Nov. 30.

Watson has sued the City of Clarksville and City Marshall Curtis Lemon for \$20,000.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to take the pleasure to thank the many friends and kinfolk who visited me at home and As we understand the Presi- in the hospital while I was sick, dent, everything is as lovely as and the many kind deeds. I also Campaign conducted by news- a day in June, even though he thank Dr. Miller and Miss Clay, J. T. BELCHER.

cialism. It looks at times as if The world has gone a long way our administration has an incur-

Texas is \$26,000,000 in the red and more taxes will be needed to square things. Let's see-didn't the last legislature ask the peo-We frown on Socialistic ten- ple to vote them an increase in dencies in this country, and then pay that would have swelled the

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The Times thanks those whose names appear below for their Wilson Presented Jaycee Honor

Moss Wilson, 34-year-old Paris businessman, was presented the Jaycee distinguished service award key on Friday at the annual banquet.

Sydney Lee, past president of the Dallas Jaycees and named one of the five outstanding young men in Texas during 1949, was

principal speaker at the dinner. Wilson was president of the Paris Rotary Club and head of the Paris parks council during the past year. He is a member of the Paris Housing Authority, past president of the junior chamber of commerce and a former chairman of the March of Dimes. He also has taken part in many

other civic activities. He is an older brother of Jack Wilson, assistant football coach at Baylor University.

Liquor Case Gets Fine of \$750.00

Liquor violators are receiving stiff fines in County Judge Jack Springer's court at Paris. A transport car with 272 half-pints of liquor and 288 of gin was picked up on North Main in Paris by officers. The driver was fined \$750 and costs of \$22.50. His load was

Recently a liquor violator paid \$1,000 fine and costs.

Prompt Renewals

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Last year the department distributed 300,000 copies of the map. Greer believes there will be a bigger demand for the new

One Christmas a year is enough for the oldsters, but little Johnny says he could take on several

Lamar County appea no further use for its and it will be sold to the bidder next Tuesday a "Over the Hill to the Po song is now passee in La

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TALCO STUDENT IN LATIN-AMERICAN SHOW-Solon Loving of Talco, above third from left, is a member of the Spanish Club Good-Will Show at East Texas State College, Commerce The show will appear at a number of Northeast Texas towns to present programs, and has been in Talco. Others in the show are, standing, left to right: Dale Knox, Lone Oak; Miguel Mercado, El Paso; Loving; Norman Wilson, Farmersville; Wayne Arnold, Commerce; Richard Holland, Port Isabel; Sammy Luna, Commerce; Joe Rosario, New York City; Ella Fay Lee, Pittsburg. Seated are Phillip Melton, Marshall, and Juanita Porter, Pittsburg.

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Penalty on Taxes Begins on Feb. 1

Municipal, county and school district tax collectors warn property owners that January is the for Wednesday night and Thurslast month to make current ad day. valorem tax payments without being assessed a penalty.

City, county and school district 80 degrees, has prevailed in this 1950. taxpayers will be assessed a 1% penalty on February paylinguent, officials pointed out.

month until the taxes become de- and winter grass is growing good. plantings in all parts of Texas. Farmers are in need of dry weather in order to prepare their USE THIS ORDER BLANK reduction program.

BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR JO ANN COX

Miss Jo Ann Cox was honored with a surprise birthday party Saturday night after the basketball game between Talco and Mineola. It was given at Humble recreation hall by Mrs. Annie Gage and Mr. and Mrs. J. E.

Spring-like Weather

Spring-like weather, with ther-

Sends Mercury Up

a three layer tier cake that had and I can truthfully say that I omer Cole, W. H. Hammond, W. top. Attending the party were: Patsy Burnham, Edward Frye, Betty Belcher, Neal Hahn, Norma Boyd, Claud Boyd, Margaret Dillard, T. G. Temples, Jean Rodgers, Vernon Riddle, Glenda Ferris, J. B. Walker, Helen Gibson, James Burgins, Gene Cox, Don Spruell, Jimmy Stewart, Dean Howard and Martha Gage. Some gifts were sent by friends who were unable to be there. The party came to a close about eleven-thirty.

DISCRIMINATION

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The Book Lovers Club met Friday in the home of Mrs. W L. Cox, with Mrs. E. W. Smith as program director. Buttercups, hyacinths and red and blue berries were very artistically arranged throughout the entertain-

The meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. Francis Dalby, and Paris hospital. Burial was to be during the business session the at Goldwaiter. club voted to give \$5.00 to the March of Dimes.

Profitable Hobbies," after which Hill community. she introduced Mrs. L. H. Wilson of Mt. Pleasant, who demonstrated to the club her very interesting and well as profitable hobby, that of making and etching beautiful metal trays. In behalf of the club Mrs. Dalby presented Mrs. Wilson with a beautiful corsage, of red carnations.

