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Talco Trojans Take Third Conference Game from Linden Friday 6 to 0

By GERALD STANSELL
The Talco Trojans remained undefeated Friday night by blanking Linden, 6-0, in Linden. It was the Trojans' third conference victory against no defeats. They play Queen City here Friday night in another tough conference game. Other district foes to be played are Jefferson, Bogata and James Bowie.

Quarterback Freddie Rogers passed to End Earl Hawkins for 20 yards to move the ball to Linden's five yard line in the second quarter. Rogers went over from there to send Talco ahead to stay, 6-0. Guard Bill Ramey's try for the extra point was wide.

The Trojans' strong defense tightened up and Linden never penetrated to Talco's 20 yard line. Stalwarts in the line were Guards Jerry Worden and Ramey, Tackle Gene Worthington, and Ends J. M. Fussell and Jimmy Stewart. In the secondary were Jack Smith, Rogers, and George Leake.

Sparked by Smith's 25 yard dash on a reverse the Trojans drove to Linden's ten yard line only to be stopped by the tough Tigers. Late in both halves Linden took to the air, but could not cross the double stripe against the winners.

Honor Roll Talco High School

Following is the Honor Roll for first six weeks of High School:

A Average
Bobbie Blackburn, Jean Blackburn, Charlene Collier, Janice Davis, Donald Easterling, Patsy Easterling, Eddie Griggs, Dorothy Hall, Jo Ann Hestand, Joyce Richeson, Carolyn Ryan, Lois Shaw, Gloria Smith, Patsy Swope, James Tarpley, John Tarpley, Jerry Worden, Sally Worden, Gene Worthington.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Beasley are attending Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star in Amarillo this week.

Hunt Will Address Talco PTA Meet

Talco Parent-Teachers Association will meet in the Talco school auditorium on Nov. 13 at 7:30 p. m.

Theme of the program will be "Safeguarding Our Freedom Through Responsible Citizenship." The pledge to the flag being given by Talco Boy Scouts, C. N. Hunt, the Scoutmaster, will be the speaker, talking on "Scouting Toward Good Citizenship." Everyone is invited to attend all of the Talco PTA meetings.

Shell Blasts Rock Town of Simms

Exploding shells in a blazing vanload of 105-mm. ammunition gave residents of Simms, fifteen miles southwest of Texarkana, a rude awakening about 3:30 a. m. Thursday.

The ammunition, en route from Lone Star Ordnance Plant near Texarkana to Camp Stanley, San Antonio, was ignited by flame caused by friction from a flat tire.

The blaze spread to the trailer. The driver, G. A. Heflin of Texarkana, pulled to the side of Highway 67 and made a futile attempt to put out the fire.

When the flames got beyond control, Heflin uncoupled his trailer and with assistance of passing motorists halted traffic. He received slight burns.

Splashes of TNT dotted the highway in the immediate vicinity of the explosion, about three fourths of a mile east of Simms. Texas Highway Patrolman W. O. Hanna said shells were still exploding two hours later with the last one going off at 5:19 a. m.

The highway was closed to traffic on both sides of the area.

The trailer was demolished by the blasts of the shells.

PARTY IN HONOR OF TENTH BIRTHDAY

James Via was honored on his 10th birthday, Oct. 23, with a party at his home. Those attending were Virgil Jones, Jerry and Richard Parish, James Mills, Jean Griffin, Linda Hall, Nancy Horton, Richard Hollman, Jerry and Danny Martin, Ronnie Webb, Gerry Robinson, Grady Hawthorne, Mickey Via. Sending gifts were Gaylon Hughes and Betty Hawthorne. The prizes were won by Nancy Horton and Ronnie Webb.

Dry Norther Drops Mercury Below Freezing Mark

A dry cold wave Tuesday dropped the mercury below the freezing mark Wednesday morning. Jack Frost spread a white coat over this area and there was plenty of ice. Light frosts several days ago had already killed most cotton leaves.

The freeze is earlier this year than last. The first winter blast and freeze occurred on Nov. 2 last year and the mercury dropped to 30 degrees. A good rain and some snow fell at that time. Nov. 11 is the date for the average killing frost in this section.

A good rain is needed and would be appreciated in this territory. Numerous water supplies for both stock and home use have dwindled and many are hauling water from nearby towns. It would be too late to benefit grasses and pastures, but would help cover crops which a few have planted, and bring the seed up. Weather conditions permitting, cover crops will make ideal grazing for livestock and cattle this winter, and eliminate the shortage of feed and hay.

Discuss Potential Talco Projects

Omer Cole, Lion program chairman, led an interesting discussion Tuesday night at the regular Lions Club meeting on "potential projects" for the Lions Club during the future months. A great deal of interest was displayed in the several projects that were suggested.

Lion President W. T. Hughes announced that the next Lions Club meeting would be held at Paul Hewitt school between Naples and Omaha as the District Zone meeting. This meeting will be held Nov. 11 at 7 p. m.

The Lion "boat" was transferred to Glen Whitten's care for the coming week. L. G. Adams and S. A. Tidwell shared "custodian" of the boat for the past two weeks.

Lions attending Tuesday night were J. A. Davis, S. A. Tidwell, Kenneth Westbrook, P. O. Willette, S. O. Loving, W. L. Cox, B. T. Hazzard, Harry Carlisle, Bill Thurman, D. H. Kelley, John W. Harroove, Frank Sloan, Sam Barnard, Johnny Weatherall, Omer Cole, John Dvorak, Jerry Jones, W. T. Hughes, Felix Jonts, A. G. Norwood, Harold Bonham, Dr. E. L. Miller, George Bonds, R. T. Fuller, Dave Thompson, James Robertson, L. G. Adams and Roy Ferrar.

Clark McPherson, Elementary School principal, was a guest of Lion Frank Sloan.

Paris City Water Will Be Treated

Paris municipal fluoridation program has been put into operation at Paris, it has been announced by Water Production Supt. Ray Jackson. The plan is aimed at reducing tooth decay by adding fluorides to the Paris water supply. Cost of the program is estimated at 10c per person per year, to be paid out of water bill receipts.

SCHOOL TALK

By PEGGY CORNELIUS
It looks like the Trojans are well on their way to success and from what everyone says, we only hope they stay on their way.

After the football game nearly everyone in the pep-squad and band could hardly talk above a whisper. No one seemed to mind losing his voice, just as some didn't mind losing their fingernails, because it was so exciting.

Next Friday night the Trojans play Queen City here, so let's all come out and support our boys. They are really doing a fine job.

Saturday the band went to Dallas to attend the SMU and Kansas football game in the Cotton Bowl. There were many other bands present also. At the half-time the Kansas band and the famous White Oak band performed. Both bands gave very interesting performances. After the football game the band was dismissed at the fair grounds until 7 o'clock. Some band members went to town while the others looked over the Midway.

About 7 nearly everyone was back at the bus with aching feet and ready to start for home. Somewhere around 10:30 the bus pulled into Talco. Despite the aching feet, headaches and other troubles, everyone seemed to have had a wonderful time.

The Seniors received their album of Senior Memories Friday and were thrilled over getting them. These albums have a place for every event during the senior year. After we leave THS we can still look at our albums and remember all the good old times that we spent here.

Everyone was sorry to hear that Mrs. Perkins, our Spanish and English teacher, was absent Friday because of illness. All of us hope she will be able to be back in school soon.

Everyone is looking forward to this coming week, because of the Hallowe'en show. I'm not supposed to tell much about it because it is supposed to be a complete surprise. This year's show is made up of local talent and has the makings of a real show. So let's all turn out for the Hallowe'en show of 1952, which starts promptly Thursday, Oct. 30.

RAY TUCKER PLEDGES ARTEMA CLUB AT ET

Commerce. — Ray Tucker will be formally introduced to East Texas State college society Saturday night. Occasion is the annual introduction dance, sponsored by Club Council forum. The dance will introduce pledges to twelve social clubs on the ET campus. Tucker is a pledge to the Artema club. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Tucker of Fulbright.

ART EXHIBIT TUESDAY AT RECREATION HALL

The public is cordially invited to the art exhibit at Humble Recreation Hall Tuesday, Nov. 4, between the hours of 3:00 and 5:00. The exhibit is being sponsored by the Fine Arts Club, and will feature work of local artists.

MASONIC NOTICE

A regular meeting of Talco Lodge No. 1134 A. F. & A. M., will be held on Monday night, Nov. 3, 7:30 p. m. for any business to come before the lodge. Members are asked to be present and visiting Masons welcome.

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WILKINSON

By DOROTHY M. BLALOCK
Mrs. George Winkle and children of Clarksville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Blalock and children Sunday.

WILKINSON

A birthday party honoring Dorothy and Alva Nell Blalock, was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Blalock on Thursday night. There were around fifty guests present. Refreshments of cake and drinks were served. The honorees received many gifts. Hostesses were Mattie Lou Martin, Jackie Haren and Marcia Blalock.

WILKINSON

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Bragg of West Texas, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bragg, recently.

Talco Lions Club Asks Improvem't Telephone Service

Talco Lions Club is petitioning D. F. Strickland, general manager of Southwestern States Telephone Co., to come to Talco and discuss with the club and others who are subscribers to the service, the matter of better telephone service in Talco.

W. T. Moore, district manager, stationed at Henderson, was in Talco last February and assured interested citizens the service would be improved. Instead, it has deteriorated, according to Lion Secretary Jerry Jones' letter to Strickland.

