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New Oil Discovery Red River Co. Ours Lease Hounds on Many Trails

Red River County's first major oil discovery — Seaboard Oil Company's No. 1 Coline Development, Tejada survey, 15 miles east of Bogata in the southeastern part of the county, and ten miles north of production in the Talco field, went on the pump Wednesday.

The big drilling rig was skidded from over the well and a concrete foundation run for a pumping unit on Monday. Owners of the well have every confidence in it or the foundation for the pumping unit would have been oak instead of concrete.

The well swabbed 130 barrels of 39 gravity oil on July 26, after having been drilled to 7,500 feet and then plugged back to 5,000 feet, casing set and then shot.

Visitors to the well Sunday reported it flowing from its own gas pressure, but it must not have been much or the pumping unit would not have been installed.

Work is underway to build a good road from the well to the FM road at Cuthand so that oil can be brought out by truck tankers.

There is considerable speculation as to what direction the next test will be from the discovery well and the extent of the field. If it is producing from the Travis Peak, which is a gas sand further south, it has proved tricky for those drilling for gas.

Owners of the well had their deep test protected with 12,000 acres of leases, so no acreage near the find is for sale.

But it has not stopped speculators from buying other acreage as much as 20 miles from the discovery well. Leonard Brothers of Ft. Worth, who own a vast tract of land in the forks of the Sulphurs, are taking acreage in the Halesboro area, where a test was recently drilled, paying \$2 per acre. Major companies are also reported in on the play.

S. T. Smith, Bogata banker, said there was considerable leasing going on in every direction from Bogata and the price was about \$2 an acre, with higher prices reported nearer the discovery well. Royalty near the well was bringing fancy prices, up to \$250 an acre.

Ord Grocery at Rugby Entered

Someone broke into the L. R. Ford grocery at Rugby Sunday afternoon while the Fords were away from home.

They entered at a back window, turned on electricity for the electric motor gasoline pump and helped themselves to gasoline. A small amount of change in the cash register was not disturbed.

They left the switch on and all lights burning.

Shelton Assembles Leases for Oil Test Near Deport

D. W. Shelton of Denton, is assembling a block of land northwest of Deport for an oil test well for southeast Lamar County. Mr. Shelton has about 2000 acres already leased in the area and hopes to secure that many more for the test.

He told a reporter of this newspaper the location for the new test well will probably be in the northwest part of the Luke Roberts survey or the southwest part of the H. S. Rogers survey, both west and northwest of Deport.

Mr. Shelton helped assemble the block for the Halesboro test in Western Red River County earlier this year.

Sister of Talco Man is Dead

Sam Mayfield, Mr. and Mrs. Farris Brown, F. A. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Tidwell, Mr. and Mrs. Riley Gibson, Mrs. W. S. Locke and Mrs. Fred Blackard of Greenhill, attended the funeral of Mr. Mayfield's sister, Mrs. Donnie Miller in Cooper Monday of last week.

Mrs. Miller a former resident of Cooper, passed away at her home in Dallas after a heart attack thirty minutes earlier.

She is survived by these children: Melvin Miller, J. P. Miller, James Miller, Herschel Miller, Marshall Miller, Miss Mae Miller, Mrs. M. C. George, Mrs. T. C. Phillips and Mrs. A. S. Rose Jr., all of Dallas; 17 grandchildren, two brothers, Andrew Mayfield of Mangrum, Ok., and Sam Mayfield of Talco, and two sisters, Mrs. Cora Alley of Klondike and Mrs. Maud Crowson of Birthwright.

ARMY WORMS HIT LAWNS, PASTURES

Gilmer Mirror: Upshur County was invaded by army worms last week and County Agent T. B. Lewis said the infestation was doing some damage on pastures and lawns.

He noticed that the tiny worms were thick on some city lawns. They feed on tender, green leaves which came out as a result of the rain. The worms moved in from the south.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Stockton and two sons have returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Whitley of Henrietta and with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Blain of Odessa. The Blain family accompanied them to Old Fort Davis and through Davis mountains.

Cotton Prospects Good, But Many Insects Working

Cotton growers admit we have better prospects for a good crop than for several years. Old cotton now has many grown bolls and some of them are about ready to open.

July rains added addition growth and heavy fruiting, but with the rains came cotton-destroying insects. Growers have been poisoning vigorously.

Latest insect that could cause much damage is the army worms which made their appearance this week. They are attacking pastures.

Lamar County Agent Loyd Neal says something should be done and done now to rid the pastures of the pests that may riddle the grass then turn to cotton fields. He recommends the following treatment:

Use a quart and a pint of Toxaphene per acre in a spray, depending on the height of the grass.

For dusting, use 15 to 20 pounds of Toxaphene per acre.

In either event, however, the county agent cautions farmers and ranchers to keep livestock off the poisoned pastures for a week or 10 days after the poison is applied.

Neal said he first noticed a few army worms Saturday. The infestation in pastures had built up to a dangerous extent and he urges control of the worms before they ruin pastures and infest silage crops and cotton.

Cunningham Boy Develops Polio

Johnny Latham Crenshaw, 13, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Crenshaw of near Cunningham, is suffering with polio, diagnosed as such on Tuesday by Dr. Jack King. He was sent to the polio center of St. Marcos Hospital in Texarkana.

The boy became ill on Monday and was brought to the Grant Hospital on Tuesday. There are three other children in the Crenshaw family.

This is the second case of polio to develop in Lamar County this year, the other being a child living near Paris.

Group Will Honor Former Bogata Man

Canton.—The Vocational Agriculture Teachers Association of Texas has singled out six instructors to receive 25-year distinguished service awards, and one of them is D. B. King, teacher at Canton High School, former Bogata ag teacher.

King will receive a gold lapel pin for his outstanding service as a teacher of vocational agriculture. King was selected by the association because of his organization program for agriculture improvement in the Canton community.

The awards will be presented Thursday, Aug. 6, at the association's annual meeting at the Hotel Adolphus, Dallas.

NEWSPAPERS HEADED THE MOST USEFUL LIST

In a Chicago survey, where housewives were asked, "What kind of advertising is most useful to you?" not one named car cards or circulars. Two out of a thousand named billboards. Sixty-four named radio, 105 television, 300 magazines and 486 named newspapers.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Lightsey Saturday were Mr. Lightsey's brother, B. V. Lightsey and family of Luling. Both families enjoyed a fishing trip to Hot Springs, Ark., Sunday and Monday.

