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Nation to Honor Oil Men and Oil Companies Week of October 12-18

October 12 is a day of dual significance for the American people. For one thing, it is Columbus Day; for another, it is the beginning of Oil Progress Week—the time when oil men everywhere make personal reports to their hometown communities on their progress and achievements.

This world of ours has changed tremendously since Columbus proved that it was as round as a billiard ball; and one of the things that speeded that change in the last century alone was the discovery of oil in 1859. The personal reports that oil men will make during Oil Progress Week will focus attention on some of these changes—and the role played by oil products in re-shaping the course of modern civilization.

Columbus, they say, discovered the Western Hemisphere because he risked everything and took a chance. In the same sense, our way of life has been bettered consistently because oil producers have been willing to risk everything and take chances too.

Finding oil requires considerable work and great financial risk—and the odds against success are long. Even with the best tools and knowledge that science can muster, the chances of hitting a profitable well in a virgin area are roughly 1 in 44; the chances of it being a big field discovery are close to 1 in 1,000. Since modern wildcat wells cost around \$90,000 each, on the average, it is obvious that oil producers have to stick out their chins (financially speaking), every time they start a drill churning into the earth.

Despite the hazards, oil men have been successful in their quest for new oil. Our proved reserves, for example, are at an all-time peak, even though our production rate is at its highest point in history. That assures our immediate needs.

The oil men's record through the last 93 years is strong assurance in itself our future oil supplies are in competent and trustworthy hands.

First Norther Brings Frost

First real norther of the year struck this area Sunday afternoon dropping the temperature 45 degrees by Monday morning. Sunday's high was 93 degrees and the reading early Monday morning was 48. Tuesday's low was 38 degrees. A light shower fell about 4 o'clock Monday morning, halting the cotton harvest. It was not enough moisture to be of much benefit to grass and ranch land.

First frost for the year was Wednesday when the mercury skidded down to the freezing mark, 32 degrees. Records show that Wednesday's frost was the earliest to visit this section. Previous early frost was on Oct. 9, 1917, and another on Oct. 18, 1948, when temperatures went down to 28 degrees. The frost is not expected to do much damage to farm crops as it was not very heavy.

Gaddis Building Texaco Station

Pete Gaddis of Mt. Pleasant, Texaco agent, has leased a lot on the corner of Highway 271 and Broad street in Talco from E. L. Swarts and is having erected a Texaco service station.

Formal opening of the new station will be about Nov. 1, Mr. Gaddis told The Times editor.

This will give that busy corner three service stations.

Seriously Hurt in Rifle Accident

Glenn Copeland, whose home is listed on the Harts Bluff road in Titus County, was seriously injured early Saturday morning from the effects of an accidental gunshot wound.

According to information released afterwards, Copeland was preparing to go squirrel hunting and reached inside a closet at his home for a rifle. As he pulled the gun toward him, the report said, it accidentally discharged.

Copeland was rushed to Mt. Pleasant Hospital and Clinic where examination showed the bullet entered his left chest, shattered a rib, piercing a lung and came out his back. He was resting well Monday afternoon.

Address System Football Games

W. T. Hughes, high school principal, and Coach McGill announce the addition of a press box and public address system for the next football game.

Jimmy Sloan has been selected "spotter" for the announcer. This should make the games more interesting.

Coach McGill has not yet decided on the starting lineup for the Daingerfield game here Friday night, due to an injury of one of the squad on Tuesday.

Trojans Lose to Judson Friday Night 13 to 6

Talco Trojans lost a hard fought non-conference game to the Judson Red Devils, 13-6, at Judson Friday night. The Trojans had two touchdowns called back on penalties in the third and fourth quarters.

Talco and Judson battled on even terms in the scoreless first half. Judson scored first on Bill Gray's 10-yard run. The Devils' try for the extra point failed.

The Trojans tied the score early in the final period. After Jimmy Stewart set up the score with a pass to the 20-yard line Full-back Elton Belcher romped for the touchdown. The extra point try was no good.

With the score tied 6-6, and three minutes left in the game Gray again scored, this time from 15 yards out. The conversion was good and the Red Devils held on for the victory.

The two penalties that called back touchdowns cost the Trojans the game. Coach W. G. McGill was without the services of his regular halfback, Bobby Martin, who had a sore shoulder.

YARDSTICK		
Dept.—	Talco	Judson
First downs	10	14
Yards rushing	196	215
Yards passing	40	0
Passes attempted	10	6
Passes completed	2	0
Punts	4	5
Punting average	35	30
Penalties	5	3
Yards penalized	35	15
Fumbles	3	2

Renford Sikes Has Business Birthday

Renford Sikes is celebrating a business birthday this week with a big sale, but he doesn't know which one.

He entered the grocery business in 1938; did his hitch for Uncle Sam, beginning in 1942, and got back to civilian life and the food business 39 months later—you figure it out.

Anyway, he has a lot of prizes for guessing contests. But just read his ad—no use repeating it here.

Add More Counties To Drought List

Red River, Titus, Lamar, Franklin, Hopkins, Camp and 58 other Texas counties were added to the drought disaster list Wednesday.