Assisted by Mrs. Sue Thomas the hostess served a very attractive refreshment plate of openface sandwiches, cheese balls, stuffed dates, pickles, cake and pineapple eggnog to the following members and one visitor:
Mmes. B. L. Gieger, O. S. Goodloe, Jim Morris, Dick Rodgers,
E. E. Nugent, Harold Williams, E. Unsell, E. W. Smith, Sue trict. Thomas, Francis Dalby, R. R. Kelley, the hostess and visitor, Mrs. L. H. Wilson.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. W. H. Crawford as hostess and Mrs. E. E. Nugent as program director, Feb. 3.

Pecan Plantings Given a Boost Forecasts for freezing rains and colder weather were predicted

Texas' official tree-the pecan -may have its most eventful year mometers registering as high as in the history of Texas during

The man with the idea was Jim area for a week. Strong southerly wind has helped dry roads Rosborough, A&M horticulturist ments, with the assessment rising and fields. Cover crops, damag- for East Texas. He proposes to a similar amount each following ed by the freeze, have put out start half-century pecan tree

He pointed out that the pecan tree is the official tree of Texas land for corn planting and other and that at this midway mark in feed crops. More acres will be the twentieth century it is fitting planted in feed crops this year that "we establish planting of this than last because of the cotton tree on a wide scale. These trees can still be in production at the beginning of the year 2000 and will mark a colorful milestone in the development of our state. Our children and grandchildren can enjoy the fruits and the beauties of the sturdy pecan tree."

NOT ONE LEFT

Following a sermon on the beauties of brotherly love, an old man proudly announced, "Well, Guests were served punch and Reverend, I'll be 95 next month, "That's a great credit to you,

sir." approved the minister. "How did you manage it?" "Simple enough," was the re-

ply. "I just outlived the so-and-

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Talco Happenings Lincoln's Sayings Very True Today Ten Years Ago

WEEK OF JAN. 26, 1940

A total of 23 stills had been captured in Titus county in 1939. Leonard O. Gross and Miss Bua Lee Robertson had been married.

Mrs. W. Y. West had died at a Jackie Parnell Caldwell, 15, son

of Mr. and Mrs. John Caldwell, Mrs Smith made a brief talk on had died at home in the Green therhood of man by encouraging Virginia Howard, 16, had died following a short illness of pneu-

Talco school had been dismissed for a day due to a break in a gas

Frozen water lines and bad weather had slowed oil field operations in the Talco field.

Patients at Paris hospital from Talco were Louise Thompson, Mrs. H. L. Brelsford and two children and Mrs. L. R. Beenson and her twin son and daughter. Mrs. John V. Freeman had died

at her home at Green Hill. R. T. Wilkinson Jr. had announced for judge of the 76th dis-

Mrs. O. T. Stephenson had returned from a hospital at Rotan. Mrs. Dick Rodgers was teaching for Miss Thompson and Miss Odis Morris who were ill.

A daughter had been born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Morgan; also to Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Watkins. Miss Virginia Hargrove was a

student at TCW in Ft. Worth. A two inch snow, the second in 1940, had fallen in this section. The mercury dropped to zero, the lowest in 10 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer, Rogers and their son had met violet death at their home at Ft. Towson, Ok. on New Years. Two negro ex-convicts had signed written admission of the crime and of setting fire to the house.

Nine pigs belonging to Silas Howell at Cunningham, had frozen to death during the cold wea-

Talco P. T. A. Has Study Course

Thirteen members of the Talco PTA assembled at the school building to study the procedure course. Mrs. T. A. Swenson, Third District president, was the instructor for the study. Courses taken in the Talco Parent-Teacher's Association will be completed by Feb. 15. Certificates will be given to the members completing the course. Dinner was served to this group in the school cafeteria: Mmes. Buford Jones, C. A. Wat-W. Richeson, W. A. Thurman, W. T. Lewis, L. B. Gage, Joe T. Mitchell, H. G. Dyess and Miss Bon-

Lincoln's Sayings

Abraham Lincoln had a philoophy that is as true today as when he wrote it. He said:

1. You cannot bring about prosperity by discouraging thrift. 2. You cannot strengthen the weak by weakening the strong. 3. You cannot help strong men by tearing down big men.

4. You cannot help the wage earner by pulling down the wage 5. You cannot further the bro-

class hatred. 6. You cannot help the poor

by destroying the rich. security on borrowed money. trooble by spending more than

9. You cannot build character and courage by taking away man's initiative and independ-

10. You cannot help men permanently by doing for them what they could and should do for themselves.

A SENSE OF HUMOR

During the night, two burglars entered a service station. One approached the locked safe, took off his shoes and sox, and began to pick the lock with his toes. "What's the matter with you?

his partner blurted. "Let's open this thing and get out of here!" "Naw, it'll only taken a min-

7. You cannot establish sound ute longer this way, and we'll drive the fingerprint experts 8. You cannot keep out of crazy.