Anyone who has telephone service and desires to sign the petition to Mr. Strickland or who wants a telephone and has not been able to get it, should see Jerry Jones at Talco State Bank.

Football Queen To Be Crowned

Talco Trojans will crown Sue Elliott as Football Queen of 1952-53, Friday evening on the Trojan field.

Billy Ramey, who is right guard on the Trojan team, will be her escort and will do the honors of crowning the queen.

The following attendants will take part in the ceremony: Shirley Lewis, Freddie Rodgers, Willie Mae Black, George Leake, Janice Hawkins, Earl Hawkins, Faye Black, Don Brewer, Janell Brown, Jimmy Stewart, Sally Taylor, Elton Belcher, Clyde Rutledge, J. M. Fussell, Becky Foster, Jack Smith, Gloria Smith, Bobby Martin.

Jesse Green Dead At Columbia, La.

J. D. Green left for Columbia, La., Saturday in response to a message that his brother, Jesse Green, had been found dead in bed. Funeral services were Sunday with no particulars available at the time. Relatives from Dallas and Amarillo attended the funeral.

Deceased lived in the Rugby community a number of years before moving to Louisiana. Surviving are his wife, several children, a sister, Mrs. Susie Thrasher of Jonesboro, La., three brothers, Tom Green of Ruston, La., Joe Green of Minden, La., and J. D. Green of Bogata.

EMERGENCY HAY SHIPMENTS ORDERED

At the close of business on Monday, Oct. 27, 121 farmers in Titus County had made applications for hay under Public Law 875. Three hundred and ninety tons have been ordered for Titus County. Correspondence has been received recently indicating that there will be a considerable delay in shipping the hay. It is expected that orders will be filled in about 60 days.

children of Maple Springs, Mrs. Pauline Graf of Fulbright, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Gieger of Hagensport, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Logan and children, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Anschutz and children, and Doris Blalock visited Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Blalock, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert R. Curell of Mt. Pleasant and Mr. and Mrs. Dud Logan and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Griffin and son, Sunday.

L. L. Reed and J. G. Lewis are patients in Paris hospitals.

Rev. Dick L. Irvin Back in Harness

Rev. Richard L. Irvin, formerly Methodist pastor at Clarksville, and later in Dallas, who kicked over the traces when Bishop Martin wanted him to take a pastorate at Bridgeport, and he refused and returned to his home at Daingerfield, is back in the harness again. He has been assigned to the Asbury Methodist Church at Denton.

Pastor of Calvary Methodist at Paris was sent to Bridgeport and Rev. W. B. Sullens, Deport pastor, transferred to Paris.

Illness of Rev. E. A. Reed of Colorado City, has also resulted in ten changes being made in the Northwest Texas conference.

Mother, Son Die In Paris Fire

A mother and her 4-year-old son died early Thursday when fire swept through their frame home at Paris.

The victims were Mrs. Jack Spencer (Deedy) Barnett, about 33, and David Alva Barnett.

They perished after Mrs. Barnett had pushed her 11-year-old daughter, Gerry, to safety, from a second story bedroom window and then returned for her young child.

Gerry rolled off the roof and fell to the ground, but suffered only shock.

The father had gone to work just a short while before the fire started.

Dr. J. E. Armstrong, county medical officer, said he believes the mother and son died of suffocation.

Double funeral services were held in Paris Friday.

Mother of Talco People is Dead

Mrs. L. O. Williams, 79, of Ida, La., mother of Orin and Oakley Williams, Miss Mae Williams, Mrs. M. E. Jones and Mrs. A. C. Waddell of Talco, who died Wednesday of last week, was buried Thursday afternoon at Ida. Brief mention of her death appeared in last week's Times, but no particulars were available at press time.

Mrs. Williams was the mother of eleven children, all of whom are living. Others than those mentioned above, live near her home at Ida. She is survived by these children, her husband, a retired mail carrier and farmer, and a brother, Mark Sexton of Dodridge, Ark.

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Misrepresentation

Many eleventh hour untrue
claims are being made by Tru-
manites about what has been
done for the farmer by their ad-
ministration. What has been
done has resulted in a third of
them being forced from the
farms to the industrial centers to
make a living.

Government census reports re-
veal that fact. Any country
newspaper publisher knows it
from the great lists of former lo-
cal farmers who now get their
former hometown newspapers in
the cities. If farmers and stock-
men want representation on
boards that will direct their fu-
ture welfare they will vote for
Ike. We need practical farmers
on such boards rather than the
swivel chair dictators in Wash-
ington who don't know poison
ivy from watermelon vine.

We could continue to write
facts and figures, but farmers
and stockmen do not need them.
They know what has happened to
their markets this fall. The same
thing happened in 1948, when
they voted for Truman. They are
not going to be similarly deceiv-
ed at this election.

A bunch of crooked magazine
saleswomen cleaned up over in
Fannin County and some are now
in jail. A Leonard peace officer
is warning people in that town
to buy magazine subscriptions
from home folk.

Three of Texas' former good
governors are supporting and
working to elect Eisenhower
president. They are Coke R. Stev-
enson, Dan Moody and W. P.
Hobby. They were to appear on
a state-wide radio and television
program at 7:30 on Thursday
evening.

Texas' hottest political cam-
paign that has stirred our people
more than any within the mem-
ory of those now living will end
with next Tuesday's election. Go
to the polls and vote as your con-

PLEASE

Times subscribers are asked
to notify the subscrip-
tion department promptly
of any changes in their ad-
resses. Under the new
postal laws, newspapers
and periodicals must pay
postage due for notices of
any changes in address fur-
nished by the postoffice. In
addition, there is also the
problem of delay in deliv-
ery or failure to get the
paper. The best plan is to
send the change of address
in advance.

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science dictates. Our forefathers
fought for the privilege of the
ballot—exercise your right and
obligation of citizenship by vot-
ing Tuesday.

Adlai said, "I am mentally,
physically and temperamentally
unfit for the presidency." Yet
that gang at Chicago which has
created the sorry condition this
nation is now in, dragged him in
as the Democratic nominee. Pres-
ent indications are that a major-
ity of this nation's voters are go-
ing to accept his statement as
true and vote for Ike—a man who
is mentally, physically and tem-
peramentally qualified.

Over 21,000 truck owners paid
Texas over a million dollars in
fines and additional registration
fees for overloaded trucks dur-
ing the past year. Maximum
loads permitted by law—and they
are too large—is 58,420 pounds.
One truck caught last June
weighed 130,000 pounds. Texas
highways were not built for 58-
420 pounds and those loads are
grinding our highways into pieces
at the expense of taxpayers. Take
a critical look at the concrete on
Highway 271 from Bogata to
Paris if you doubt it.

Be careful with fire! With this
country suffering severely from
lack of rain, everything is as dry
as the proverbial powder horn.
Grass and timber will burn like
powder. Don't throw a cigarette
or cigar stub from an automobile.
Break a match in two pieces be-
fore throwing it down. Be sure
that camp fire will not start a
conflagration. Hunters, posted
signs will go up if you set fire to
a pasture. Stockmen will need
every blade of grass now avail-
able. Do be careful.

YES, YOUR HONOR

An out-of-town politician, in
town to build political fences,
asked several citizens about their
mayor.

"A bum," said the grocer.

"Can't trust him," said the
banker.

"Got no sense," a man on the
street reported.

"I didn't vote for the scound-
rel," a minister declared.

Later the out-of-town politician
asked the mayor what salary he
got. "Salary," snorted Hizzoner.
"I don't get paid. I took this
job for the honor of it."

Mom: "What makes you think
our son will be a politician?"

Pop: "He says more things that
sound well and mean nothing
than any boy in the block!"

EDITORIALLY SPEAKING

BURT LOCKHART
in Pittsburg Gazette

Economy in government must
come sooner or later—or else . . .

The presidential campaign de-
serves more dignity than it is
getting.

Never brag too much on a man
until you find out what his wife
thinks of him.

If you want some good advice,
go to those who have made a suc-
cess or to those who haven't.

No matter who wins the elec-
tion, the fact remains that a good
house-cleaning will be in order.

Some people are always look-
ing for more trouble as if the
troubles they already enjoy are
not enough.

Try to live, Bud, so that if
you ever enter politics you will
not be the target for verbal shots
from whistletoppers.

Eight million new voters will
go to the polls on November 4.
A total vote of between 55,000,000
and 60,000,000 is expected.

A Nashville, Tenn., editor re-
moves the "lls" from dollar and
calls it doar. So that's who
knocked the "l" out of our dollar.

The 1952 ballot will be as large
as a saddle blanket. Instead of
voting for presidential electors as
formerly, the candidates will be
voted for individually.

Our dollar is worth only 53
cents. With present government
politics at top peak, how long
will it be before the dollar will
be worth only 30 cents?

A government is no safer than
the vote and support given it by
the people. When 48 per cent of
the voters stay away from the
polls it is time to put out the dan-
ger sign.

Regardless of how the presi-
dential race ends, there is no
denying that government corrup-
tion and extravagance are getting
plenty of round-the-clock free ad-
vertising.

A well known commentator
who has contacted people in
most of the states says if Eisen-

Editor Uses Head In Emergency

We doubt the truth of this yarn,
but it is being published to amuse
the readers:

"National Newspaper Week"
calls for a story about the puny
little upstart who essayed to
publish a newspaper in the wild
and woolly west. Those were the
days of personal journalism,
when abusive adjectives were
hurled in typed form with aban-
don.