Mother of Talco Man is Dead

Mrs. R. P. Trice Sr. of Waco, passed away Monday in a Waco hospital. She was the mother of R. P. Trice Jr. of Talco. She was 80 years of age, and had been ill for some time, but died following an operation.

Mr. Trice was the youngest of several children surviving. He was in Waco attending her at the time of her death. Also Mrs. Trice and their two daughters, Carol and Judy. The funeral was held Tuesday in Waco.

Football Schedule Talco Trojans

Following is the Talco Trojan football schedule as announced for the 1953 season:

Sept. 18—Pewitt at Talco.

Sept. 25—Honey Grove at Honey Grove.

Oct. 2—Judson Grove at Talco.

Oct. 9—New Boston at Talco.

Oct. 16—Hughes Springs at Hughes Springs.

Oct. 23—Open.

Oct. 30—Queen City at Queen City.

Nov. 6—Bogata at Talco.

Nov. 13—Jefferson at Jefferson.

Nov. 20—James Bowie at Talco.

Band Practice Begins Monday

The school band director, Jerry Loveall, is here and will begin band practice Monday.

There will be a get-together of all band students Monday morning at 8:30 and schedules for rehearsals will be given those who failed to receive one through the mail.

All students interested in starting band are invited to attend. Everyone connected with the band in any way may also come.

Rehearsals will be held for different sections of the band each day and on Thursday full band rehearsal is scheduled. Thereby, each student may participate in two rehearsals a week.

Crimes Classified Country-City

Crimes of passion in proportion to population are more prevalent in the country than in town, Attorney General Shepperd told the Sheriff's Association of Texas Monday.

"The county sheriff has to solve about 25 per cent more murders, rapes and aggravated assaults. The cities lead in robbery, burglary and theft," he said.

Shepperd addressed the 75th convention of the association meeting at Hotel Texas in Fort Worth.

He also urged legislation to increase control of narcotics which eventually are sold in illegal traffic.

CATTLE GO BLIND IN VITAMIN LACK

Paducah.—Several head of cattle have gone blind in drouth areas around Cottle and King counties in the past few months, according to County Agent Kirby Clayton.

Clayton warned that the situation is ripe in the immediate area for cattle to go blind because of a lack of vitamin A which is normally present in grass during this time of the year.

Mrs. J. B. Hester and children of Dallas, visited her sister, Mrs. Garland Jagers and family during the week.

Draft Takes 14 for Armed Service

Following is a list of registrants of the local board who were inducted into the armed forces at Dallas on July 27.

From Titus County: Joseph Odell Byram, James Arden Thompson, Robert Clifton Chadwell, Harvey Elijah Gray, Alexander Laing, Kenneth Ellis Logan, Sylvester Charles Harris.

From Camp County: James Taylor, Willie Morris Redden, Johnny D. Buchanan, Frank Loyce Wooden, Robert Wayne Minshew.

From Morris County: Welton Dee Walker.

The following volunteered for induction: O. D. Lewis, Titus County and James Alvin Franklin, Morris County.

One registrant failed to report to the local board for forwarding for induction.

Auto Inspections Start Sept. 15

AUSTIN.—Texas motorists will have seven months, starting Sept. 15, to get their vehicles checked under the new, modified safety inspection law.

Homer Garrison Jr., director of the Department of Public Safety, said the inspection period will be from Sept. 15 through next April 15. The Public Safety Commission told him it will officially set the dates when the new law becomes effective Aug. 26, he said.

The old law, which aroused a storm of controversy that led to abandonment of efforts to enforce it, will expire Aug. 25. No inspections will be made after that date, said Garrison until the inspections start under the new law.

Only brakes, lighting equipment, horns, mirrors and windshield wipers must be inspected under the new law.

P. T. Taylor Gives Wildlife Show

P. T. Taylor, Clarksville sportsman, business man and photographer of wild life extra-ordinary, recently secured several reels of hunting and fishing pictures from ammunition manufacturers.

He put up a screen in his back yard Thursday of last week, and invited about 75 hunting and fishing friends to the show. It was good, as were the cold drinks served by Mrs. Taylor.

Andy Bowman of Talco, Dood Emerson of Sulphur Bluff and Sam Holloway of Deport, were among invited guests from this area.

Business Best in Texas History

AUSTIN.—The first half of 1953 will go on the record books as the best six months ever experienced by business in Texas, Dr. John R. Stockton, University of Texas Bureau of Business Research director, reports.

The composite index of business activity compiled by the Bureau, rose 2 per cent in June over May to bring it to 297 per cent of the 1935-39 base total.

OKLAHOMA WOMAN CHOKES IN OWN HAIR

Checotah, Okla.—Mrs. Lucille Sanders, 43, was choked to death when her hair caught in a washing machine. The widow, mother of six, tried to pull her long hair from the wringer and in the attempt wrapped it around her throat. The machine toppled, pulling the hair tighter.

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July's Rainfall Broke Drought Brought Insects

July came, the rains descended and what looked like a great drought which began in June with no rain and 100 degree temperatures was broken.

About six inches of rain, nearly twice the average normal of 3.27 inches, revived brown and seared pastures, put new life into corn, cotton and row feed crops, and replenished dwindling stock water tanks.

Cotton now has the stalk, growth and moisture to make a good crop if insects are poisoned. It doesn't need another drop of rain. Remarkably free of insects until excessive rainfall in July, but they are now doing excessive damage where poisoning has not kept them in check.

Solon Loving Gets Commission

Solon Loving, who has been in training at Nellis Air Force Base in Las Vegas, Nevada, for several weeks, has returned home. He finished his course in the Reserve Officers Training Corps which he had been pursuing at East Texas State College and received a second lieutenant's commission in the Air Force Reserves. He is now awaiting assignment to active duty in the Air Force. Solon received his B. A. with honors from East Texas State College at the spring graduating exercises.