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LOCAL NEWS **ABOUT BOGATA**

Oma Puckett of Annona, was a Bogata visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Cora Gill is visiting her sister, Mrs. Gulley in Paris.

Mrs. Eddie Day of Dallas, spent the week end with Mrs. Elmer

Truman Lassiter of Saltillo, spent the week end with relatives in Bogata.

Kermit, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Nolen.

Mrs. S. T. Smith and son, Stevie of Mt. Pleasant, were Bogata visitors Sunday.

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1949 MERCURY 4-Door.

1942 1/2-Ton CHEVROLET.

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Mrs. T. A. York of Johntown, moved Saturday to an apartment ler, visited Mrs. Click's mother, at the Joe Cooper residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Wood visited her brother, Rex Craddock and family in Paris Sunday.

Paul Hill of Fulbright and and Bogata. William Rozell made a business trip to Iowa Park on Monday.

Mrs. Loyd Oren and little grandson of Talco, visited her sister, Mrs. A. M. Blake, Monday.

Mrs. Mary Ripley of Dallas, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ona Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Johnson vis-Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Nolen of ited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. port, spent the week end with her Fred Johnson, at Deport on Sun-

> Mrs. Lilla Pirtle of Johntown, visited from Thursday until Sat- of Mr. and Mrs. Britt Lasiter urday with her sister, Mrs. N. A.

> Ketina Bybee of Ft. Worth, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. children spent Monday night and Mrs. Jeff Hancock.

Miss Fay Coats of Dallas, spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Coats.

Mrs. Vina Brooks has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. R. Rainey in Cooper.

of Texarkana, were week end Branson, Saturday and Sunday. guests in the home of Miss Myr-

Mrs. J. W. Howison, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Click of Ty-

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Watts of Corpus Christi, spent the week m end with relatives at Johntown

Buster Scarborough of Commerce, spent the week end with

his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Scarborough. Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hancock and

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Tompkins visited relatives in Ft. Worth over the week end. Miss Billie Mac Morris of De-

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Morris, at Bogata. Week end guests in the home

were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Free of New Orleans, La. Mr. and Mrs. Guy Smelser and

Claud Walker, at Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Dozier of New Boston, visited her mother, Mrs. J. R. Rutland, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Branson Jr. and children of Tyler, visited Mr. and Mrs. Donald Clifton his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L.

> A son was born Jan. 21 at the Grant Hospital in Deport to Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Eggleston of Bogata. He was named Donald Joe.

> Mr. and Mrs. Dick Childers have returned to their home here from Lorenzo. Mr. Childers was employed at a gin there the past

> Week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Castleman were Mrs. Castleman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson

> Mrs. Minnie Bell is visiting in the homes of her children, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bell and Mrs. Son Pirtle and Mr. Pirtle at Gregg-

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Lowry spent the week end in Argo, visiting in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Leon Shoffner, and Mr.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Robison and two sons of Marshall, visited Friday night and Saturday in the home of Mr. Robison's sister, Mrs. Jim Vickers.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe King and Anna Griffis.

Sunday guests in the home of in Mt. Vernon Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Turner were Mr. and Mrs. Troy D. Turner of Winnsboro, and Mrs. C. E. Turner of Mt. Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Gray and WOODSON SCOTT children of Galena Park, spent the week end in the home of his aunt, Mrs. Raymond Fennell and Mrs. W. R. Gifford.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

C. F. SHIREY, Minister Bible study—Sunday, 9:45 a. m. Worship service- 10:50 a.m. Young people's classes-6:15 p.

Worship service-7:30 p. m. Ladies' Bible Class - Monday,

Singing, prayer, Bible study-Wednesday, 7:00 p. m. We welcome you to any of our

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Parsons, superintendent. Morning worship-11:00. Training Union - 6:30 p. m. James Gandy, director. Evening worship-7:30. Bible study and prayer service

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

-7:30 Wednesday evening.

BRO. MARK WELLS, Pastor 9:45 a. m. - Sunday School. Charlie Russell, supt. 11:00 a. m.-Morning service. 6:30 p. m.—BTU—Eddy Auld,

7:30 p. m.—Evening service. 2:00 p. m. Thursday—WMU. 6:30 p. m. Wednesday-Prayer meeting.