This brings to 167 the number of Texas counties that will be able to get government funds to aid them in buying feed for stock.

Work Progressing At Plant Site of Texas P. & L.

Big bulldozers have wind-rowed timber and it has been burned on the site of the Texas Power and Light Company's new 600-acre lake to be used in connection with the operation of their new 80,000-KWH electric plant on Sulphur, southeast of Johnstown.

Preparations are underway to build 4,300 feet of railroad siding from the Paris and Mt. Pleasant railroad tracks, just west of the Trent lake slough railroad and highway bridges to the power plant site.

Some cutting down of a hill has been made for the siding, but more will be necessary to reduce the grade.

More work has also been done on a levee along the east boundary line to keep water from Trent slough off the property.

Old timers say that back in others years what is now Trent slough was the main channel of Sulphur river. The main channel is now a mile east of the slough, but the slough carries much water from Sulphur when it is high.

Two New Oil Tests And One Dry Hole

Application has been filed by Burford King, Fort Worth, for a 5,400-foot Paluxy test five miles northwest of Mount Pleasant. His No. 1 A. H. Flanagan was spotted 330 from the northeast line of the Berry Merchant survey and 330 southwest of the highway on a 30-acre lease.

In Bowie County abandonment has been ordered for Coats & Moore No. 1 Lumpkin, J. W. Womble survey, three miles southwest of Dalby Springs. It found water in the Paluxy in going to 4,635 feet. There are two producing wells two miles away.

In Lamar County a recent wildcat failure over two miles south of Roxton was W. E. Stewart No. 1 A. H. Bywaters, J. Kimble survey. Drilling stopped at 2,846 with no show reported.

Schedule Short Visit

U. S. Senator Lyndon Johnson and Congressman Wright Patman are scheduled for a short visit here on Wednesday morning, Oct. 15.

Enroute to Daingerfield from Paris, where Senator Johnson is scheduled to address a Lamar Chamber of Commerce annual banquet on Tuesday night, they have several short stops scheduled Wednesday morning.

Last Oak Bridge On 271 is Now On Its Way Out

Construction of a new concrete and steel bridge on U. S. Highway 271, a mile southeast of Bogata, is underway.

It will replace an old wooden structure that was restricted to light loads, and remove the last of the oak-built bridges on U. S. Highway 271 between Paris and Mt. Pleasant, a distance of 51 miles.

Highway employees have trimmed the trees, cut sprouts and are now burning them along the right-of-way for the entire distance. U. S. 271 for the 51 miles is now one of the prettiest and most scenic drives in Northeast Texas.

Two new steel and concrete bridges were recently constructed over Sulphur river and Trent lake slough, replacing old, narrow, oak ones. The dump thru the bottom between the bridges was built wider.

This newspaper campaigned for those bridges and took some cussings while the river bridge was being built, by folk who had to drive many miles out of their way, via Hagansport.

Recently we have wondered if T. P. L. officials would have considered the Red River County site for their new electric plant, had the delapidated old wooden bridges not been replaced with concrete and steel.

Mrs. Mary Monroe Buried Monday

Funeral services were held in Paris Monday afternoon for Mrs. Mary Monroe who passed away Saturday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Thad Kelley in Paris. Burial was made in Talco cemetery by the side of her husband, W. D. Monroe, who passed away several years ago.

Mrs. Monroe, with her family, lived in the Lavada community several years ago and moved to Johnstown, where they lived until Mr. Monroe's death. She is survived by her daughter, Mrs. Lena Kelley, a son, Ed Monroe in Texas City; thirteen grandchildren and several great-grandchildren. A granddaughter, Mrs. Bill Stanley is a resident of Talco.

New and Renewed Times Subscribers

The Times thanks those whose names appear below for their subscription patronage.

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J. D. Riley
S. F. Worthington
Pvt. Eugene Hargrove

ELECT OFFICERS FOR NEW 4-H GIRLS CLUB

Twenty girls met in the school auditorium Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Gladys Darden Kolander, County Home Demonstration Agent, to organize the 4-H Club for the year. Officers elected were: President, Margaret Tarpley; vice-pres., Mae Kaylor; sec., Mary Jo Flanagan; song leader, Judy Parker; game leader, Starlyn O'Keefe and reporter, Patsy Presley.

The club meets the first Tuesday in the month with Mrs. Kolander.

Serving aboard the USS landing ship tank No. 715 in Korean waters is Billy G. Munn, seaman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Munn of Talco. The 715, on her second tour of Korean duty, was recommissioned in Yokosuka, Japan in August 1950. She has participated in the Inchon invasion, the Hungnam withdrawal and the siege of Wonsan.

GENERAL INSURANCE

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FELIX JONES

Trio Given Two Years in Talco Burglary Case

The third week of District Court opened at Mt. Pleasant on Monday with Judge Sam Williams calling the docket of criminal cases.

The first brought to trial was that of Tom Franks, charged with cattle theft. Franks pled guilty and his application for a suspended sentence was heard before a jury, which assessed his penalty at two years in the penitentiary with the recommendation that the sentence be suspended.