The anemic young scribe had
been especially vitriolic in his de-
nunciations of local evildoers in
one week's issue. The morning
after the paper was printed he
was seated in his second-story
office when the door burst vio-
lently open and a huge, bewil-
dered rowdy came storming in.
Tied to each of the man's wide
hips was a long, black Colts re-
volver.

"Where's the editor of this
blankety blank paper?" the irate
intruder demanded. "H-he's out
right now," the editor responded
weakly, "I'm the office boy. If
you'll come around here and have
a seat, I'll see if I can find him
for you." With that he scurried
for the door and the big bully
seated himself behind the desk,
glowering in his fierce wrath.

The scribe scooted for the stairs
and was congratulating himself
on his quick wit when he banged
into a man, the counterpart of the
first ruffian. "Where's the edi-
tor of this blankety-blank pa-
per," the second villain demand-
ed. Gulping a couple of times
to collect his thoughts, the editor
said, "I just left him. He's in
that office at head of the stairs." Then he seated himself on the
steps and blandly waited until

hower is elected it will be by
a landslide, but if the winner is
Stevenson he will get in by a
slim margin.

Texas is a rock-ribbed Demo-
cratic state, but not to the point
that it will sit idly by and see
the schools robbed of their heri-
tage, the tidelands. That's why
7,000,000 Texans have let out a
wail that is heard around the
world.

Editor and Wife Dine on Pheasant

Lynn Bratcher, Deport breeder
of pheasants, presented the edi-
tor a two-pound dressed pheasant
cock that was about three months
old. It provided a Sunday dinner
that was outstanding. It was the
first pheasant we had ever eaten
and tasted very much like quail.
Like the Bob White, most of the
pheasant was breast and very de-
licious.

Buyers of the birds grown by
Bratcher are swanky cafes and
night clubs. Young cocks sell for
\$3.00 each and the customers of
those cafes who eat pheasant pay
plenty for them.

Farther north the pheasant is
the piece de resistance on any
sportsman's table, and commands
the same respect as quail in this
county, only more so, since they
are several times larger. They
are looked upon in their natural
habitat as the finest food in the
world.

Sportsmen from this area drive
or fly to Nebraska and the Dako-
tas every fall to hunt pheasants.
Since domestic breeders have
started operating in Texas, the
hunter who doesn't have several
hundred dollars to spend on a
pheasant hunt, is permitted to en-
joy the succulent meat of this
fine game at small cost, when
compared to the expense of a
hunt.

Thank you, Lynn. May your
hatches be large and production
profitable.

A GOOD COMPARISON

A little lad of six was invited
out to lunch. As soon as all were
seated at the table the food was
served. The little boy immedi-
ately asked the host: "Don't you
say any prayer before you eat?"
The host was highly uncom-
fortable over the boy's blunt in-
quiry. "No, we don't take time
for that," he said.

The lad thought silently for a
while and then said, "You're just
like my pig! You start right in."
The sounds of battle had sub-
sided upstairs before he returned
smiling to his battered office.

READER SAYS HE WILL VOTE 'ER STRAIGHT

I am going to vote the Demo-
cratic ticket straight and hope
you will. I am tired of hearing
President Truman criticized.
Some folks say he is not smart;
they haven't been president, have
they? Being president proves he
is smart, and he is honest and
truthful, too. Some people criti-
cize him for cursing, but nearly
everybody curses some, and he
has been through enough to make
a preacher "cuss."

Also, like President Truman, I
am for war. Populations have to
be thinned out, and too, war
makes prosperity. We are pros-
perous, aren't we? It is bad for
boys to get shot up and killed,
but they have to die some times,
don't they? World Wars I and

II and the Korean war have made
times good. You can't deny that,
can you? Be sure and cast your
vote on November 4 for the Pros-
perity Party. Yours for prosper-
ity.
A Democrat.
(Pol. Adv.)

THE KID'S WISE TO 'EM

A little girl wrote to Santa
Claus, asking him to bring her
\$100 for Christmas. Her mother
sent the letter to an uncle who
lived and worked in Washington,
D. C. The indulgent uncle sent
\$10 to his niece.

A few days after Christmas the
little girl wrote another letter:
"Dear Santa Claus: Thanks for
the 100 bucks, but next time don't
send it through Washington,
They took out 90 per cent."

Hear Your Congressman

Wright Patman

and local citizens speak
on the issues of the day

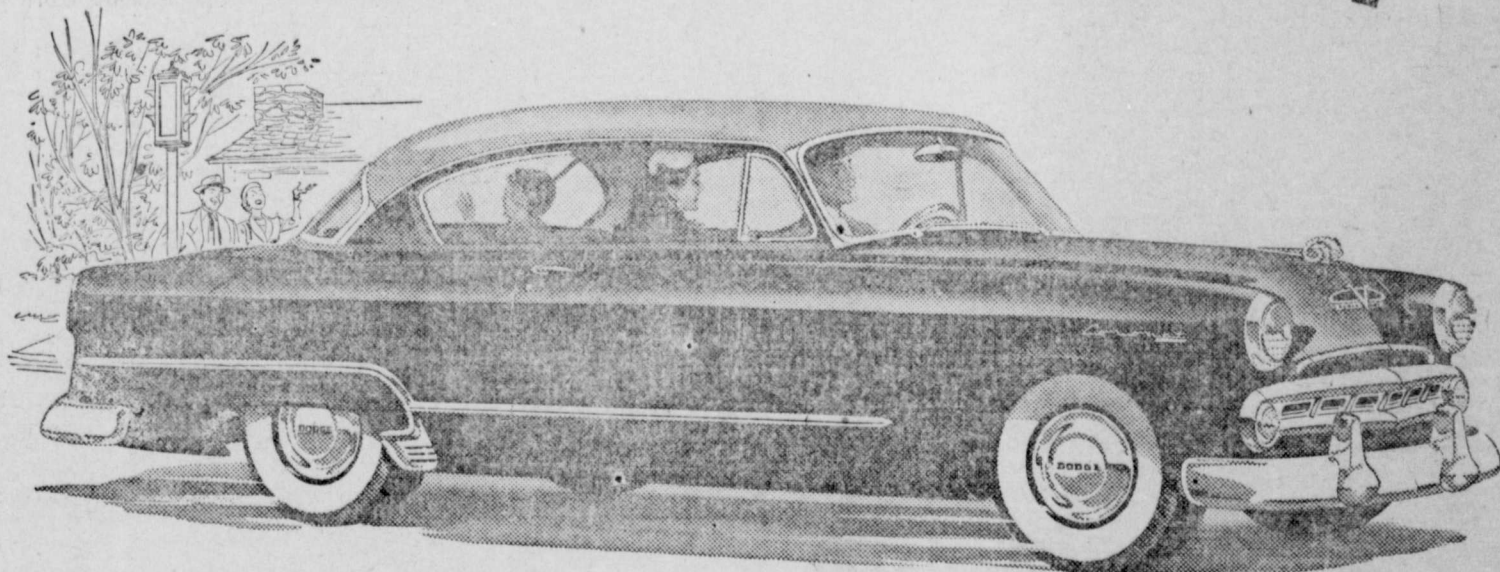
MONDAY, NOV. 3rd

over KIMP from 4 to 5 p. m.

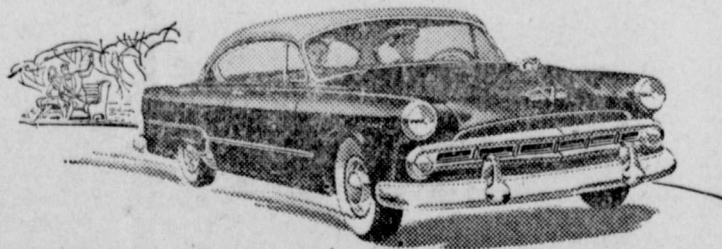
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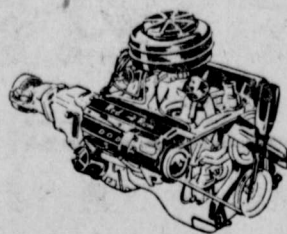
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FRIDAY, OCT. 31

In favor of the election of General Eisenhower
for President.

Hear Judge J. A. Ward of Mt. Pleasant and
Judge R. T. Wilkinson of Mt. Vernon, in a
discussion of the issues involved in the Presi-
dential race, at

11:15-11:45 a. m.

MONDAY, NOV. 3

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for Eisenhower)

Talco Fine Arts Club to Sponsor Local Observance

American Art Week, promoted on a world-wide basis, will be observed Nov. 17. It will be sponsored locally by the Fine Arts Club under the supervision of Mrs. B. H. Hazzard, art chairman for the club.

Through the cooperation of the U. S. Veterans Administration, the Department of the Army, the Adjutant General, the Institute of International Education, the American International College, the American Artists Professional League, and the General Federation of Women's Clubs, it is emphasized that American Art Week celebrates art and artists of all the Americas, and American Art Week is world-wide.

In connection with American Art Week the Fine Arts Club will feature displays of art work of various descriptions by local artists at Carlisle's, Talco, and Anderson's Furniture Store, Mt. Pleasant, which can be viewed by anyone interested. Also, Tuesday, Nov. 4, from 3 to 5 p. m., there will be a Fine Arts festival and general exhibit of various phases of art to be held at the Humble Hall, to which interested persons are invited.