6:30 p. m. Thursday-Brother-

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

REV. I. T. HARPER, Pastor Sunday services: Sunday School-9:45 a. m. Morning worship-11:00 a. m. Evangelistic services-7:45 p. m. Mid-Week Services: Tuesday-7:45 p. m. Young people'-Thursday, 7:45 p. m. Saturday, 7:45 p. m.

METHODIST CHURCH

A hearty welcome to all.

C. D. KING JR. Pastor Church School-9:45 a. m. Morning Worship-11:00 a. m. Evening worship-7 p. m. WSCS-Wednesday, 2 p. m. Mid-week prayer service and choir practice-Wednesday, 7 p.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ferguson in her yard several weeks past. and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Huie Fer- Mrs. Sale reports her mother doguson of Brady, spent the week ing nicely and able to sit up some. end in the home of their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Ferguson, and Mrs. Earl Ferguson's sister, Mrs. Mel Do-

Mr. and Mrs. John Wims of son, Joe Edward of Paris, spent Littlefield, spent the week end in the week end with her father and the home of his brother, Carl aunt, Charlie Devlin and Mrs. Wims. They were enroute home The two families visited relatives

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, TOTAL ... \$550,090.06

2,638.67— 453,670.62

LIABILITIES Capital Stock \$ 25,000.00 Surplus . 20,000.00 Undivided Profits ... 10,134.11 Customers Bonds for Safekeeping 34,875.00 Dividends Unpaid 2,500.00 Other Liabilities .. 3,910.33 DEPOSITS: Individual \$451,031.95 Federal Res. Bank

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J. R. Scarborough R. M. Cruise, 73 **Buried Sunday**

John Raymond Scarborough, 62, farmer at Johntown for 30 years, died Thursday at Sanatorium following an illness of a year's duraed at Deport before moving to Johntown.

Funeral service was held at the Church of Christ at Bogata Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, conducted by Warder K. Novak, minister at Clarksville. Interment was in Highland cemetery at Deport. C. F. Shirey of Talco and F. A. Sunday School — 9:45. C. H. Maddox of Sulphur Springs, assisted with the service.

Surviving are Mrs. Scarborough, the former Miss Viola Vickers, and three children, J. A. Patrick O'Keefe of Talco and Mrs. grandchild. He also reared Mrs. R. B. Wilson and Johnnie Lee of Bogata. A sister, Mrs. L. N. Shannon of Paris, four brothers, Alton Scarborough of Bogata, Clifford and Hardy Scarborough of Snyder, and Jack Scarborough of Louisiana.

Pallbearers were John Parker. Morris Parker, Watkins Parker, Tom Pirtle, Jim Pirtle and Dave Baxter.

Out of town relatives and friends attending the funeral were: Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Agee of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Stalls of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Barham, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Ripley, Mrs. Mollie Grif-fin, Mrs. Nell Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. Hobard Dickson, Miss Lois Philley, Sid Parks, Mrs. Oscar Jeffus of Deport, Felix Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown of Talco.

Mrs. W. H. Whitten had as her guests Tuesday, Mrs. G. B. Leftwich of Talco and Mrs. Ervin Gilbreth of Quitman. Mrs. Gilbreth was enroute to Talco to be at the bedside of her father, Will Sullivan, who is quite ill at his

Mrs. Elzie Sale returned home Friday after several days' visit with her mother, Mrs. Will Dowell at White Deer, who suffered a re-fractured hip when she fell

Dies Sunday

Rufus M. Cruise, 73, who died Sunday at Cunningham at the home of a son, Ben R. Cruise, was buried there Monday afternoon. tion. He had gone to Sanatorium Elder Malone officiated at the a short time ago. The family liv- Cunningham Pentecostal Church.

Pallbearers were Grady Barnes, Grant Wilson, Odis Watson, Olen Smith, Harry Slusher and Jim

Mr. Cruise was born near Halesboro, Feb. 6, 1876, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Cruise. He had lived at Cunningham 44 years.

Surviving are these children: Ben R. Cruise, Cunningham; Charlie Cruise, Cuthand; Mrs. Rosie Ray, Mt. Pleasant; Mrs. Amy Mines, Jacksonville; Mrs. Scarborough of Lynn, Mass., Mrs. Vivian McDonald and Mrs. Ruthie Thrasher, Kilgore, and Miss Loyce Seay of Dallas, and one Emma Cruise; 34 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

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The skulls had been used you studying head structure by Paris doctor many years ago. His surviving wife had finally decided to discard them.

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Please Pay Taxes Before Feb. 1

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WHEN YOU PERCEIVE it to be the rule that men who never do and never did advertise are outstripping their neighbors in the same line of business.

WHEN MEN STOP making fortunes right in your sight, solely through the discreet use of this mighty agent.

WHEN YOU CAN FORGET the words of the shrewdest and most successful business men concerning the main cause of their prosperity.