Case of J. W. Stephens, charged with burglarizing the E. W. Smith service station at Talco on the night of June 21, was called. Stephens pled not guilty to the charge. A jury found him guilty and assessed his penalty at two years in the penitentiary.

Two other men arrested for a part in the service station burglary are Stephens' brother, Leon Stephens, and Gene Hazzard. Both pled guilty and were given two years each in the penitentiary. All three will receive credit for the time spent in jail since June 21.

LIONS CLUB TO MEET TUESDAY NIGHT

Next Lions Club meeting is scheduled for Tuesday night, Oct. 14 at 7 p. m. Lion President W. T. Hughes announces that there will be a directors meeting at 6:15. Please be present! on time!

Mrs. James Shields and children of Quanah, arrived Friday to visit her mother, Mrs. A. V. Flanagan, and other relatives.

Draftee Age is Lowered to 19

Austin. — State Selective Service Tuesday lowered the maximum age for draft physical examinations to nineteen years and eleven months.

That is one month under the previous minimum.

Lt. Col. Morris S. Schwartz, deputy state director, said the action was "a safety measure."

"The manpower situation is getting tight enough that we are afraid some local boards might not have enough men if we held to the 20-year minimum," he said.

"This does not mean that every young man nineteen and eleven months old will be examined," he added. "Local boards are required to send all those twenty-one and over first, then dip into the 20-year-old group, then below twenty if necessary."

The order will become effective in November when local boards have been called on to examine 7,655 men. The induction quota for that month is 2,802.

FATHERS OF TALCO COUPLE UNDERGO SURGERY

Mrs. David C. Thompson has been attending her father, A. G. Drennon, a surgical patient in a Pittsburg hospital. Mr. Thompson's father, J. A. Thompson of Commerce, is a surgical patient in a Texarkana hospital. They have also been attending him. On Sunday they had lunch with Mr. Thompson's sister, Mrs. W. W. McCoy and family in Douglasville and visited Mr. Thompson in Texarkana in the afternoon.

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The Clarksville Times has an-
 nounced that the price of a sin-
 gle copy of that newspaper,
 which has been 5 cents, will be
 increased to 10 cents next week.
 Increased cost of newsprint is
 given as the reason for the higher
 price.

Total government spending for
 the present fiscal year—local,
 state, and federal—will be equi-
 valent to the total wages and
 salaries of 75 per cent of all the
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 outside government! It is of vital
 importance now that a start be
 made toward whittling down the
 size of government. If unified
 action is not taken by the citizens
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 all be engulfed in the spreading
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 S. Benson.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Gieser vis-
 ited in Tyler Thursday through
 Saturday and attended the Rose
 festival.

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**Fine Arts Club
 With Mrs. Johnson**

The Fine Arts Club met in the
 home of Mrs. Howard Johnson,
 hostess, Oct 7, for their first reg-
 ular session of the 1952-1953
 club year. Thirteen members
 were present, with Mrs. Fred D.
 Love, president, presiding.
 Mrs. R. T. Fuller, chaplain, open-
 ed the meeting with a special
 prayer for guidance in this year's
 club activities, followed with the
 pledge of allegiance to the flag
 given by the club in unison.

Roll call assignments were
 made by program chairman, Mrs.
 Johnson, who also outlined brief-
 ly the year's course of study,
 "Interpreting the Fine Arts".
 Planned projects and plans were
 discussed. Club coffees which
 were enjoyed last year will be
 continued; five members agreed
 to write letters to individual club
 members in foreign countries, in
 connection with the international
 relations projects; a Federation
 tea will be given Oct. 21, when
 Mrs. Sam Green, Third District
 president will be guest speaker,
 and other clubwomen will be in-
 vited guests; and an art exhibit
 will be presented Nov. 4.

The constitution and by-laws
 were reviewed by Mrs. C. M.
 Burnham.
 Officers for the year are: Mrs.
 Fred D. Love, president; Mrs.
 E. H. Hazzard, 1st vice pres; Mrs.
 George Edgerton, 2nd vice pres;
 Mrs. C. B. Hunt, recording sec-
 retary; Mrs. M. E. Jones, cor-
 responding secretary; Mrs. J. H.
 Weatherall, treasurer; Mrs. G. N.
 Anderson, press reporter; Mrs.
 G. M. Burnham, critic and parlia-
 mentarian.

Mrs. M. E. Jones and Mrs. How-
 ard Johnson will be hostesses for
 the first coffee, Oct. 17, 9:45 a.m.,
 at Mrs. Johnson's residence.
 The following members were
 present and enjoyed the social
 hour at the conclusion of the
 meeting: Mmes. G. N. Anderson,
 G. M. Burnham, Omer Cole, C.
 C. Collins, R. T. Fuller, Floyd
 Haynes, B. H. Hazzard, C. B.
 Hunt, Fred D. Love, Odell Morri-
 son, J. H. Weatherall, and M. E.
 Jones.