May Orchard Puts On Peach Sale

W. A. May of South Lamar County, had 4,000 bushels of Elberta peaches—all to get ripe at one time. He and S. L. Neal, County Agent, got together and planned a peach sale—1,300 post cards were mailed to individuals, and a newspaper ad was run. Customers were to come to the orchard, bring their own baskets, pick their own peaches and get them at a bargain price of \$1.00 per bushel. The first day of the sale, over 1,700 persons came and got a bushel each. In three days the crop had been harvested.

Family of James O. Taylor Awaits News of Prisoners

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Taylor of Green Hill are anxiously awaiting word of their son, Pvt. James O. Taylor, only Titus County man listed officially as a prisoner of the communists in the Korean war.

Pvt. Taylor enlisted in the U. S. Army on March 29, 1950, completed his basic training at Fort Ord, Calif., and was sent to Korea on Sept. 15 of that year.

On Jan. 29, 1951, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor received a telegram from the Defense Department listing their son as missing in action with the possibility that he might have been taken prisoner by the Reds. His disappearance occurred on Nov. 30, 1950.

The fact that he was a prisoner of the Chinese was not made known officially for several months and until Mr. and Mrs. Taylor received a letter from their son saying that he was in UOW Camp No. 1 at Chaing-song, China. Since that time they have received several letters from him.

Heavy Rain Falls Late Wednesday

A heavy downpour of rain began falling in the Deport section Wednesday afternoon about 4 o'clock and continued for some time. The rain was accompanied by a thunder cloud out of the southwest.

This is the first rain that has fallen in this section during this month. It will benefit pasture land and late feed crops. Farmers are fearful of a build up of insects in cotton.

A cloud out of the northwest Tuesday night about 11:30 brought a cooling breeze, but no rain. The mercury climbed upward Wednesday into the 90's before the afternoon rain.

BOOTS COME DOWN TO MUCH LOWER PRICE

Cheyenne, Wyo.—A pair of hand-tooled cowboy boots made from the sire of Grand Champion Steed T. O. Price recently sold at auction for \$44,375. Today they were put on display here priced at \$3,500.

TO OUR BANKING PATRONS

Beginning August 10 there will be a change in our Banking Hours. The Bank will

Open at 8 a. m.

Close at 3 p. m.

We will, for security reasons, close at 11:30 a. m. and re-open at 12:30 p. m.

This is in conformity with recommendations of the State Banking Commission when only one bank employee would be in the bank during the lunch hour.

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March 20, 1936, at the postoffice
at Talco, Texas.

With the passing of Senator
Robert Taft, this nation lost an
able, levelheaded statesman. Sen-
ators of both political parties re-
spected his ability and relied up-
on his judgment.

A news letter for The Talco
Times, mailed in Talco Tuesday
morning of last week, reached
the printing plant Saturday. It
contained much news that should
have appeared in last week's edi-
tion. It is printed this week.

August is a bad month for au-
tomobile accidents in this area,
according to the State Highway
Patrol. If we would start in time
to drive leisurely and not get
into such a rush to get some-
where else, we could reduce the
accident and death rate.

Open mufflers, straight pipes
and "twin smitties" the boys have
enjoyed opening up are on their
way out. State Supreme Court
has lifted an injunction that per-
mitted their continued use and
now the State Highway Patrol is
going to crack down on users.
There will be arrests and fines
for those who don't comply, they
warn.

Attorney General John Ben
Shepperd says that his office is
continuing to win approximately
98 per cent of all cases tried since
the first of the year. During
July, 95 cases were won out of
104 tried or appealed. This editor
supported Shepperd personally
and editorially last July and
August for that office and has
good reason now to be glad that
he did.

These big cross-country planes,
carrying about fifty passengers,
get about. The editor's sister,
Mrs. Frank D. Chisholm of San
Francisco, left home at 8:30 one
morning recently, flew to Dallas
non-stop and we picked her up
that afternoon at the Paris air-
port at 6 o'clock. A round trip
ticket for the trip was \$227.59.
Two could have made the trip
for one and a half fares. Rail-
road fare, pullman and meals
would have amounted to nearly
that much.

That Frenchman, Christian
Dior, who stood the fashion world
in women's clothes on its head a
few years ago by flaring skirts
and dropping them several inches,
has reversed himself. He now
wants to see more legs, so skirts
will move up again to sixteen or
seventeen inches from the floor.
To tall, fat and bow-legged gals,
it will be a catastrophe, while
the gals with pretty legs will be
glad to show 'em. With skirts
just below the knees, there will
be a lot of tugging going on again
when the ladies sit down.

Patagonia is in southern South
America.

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EDITORIALLY SPEAKING

BURT LOCKHART
in Pittsburg Gazette

If all our dreams came true,
who'd run our businesses for us?

Careful nursing will keep your
troubles alive and active a long
time.

Test of a strong man is one
who can keep his chin up no mat-
ter what happens.

Not all news is bad news. Harry
Truman says he will never
again run for office.

Most of us practice economy
after we have spent all our mon-
ey for things we didn't need.

All those in the congregation
who believe a truce in Korea
means peace, please hold up your
hands . . . Pause.

It is all right to believe only
one-half of what you read in the
papers, provided you choose the
right half.

As we see it, the public's stamp
of approval of the proposed in-
crease in letter rates is not a
four-cent one.

Air planes can now fly faster
than sound, but they have a long
way to go before they can fly
faster than a rumor.

No matter how engrossed you
may become in business, society
or government, common sense
suggests that you take time to
live.

Signing of a truce in Korea is
glorious news, but we should not
let our emotions sway us away
from the importance of keeping
our powder dry.

The millionaire may tell you he
was more content when he was
poor, but we notice he hasn't of-
fered to swap his discontent for
our contentment.

No sooner does Uncle Sam put
his best foot forward in a foreign
land than it begins to pull his leg.
And those "pulls" now run into
billions of dollars.

Remember the gay Nineties
when the dear women didn't
drink Manhattans or smoke cig-
arettes and when the worst word
they spoke was "I swanny"?

As long as Texas wastes seven-
eighths of its water supply, we
may be called silly for calling on
the heavenly Rainmaker to sup-
ply us with more.

Now that the armistice has
been signed, the real work begins
for final peace. If it took more
than two years to agree on a
truce, how long will it take to
agree on assured peace?