It is the object of the Fine Arts Club to honor and celebrate "man's tribute to the creativeness of man", especially honoring our local artists, and at the same time to extend the interested public the opportunity to view the works and creations of these artists, and to appreciate art for what it is, an expression of God-given talent. Art is the universal language. Art is older than science; art creates, science only discovers. Art will ever be the greatest legacy to posterity.

A son, named Kim, was born Oct. 26 to Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tinsley of Rt. 1, Mt. Vernon. He died a few hours after birth. The mother was dismissed from the hospital on Monday.

Rodger Hawkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hawkins of Talco, underwent a tonsillectomy on Friday and was dismissed Saturday.

WANT ADS

Rates: 3 cents per word first insertion; 2 cents per word each additional insertion. No ad accepted for less than 35 cents per issue. Terms cash unless you are a regular advertiser in this newspaper.

WANTED—To do any of your odd jobs in carpenter work. C. D. Lightner, call Talco 75. 33-p

FOR SALE—Ford tractor with 2-row planter, 2 bedders, tandem disc and 2-row cultivator. See Steve Perez. 33-p

FOR SALE—New Case disc breaking plow, two 28" disc. \$185.00. Johnson-Justiss Motor Co., Mt. Pleasant, Texas. tf-c

FOR SALE—New Case moleboard breaking plow, two 14" bottoms. \$168.00. Johnson-Justiss Motor Co., Mt. Pleasant, Texas. tf-c

FOR SALE—New Case stationary baler with motor. \$698.00. Johnson-Justiss Motor Co., Mt. Pleasant, Texas. tf-c

FOR SALE—Concrete block plant, complete with drying racks; 2000 metal pallets works one to six men. Box 334, Talco, Texas.

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THANK YOU, FRIENDS

May we express our appreciation and thanks to friends for their expressions of sympathy and for the beautiful flowers, following the passing of our mother, Mrs. L. O. Williams.

Orin Williams and Family
Oakley Williams and Family
Miss Mae Williams
Mrs. M. E. Jones
Mrs. A. C. Waddell and Family.

LITTLE BOY JOKE

"How old are you, sonny?" asked the inquisitive old man of the little boy on the railroad platform. "Six," came the brisk reply. "Six," echoed the old man, "and yet you are not as tall as my umbrella."

The little boy drew himself up as tall as he could and asked haughtily, "How old is your umbrella?"

SORRY

Agent (interviewing man for life insurance): "Do you drive?" "No."

"Do you fly?" "No."

"Sorry, our company no longer insures pedestrians."

Shower in Honor Jean Blackburn

A shower Thursday at Humble Recreation Hall complimented Miss Jean Blackburn, bride-elect of R. E. Russell.

The hall was beautifully decorated for the occasion, carrying out the honoree's color scheme of yellow and blue. Many vases of marigolds and fall flowers were arranged at vantage points.

The tea table was beautiful with a white maderia cloth with silver tea service. The centerpiece was of large yellow mums arranged around a heart shape, centered with a little bride and groom with blue satin tapers extending down the table with "Jean" and "R. E." in gold letters.

Guests were greeted by Jean, Mrs. Cecil Loftin, R. E.'s mother and Mrs. Ney Blackburn, Jean's mother. Each guest registered in a beautiful white satin bride's book. Miss Gloria Smith registered the guests. Miss Joyce Richeson played soft music for the occasion. Miss Clara Ruth Hoffpauir and Miss Patsy Swope were seated at the tea service. Jean received many beautiful and useful gifts, which she graciously admired.

Those attending were: Meses. Henry Hoffpauir, R. T. Fuller, E. W. Duncan, B. E. Warnell, Bud Hunt, Ola Robertson, Elizabeth Hanks, J. G. Connor, E. W. Smith, J. L. Cato, B. H. Hazzard, Bessie H. Arnold, L. B. Davis, Travis Gann, Jim Morris, Paul Miller, Jim Nelson, Joe Hestand, N. A. Stephenson, K. O. France, Fred Love, A. J. Blalock, A. V. Flanagan, W. W. Richeson, Edna Walker, P. P. Hendrix, Gayle Burnham, Alford Flanagan, R. E. Cain, S. O. Loving, H. L. Laughlin, A. Dyson, J. E. Cox, Riley Gibson and Misses Gloria Smith, Easter Ann Seay, Patsy Swope, Carolyn Ryan, Peggy Holland, Joyce Ann Richeson, Clara Ruth Hoffpauir, Jo Ann Hestand and Becky Foster.

Those represented by gifts were: Meses. John H. Weatherall, Wade, Sam Fowler Jr., A. L. Blackburn, Sam Fowler Sr., C. E. Parr, Oddie Jackson, R. A. Henderson, E. R. Hobbs, Tommie Carroll, Jack Funderburk, Harold Bonham, T. G. Temples, Eunice Harris, Ois Swaim, H. O. Williams and Janie, George Burleson, Fred Coker, Renford Sikes, Mary Welch, Alpha Blalock, Dan Seay, E. L. Miller, Edward Frye, Bill Chapman, Ike Reed, W. H. Crawford, Ray Warren, Elsie Kelley, Rose Dixon, Pauline Bussell, Cattie Temples, A. L. Rodgers, Roy Lilley, Wright, Henry Clark, Gerald Ryan, J. R. Poston, Sue Miller, John Parr, O. L. Hopkins, G. N. Anderson, Bob Parker and Bob Jr., Oscar Fuhr, E. Olefield, R. R. Kelley, Bill Perdue, P. O. Wilhite, C. E. Griggs, Floyd Haynes, R. R. Rothwell, Loraine McFerrin, Troy Rhoades, Jimmy Turner, Gerald Kempe, Clift Fitch, George Edgerton, A. C. Hopper, Tommie Barton, Jack Winn, Irvin Hooks, Alex Perdue, Sally Gage, Lucile Perkins, Onis Welch, R. J. Ross, Alec Waddell, C. W. Jasper, C. C. Donohoe and Misses Anita Rich, Genevieve Stewart, Nelda Martin, Verna Mae Hendrix, Margaret Clark and Miss Edmagine Walls and Mr. Pierce Henderson.

The hostesses were Meses. T.

Talco Activities Ten Years Ago

Week of October 30, 1942

Talco held its second annual horse show.

The grand jury made its final report and said that evidence of fraud had been found in recent primaries.

Talco Trojans had lost to Gilman Buckeyes 53 to 0.

Rev. and Mrs. C. S. Wilhite and son, Charles, had been honored with a social gathering at the Methodist church on Oct. 26, prior to their leaving for Dallas, where he was transferred to Lambeth Memorial Church.

James S. Holloway and Miss Tommie Jo Flanagan had been married Oct. 25 at the Baptist parsonage by Rev. M. F. Downing.

A. M. Coats, 54, had died at his home at Rugby after a stroke of paralysis.

Gas rationing was scheduled for Nov. 22, with books ready for consumers on Nov. 7.

Among students attending ETSTC were Wilma Bell, Dorothy Branson, Leslie Branson, Wanda Dill, Edwin Humphreys, Horace McCrury and Alfred Puckett of Bogata, and John A. Scarborough of Johntown.

Mrs. J. G. Branson, mother of Supt. F. L. Branson of Bogata, had suffered a stroke.

The First National Bank of Annona was liquidating its assets.

C. C. Croft, editor of the Avery Enterprise, had suspended publication for the duration of the war.

U. S. Aircraft Carrier, Wasp, had been sunk in the Southwest Pacific, by three torpedoes from a Jap sub. Lt. T. D. Wells of Paris, was among the crewmen saved.

Farm Bureau View

Allen Kline, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation, wasn't sticking his neck out much when he denounced the Democratic farm plank as a step toward dangerous price-fixing. He knows that most of the farmers back him on that stand. A growing farmer sentiment, as he points out, is alarmed at the growth of government and wants a change of administration.

"What we call prosperity," he added, "is war and inflation." It is based on "the Korean deal, the cold war, the draft, the high tax level, the international level and extraordinary confusion." Kline found the GOP platform more favorable to the farmers. He knows that, in the long run, farmers will benefit more from getting the nation back on an even economic keel than by increasing the handouts from Washington.

Farmers, like others, vote with their own interests in mind. But more of them are beginning to take a long-range view and to discount the bribes of the moment.—Dallas News.

SLEEPER

"Who was that lady I saw you out with last night?" "I wasn't out, I was just dozing."

W. Orr, O. J. Holland, C. E. Smith, A. E. Foster, Dick Hood, Ardell Flanagan, Son Adams, J. D. Thompson and Horace Pearson.

Man is Injured Near Johntown

Woody Loyd, employee of the Texas Power and Light Company's new plant on Sulphur, suffered cuts, bruises and lacerations about the face and head Sunday afternoon about 3 p. m. at Johntown when the car he was driving sideswiped a truck. The truck wasn't damaged and its driver suffered no injuries, but Loyd's car did a complete flip in the air before hitting the ground and rolling over several times, and was demolished.

Bogata ambulance carried the injured man to Red River Hospital for examination and treatment. No bones were found to be broken.

He was released Tuesday and returned to Bogata where he boards at the Haynes home, and will soon be able to return to work. Loyd's home is in Sulphur Springs.

W. S. C. S. MEETS AT THE CHURCH

The meeting was opened with a short devotional in observance of Week of Prayer. Mrs. Jack Brown gave a scripture reading. Mrs. W. H. Hughes led the group in prayer.