Mrs. Fred D. Love, Fine Arts
 president, attended a luncheon
 Friday, given in Mt. Pleasant by
 Mrs. R. F. Lindsey, a prominent
 clubwoman, honoring state offi-
 cers and presidents of Third Dis-
 trict, Texas Federation of Wom-
 en's Clubs. Mrs. Love is state
 chairman of United Nations
 Specialized Agencies Clubwomen
 from Talco Fine Arts who attend-
 ed the tea included Mrs. Love,
 Mrs. Howard Johnson, Mrs. M.
 E. Jones, and Mrs. C. C. Collins.

**WMA OF FIRST BAPTIST
 CHURCH HOLDS MEETING**

WMA of First Baptist Church
 held its first meeting of the year.
 Mrs. Fitch brought opening pray-
 er. The devotional, challenging
 each of us to be in earnest pray-
 er for the salvation of lost souls,
 was given by Mrs. Jim Morris.
 Mrs. Eisie Kelley gave a lecture
 about the third chapter of Re-
 velation.

Delegates elected to attend dis-
 WMA at Calvary church in Mt.
 Pleasant Tuesday, Oct. 14 were
 Mmes. Fitch and Howard. The
 ladies will meet Monday, Oct. 13
 at 2 o'clock for WMA.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Stewart
 and baby of Bogata, visited the
 Nolan Neugent family Sunday.

**Shower in Honor of
 Mrs. Dickinson**

Mrs. Loyd Graf and Mrs. T. L.
 Barton were hostesses for a pink
 and blue shower for Mrs. Charles
 Dickinson, Wednesday, Oct. 8, in
 the home of Mrs. Jim Morris.

Those registering were Mmes
 Marvin Couch, Deport; Grady
 Handley, Deport; Otis Porterfield,
 Bogata; Tex Lee; C. W. Founby,
 Madge Brown, T. L. Mauldin,
 Howard Morris, Marshall Sikes,
 Loyd Graf Jr., A. J. Biles, H. E.
 Pender, Ashdown, Ark.; Boyd
 Horton, Dick Dickinson and Miss
 Beulah Smith and Earlene Lee.

Those sending gifts were Mmes.
 Louie Bonds, E. Copeland, Pat
 Duffie, Eugene Mankins, Ray
 Buchanan, J. D. Riley, Earl Swin-
 dell of Milton, Johnnie Vaughan,
 Arthur Nobles of Deport, P. O.
 Wilhite, Ivan Nell Thomas, G. H.
 Norwood, Jimmie White, Wayne
 Lawler of Deport, R. O. Webb,
 W. Anderson of Deport, Mona
 Leta Grisham of Paris, Marvin
 Owings, Hubert Kelley, Jimmie
 Martin, G. H. Barnard, Jimmie
 Davis, Earl Gardner of Deport,
 and Miss Nelda Martin.

The mausoleum, or burial tomb,
 was named for King Mausolus.

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**Book Club Meets
 With Mrs. Reed**

The Book Lovers Club met in
 the home of Mrs. Reed Friday.
 The meeting was called to order
 by the president, Mrs. H. O. Wil-
 liams, with sixteen members an-
 swering roll call with Good Man-
 ners in Children or Adults.

During the business meeting
 Mrs. Jim Morris, Mrs. Lyndon
 Reed and Mrs. Louis Cato were
 appointed to plan the year book
 program for 1953. The club also
 accepted Mrs. W. H. Crawford's
 resignation. They regret to lose
 her as a member, but are happy
 to welcome Mrs. John D. Wright
 as a new member. We were hap-
 py, indeed to welcome Mrs. Jim-
 mie Haynes and Mrs. J. P. Davis,
 two new members, Friday for
 their first meeting. After the
 books were distributed, the pro-
 gram for the day, Culture Pat-
 terns and their Effect on Person-
 ality, with Mrs. Eva Jones in
 charge, was enjoyed. She was
 assisted by Mrs. Cato and Mrs.
 N. W. Nugent, with Mrs. Cato
 giving a piece by Paul H. Lan-
 dis, "Man in the Mold"; follow-
 ed by "What Environment Means
 to Personality" by Helen Bren-
 ton Pryor, M. D., and given by
 Mrs. Nugent. In the game con-
 tests, Mrs. Haynes and Mrs.
 Smith won lovely prizes.

The hostess served delicious
 refreshments to Mmes. Smith,
 Morse, Williams, Blackburn,
 Haynes, Hill, Neugent, Cato,
 Jones, Kelley, Morris, Davis, Nu-
 gent, Hood and one visitor, Mrs.
 Spruell, the mother of the hos-
 tess.

The next program will be with
 Mrs. Haynes, Oct. 17, with Mrs.
 Cox, program director.

**MRS. FRANCE HOSTESS
 TO FIDELITY CLASS**

Fidelity Class of the Method-
 ist church met at the home of
 Mrs. K. O. France for their
 monthly coffee and business
 meeting at 9:30 Tuesday morn-
 ing.

Mrs. J. E. Cox, president of the
 class, presided over a short busi-
 ness session. Delicious refresh-
 ments of cake, coffee and nuts
 were served to Mmes. Cecil Penn,
 Mozell Hughes, Eunice Cox, Ed-
 na Love, Mary Dvorak and
 Johnny Lynn, Elizabeth Hughes
 and the hostess, Mrs. Thelma
 France.