YOUNG ADULT CLASS PICNIC SUPPER

The Young Adult class of the
Methodist church enjoyed a pic-
nic supper at Humble Lake Fri-
day night. Mr. and Mrs. Dave
Thompson, who are moving to
Winnboro, were presented a gift
from the class by Jack Thompson,
class president. Forty-four class
members and guests were pres-
ent: Rev. and Mrs. John Dvorak
and Johnny Lynn, Mr. and Mrs.
Dave Thompson, Ann and Lynn,
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thompson,
Mike and Reggie, Mr. and Mrs.
Dan Cotten, Larry and Danny,
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Barnard and
Pam, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sloan
and Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. L. G.
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J. R. Poston, Mary, Arnold Dee
and Geraldine Phillips, Mr. and
Mrs. Gerald Kempe, Mr. and Mrs.
Clark McPherson, Vicki, Sheri
and Billy, Mr. and Mrs. R. E.
Cain, Douglas and Judy, Mr. and
Mrs. W. S. Richardson, Barbara
and Marjorie.

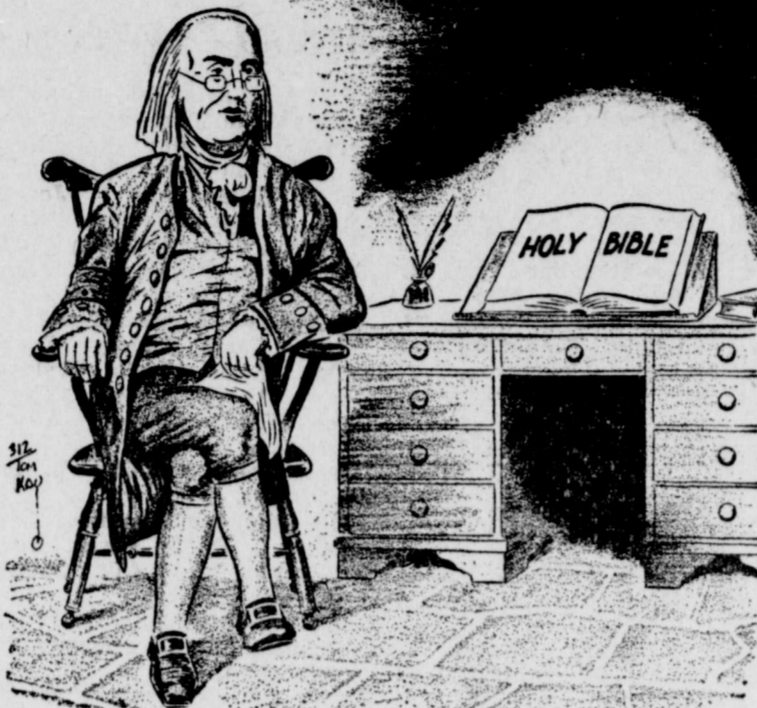
WHY HE WAS BALD

He was twitted about his bald-
ness and the bald-headed man
said: "You can't grow grass on a
busy street."
"True," answered his tormen-
ter. "It can't come through the
concrete."

THE AMERICAN WAY

"GOD HELPS THEM
THAT HELP THEMSELVES"

—Benjamin Franklin
from Poor Richard's Almanac
—1777



True In 1757 - True Today

BIBLE SCHOOL CLOSURE WITH SHARING PROGRAM

Junior Vacation Bible School
at the Talco Methodist Church
will close Sunday evening with
an extensive sharing program
designed to portray the Old Tes-
tament history and message. The
time of the program will be 7:30
p. m., at the regular worship
service hour.

Thirty-one junior age children
had been registered through the
first seven days of the school
with an average attendance of
approximately 25. Wonderful in-
terest was displayed. The follow-
ing have worked in the school:
Mrs. W. S. Richardson, director;
Mrs. L. G. Adams, leader; Rev.
and Mrs. John Dvorak, Mrs. D.
H. Kelley, Mrs. Jack Thompson,
Joyce Ann Richeson, Barbara Jo
Richardson, Geraldine Phillips,
and Mrs. Milton Bolin.

All parents and friends are cordi-
ally invited to the sharing pro-
gram Sunday night.

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Adcox-Nelson Rites At Air Base

Writeup of a wedding in which
Talco folk are interested is taken
from an unidentified California
newspaper which says:

At a double ring ceremony in
the chapel at Castle Air Force
Base, lovely blonde Evelyne No-
asha Adcox exchanged marriage
vows with Sergeant Ronald Nel-
son. It was by candlelight,
against a background of summer
flowers that the pair were wed.
The Rev. Norman Nelson, brother
of the groom, came here from
Grandfork, North Dakota, to of-
ficiate at the wedding.

When the wedding guests were
seated, Mrs. Norman Nelson sang
"Because" and then "The Lord's
Prayer."

For her wedding dress, Evelyne
chose a gown of frosted white or-
gandie, with a row of embroidery
at the hemline and also at the
soft neckline. She wore a crown
of net, twined with stephanotis,
and the nosegay she carried was
of stephanotis and ivy.

Evelyne was given in mar-
riage by her uncle, Carl Boatman
of Delhi. She asked Miss Shir-
ley Webber of Merced to be her
only attendant. Shirley wore
soft blue velvet, and her flowers
were also stephanotis.

Sergeant James Robinson, a
fellow airman of the groom's was
best man.

The bride is the daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Adcox of
Talco, Texas, where she attend-
ed schools.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Nelson of
Grandfork, North Dakota, are the
parents of the benedict; his par-
ents also motored to Merced for
the wedding.

Immediately after the vow ex-
change, the couple left for Santa
Cruz. They will be at home at
2320 N. Street.

Maybe the reason Webster put
so many words in the dictionary
was to give the politicians a
chance to say nothing in a great
many words.

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MONUMENTS

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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 — WMU. Mrs.
R. J. Rosson, pres.
7:00 p. m. Wednesday — Prayer
and song service.
7:00 p. m. Thursday — Brother-
hood. M. J. Davis, pres.

TALCO TIMES ON SALE AT CITY DRUG STORE

Current issues of The Talco
Times are on sale at 5 cents each
at the City Drug Store in Talco.
You may subscribe for or renew
your subscription there.

Eat Vegetables, Fruits Advises Health Officer

Summer with its abundance
of low-calorie fruits and vege-
tables is a good time to shed
those few extra pounds put on
during the winter months, Dr.
Geo. W. Cox, State Health Offi-
cer, states.