Mrs. Jack Thompson held a short business session in which the program for Wednesday was planned in observance of the Week of Prayer. Mrs. Gerald Kempe presented the first unit of our study, "Home Missions and Human Rights." "Women in Our Government" was given by Mrs. Fred Love. "Methodist Mission to Multitudes" was very interestingly given by Mrs. Jack Brown. Mrs. Jesse Cox gave a very inspirational topic on "The Shadow of Bigotry."

Those present were Meses. W. H. Hughes, A. E. Foster, Jack Braden, D. H. Kelley, Gerald Kempe, Jack Thompson, J. E. Cox, Jack Brown, Grady Tra-week, Fred Love, John Dvorak. The meeting was dismissed with the WSCS benediction.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

C. F. SHIREY, Minister
Bible Study—Sunday 9:45 a. m.
Worship service—10:50 a. m.
Young people's classes—6:30 p. m.

Worship service—7:30 p. m.
Ladies Bible class—Wednesday, 2:15 p. m.
Singing, prayer, Bible study—Wednesday 7:30 p. m.
We welcome you to any of our services.

Mrs. Dave J. Smelly of Cisco, has been visiting in the home of her son, D. J. Smelly Jr. and family for several weeks. Mrs. Smelly took her to Henderson Sunday to visit her sister, Mrs. Etta Buckner.

BETHANY SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS SOCIAL

Bethany Class of Calvary Baptist Church met at the church annex Friday night for its monthly social, Group 1 being hostess for the class party. The meeting was opened by singing class song, "In the Garden," followed by prayer. Mrs. H. M. McMas-ters presided during the business session, after which Mrs. A. J. Campbell gave a talk on "Duties of class officers."

Closing prayer was given by Mrs. R. S. Welborn, after which the ladies entertained the Brotherhood of the church with games and refreshments of cake and coffee. Decorations in the dining room were autumn leaves and yellow mums were used for centerpiece of the table which was laid with blue linen tablecloth.

Mrs. R. S. Welborn had charge of the games, directing a "nut party." Dismissal prayer was given by R. S. Welborn. Present were Meses. Charles Parsons, Charles Russell, R. S. Welborn, H. E. Easterling, George Keeling, R. W. Prestidge, H. M. McMasters, J. J. Smith, L. M. Gandy, R. T. Fuller, S. O. Loving and A. J. Campbell; Messrs. Charles Parsons, M. J. Davis, Curtis Sikes, L. M. Gandy, R. T. Fuller, R. W. Prestidge, S. O. Loving, R. S. Welborn, L. R. Miller, Kenneth Davis and John Parsons.

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. 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.—Prayer meeting.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

REV. R. E. BAUCUM, Pastor
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School. R. S. Welborn, supt.
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship.
6:30 p. m.—BTU. Mrs. C. C. Collins, director.
7:45 p. m.—Evening worship.
3:00 p. m. Monday—W.M.U. Mrs. R. J. Rosson, pres.
7:00 p.m. Wednesday—Prayer and song service.
7:00 p. m. Thursday—Brotherhood. M. J. Davis, pres.

METHODIST CHURCH

JOHN DVORAK, Pastor
Church School—9:45 a. m.
Morning worship—11:00 a. m.
Sunday evening: 6:15 p. m.—Youth Fellowship. Seniors and Intermediate.
7:00 p. m.—Evening worship.
Monday afternoon, 2:30 p. m.—Woman's Society of Christian Service.
Wednesday evening 7:00 p. m.—Bible study. 8:00 p. m.—Choir practice.

Man's 7 Mistakes

Man's imperfections lead him to make many mistakes in life, and the pointing out of these frailties has engaged the attention of philosophers and reformers in all ages. A recent writer enumerates what he considers to be the seven greatest mistakes of man, as follows:

1. The delusion that individual advancement is made by crushing others down.
2. The tendency to worry about things that cannot be changed or corrected.
3. Insisting that a thing is impossible because we ourselves cannot accomplish it.
4. Refusing to set aside trival preferences in order that important things may be accomplished.
5. Neglecting development and refinement of the mind by not acquiring the habit of reading.
6. Attempting to compel other persons to believe and live as we do.
7. The failure to establish the habit of saving money.—Uplift.

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THURSDAY & FRIDAY

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1. At the top of the Democratic Party column, strike out the names of Adlai E. Stevenson and John J. Sparkman.
2. Leave the rest of the Democratic Party column as it is.
3. At the top of the Republican Party column, leave the names of Dwight D. Eisenhower and Richard M. Nixon.
4. Strike out the rest of the Republican Party column.
5. Strike out all other columns on the ballot.

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CLAUD H. GILMER, CHAIRMAN
(Pol. Adv.—Paid for by Claud H. Gilmer, Chairman)

No. 0000 (Specimen) OFFICIAL BALLOT

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LOCAL NEWS ABOUT BOGATA

Miss Nina Sue Wicks of Cooper, was a guest Sunday of Miss Edith Kidd.

Mitchell Cook of Dallas, visited his mother, Mrs. Henry Cook, last week.

Enos Stogner of Ft. Worth, spent the week end at his home in Bogata.

Mrs. Floyd Bell, Mrs. Storey Hamilton were in Paris Monday on business.

Mrs. Loyd Orren of Saitillo, was a guest of her sister, Mrs. A. M. Blake, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Allen and Mr. and Mrs. John Childers were in Marshall Sunday.

Charlie Pearson attended the funeral of H. J. Presley at Deport Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wicks of Cooper, visited friends and relatives in Bogata Sunday.

Miss Madge Francis of Dallas, visited her mother, Mrs. Ruth Vaughan, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Walker were guests for the week end of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Walker at Tanco.

Mrs. Paul Williams and daughter, Patty, were guests Sunday of Mrs. Robert Maroney at Boxelder.

Miss Dixie Seaman of Dallas, was a week end guest of Miss Faye Grayson and other friends.

Sgt. Junior Ward of Ft. Sill, Ok., spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Ward.

Mrs. Mary Ripley of Dallas, spent the week end with her son, Larry, and Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Hudson.

Miss Martha King of Dallas, visited her parents, Postmaster and Mrs. Walter King, over the week end.

After an illness of ten days duration, Mrs. Jessie Davis, was able to come to town to shop Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Neva Weete of Dallas, was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gullion and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Barnes and daughter, Sue of Glendale, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Swain.

Mr. and Mrs. Lit Martin of Dallas, were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Roberts, for the week end.

Mrs. Gerlie Guest of Texarkana, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Nora Allums, and Miss Elizabeth Allums.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Allums of Dill City, Ok., have returned home after spending the week with Mrs. Nora Allums.

Mrs. Addie Cain and daughter, Miss Onie and Mrs. Alice Veteto of Longview, spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Pearson.

Mr. and Mrs. Drurie Ray and son, Don of Lavaca, Ark., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Brown, Saturday and Sunday.

L. C. McDonald keeps his sister, Mrs. E. J. Gamble of Erick, Ok., on our mailing list by renewing her subscription promptly.

Misses Pat and Charlotte Barnwell of Midland, are rooming at the home of Mrs. Della McCrury and attending Bogata school.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Stogner of Mt. Pleasant, were visiting his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brown and other relatives Saturday.

Mrs. H. D. Martin and children of Lubbock, have returned home after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Blankenship.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Lowry and children of Shreveport, La., were week end guests of her parents, Supt. and Mrs. F. L. Branson.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Johnson and children visited L. I. Hume at Cunningham and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson at Lone Oak Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Horner of Bogata, were Saturday guests of her sister, Mrs. Will Rollins in Deport.

Mrs. Arra Wilson returned home Friday after several days' visit at Cuthand with Miss Ethel Arnold and Mrs. Austin Bishop.

Mr. and Mrs. Pony Cogbill and daughter of Vidor, were guests over the week end of their aunt, Mrs. Margaret Kidd and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hazlewood and Cheryl Ann of Comanche, visited her mother, Mrs. Nora Allums, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Isenburg of Garland, were week end guests of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Huddleston and other relatives.

M-Sgt. and Mrs. Thurman Singleton and son, Joe Al of Ft. Sill, Ok., were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ward, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fleming were guests of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Glen East at Texarkana from Wednesday until Saturday.

Mrs. Della McCrury has renewed The News for her son, Curtis, who lives at Berkeley, Calif., that he may keep up with his home town news.

Mr. and Mrs. John K. Ford and Joe, Mrs. Lucy Bartlett and Geoffrey were in Dallas Sunday to visit Misses Janice, Justine and Jean Ford.

Mrs. Cora Gill was able to return to her apartment at Mrs. Marcum's after several days illness at the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Gill.

Mr. and Mrs. Jaurez Jordan and Randy, Mrs. Mollie Ladd, Mrs. Hester Roberts and Doyno visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Landrum and family at Hooks Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Gene Hill have moved to Clarksville to make their home, where he is employed at a service station. They formerly resided at El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. John N. Wilkinson and two daughters, Sandra and Rae of Marshall, spent Friday and Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wilkinson Jr.

John M. Howison, who is with the American Embassy in Tehran, Iran, writes that he is enjoying his new assignment very much. Ambassador Henderson of Tehran Embassy is from Arkansas and the son of a Methodist minister. Howison has been meeting friends from his earlier assignments in Kabul, Afghanistan, Ankara and Istanbul, Turkey.

Mrs. F. M. McRae of San Antonio, is greatly improved following a major operation at a hospital there ten days ago. She is the former Lois Barnes of Bogata.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bishop and daughter, Penne, Dallas, were guests of her mother, Mrs. Ola Franklin and his mother, Mrs. Virginia Bishop, for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Tucker Quinton met her sister, Mrs. E. C. Watson and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Vaughan of Amarillo, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vaughan in Greenville for a visit Sunday.