FHA ATTENDS STATE FAIR

Forty-four FHA members from
 Talco attended the State Fair
 Saturday. That date was named
 Future Homemaker Day at the
 fair. Miss Smith, Miss Cox and
 the sponsor, Miss Rich, accom-
 panied the group to Dallas. They
 departed from the school house
 by bus at 5:30 a.m.

A free lunch was served to all
 FHA, FFA and 4-H members.
 The group left the fair thorough-
 ly tired, but happy at 6 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

REV. E. W. HENRY, Pastor
 Sunday, 9:45 a. m. — Sunday
 School. Claud Boyd, Supt.
 Sunday, 11:00 a. m.—Morning
 worship.
 Sunday, 6:30 p. m.—B. T. S.

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 ed us during our recent loss.
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 the appreciation we feel for the
 sympathy and kindness that we
 received from everyone. We hope
 this message may reach each and
 every one of you, and God bless
 you all. Melvina, Don, Jim and
 Jean Winchell.

J. J. Nelson, director.
 Sunday, 7:30 p. m. — Evening
 worship.
 Tuesday, 2:00 p. m.—W. M. A.
 Mrs. E. W. Henry, Pres.
 Wednesday, 7:00 p. m.—Pray-
 er meeting.

President Truman said recent-
 ly that he did not know about the
 mess in Washington. Probably by
 this time he does.

**In and Out Club
 Meets Thursday**

Mrs. Joe Mitchell and Mrs. Rex
 Mitchell were hostesses to the
 "In and Out" Club Thursday af-
 ternoon at the home of Mrs. Rex
 Mitchell. Mrs. Onella Martin,
 the president, conducted a short
 business session. The president
 asked Mrs. Nita Seabaugh to plan
 some activity for the club for
 next month. The social next
 month will meet with Mrs. Mar-
 shall and Mrs. Martin as hos-
 tesses.

Several games of bingo were
 played. Gifts were won by Mrs.
 Johnnie Rhoades, Mrs. Zelma
 Poston and Mrs. Lois Russell. Re-
 freshments were served to Mmes.
 Lois Russell, Mary Lou Tutt, Ma-
 mie Bowden, Nita Seabaugh, Lo-
 veta Foster, Zelma Poston, Eliza-
 beth Hanks, Pearl Rothwell,
 Johnnie Rhoades, Onella Martin,
 Annie Laughlin, Wanda' Burea-

low, Pendleton, and the hostess-
 es, Christine and Ruby Mitchell.

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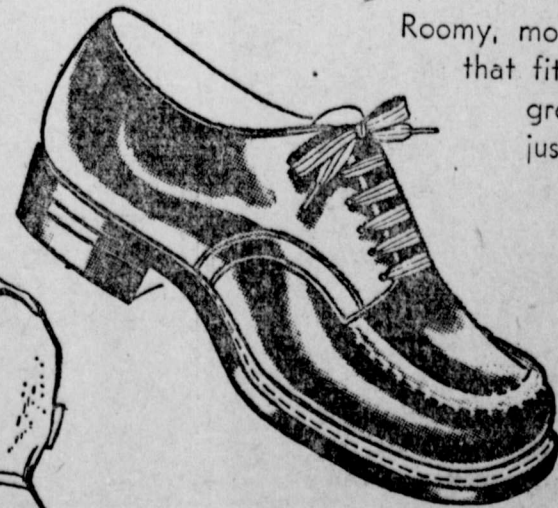
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LOCAL NEWS

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

Miss Marie Reed spent the week end with Miss Nora Lee Riles in Kermit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Lewis visited relatives in Texarkana Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Clara Owings of Dallas, arrived Monday to visit her son, Olin Williams and family.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Walker and Elaine of Pittsburg, visited friends here Sunday.

Mrs. Clifford Jones underwent surgery in a Pittsburg hospital Thursday of last week.

Sgt. Bobby Sikes, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Sikes, is scheduled to arrive in the States this week end after 18 months overseas duty.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Mason of Jefferson, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Welch.

Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Kelley, Noel and Connell visited Dr. Kelley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Kelley, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Sikes, their daughter, Dianne, and Mrs. T. L. Mauldin visited friends in Paris Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Brightwell of Henderson, spent Thursday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Andy Bowman.

Billy Gene Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Jones, sailed on the USS General Black Friday, Oct. 3 for overseas duty.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis H. Cogburn and baby, Sandra of El Dorado, Ark., spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cogburn. Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Early of Clarksville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cogburn.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Welch were her mother, Mrs. Pearl Hays, her brother, Bob Bradley, and two nephews of Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Farris Brown, Janell and Lana spent the week end with Mr. Brown's brother, Forris Brown and family in Dallas and attended the State Fair.

A daughter was born Wednesday, Oct. 1, to Mr. and Mrs. Ottis Hall. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hall and Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Pinkston.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Coker visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Coker in Bryans Mill and Mrs. Coker's mother, Mrs. G. A. Moore, in Omaha, Sunday.