People do not need as many
starchy foods which produce en-
ergy in warm weather as they do
in the winter, he said, because in
the summer the warmth which
starchy foods give to the body is
not needed.

"Green leafy and yellow vege-
table and all types of fruits
which are plentiful during the
summer months provide an ex-
cellent, low-cost diet for the per-
son who is overweight," Dr. Cox
said. "Many of these foods can
be eaten raw and are very nutri-
tious this way provided the food
is carefully washed to remove all
dirt and insecticides which may
be present."

Dr. Cox stressed the import-
ance of properly storing food
during the summer. He explained
that certain foods such as cold
cuts, cream desserts, potato sal-
ad, and sandwich spreads have
a tendency to spoil quickly dur-
ing hot weather. Foods of this
type should be kept in the refrig-
erator until just before they are
served.

"By using good common sense
in choosing and serving the pro-
per kinds of food, you'll feel bet-
ter and have a much more enjoy-
able summer," Dr. Cox con-
cluded.

WILKINSON

By MARCIA BLALOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Blalock
and Dorothy and Pallie Sue vis-
ited Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Blalock
and daughters at Pinecton, La.,
last week end. Miss Marcia Bla-
lock returned home with them
after a two weeks' visit and Miss
Darlene Blalock of Princeton, ac-
companied her home for a two
weeks' visit.

S-Sgt. and Mrs. Delmo Blalock
of Washington, D. C., and Miss
Martha Riddle and Jerry Riddle
of Dallas, were visitors of the
T. Blalocks last week.

Mrs. A. T. Blalock accompan-
ied Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Hendrix
and Mrs. Eugene Blalock of Tal-
co, to Denver, Colo., for a visit
with her son, A3c Eugene Bla-
lock.

METHODIST INTERMEDIATE BIBLE SCHOOL

The Intermediate Bible School
of the Talco Methodist Church
will begin next Monday, Aug. 10,
ending Aug. 21. A sharing pro-
gram will be Sunday night, Aug.
23. All intermediates, aged 12
through 14 who are interested
are invited to attend. Sessions
each day Monday through Fri-
day will be from 1:45 to 4 p. m.

Mrs. Gerald Kempe is the di-
rector of this school. Others work-
ers will be Rev. and Mrs. John
Dvorak, Mrs. G. Traweck and
Mrs. Milton Bolin.

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prise at the smooth, steady,
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HUMBLE CAMP

By MRS. A. L. RODGERS

Don Brewer visited in Arp over the week end.

K. O. France of Hawkins, visited in Talco Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Griggs visited in Brian recently.

Mrs. T. G. Temple is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. E. Cox.

Mrs. J. R. Gable and son spent the week end in Louisiana.

Tommie Chapman of Andrews, visited Richard Rothwell, Friday.

J. C. Stewart went to Tyler recently and bought a new pickup.

Miss Carolyn Ryan spent last week at the Baptist encampment at Daingerfield.

J. D. Funderburk went to Dallas Tuesday for a medical examination and treatment.

Mrs. J. E. Cox has returned home after a week's visit in Mahl, Waco and Navasota.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Hendrix carried their son, Pvt. Pierce Hendrix back to Fort Sill, July 26.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Kolb of Price, visited Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Taylor and Mae over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cunningham of Longview, visited Mr. and Mrs. Warnell over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Russell visited Mr. Russell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Loftin, over the week end.

Mrs. Herbert Marshall and two sons, Pat and Mike, are visiting her parents in Sulphur Springs this week.

Barbara and Joanna Mitchell have as their guest this week their cousin, Francis Minchew of Palola, Kans.

Billy Ervin Spivey of Sabine, visited his uncle, A. A. Spivey and family from Wednesday until Sunday.

A correction of a last week's item: Miss Mary Phillips won the croquet set instead of Mrs. Mary Morrison.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hooks accompanied Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stone and family to Linden, Sunday, to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. George Williams and family of New London, visited the R. R. Rothwell family Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Trice have returned home after a ten days visit with his mother, who is seriously ill in Waco.

Bobbie Cox of Kilgore and Mrs. T. G. Temple of Dallas, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cox, over the week end.

Jimmy Stewart, Jack Smith and Genevieve Stewart went to Commerce to see about rooms and other things for college.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Rodgers and boys visited Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Kester and girls, Sherry and Dana, in Mt. Pleasant, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Smitherland and children of Overton, spent the week end with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Brewer.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Kempe were in Tyler over the week end visiting the latter's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Pinkston.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Baggett and boys of Big Sandy, visited Mrs. Baggett's sister, Mrs. Odie Gibson and family over the week end.

Mrs. R. F. Parker and Joy were in Garland and Dallas over the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Gore and Mrs. C. T. Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nelson, Helen Jo and Ronnie returned Friday from visiting relatives in Houston and vacationing in Galveston.

Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Rollins and daughter, Vickie Jean of Longview, visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rollins, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Granberry of Odessa, visited the latter's sister, Mrs. J. L. Rollins, Sunday night and Monday, enroute to Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holt and boys of Jena, La., visited Mrs. Holt's brother, Odie Gibson and family Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Henry Thomas, Cecil Griggs and Bob Parker went to Waco Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. R. P. Trice Sr., the mother of Dick Trice.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Rodgers, Leon and Monty, visited Mrs. Rodgers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Smart, Friday night and Saturday at Gilmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Benny Pouch and daughter, Kathy of Mt. Vernon, visited Mrs. Pouch's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Pendleton, over the week end.

Mrs. J. R. Brewer and son, Don, visited relatives and friends in New London Friday and Saturday. Also Mrs. Brewer's sister, Mrs. O. C. Zeller.

The D. D. McKnights had as their guests over the week end, Mrs. McKnight's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Newsome and other relatives from Gilmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Frugia Jr. and daughter, Susan of Leesville, La., are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Frugia Sr., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Hendrix left Saturday for Denver, Colo., to take their daughter, Verna Mae, to join her husband, Eugene Blacklock, who is stationed there.

Mrs. Bertha Wade, who has been ill in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Cecil Loftin, is sufficiently recovered now to return to her home in Gilmer.