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factory with something to sell.

THE TALCO TIMES "Your Home Newspaper"

By MRS. O. B. HOPWOOD PHONE 1608 or 79

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Dalby went to Snyder Monday.

Ed Hall underwent surgery in a Dallas hospital Monday,

W. A. Wims of Bogata, visited his sister, Mrs. Nannie Leake,

Mt. Pleasant Clinic Tuesday

a ten-day visit with his grandparents in DeKalb.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Leftwich in Talco Sunday.

Mrs. Felix Jones and John Paul spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Ft. Worth.

Sonny visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wright in Justin Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gaylor

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Willms and

and Mrs. Maud Cloar of Paris, visited friends here Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Linnie Walton of

Texarkana, visited his brother, O. B. Walton and family Sunday.

spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dicker-

Mrs. L. B. English and little Mrs. L. B. English and little Misses Joan Calloway, Mary son, Tommie of Winnsboro, spent Hopper and Joyce Ann Richeson

Phil of Winnsboro spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Miss Lizzie McDonald and son, ohnnie Sloan.

Mrs. H. G. Dyess and Mrs. Alton Willms attended the meeting of the Euterpean Club in Mt. Pleasant Wednesday.

Mmes. Bobby Gillen and Milton Carroll and families.

Mrs. H. F. Teague returned Monday from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Joda Nelson and family in Nashville, Ark.

Clarence, T. W. and Lowell Leake and families attended the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Suttell in Ashdown, Ark., Sunday.

Gene Pinkston, student in a Jacksonville school, spent the semester holidays with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Pinkston.

Gilbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Burks of Hagansport, was admitted to the Grant Hospital in Deport Monday for medical treat-

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Adams attended the funeral of Mrs. Adams' nephew, 10 months old Johnny Skinner, in Shreveport on

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1939 Panel Jeep

1939 Mercury 4-Door

1947 Ford 2-Door

1949 Ford Pickup, 6cylinder

1940 Ford Coupe

1946 Ford Pickup

1946 Plymouth 2-Door

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Mr. and Mrs. Herchell Kelley Jr. and two small daughters, recently of Smithville are here to visit relatives for a few weeks.

Marie Dunn, husband and baby and Calvin Cloar, wife and baby Mrs. Oscar Morgan on Sunday.

ter visiting his parents, Mr. and acres planted in the same period. Mrs. P. C. Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Hall of R1, been re-forested in Texas by June Talco, at the Grant Hospital in 1949. Ninety-four per cent of the

Perry Dalby has returned from Mrs. W. J. Webb and Mrs. K. C. Berry in Paris, and Mr. and Mrs. George Ford, Talco.

and Rusty of Mt. Pleasant, visited McKinney, spent the week end Texas land is in need of plantwith their grandmother, Mrs. ing. Approximately 17 million Nannie Leake. On Sunday Mrs. Leake was 90 years old.

> Mrs. Kyle Munn and children, Billy Gene and Nelwyn, attended Texas in the area reforested in a birthday dinner Sunday of last the 1949 season were: Alabama, week at New Hope, given in hon-or of her father, Dallas Black.

Auto license plates for 1950 will go on sale at tax collectors of food, shade and timber. fices on Feb. 1. Color of the car plates are gold letters on a black background, just the opposite of

Jack Walls of Houston, son of freeze unit. Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Russell Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Walls, arrivand baby spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lewis. accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Walls to Dallas for a day with relatives. Billy Ray Dickerson of Dallas He returned to Houston Sunday.

J. A. Scarborough of Boston, Mass., Mrs. Pat O'Keefe, Mrs. Raymond Scarborough of Talco John Paul Jones of TCU, Ft. and Mrs. Loyce Seay of Dallas, Worth, spent the week end with were guests in the home of Mr. his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Felix and Mrs. Robert Mitchell at Deport Monday.

Friday night with her sister, Mrs. accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Alton Willms attended a concert in Dallas Sunday afternoon featur-Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Jones and ing a famous pianist with the Dal-

Miss Minnie Stanley Burke, 81, died Saturday at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. L. Robbins at David of Grand Prairie, were Clarksville. She was postmaster guests Sunday of her sister, Mrs. at Blossom under the Wilson administration, June 5, 1913 to Feb. 3, 1922. Burial was at Blossom on Sunday.

Mrs. Leora Stevenson's Sunday dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Dunn and son, Danny, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Taylor left Mrs. Calvin Cloar Sr., Mr. and Monday to visit their daughters, Mrs. Calvin Cloar Jr., and daughter, Linda of Ardmore, Ok., and Fay Stevenson and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hazlewood of Talco.

> Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lemay and two sons recently of Washington, Ind. arrived the last of the week to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Lemay. Mr. Lemay left Monday for Point Barrow, Alaska to work. Mrs. Lemay and children will remain here during his nine months absence.

Texas Lagging in

eral agencies.

Don Young, head of the Texas Forest Service Management Department, estimates that approxi-Mrs. Addie Nickels and son of mately 800,000 acres of idle East tree seedlings were grown by the Texas Forest Service at the In-

dian Mound Nursery this year. Other southern states ahead of Georgia, Louisiana and South Carolina.

Plant trees, Texans, many of them and plant pecans for both

RAND

Thursday-Friday, Jan. 26-27

with SHELIA RYAN LLOYD BRIDGES

Saturday, January 28 "HELLFIRE" with WILLIAM ELLIOTT

Sunday-Monday, Jan. 29-30 "STREETS OF

with ROBERT ARMSTRONG **GARY GRAY**

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Plaid Gingham Blouses, regular price \$2.29. To close out at only-

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See the New Dress Linens for spring, yd

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Planting Trees

College Station: Texas with a from Oklahoma, visited Mr. and much greater land area ranked tenth among the 1949 planting season. Texans planted 16,223 John Paul Cox of the U.S. Air acres for the period extending Force, stationed in Dayton, Ohio, from July 1948 through June 1949. returned to his base Thursday af- Florida led all states with 37,048

The total area planted in Texas in previous amounted to 79,471 A daughter was born Jan. 25 to acres. Almost 96,000 acres had Mrs. W. L. Whitney entered Sandra Kay.

Deport. She has been named total area planted in the 1949 planting season was on privately planting season was on privately owned Texas land. Only 1,032 Mr. and Mrs. Lane Roach have acres were planted on public returned to Borger after visiting lands owned by State and Fed-

The only way to keep some New Year resolutions is to wrap them up in cellophane and pack them way down in the deep

"HIDEOUT"

MARIE WINDSOR

SAN FRANCISCO"

Tues.-Wed., Jan. 31-Feb. 1

SLICED BACON, Lb. 33c Wilson's Lakeview, Some Lean Streaks COFFEE, per Lb. 75c SLICED BACON, Lb. 27c Wilson's Savory Colored 1/4-Lb. Sticks KLEENEX, 2 Boxes 27c OLEOMARGARINE, Lb. 29c Pork Shoulder, Good Lean ROAST, Lb. 37c COCKTAIL, No. 21/2 can 35c LARD, 8-Lb. Pail \$1.19 PINEAPPLE, No. 2 can ____25c CRISCO, 3-Lb. Can 73c Cello Bag RICE, 2 Lbs. 21c

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DEL COMIDA 3 No. 2 Cans **29**c Tomatoes. 3 1514-Oz. Cans Porken Beans 25c No. 2 Can Swint's White Hominy5c Red Dart-Packed by Del Monte 2 No. 2 Cans Pasteurized SWEET 19c Milk Long Loaf -11/2-Lb.

16c Bread GOLD MEDAL

Flour, 10 lbs. ... 75c

LeGrande Green Style 2 No. 2 Cans Sugar Corn 25c

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Alcorn Agrees to Moving of National Capital But Doesn't Want it Near Him have been visiting in the W. J. Hawkins home left Tuesday for

Editor's note: Achin Alcorn, philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Sulphur, probably is mistaken about the matter he's writing about this week, but we find it's easier to print his stuff than to have him going around talking about us.

copy of a paper which I pulled ed place on earth. out from under the wash pot just Right now you can blame high steamed up over clean clothes you sick cow, the price of cotton, inneglect your mind, where some sects, etc., on Washington, but Congressman is trying to move if they moved the capital here offers and claims why the capital ought to be moved to their area Chambers of Commerce all over the country are probably polishin up their stories now.

it wouldn't make any difference just so they didn't lose my name that could happen to us. on the out-goin government!

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able. A man of 60 may have a

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casket?"

Abe: "Nah!"

check-writin list, but I blamed sure don't want the thing around here. Ruin a community faster'n Robert Sims of Tucumcari, N. M., a small pox epidemic.

You take your community. Ain't nobody outside of us and you town folks got much use for it, but ain't nobody actively opposin it. Yet you put the capital of the United States around here Dear Editar: I noticed in a and this would be the worst cuss-

before my wife started a fire taxes, high costs, labor troubles, with it, no sense in gettin so wastefulness, your own failure, a the United States capital out of everybody'd be blamin it on us. Washington. Says the seat of I can hear em now, sayin what government ought to be moved to in the world will they think up a better location, and I expect to next? It's them bureaucrats that's see a lot of towns jumpin in with causin all the trouble. What this country needs is to clean out rom one end to the other.