Kenneth Whatley of the U. S. Navy, has returned here to visit his mother, Mrs. Beulah Whatley, after two weeks with his sisters and brother in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kirl, Marilyn and Janice, Mr. and Mrs. Wymal Alexander and two small daughters attended the prison rodeo in Huntsville Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Fuller and baby of Wichita Falls, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Fuller and Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Haynes, Thursday until Monday.

Jerry L. Jones visited his brothers, John Paul and Lon Jones, Mrs. Jones and Nelda in Ft. Worth Saturday and attended the football game between TCU and Arkansas.

B. J. Seabaugh, Humble employee, who has been living in Mt. Pleasant for a short time, has rented the cottage next door to Pauline's gift shop, where he and Mrs. Seabaugh will reside. They expect to move to Talco next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Johnson and son, Phillip of DeQueen, Ark., visited Mrs. Johnson's sister, Mrs. F. A. Jones Jr., early Saturday and Mr. and Mrs. Jones and Phil accompanied them to Ft. Worth to see TCU and Arkansas play football. They returned home Sunday.

Patients at the Grant Hospital in Deport the past week include: A daughter, weighing 8 lbs., 6 ozs. was born Oct. 2 to Mr. and Mrs. Otis Hall of RI, Talco. She was named Nancy Jean.

While the minister's home of the Church of Christ is being remodeled, Mrs. C. F. Shirey, Horace and Anita are visiting relatives in Vivian, La. Mr. Shirey visited Monday until Wednesday.

Sunday guests of Tom Cunningham and children were his sister-in-law, Mrs. Jim Cunningham, her daughter, Mrs. Virgie Faught of Fairlie and her son, Buddy Cunningham of Commerce.

Bobby Jack, 12 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown of Talco, underwent an appendectomy at a Mt. Pleasant hospital on Thursday. He is recuperating satisfactorily at his home since Monday.

James Henry, student of Baptist College in Jacksonville, spent the week end with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Henry and preached for the congregation at the First Baptist Church Sunday evening.

W. A. Thurman went to McKinney Sunday to bring his mother, Mrs. W. A. Thurman Sr., home from visiting her children in Breckenridge. Her son brought her to McKinney to meet Mr. Thurman.

P. C. McPherson, president of the Texas State Teachers Association, Local Unit, attended an executive meeting in Gladewater Tuesday. Several committee members from Mt. Pleasant accompanied him.

Mrs. Bill Harbison and daughter, Mrs. James H. Ward, accompanied by Mrs. Myrtle Pope of Bagwell, visited Mrs. Harbison's and Mrs. Pope's sister, Mrs. Geo. Hays from Saturday until Monday at Chickasha, Ok.

Mrs. O. B. Walton and Miss Anita Walton of Tyler, brought Miss Kate Moore home Monday, after she had spent a week with them. While there they attended the Rose Festival and Cotton Belt anniversary celebration.

Carol Ann, 8 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Corbell, fell from the roof of their home Saturday, fracturing the wrist of her left arm. Since Carol Ann weighs left handed, her greatest concern is, will she learn to use the right hand well enough to pass exams.

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9:45 a. m.—Sunday School. H. G. Dyess, supt.
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship.
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8:00 p. m.—Evening worship.
4:00 p. m. Monday—W. M. U.
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7:30 p. m. Wednesday evening—Prayer and song service.
7:30 p. m. Friday—Brotherhood R. W. Prestidge, pres.

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By MRS. A. E. FOSTER
H. L. Laughlin is in Marlin on a business trip.
Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Loftin were in Paris on business Friday.
Mrs. L. R. Brewer was in Pittsburg Tuesday on business.
Mrs. Berta Wade of Gilmer, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Cecil Loftin.
Mrs. Cecil Loftin and Mrs. Jimmy Bagby were in Paris on Thursday.
R. F. Couch of Athens, visited his daughter, Mrs. A. E. Foster, last week.
Mrs. A. A. Spivey and Mrs. Jim Bagby were in Sulphur Springs Tuesday.
Mrs. Jim Bagby will enter Scott and White at Temple Monday for a checkup.
J. H. Weatherall and John Oran visited their grandmother in Gilmer, Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Wright of Falfurrias, visited Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Carter Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Burecalow and Johnny were visiting their parents in Kilgore Saturday.
Miss Helen Gibson, who is attending Federal Institute in Tyler, is at home, ill this week.
Mrs. J. R. White and Mrs. Charley Russell visited Mrs. Bill Gartman in Mt. Pleasant Tuesday.
Troy Rhoades attended the Primitive Baptist convention near Wimborsbo for three days last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Rhoades and daughter of Dallas, visited Mr. and Mrs. Troy Rhoades and family Saturday night.
Mrs. B. G. Carter and Alan have returned from visiting her mother, Mrs. B. B. Haliburton, who lives in Center.
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Seabaugh and children were in Denison over the week end. Her mother returned home with them.
Mrs. A. Dyson, Mr. and Mrs. Allison have returned from Bakersfield, Calif., where they visited their sister, Mrs. Leroy Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Gibson and Mr. and Mrs. Lavelle Gibson of Henderson, visited Mr. and Mrs. Odie Gibson and little son, Sunday.
J. E. Reville, Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Reville, Mrs. Loy Mitchell, Mrs. C. R. Braggett of Big Sandy, visited the Odie Gibsons Wednesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Joe McGee of Bryan, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Burnham, over the week end. Mr. McGee is attending A. & M.
Mr. and Mrs. Ravell Poston, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Foster and Mrs. Travis Gann celebrated the