Miss Norma Jean Wilbanks is in a Gladewater hospital, suffering from a foot infection and tick fever. Her sister from Shreveport is here attending her.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Gann went to Greenville Friday to meet their son, Travis Clayton Gann and wife, who have returned from San Diego, Calif., and navy service.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Burelow and son, Johnny, will leave Friday on vacation to visit Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Laughlin in Chilton. Then to Galveston and New Orleans, La.

H. M. Pearson went to Longview Tuesday to attend the funeral of William Callaway, an Humble employee, killed in an automobile accident in Brownwood on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nation of May Pearl, visited Mr. Nation's sister, Mrs. Travis Gann of Talco, Mrs. Gann returned home with them for a visit. Her mother was also visiting her over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cox left Tuesday to visit his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cox. Cecil Cox is leaving Thursday for South America to work there. His wife and daughter will join him later.

The Rex Mitchell family had as their guests over the week end Mr. Mitchell's mother, Mrs. Harley Mitchell of Gladewater, and his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe David Woolery and son of Big Sandy.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mitchell were in Neches over the week end to visit Mrs. Mitchell's parents, the Minchews, and to bring their daughters, Barbara and Joanna, who have been visiting there two weeks, home.

Mrs. A. E. Foster, Becky and Linda, and R. F. Couch went to Corsicana Sunday to attend a family reunion. Miss Patty Wright, formerly of Talco, accompanied them home to spend the week with Becky.

Mrs. V. J. Rollins went to Tyler Saturday to attend a birthday party honoring John Stevie Shaffer, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Shaffer. It was his seventh birthday. Mrs. Rollins has attended all seven birthday celebrations.

The J. D. Funderburks had as guests over the week end Mr. Funderburk's sisters, Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Lewis and two children of Pasadena and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Teters and two children of New Boston. Douglas Teters remained for a longer visit with Dale and Bobbie Funderburk.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Griggs went to Bryan over the week end to visit Mr. Griggs' sister, Mrs. C. R. Schmidt and bring Eddie home, who had been visiting there. They also went to Houston and visited the Pat Pattersons and C. N. Hunt Jr.s., all formerly of Talco. Masters Jimmie and Butch Hunt accompanied Odell Morrisons and other friends here this week.

HE WAS TRAPPED

A certain man, while walking through the countryside, was caught in a downpour of rain. He looked around for shelter and at last crawled into a hollow tree. He was there for several hours and then he realized he was trapped. The rain had caused the trunk to swell and the opening by which he had entered was growing smaller by the minute. Soon he was in imminent danger of death. As with a drowning man, his past life flashed before his eyes. He saw what a self-centered man he had been and what a useless life he had led. He now felt so small that he crawled out through the opening with ease and led a useful life thereafter.

JUST LIKE A MAN

A newly made widow called at the insurance company office for the money due on her late husband's policy. The manager said, "I'm very sorry, madam, to hear of your loss."

"That's just like you men," she snapped. "Always sorry when a poor woman gets a chance to make a little money."

Bogata Football Star Joins Colts At Baltimore

All-American John Davis got only a 24-hour glimpse of his home town last week end, then shoved off for the pro football wars.

Davis, an All-American end at Paris Junior College and two years a regular with the Tennessee Volunteers, flew in Saturday from Fort Benning, Ga. He had just spent six weeks in ROTC training there.

Then the husky Bogata native boarded another plane at 8:47 a. m. Sunday for Baltimore, Md., where he joined the Baltimore Colts of the National Football League later in the day.

Full-scale workouts for the Colts began Monday. Davis, a six-foot-one 190-pounder, signed with Baltimore last spring after completing his final season with Tennessee.

While in Bogata, Davis visited his mother, Mrs. Jessie Davis and his brother, Quinon Davis. Townfolks dropped by to offer their good luck in his pro football venture and Davis found time to play a game of softball with a town team later Saturday.

Davis, who had trouble talking the coach out of a uniform at Bogata High, gained his first football fame at Paris Junior College. There he played two seasons and was All-Big Six Conference and All-American, leading the circuit in scoring and passing his sophomore year of 1950.

Tennessee lured Davis there after he watched the Volunteers play in the 1951 Cotton Bowl, and he went right into the starting line-up.

Bogata is proud of its first pro football lad who will, we know, make good with the Baltimore Colts, as he has done in all his undertakings. John Tate has a wonderful personality, a gift for meeting and making friends wherever he goes.

STYLISH GARBAGE

Mrs. Newlyrich secured the services of a colored maid. After several days she noticed that the maid was taking home all the grapefruit skins. "Ruby," she said, "surely you don't eat those peelings?"

"No, ma'am," responded Ruby, "I takes 'em home because they sho' do make my garbage look stylish."

BOUGHT THEIR OWN

Two fleas fell in love, and one lovely June day they got married.

Young, industrious and ambitious, the fleas worked hard and saved their money. They sacrificed fun to assure the future. One day they counted their money and were overjoyed to find they'd saved five dollars.

"If we can save five, we can save ten," they agreed, so they continued their thrift. They toiled, economized and planned, spurning the frivolous pleasure of other fleas. Finally came the day when their savings totaled ten dollars.

That day they went out and bought their own dog.

Some Texas cities have already begun to economize on water. On the other hand, Longview encourages the use of water to preserve the flowers and shrubs of the city.

ROASTERS RAISE PRICES OF COFFEE

New York.—Most major roasters across the country have raised wholesale prices of coffee by 3 cents a pound, it was learned Friday.

The increases reflect rising prices on the coffee futures market. Futures are up around 6 cents a pound because of reports of heavy frost damage to the next Brazilian coffee crop.

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**Shower in Honor
The Duane Welchs**

A miscellaneous shower in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Duane Welch was held at the Humble Recreation Hall July 27 from 7:30 until 9:30. Mrs. Welch was the former Patricia Hanson of Bogata. Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Riley Gibson, Mrs. Fred Coker, Mrs. J. J. Nelson, Mrs. Lillian Broughton and Mrs. J. R. Sloan.

In the receiving line were Mrs. Duane Welch, Mrs. Roger Hanson, mother of the bride and Mrs. W. E. Welch, mother of the groom. The bride's chosen colors of blue and yellow were used in the decorations and the refreshments. The tea table was laid with a hand-crocheted table cloth over blue, centered with an arrangement of blue carnations and white althea in a crystal bowl, flanked by crystal candleholders with white tapers. Yellow napkins were used, bearing the honorees' names in blue. Yellow fruit punch and white cake squares iced in blue were served to the guests by Mrs. Riley Gibson.