The following enjoyed an outing at Lake Texoma Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Stubblefield and son, Thomas Lee of Beaumont, T. M. Allen of Kerrville and Mrs. H. L. Starks of Paris.

Sgt. and Mrs. Thurman Singleton and son, Joe Al of Lawton, Ok., were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Singleton in Deport and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ward in Bogata for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. David Huddleston of Dallas, were guests of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Huddleston and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Huddleston over the week end.

Here Saturday from Clarksville for lunch at the church were Mrs. Sam Patterson, Mrs. Elizabeth Williams, Mrs. Ross Edward Price, Doris McWherter, Mrs. Reed, and Mrs. Robert Maroney of Boxelder.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gill, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Gilland, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Gill of Arlington, visited Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Gill, Mrs. Cora Gill, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Strain and other relatives over the week end.

Word has been received here that Mrs. John Van Coats had undergone a major operation at Methodist Hospital in Dallas. Her condition is reported fair. She was formerly Virginia Pike, and lives at Grand Prairie.

Mrs. Ad Pope of Bagwell, is staying with her brother, William Wright, while his wife is in the Clarksville hospital. Mrs. Pope and William were in Clarksville Thursday to visit Mrs. Wright, who is improving.

Guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hood were Mrs. Howard Grounds and daughter, Debora, Mrs. Robbie Scrimched and little son, Bobbie of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hindman and Mrs. Ethel Bridges of Paris.

After a visit here with Mrs. Minnie Lawson and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Carroll and a host of other relatives, Mrs. Mag Davis and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bramer have returned to their home at Corpus Christi.

Sunday guests in the J. F. Hood home were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hood and daughter, Jackie of Chicota, Mr. and Mrs. Jule Hood of Arlington, Linda Starks, a niece of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bradshaw, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Benham and children of Rosalia.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Quintona and baby of Dallas, spent the week end with their parents, Mrs. Clyde Lawler and Tucker Quinton.

Postmaster and Mrs. Walter King and her father, R. E. Sloan, were in Paris Sunday visiting Mrs. H. R. Marks and Mrs. G. A. Marks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lee and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Lee and daughter of Ft. Worth were week end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Jeffery.

Mrs. William Wright was able to return home Tuesday from the Red River hospital where she had been a medical patient since Oct. 20th. Her condition is greatly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. George R. Chesher of Ft. Worth, and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Montgomery of Alvarado, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Chesher and Mrs. Veda Montgomery, recently.

Allen Morgan and the Smith fellow, both colored, who were injured in a car accident at Gintown two weeks ago, are being treated at Red River County Hospital at Clarksville. Both are reported to be doing well.

A grass fire, started from burning trash on a vacant lot back of the Baptist parsonage on Clarksville street Tuesday morning, was extinguished before doing any damage, by the prompt arrival of the Bogata Volunteer Fire Department.

Miss Kathryn Kidd who attends North Texas State College at Denton has been chosen one of the four young ladies to ride on the "Marquis Hall" float at Denton on Nov. 8th. Miss Kidd is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Kidd.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Hancock were in Garland Sunday to visit their son, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hancock and family. They were joined there by these children and their families; Mr. and Mrs. Tedd Tompkins, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lattimer and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Perry all of Ft. Worth.

Mrs. H. L. Starks of Paris, was a guest Saturday of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Stubblefield. T. M. Allen returned to his home at Kerrville Monday after several days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Stubblefield at Bogata.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Blair Jr. have returned to their home at San Angelo, after a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Whitten and attending the funeral of his grandmother, Mrs. A. L. Murphy of Pattonville. The funeral was held at Boxelder, her former home, Oct. 24.

Mrs. Glenn Whitten and Carol Ann have returned home after a two week's visit with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Roy Corbell and husband at Odessa. Mr. and Mrs. Corbell accompanied them home for a short visit with the Whitten and Corbell families, returning home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Barnes and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Barnes spent the week end in San Antonio with their daughter and sister, Mrs. F. M. McRae and family. Mrs. McRae is the former Lois Barnes of Bogata, and operator for Bogata telephone exchange.

Twelve Brownie Scouts met at their regular meeting with their leaders, Mrs. Johnnie Gill and Mrs. Hollis Mathena Wednesday, at the lunch room. The meeting was called to order with the singing of the Brownie song and roll call was answered with a good deed of the day. The girls played games and sang songs and refreshments were served.

Mrs. Alton Caudle and daughter, Sherrice Cella of Mt. Vernon, have returned after a visit with her father, Sam Simpson and Miss Dot, Mrs. Caudle's husband, Alton Bennett Caudle, passed away at Lamesa on Oct. 20, following a heart attack. Burial was in Glade Springs cemetery at Mt. Vernon, where deceased had lived all his life, prior to moving to Lamesa three weeks before his death.

Mrs. C. Spencer Meredith has received a message that her daughter-in-law had undergone a major operation at a Tampa, Fla., hospital and that her condition is fair. She is the wife of Rev. McLaurin Meredith, assistant pastor at the Hyde Park First Methodist Church in Tampa. Mrs. Meredith has another son, Dr. Charles Spencer Meredith, who is a surgeon at the Veterans Hospital in Dallas.

In the New York Times, Oct. 21 appeared a picture of Lt. Graham H. Howison shaking hands with a German local police guard in Berlin, Germany. He had just delivered six of the twenty-two new Patton tanks, replacing the Pershing tanks used in the past. Lt. Howison writes that life is pleasant in Berlin and he is kept busy. The 3 1/2 year assignment has been recently reduced to three years.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brady have mailed packages to their son, Pfc. Oscar Brady in Korea, of fruit cake and several pounds of homemade candy in time to reach him for Christmas. A recent letter from Oscar, saying he had received letters from his brothers, Lester of Lawton, Ok., and Henry of Weatherford, which were highly appreciated. He assured his mother that at present he was not on the front lines and not to worry about him.

Fire Destroys Watters Building In Bogata

Fire destroyed the Watters Garage and Service Station and Watters Radio Shop Thursday morning about 10 o'clock. The Bogata Volunteer Firemen had been called to the scene earlier in the day to put out a grass fire, and were called again a short time later, when it was discovered the building was ablaze.

W. C. Kelley, Bogata fire chief, realizing the need for extra help in extinguishing the fire and to keep it from spreading to other buildings, called the Deport and Talco Volunteer Fire Departments. Trucks and firemen from both towns responded to the call, and all were soon able to bring the fire under control.

The building and equipment was owned by Lee and Tommie Watters and is reported a total loss, except for a few small items in the radio shop, which were saved.

A large plate glass was broken and the awning at the Jordan Grocery nearby was damaged. The Jordan building was completed only a few months ago, and the Watters building had been recently remodeled and repaired.

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After a two weeks visit with her father, Sam Simpson, and Miss Dot and other relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Shoffner have returned to their home in California. They live at Las Gatos, a few miles out of San Jose and near Salinas, where the David Craddock and Wayne Humphreys live. Mrs. Shoffner plans to contact these former Bogata friends upon returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Green returned home Thursday after a six weeks stay with their daughter, Mrs. Jennie Wright and Mr. Wright at Irving. Mrs. Green had gone there while recuperating after a serious illness. They were accompanied home by their daughter, Mrs. Wright of Irving and daughter-in-law, Mrs. D. V. Green and little daughter, Lynne of Dallas, who returned home Saturday.

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LOCAL NEWS

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

T. J. Belcher underwent surgery in a Mt. Pleasant hospital Monday.

Mrs. R. A. Henderson visited Mrs. O. B. Walton and Miss Anita Walton in Tyler Sunday.

Mrs. C. W. Neugent is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ruel Haley, and Mr. Haley in Rufe, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Parsons and son and Mrs. Charles Collins were Dallas visitors Monday.

Mrs. James Hearron and young daughter, Linda Louise, have returned from Mt. Pleasant hospital.

Mrs. Lucille Perkins spent the week end in a Paris hospital. She was able to meet her classes Monday.

Jack Byrd of the U. S. Army, and Mrs. Byrd are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Smelley.

Capt. Earl Belcher, Mrs. Myra Seal and Mrs. Wilma Meadows are here attending their father, J. T. Belcher in a Mt. Pleasant hospital.

Mrs. A. J. Cappellar and grandson, George Liliestern of Tyler, visited Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Wilhite, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Collins visited their daughter, Mrs. M. A. Frugia and family in Marshall during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Gibson and Gay attended the fair in Shreveport, La., Saturday. They also visited her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Beasley are on a vacation to Magnolia, Ark., Shreveport, La., and are now visiting friends in Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cogburn and daughter, Sandra of El Dorado, Ark., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cogburn, last week end.

Pete Simmons of the U. S. Navy, his small son and his mother of Bogata, visited his brother, Gordon Simmons and family Friday.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown were Mr. Brown's mother, Mrs. Alford Brown and his grandmother, Mrs. Lee Brown of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Barnett of Greenhill, and Mr. and Mrs. Mart Barnett Jr., Gary and Diane of Mt. Pleasant, visited Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Harris and Barbara on Sunday.

Nancy Buchanan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Buchanan, underwent a tonsillectomy in a Mt. Pleasant hospital Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Blackerby and son, Billy Reed of Dallas, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Collins were in Corsicana last Friday, where they attended the funeral of Mr. Collins' aunt, Mrs. A. M. Ferguson.