ladies' birthday by having supper at the Alps in Mt. Pleasant Tuesday night.
Mr. and Mrs. Rex Mitchell and Dana Beth visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Mitchell in Gladewater Friday and also attended the Gladewater and Adamson Hi football game.
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CHANGE TIME OF EVENING SERVICE

Evening service at the Methodist church on Sundays will begin at 7 p. m., starting Sunday night, Oct. 12. Youth Fellowship will meet for both seniors and intermediates at 6:15. Mid-week services on Wednesday evening will be: Bible study at 7 p. m. and choir practice at 8:00 p. m.

PARTY IN HONOR OF FIFTH BIRTHDAY

Mrs. N. W. Neugent entertained for her daughter, Martha, on her fifth birthday Thursday of last week. After the children played several games on the lawn they were ushered into the dining room where a large white birthday cake was lighted with candles. While the candles were burning they all sang "Happy Birthday, Martha."

They were served ice cream with the cake. Martha passed candy and balloons to all the guests, then opened her gifts. Attending were Camille Jamison, Bobbie Stevens, Alice Faye and Barbara Jean Robertson, Janie Hood, Louise Davis, Susan Hargrove, Donnie Eberts, Nancy Kelley, Mike and Pinkey Reed, Geraldine Jamison, Barbara Davis and Linda Neugent.

Talco Happenings Ten Years Ago

Week of October 9, 1942

The following men had been sent to Tyler for induction into the U. S. Army: Milton Aaron Newman, Davis Eugene Brown, Willard Howard Perryman, Victor Sutton, Hubert Thomas, Paul Martin, Ray Burnette Yancy, Buck Smith, Charles William Garrett, George Lee Bond, Carl Elijah Kay, Johnnie Denson, Bragg, Daniel Herschel Kennedy, James Lane Smith, Addison David Redfean, James Leon Flood, Carl Andrew Phelps, Edward Young Brown, Oliver Perry Wilhite, Jack Howard Caldwell, Lewis Herman McElroy, Rayford Lee White, William Bernard Jagers, Lester Everet Fitzgerald, Oliver Levi Mercer, Morgan Randolph Dunn, William Hollis Owens, J. B. Hanson, Pink E. Williams, Llie Gray Woodard, Glen Arthur King, James Alvis Gross, Darrell Lee Trousedale, Milton Loyd Newman, Severo Durant, Nolan Grady Carson, James Henry Barnett, James Edward Brownlee, Richard Howard Taylor, Zotero Moreno, Henry Lee Whitney, Virgil Roy Davis, James Rudolph Anderson, Loyd Scoggins, Odis Franklin Fry, William Major McFerrin, Joe Millard Belcher and Domingo Herrera.

Hubert P. Alford, 26, machanic-stemate, USN, of Clarksville, had died of battle wounds in the South Pacific.

Jim Hicks, 87, of Line Branch, had died Sept. 30.

Miss Charlene Crumpton of Rhone, a teacher in the Talco school, and Otho B. Morgan of San Antonio, had married Oct. 3.

Miss Marguerite Perdue of Talco, and R. Smotherman of Hillsboro, had married.

Johnnie Clyde Hunt, 22 of Bogata, had died at the home of his father, John Hunt.

Sgt. J. W. Childers, son of Buck Childers of Bogata, had been killed in action Sept. 29 in the South Pacific.

Ladies of Calvary Baptist Church had honored Mrs. M. D. Faulkner with a pink and blue shower.

Troy Griffin, former reporter for The Deport Times and later editor of The Talco Times, had a job on the editorial staff of the Morning Avalanche and Evening Journal at Lubbock.

Men from this section who had enlisted in the U. S. Army and Navy were: Tommie K. Harvey, Milton; Samuel C. Jenkins, Bogata, and R. E. Griffith, Talco.

An army prison camp with facilities for handling 3,000 prisoners was under construction near Camp Maxey.

J. C. Mayfield of Shreveport, La., employed in the drilling of the deep test west of Talco, had a portion of his scalp torn off

Alcorn Has Novel Plan for Cutting Cost of Government to the Bone

Editor's note: Achin Alcorn, philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Sulphur, has an odd idea this week, his letter reveals.

Dear Editor: As is usual during a political campaign, the candidates are promising to increase government benefits and lower taxes at the same time, and while it can't be done, it reads and listens good and people vote for it just the same.

Like it is now, the candidate that promises the most frequently has the best chance. For example, take farm prices. You know, it started out with one side promising 70 per cent of parity, and the other side upped it to 80, then the other raised it to 90, and then the other upped it to 100 per cent. Looks like they're hung there, although I haven't got any objection to getting 150 per cent of parity. Feel like I got it comin to me anyway to off-set them days when cotton was bringin 5 cents a pound.