No sir. They can leave the capital in Washington, or take it to Mississippi or North Dakota, the York home. I don't see it that way. That is, but I blamed sure don't want it! around this part of the country. to me if they moved the capital, Be the most embarrassin thing

Yours faithfully, A. A.

Armless Publisher Dies in Ft. Worth

Funeral services were held at Ft. Worth recently for Aaron Smith, 81, who overcame the AUSTIN.-We do not all grow, handicap of being born without of J. R. Scarborough, and visit develop, mature-nor do our orarms and became an attorney and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie gans degenerate — at the same rate, says Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State newspaper and magazine publish- Parker.

At his death he was secretarytreasurer of the Southern Florist young, vigorous and vital as the and Nurseryman, a trade publicaaverage man of 40. On the other hand he may look and act like a

As a child, Smith learned to write with his mouth and his toes, acquiring great dexterity.

40 year old heart, 50 year old kid-At sixteen, Smith decided to become a lawyer. By studying "The physical changes which law books at home he passed the come with age alone are not enbar examination at the age of tirely decline, either. Speed of twenty. He practiced law briefly reaction does diminish, but en- at Mt. Pleasant, and then purdurance increases in certain cachased the Mt. Pleasant Timespacities. As speed declines, skill Review which he sold in 1899 is increased with practice, and as and moved to Weatherford. strength declines, judgement in-

ity, for example, improved from Jobs Offered to 24 to 43 in the average individual and at 65 is superior to that of Census Takers

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

Give Us Back Our Sidewalks, Slim!

I wrote that over an article in the Clarion last week, but I didn't like doing it. After all, the man it was aimed at - Slim Henderson - is a good friend of mine.

Slim came into quite a windfall last month, and bought the old Clarke place. The deed gave him title to all the land-right down to the street. Then Slim started to take up the sidewalk to make his lawn look better.

I felt it wasn't fair to the town and said so in my article. Next morning Slim comes around and wants to know what I mean-get-

ting folks riled against him. I fen ornery myself, and we had quite a set-to over the whole business.

From where I sit, that was foolish. Once we'd cooled off (over lunch and a bottle of beer at Andy's Tavern), Slim decided the sidewalks should stay-for the common good and I promised next time I'd take a good look at the other fellow's point of view before writing any articles about him!

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Crops Replacing Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hood, who **Cotton Acreage on** Hawkins home, left Tuesday for Grey, Black Land

JOHNTOWN

Mrs. Russell Bledsoe of Arkan-

sas, is visiting her sister, Mrs.

their home in Lorenzo.

pleasant afternoon.

las for medical treatment.

was able to be out Thursday.

at her home.

condition is unchanged

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fincher of

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Watts of

Henderson, visited over the week

end with his mother, Mrs. J. A.

Roy Lynn Corbell of Bogata,

visited Friday night and Saturday

Mrs. W. L. Wicks and Mrs. D.

Mrs. Elbert Westbrook visited

her husband Sunday, who is ill

and in Dallas for medical treat-

ment. She accompanied Mr. and

Mrs. Boyd Westbrook of Paris,

returning here to the home of her

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Watts of

Corpus Christi, are visiting in the

homes of their parents, Mrs. J.

A. Watts and Mr. and Mrs. J. O.

and 65 years of age, have high

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basis and enumerators will be

able to earn approximately \$8.00

per day. All applications are to

be mailed to The District Office.

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automobile available for use.

mother, Mrs. T. W. Smith, Sun-

A. Baxter were in Paris Monday

with Avret L. Vaughan.

for medical attention.

Watts, and other relatives here.

By TOM E. PRATER

at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lamar County Agent Mrs. John Roach visited Friday may be used to replace the acrewith her sister, Mrs. Wilson of age of cotton which has been taken out of production, have come Mrs. W. L. Wicks was hostess our way in the past few weeks. for a Stanley party at her home Those who have already grown Wednesday afternoon. Refresh- hubam clover know that this is a ments of cake and chocolate milk good crop in the black and gray were served to about twenty lo- land areas and this is what we cal ladies, who reported a very believe you should consider using as a cash crop and a soil builder on that land that you Mrs. Elbert Westbrook of Bowon't be able to plant to cotton.

gata, spent the week with her mother, Mrs. T. W. Smith. Mr. Several have inquired as to the possibilities of Madrid sweet clo-Westbrook, who is ill, is in Dalexperiment work has been done Mrs. T. A. York and daughter, Betty, moved Friday from their at Denton Experiment Station and reports seem to be favorable home to an apartment in Bogata for this area. It is a biannual with her brother, Joe Cooper. clover and of course does not pro-Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Stringfellow, duce seed until the second year formerly of Dallas, will occupy It will produce from one to one and a half tons of excellent qual-N. C. Hinson, who has been ity hay the first year or is very confined to his home by illness, good for grazing from about the summer temporary pastures. first of June until late Novem-The residence of Mr. and Mrs. ber, according to the Experiment Francis Foster is receiving a coat | Station reports.