Saturday Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Collins were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Woods of Corsicana and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mikell of Paris.

Mrs. Wayne Norman of Commerce and Miss Beth Rosson of NTSC, Denton, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Rosson.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Smelley spent Friday and Saturday with their son, Wayne Smelley in Waco and attended the Baylor-A and M. game Saturday.

Miss Imogene Rodgers, student of East Texas Baptist College in Marshall, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Rodgers.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Truitt and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Worden and children of McKinney, visited their grandmother, Mrs. Nannie Leake, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Owens of Wichita Falls, spent the week end with Mrs. Owen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Duke and her son, Ronald Dean Crandall.

Sunt and Mrs. S. O. Loving attended homecoming at E. T. S. T. C. in Commerce Saturday and visited their sons, Solon and Ben Loving, students in the college.

Pvt. and Mrs. Jack C. Byrd from Ft. Bliss, El Paso, arrived Monday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Smelley. Pvt. Byrd will leave shortly for Europe, where he has been re-assigned.

Sgt. Arlia Davis, Mrs. Davis and baby of Berlin, Germany, Mrs. A. W. Cisco and Mrs. Gene Culpepper and baby of Marshall, visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. Milton Whitney and family Tuesday.

Curtis Sikes of Dallas, recently returned from a visit with his brother, Gerald Sikes in Ft. McClellan, Ala. He spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Sikes before going to Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Riley visited his sister, Mrs. J. R. Smith and his mother, Mrs. Joe Riley, in Minden, La., last week. Mrs. E. B. Taylor, Mrs. Riley's mother, returned with them for an extended visit.

Mrs. Aubrey Harris entertained Ted Parham and Donnie Stockton with a birthday dinner and Glenn Harris with a going away dinner Sunday. Those present were Mrs. Bessie Riedout and Mrs. Ted Parham of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Harris and Gerald, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Stockton and Derrald, Aubrey and Barbara Jean Harris and the honorees.

HUMBLE CAMP

By MRS. A. E. FOSTER

Mrs. Jim Bagby has returned from Scott and White hospital at Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Swan of Pickton, visited friends in the camp Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Sanders of New London, visited friends in camp Saturday.

T. U. Clark has returned from a two weeks visit with his brother at Gainsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Maywall of Gilmer, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Johnnie Weatherall.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. McKnight and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Newson of Gilmer, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. K. O. France are on a two weeks' vacation to Wichita Falls, Grove, Ok., and to several points in Missouri.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Harris were Mrs. Harris's sisters, Mrs. Red Campbell of Houston, Mrs. John Taylor of Linden, Mrs. Emmett Burkham of Marshall and Mrs. Frank Williams of Daingerfield.

Chief Gunners Mate R. J. Alsobrook and Mrs. Alsobrook visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Alsobrook on their way from San Diego, Calif., to Texarkana, where he has been assigned to recruiting duty.

A daughter, Janet Lee, weighing 8 pounds and 8 ounces, was born Sunday, Oct. 26, to Mr. and Mrs. James Murphy of Van. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E. L. McAfee of Talco and Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Murphy of Troup.

Among the Talco people who attended the ETSTC and Sam Houston STC football game in Commerce Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Vickers, Miss Jackie Winn, Jerry and F. A. Jones, Frank Sloan, Jack Winn, W. R. Shaw, J. C. Watson and C. N. Hunt.

Week end guests of the J. W. Garner and J. J. Nelson families were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Garner and daughter, Linda of El Dorado, Ark., Miss Norma Nelson and her friend, Mickey DeVore of Texarkana and Mrs. Minnie Harrison of Arkansas, mother of Mrs. Garner and Mrs. Nelson.

On Tuesday at the Tidewater picnic park the Brotherhood of Calvary Baptist Church was host for a churchwide affair. The guests were served steaming bowls of stew, potato chips, pickles, pie, coffee and cold drinks. The stew was prepared by Charles Collins, V. L. Taylor and R. A. Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Prestidge and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Prestidge attended the Prestidge family reunion at the home of their sister, Mrs. W. T. Shaw in Ennis Sunday. Their mother, Mrs. W. A. Prestidge, who is bedridden at Mrs. Shaw's home, had her twelve children, eleven in-laws and twenty grandchildren and great-grandchildren for the day.

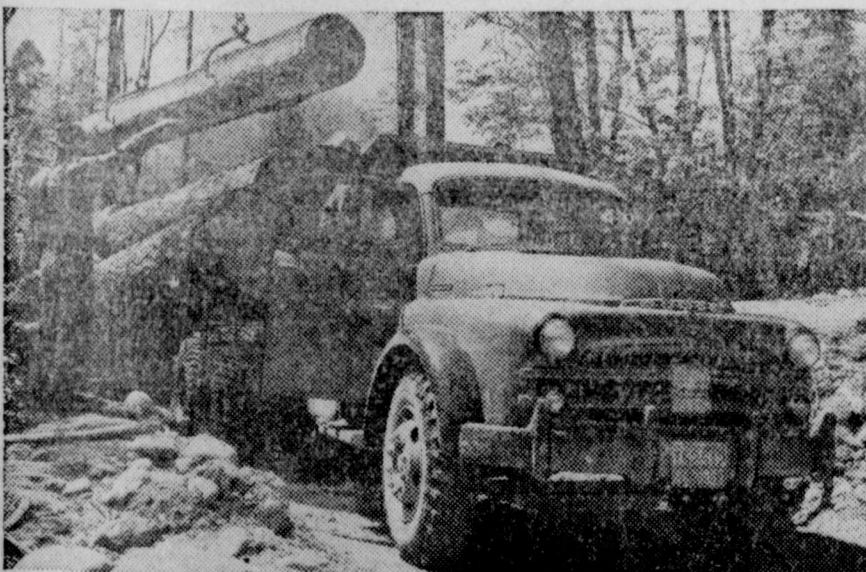
"Understand Thou What Thou Readeest?"

There is no greater book than the Bible. There never has been, and there never will be, a greater book than this sacred volume; for it has as its purpose the eternal welfare of man. The Bible was given by God, and He intended that man should read and study it to know His will. Often, however, we hear people say: "Well, I just can't understand the Bible." To say that the Bible cannot be understood by men is a reflection upon God. The Bible contains God's message to man, and for me to say that man cannot understand this message is either to say that God could have made His message plainer and just wouldn't; or to say that He would have made the message plainer but just couldn't. The first of these would be a reflection upon God's divine goodness, and the second would reflect upon His divine intelligence. Now, we do not want to so reflect upon God, do we? Therefore, we must conclude that the Bible can be understood, and realize that if men do not understand it that such misunderstanding is not the fault of God. Where then does the fault lay? There are many things that hinder an understanding of the scriptures. There are right and wrong methods of Bible study, and for the next few weeks we want to devote our attention to some of the outstanding hindrances of a proper understanding of God's Word. Next week, the Lord willing, we want to notice that some study the Bible with A DESIRE TO PLEASE THE WORLD, and are thus hindered in seeing the truth that makes men free. (Jno. 8:32; 43).

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Mrs. R. E. Cain and Mrs. Fred Love attended the Kansas-SMU game in Dallas Saturday.

Mrs. George Edgerton underwent surgery at Mother Frances Hospital in Tyler last week.

Mrs. A. A. Spivey has returned home from a Pittsburg hospital, where she underwent surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lee and children of Gladewater, visited their brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Carter, and attended the barbecue.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Love, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Kempe, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Cain, Jack Gregory and Jim Rollins attended the Kansas-SMU game in Dallas Saturday.

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Finding Pink Bollworms Puts Red River and Lamar Under Quarantine

Lamar and Red River counties are now under quarantine because of the pink bollworm found in those counties and signs designating them as such will be erected soon.

Movement of cotton seed ginned in these counties will be restricted to mills in pink bollworm infested areas and cotton burs will either be burned or ground at the gins.

Feed and hammer mills may be used to grind the burs. Farmers may no longer haul the burs

away from gins to distribute over their farms as fertilizer.

Cotton farmers may take their seed home, as many have been doing, and feed or save them for planting. Bales of cotton going out of the county are to be compressed.

No information has been received on how the quarantine will affect next year's cotton crop, but it is important to make every effort now to minimize the danger of the dread insect in the future.

Cutting or shredding cotton stalks now is a recommended practice in the control of pink bollworm and that it will also kill off many other cotton-damaging insects. Deep plowing and heavy grazing are also recommended.

Control efforts made now will not only lessen the danger of the pink bollworm next year, but will also mean a greater production in 1953.

It was also pointed out that grinding the burs will kill off many other insects besides the pink bollworm.

Agriculture Commissioner Jno. C. White has asked Governor Shivers to issue an emergency proclamation covering all new counties where pink bollworms have been found. This act will place these counties under provisions of the Texas Pink Bollworm law.

Later this winter, or early next spring, the Texas Pink Bollworm Commission, with White as chairman, will meet to consider what further regulatory measures will be necessary in the fight against the destructive insect.

The first step after the proclamation will be the sterilization of all cotton seed moving out of infested areas. This action will protect the uninfested areas of Texas to a degree. Later it may be necessary to initiate planting and plow-up deadlines in various counties, depending upon the climatic conditions in areas of infestation.

The cooperation of every cotton grower will be necessary if the control program is to succeed. Once the insect becomes firmly entrenched in cotton growing sections, production and profits drop alarmingly. White warns.