Mrs. Fred Coker registered the guests in the white leather brides book. Her table was covered with a hand-crocheted cloth and centered with a miniature bride and groom. The bride was presented a beautiful corsage of blue carnations.

The gift table was covered with madeira cutwork and lace tablecloths over blue and yellow. Mrs. J. J. Nelson and Mrs. Lillian Broughton assisted with the gifts. Spring flowers placed at vantage points completed the decorations of the hall.

During the evening Mrs. Duane Welch, an accomplished pianist, rendered several piano selections at the request of guests.

Guests from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harbor, G. C. Gray, Mt. Pleasant; Mr. and Mrs. Roger Hanson, Mrs. E. W. King and Miss Jimmy Lou Smith of Bogata.

Many beautiful and useful gifts were received from the 126 names registered in the bride's book.

**Bridal Shower for
Mrs. Weldon Brown**

Mrs. Marion McAfee, Mrs. Claud Boyd and Mrs. Claude Jasper were hostesses at a surprise bridal shower for Mrs. Weldon Brown at the home of Mrs. Marion McAfee. Mrs. Claud Boyd registered the guests and Mrs. McAfee and Mrs. Jasper served punch and angel food squares topped with white icing. The rooms were beautifully decorated with white gladioli.

Guests attending were Mrs. Nora Brown, Mrs. D. E. Howard, Mrs. E. L. McAfee, Mrs. Ora Stephenson, Mrs. Gable Crawford, Mrs. R. A. Henderson, Mrs. C. M. Fitch, Mrs. Roy Lilley, Mrs. J. J. Nelson, Mrs. George Burleson, Mrs. J. W. Via, and Miss Gable Gene McFerrin; Mrs. Abbie Wade, Mrs. Ruby Glass and Miss Ada Stephenson of Mt. Pleasant, Mrs. George Wims of Mt. Vernon and Mrs. A. H. Arnold of Bridges Chapel.

Those sending gifts were Mrs. Lorena McFerrin, Mrs. M. C. Bean, Mrs. George Keeling, Mrs. Orin Williams, Mrs. Lloyd Gauntt, Mrs. E. E. Nugent, Mrs. M. E. Jones, Mrs. Clarence Smith, Mrs. M. M. Sikes, Mrs. Roger Hood, Mrs. Ellis Harris, Mrs. R. L. Clark, Mrs. Howard Sullivan, Mrs. Claud Parr, Mrs. Troy Rhoades, Mrs. Janie Brown, Mrs. Morris Brown, Mrs. Drue Matlock, Mrs. Dan Seay, Mrs. E. W. Henry, Mrs. S. A. Tidwell, Mrs. Edmond Brown, Mrs. Elton Welch, Mrs. P. O. Wilhite, Mrs. Elsie Kelley, Mrs. S. F. Worthington, Mrs. J. R. Poston, Mrs. Coy Blessengame, Mrs. Oscar Goodloe, Mrs. Lester Poage, Mrs. N. B. Davis and Miss Sue Brown.

**COFFEE CLUB HOLDS
ENJOYABLE MEETING**

The Coffee Club met July 24 with Mrs. J. T. Goodroe. After business was attended to all enjoyed a social hour. Attending were: Irma Bowman, Lena Kelley, Ida Welch and the hostess. The next meeting will be with Thelma Kelley.

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**NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR
THE RE-ALLOCATION OF
COUNTY TAXES**

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF TITUS

To the Resident Qualified Property Taxpaying Voters of Titus County, Texas:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held on the 15th day of August, 1953, in said County, in obedience to an order duly entered by the Commissioners Court on the 13th day of July, 1953, which is as follows:

On this the 13th day of July, 1953, the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas, convened in regular session, at the regular meeting place thereof in the Courthouse at Mt. Pleasant, Texas, with the following members of the Court, to-wit:

Harry Taylor, County Judge,
Hollie Banks, Commissioner Precinct No. 1,
J. Q. Roper, Commissioner Precinct No. 2,
Eugene Mankins, Commissioner Precinct No. 3,
J. R. Ponder, Commissioner Precinct No. 4, being present, and, among other proceedings had by the Court were the following:

Commissioner Ponder introduced an order and moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Roper. The motion, carrying with it the adoption of the order, prevailed by the following vote:

AYES: Commissioner, Banks, Roper, Ponder, Mankins;
NOES: Commissioners None.

The order is as follows:
WHEREAS, at the general election held throughout the State of Texas on November 7, 1944, the qualified electors of the State, voting on the proposition, approved the amendment to Section 9, or Article 8, of the Texas Constitution, which amendment provides that the Commissioners Court in any county may re-allocate the county tax levies authorized in Section 9 of Article 8, by changing the rates provided for any of the purposes authorized in said Section by either increasing or decreasing the same, but in no event shall the total of such taxes exceed Eighty (80c) Cents on the one hundred dollars' valuation for any one year, provided that before the Commissioners Court may make such re-allocations and changes in such levies the same shall be submitted to the qualified property taxpaying voters of such county, at a general or special election; and in event such re-allocations and changes are approved by a majority of the qualified property taxpaying voters

of any such county, such re-allocations and changes shall remain in force and effect for a period of six (6) years from the date of the election at which same shall have been approved, unless the same again shall have been changed by a majority of the qualified taxpaying voters of such county, voting on the proposition; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas, deems it advisable and to the best interest of said County to re-allocate the county taxes authorized by Section 9, Article 8, of the Constitution, by changing the rates in respect to certain county taxes as herein provided:

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED BY THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF TITUS COUNTY, TEXAS:

That a special election be held in said County on the 15th day of August, 1953, which is not less than thirty (30) days from the date of the adoption of this order, at which election the following proposition shall be submitted to the qualified property taxpaying voters, who own taxable property in said County and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, for their action thereupon:

"Shall the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas, be authorized to levy and collect in each year for a period of six (6) years from the date of said election, county taxes as follows:

Not exceeding thirty three Cents (33c) on the \$100.00 valuation, in any one year, for County purposes;

Not exceeding twenty six Cents (26c) on the \$100.00 valuation, in any one year, for roads and bridges;

Not exceeding four Cents (4c) on the \$100.00 valuation, in any one year, to supplement the jury fund of the County; and

Not exceeding seventeen Cents (17c) on the \$100.00 valuation, in any one year, for the erection

of public buildings and other permanent improvements."