of white paint, that adds much to The seed are ripe about the same time as vetch, which is Mrs. Burl Duffee is reported ill around the 1st to 10th of June. The yield has compared very Mrs. Thomas Patterson has closely to that of hubam, in fact, been receiving medical treatment in some cases it has been more. The seed are relatively scarce and men Sunday. at Clarksville the past year. Her command a good price at the present time. It should be seed-Dallas, here to attend the funeral at the rate of about 15 lbs. per or 5 lbs. per acre in 3ft. rows.

Method of seeding is best to seed alone or plant alone if a good crop of hay or seed is needed. It should not be planted on land that is affected by cotton school superintendent, chairman root rot. It could be used as an of stewards for the Methodist annual and turned under with- Church, city and county health out a seed crop this first year before too much damage was done by the root rot but in that case hubam clover would probably be the best since your seed crop would be mature before any damage was done. In fact, the deep roots produced by the hubam help aerate the soil and reduce the damage of root rot.

DIDN'T LISTEN

A man met a friend on the street, all bandaged up and walking on crutches. 'What happened?" asked the

friend.

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On Feb. 4, the first Saturday in February, a Dairy Clinic will be held at the Paris Junior College auditorium. It will start at 10 a. m. with Dick Burleson, Associate Dairyman, Texas A. & M. Many inquiries as to what crop Extension Service, discussing feeds and feeding of dairy cattle.

> At 11 a. m. Dr. W. C. Banks, Extension Veterinarian, will discuss mastitis and its control, and any other diseases that you care to ask him about. From 11:40 until 12 o'clock, there will be a general discussion on dairying

From 12 until 1 o'clock will be dinner time at the Paris Junior College cafeteria which you can treat yourself to a "Dutch" dinver in this area. Quite a bit of ner. It usually costs about 50 or 60 cents for each individual, depending on the amount that you consume.

From 1 until 2 o'clock, Archie Meekma, Assistant Dairyman, Texas A. & M. Extension Service, will talk on management of the dairy herd. From 2 to 2:30 there will be a discussion of winter and

Special Honor for **East Texas Doctor**

Dr. J. R. McGee, 79-year-old East Texas country doctor, will be honored by the state's medical

Dr. McGee, who has practiced more than forty years at New ed from Feb. 1st to March 15th Boston, will receive a plaque as "outstanding general practitioner acre in a drill, 20 lbs. broadcast for 1949." The State Medical Association's executive council will make the award.

Besides serving his community as a physician, Dr. McGee has been mayor of New Boston,

ELECT NEW OFFICERS FOR WATER ASSOCIATION

W. O. Dowdy, Commerce, was named president of the Red River Valley Waterworks Association meeting last week. He replaces Ed Gillespie, Paris, outgoing president. Other officers elected were Ray Jackson, Paris, vicepresident; W. C. Kelly, Bogata, secretary-treasurer, and R. A. Jackson, Bonham, group leader.

HAGANSPORT

Ladies of the Baptist Church have quilted a quilt for the Old Folks' Home at Sulphur Springs. William Brown has returned to McKinney hospital.

Dick Elliott has returned from Houston.

Mrs. Bird White left for Dallas after a visit with home folk. Mrs. George Dodson took her brother, Claude Macduffie to his nome in Junction.

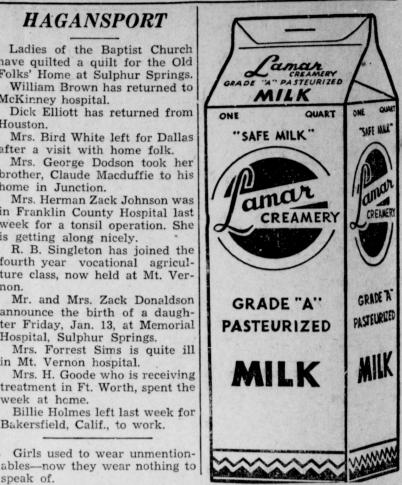
Mrs. Herman Zack Johnson was in Franklin County Hospital last week for a tonsil operation. She is getting along nicely. R. B. Singleton has joined the fourth year vocational agricul-

Mr. and Mrs. Zack Donaldson announce the birth of a daughter Friday, Jan. 13, at Memorial

Hospital, Sulphur Springs. Mrs. Forrest Sims is quite ill in Mt. Vernon hospital. Mrs. H. Goode who is receiving treatment in Ft. Worth, spent the

week at home. Billie Holmes left last week for Bakersfield, Calif., to work.

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