BANK OR CHURCH

A woman phoned her bank to arrange for disposal of a thousand dollar bond.

"Is the bond for redemption or conversion?" a clerk inquired.

There was a long pause, then the woman asked: "Am I talking to the First National Bank or the First Baptist Church?"

Alcorn Says Some People Tired of Race, But Not Him, Says Let It Rip

Editor's note: Like everybody else, Achin Alcorn, philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Sulphur, is talking about the election, his letter this week reveals.

Dear Editor: I've heard a lot of people say they're tired of the presidential race and they'll be glad when it's over, it's been too bitter, too much wrangling, too many lies being told, maybe too much truth, too much dissention among friends, too much time wasted, too many radio programs interfered with, too many good murders crowded off the front page, but I do not look at it that way.

I'll admit the campaign started a little early and the candidates got to the name-calling stage too soon and it's getting a little dull, after you reach the climax and call your opponent a liar, there's nothing much left to say, and if you call him one too early in the campaign you have to spend the last three weeks just repeating yourself. All the shock value is gone out of your charges and a man is almost reduced in the home stretch to run on his own merits and in lots of cases there ain't nothin more borin than that, regardless of how much merit you got.

But on the whole the campaign has been pretty good. Believe there have been more new ways invented for callin the other fellow a liar than I've ever remembered, more real ingenuity and evidence of some real thinkin in that field, there've been more predictions of disaster than I can remember, more promises of plenty, more concern for the future of the country and more assurances of how to protect it than I've ever encountered. There are people who say democracy is worn out, but when democracy can stand a dog fight like the one we're about to emerge from and keep right on goin, there ain't nothin seriously wrong with it.

And three or four days after the election, after the enthusiasm of one side and the disappointment of the other has worn off and the bets have been collected, things will settle back down and the campaign will be about as interesting as a last year's football game.

I ain't predictin how it will come out, but it might not be a bad idea for both candidates to be given some thought not only to a victory statement but to a telegram of congratulations to the other one.

Yours faithfully, A. A.

JOHNTOWN

By MRS. G. A. VAUGHAN

J. B. Roberts, employed at El Dorado, Ark., spent the week end with his wife and daughter, Patsy Gail.

Mrs. Dan Cotten and son, Danny, and Mrs. Donald Clements and daughter, Linda of Talco, were business visitors in Mt. Pleasant Monday.

Mrs. J. B. Roberts and Mrs. Howard Potter and daughter, Teneka were in Bogata Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Kennedy and sons of Cunningham, visited her sister, Mrs. Jim Pirtle and family Sunday.

Mrs. W. A. Cotten, who has been visiting relatives at Grand Prairie, Waxahatchie and points in Arizona, returned home Thursday.

Mrs. W. A. Kinsey visited her son, Cecil Kinsey and wife of Pittsburg, Friday and they accompanied her to Daingerfield to visit a granddaughter and daughter, Mrs. Ola Green and family.

A. I. Bond, Baptist pastor, filled his regular appointment Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night. He was accompanied by Bro. John Askew of New Boston.

Mrs. J. R. Scarborough and daughter, Mrs. Loyce Seay of Irving and Mrs. Pat O'Keefe of Talco, attended services at the Church of Christ Sunday and visited friends.

Mrs. Dan Cotten and sons, Larry and Danny, accompanied a group from Talco to Humble lake Saturday night and enjoyed a weiner roast.

Mrs. J. B. Roberts was hostess at a party Saturday afternoon honoring Teneka Potter on her 4th birthday. Refreshments of cookies and drinks were served to 27 guests. The honoree received many nice and useful gifts.

Mrs. W. O. Bolen was in Paris Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Duffie and son and Ollie Perkins were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Potter.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pirtle visited their daughter, Mrs. Tommy Cecil and baby at Greenville over the week end.

Mrs. W. A. Cotten has planned a birthday lunch for T. H. Baxter Friday. "Uncle Tom" as he is affectionately called, will observe his 87th birthday Oct. 31.

Billy Ruth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bain, who has been ill at her home, is able to be up.

Mrs. Leon Shoffner, who has been convalescing at her home after surgery, was able to attend services at the Baptist church Sunday.

Mrs. J. A. Watts, who has been ill the past two weeks, is able to be up.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Hinson and children and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Hinson, visited Mr. and Mrs. Connie Brock and

family at Naples, Sunday. Their aunt and sister, Mrs. John Hervey, returned home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Dodd made a business visit to Borger over the week end.

Mrs. James Watts, who has been ill at her home, was able to be out Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Watts and daughter, Shirley, attended the funeral of Kirk McKinney at Cuthand Sunday afternoon.

Miss Janice Hawkins visited Miss Betty Martin at Talco Friday night.

Mrs. E. V. Pirtle was hostess at her home Friday for a covered dish luncheon and quilting party. The quilt is to be sold at the Halloween carnival at the school house Wednesday night.

GOOD LUCK

Said a straphanger to another rider who had just given his seat to a lady: "Good luck, sir. I've been traveling on this line for three years and I've never offered a lady my seat."

"Then you have no manners, sir," was the reply.

"Oh, no, it isn't that; I've never had a seat."

THE CYNIC

"Senator So-and-So didn't run very well in the primary," opined a young voter. "Put on a hard campaign, too. Considering his poor showing, must have cost him about a dollar a vote."

"Humph," retorted the old timer, "with all this inflation, ain't that about the goin rate these days?"

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This newspaper wants all the local news it can get, but it must again remind those who have items for publication that it does not have time to set on our press day, the news that should have been turned in Friday, Saturday, Monday and Tuesday.

Reports of showers, weddings, parties, club meetings, church reports and similar matter must be reported not later than 24 hours after the event occurs.

Please co-operate with us to help us give you the very best local newspaper possible, and you will not be disappointed when your reports fail to appear.

PJC Home-coming Set for November 1

Annual homecoming of Paris Junior College has been set for Nov. 1 this year by the Ex-Students Association. Houston Harrison is president of the Association. All ex-students are invited and urged to attend.

Activities will include registration, reception, barbecue, downtown parade, presentation of home-coming queen and a football game between PJC and Kilgore Junior College. Following the game a grand ball will be held in the gymnasium.

Miss Carolyn Carter of Detroit, has been selected as homecoming queen this year.

BITTER WITH THE SWEET

"Does your husband ever forget your birthday anniversary?"

"Well, I remind him of it in June and January and always get a present from him in those months but never on my birthday."

MISSED THE SIGNAL

"How are you this morning?"

"All right."

"Well, you ought to notify your face."

The actress was trying on a gown in the wardrobe department. "I don't like that color," commented a designer. Now, if you'd wear a dress to match those stockings you're wearing, you'd be a sensation."

"I certainly would," she replied. "I'm not wearing any stockings."

Episcopal Church At Clarksville To Observe 100 Years

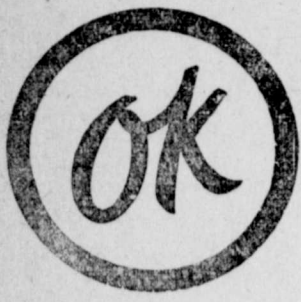
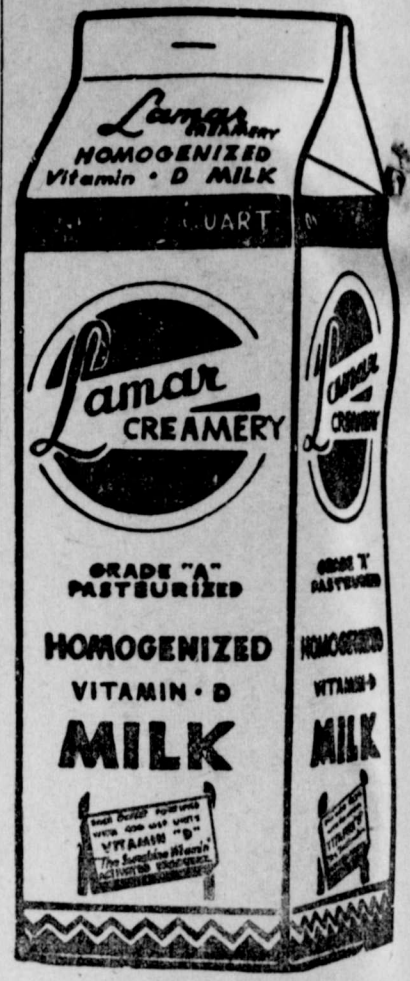
In its little Gothic field stone chapel at Clarksville, the Episcopal Church on Nov. 9 will mark the passing of its first 100 years in the Diocese of Dallas (the 48 counties of Northeast Texas.)

Bishop C. Avery Mason at 11 a. m. will conduct confirmation services for two new members of the church. In many respects the ceremony will be a re-enactment of the first confirmation in Northeast Texas on Nov. 9, 1852, when the Rev. G. W. Freeman, Bishop of the Missionary District of Arkansas, crossed the Red river into Texas, came to this frontier settlement, conducted preaching services, and brought a new member into the Episcopal fold.

"When Bishop Freeman first came to Texas it was yet a republic and his service was as a foreign missionary," the Very Rev. James W. O'Connell of the St. Andrews Church at Paris said today. Father O'Connell will participate with Bishop Mason in the Nov. 9 ceremonies. The St. Andrews vested choir of 20 and a large part of its congregation will journey from Paris to Clarksville for the historic ceremonies, Father O'Connell said.

The little Clarksville church is maintained as a mission by the Brotherhood of St. Andrews.

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