I'm not sayin I'm in favor of it, but I have hit on a plan whereby a candidate who didn't promise anything except to lower tax-

es could be elected. It's all a matter of timin. Don't know why it hasn't been thought of before. All we have to do is make income taxes come due on election day. Instead of holdin the election with its golden promises in November and waitin four months till March to pay taxes, with the Christmas spirit in between, move the March 15 session back to November.

You let a voter go in one door to pay his taxes and on through another to vote, and a wave of economy will hit this country faster than a rocket on its way down. There'd be so many new faces in Congress, all of em stony, there'd be delegations of bankers headin for Washington pleadin with the members to break down and spend at least enough money to keep the post offices open till noon.

I won't be responsible for what happens, ain't even sure I'm in favor of it at all, but if you want the budget balanced and then shrunk and taxes really cut for the first time in history, just merge them two dates and sit back and watch.

Yours faithfully, A. A.

WORKERS COUNCIL WITH MRS. RICHARDSON

Workers in the children's division of the Methodist church met in the home of Mrs. W. S. Richardson on Tuesday.

Mrs. R. E. Cain was elected secretary of the workers council for the coming year. Mrs. Richardson led the discussion for plans for the work in the children's division.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. R. E. Cain, Mrs. W. H. Hammond, Mrs. W. H. Horton and Johnny Horton, Mrs. Andy Bowman, Mrs. Jack Riley, Rev. John Dvorak and the hostess, Mrs. W. S. Richardson.

ADULT COUNCIL WORKERS MEET

Members of the Talco Methodist Church Adult Council, consisting of officers and teachers of adult classes met at the church Monday afternoon for a Council meeting with Division Supt. Mrs. Jack Thompson. Plans were discussed for promoting attendance during the six weeks contest being conducted by Christian Life magazine through October and November. Those present were: W. T. Hughes, John Dvorak, Mrs. Milton Bolin, Mrs. Dan Cotten, Mrs. Fred Love, Mrs. J. E. Cox and Mrs. Jack Thompson.

2nd Snake Swallows Same Door Knob

V. L. Reid, who resides on the Jim Rollins farm south of Deport, has discovered that a door knob used as a nest egg in his hen nest makes a good snake trap. Mr. Reid shot and killed a chicken snake, measuring 5 feet and 9 inches Monday morning after the reptile had swallowed the door knob. Continuous barking of a dog led to an investigation and discovery of the snake, which appeared to be nearly dead when found. This was the second snake to swallow the same door knob this year, the other one was in the spring. It, too, was killed by Mr. Reid.

It is hard to tell whether the rings on the noses of some of our friends are caused by wearing glasses or drinking from fruit jars.

AUDIENCE REACTION

A certain person very highly placed had a seat in the gallery at Washington the day General MacArthur made his famous address.

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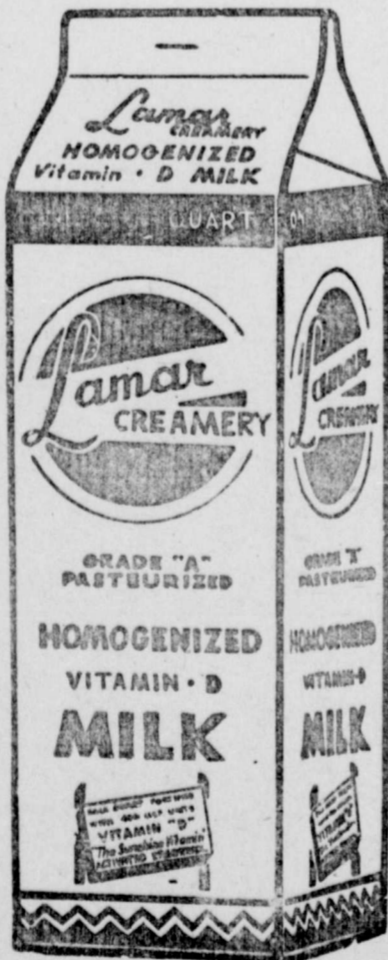
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Windy Taylor was all for putting up barricades—he kept calling up the police and the bus company. Finally Judge Cunningham invited the Balesville Chamber of Commerce to meet with ours at Andy's Garden Tavern.

Over a good meal and glass of beer we all reached a compromise without any trouble. Those signs now read SHOP HERE IN TOWN. Everyone's happy.

From where I sit, it shows how problems disappear once both sides get together and try to work things out. Naturally we're all a little different. Some like soda pop, for instance, and some like beer. So what? We all have to ride along through life together. Why not make it a pleasant trip?

Joe Marsh

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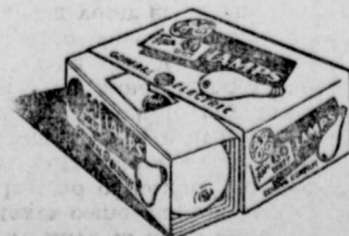
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