In the event that the annual levy of a tax not exceeding fifteen (15c) cents on the one hundred dollars' valuation for the further maintenance of the public roads of said County has heretofore been or shall hereafter be, authorized by a majority of the qualified property taxpaying voters of the County, voting at an election held for that purpose, nothing herein shall be construed as rescinding or in any manner affecting the power and authority of the Commissioners Court to levy and to continue to levy said tax.

The said election shall be held under the provisions of the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas, particularly amended Section 3a, Article 6 of the Constitution, and all persons who are legally qualified voters of said County, who are resident taxpayers who own taxable property in said County and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be entitled to vote at said election.

The ballots for said election shall have written or printed thereon the following:

"FOR RE-ALLOCATION OF COUNTY TAXES."

"AGAINST RE-ALLOCATION OF COUNTY TAXES."

Each voter shall mark out with black ink or black pencil one of the above expressions, thus leaving the other as indicating his or her vote.

The polling places and presiding officers of said election shall be respectively as follows:

Box No. 1—Voting Place, S. W. Mt. Pleasant; O. L. Crigler, Presiding Officer.

Box No. 2—Voting Place, Green Hill; John Johnson, Presiding Officer.

Box No. 3—Voting Place, Marshall Springs; R. W. McCollum, Presiding Officer.

Box No. 4—Voting Place, Monticello; Charles Taylor, Presiding Officer.

Box No. 5—Voting Place, Maple Springs; Clarence Harris, Presiding Officer.

Box No. 6—Voting Place, Cookville; Morris Barrier, Presiding Officer.

Box No. 7—Voting Place, Hickory Hill; P. C. Lassiter, Presiding Officer.

Box No. 8—Voting Place, N. E. Mt. Pleasant; T. C. Walker, Presiding Officer.

Box No. 9—Voting Place, Talco; Miss Beulah Smith, Presiding Officer.

Box No. 10—Voting Place, Argo; J. M. Bell, Presiding Officer.

Box No. 11—Voting Place, Winfield; A. P. King, Presiding Officer.

Box No. 12—Voting Place, Lone Star; Charlie Gilbreath, Presiding Officer.

Box No. 13—Voting Place, N. W. Mt. Pleasant; Arney Winton, Presiding Officer.

Box No. 14—Voting Place, S. E. Mt. Pleasant; Buster Holcomb, Presiding Officer.

Box No. 15—Voting Place, North Mt. Pleasant; C. C. Hinson, Presiding Officer.

Absentee Box, H. T. Darby.

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws of the State regulating general elections.

A copy of this order, signed by the County Judge of said County, and certified to by the County Clerk of said County shall serve as proper and sufficient notice of said election.

Notice of said election shall be given by posting a copy of this order at the top of which shall appear the words "NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR THE RE-ALLOCATION OF COUNTY TAXES," at the Courthouse door of said County, and in each of the election precincts of said County for thirty (30) days prior to the election, which notices shall be posted by the Sheriff or a constable, who shall make return on a copy of such notice, how and when he executed the same.

Notice of said election shall also be given by publication thereof in a newspaper published in Titus County, once each week for three consecutive weeks, the date of first publication being not less than twenty-one (21) full days prior to the date of said election.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED, this the 13th day of July, 1953.

HARRY TAYLOR
County Judge
HOLLIE BANKS
Commissioner Precinct No. 1.
J. Q. ROPER
Commissioner Precinct No. 2.
EUGENE MANKINS
Commissioner Precinct No. 3.
J. R. PONDER
Commissioner Precinct No.

STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF TITUS

I, the undersigned authority, Clerk of the County Court and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners Court of said County, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of an order passed by said Commissioners Court on the 13th day of July, 1953, and of the minutes pertaining to its adoption, as said order appears on record in Vol. 8, Page 228 of the Minutes of said Court.

WITNESS MY HAND and the seal of the Commissioners Court, this the 13th day of July, 1953.

(SEAL) J. H. RUDD
Clerk of the County Court and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners Court of Titus County, Texas.

JUNIOR INTERPRETATION

The Lord's Prayer is the most perfect of all prayers, but it has had to withstand a great deal of mumbling and confusion, especially from children trying to learn it from poor enunciators or from muttering crowds.

One little boy was heard to pray: "Harold be Thy name."

Another begged: "Give us this day our jelly bread."

A New York child petitioned: "Lead us not into Penn Station."

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible Study—Sunday 9:45 a. m.
Worship service—10:50 a. m.
Young people's classes—7 p. m.
Worship service—8 p. m.
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LOCAL NEWS

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

Mrs. U. L. Medlin is a patient in a Paris hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Tidwell visited in Deport Tuesday.

Miss Joan Calloway is visiting relatives in Natchitoches, La.

Mrs. Lloyd Gauntt and Carolyn visited in Dallas Friday and Saturday.

Former band director Baylor White of Terrell, visited here recently.

Johnny Lilley is visiting his sister, Mrs. Merle Hooper and family in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Coker visited Mr. Coker's parents in Bryans Mill recently.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. J. Fling of Commerce, visited Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Wilhite, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Kelley and V. E. Welch attended homecoming at Cuthand church.

Wayne Pittman of Cushing, arrived recently to visit his brother, Mack Pittman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Baker Birdwell, recently of Dallas, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Towler.

Miss Clara Ruth Hoffpauir is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harver Mask and family in Ft. Smith, Ark.

Noel Kelley of Paris, came Saturday for a visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Kelley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hughes and Gaylon visited friends here and their daughter in Deport last week.

Mrs. W. W. Richeson and Gene were able to leave a Paris hospital Tuesday after several days treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Lewis and daughters returned from their vacation and went to Maud to visit relatives.

Cato Jones is visiting his cousin, David Cato in Carrollton and other relatives in Carrollton and Ft. Worth.

Mrs. R. A. Henderson visited relatives in Corsicana and Mrs. O. B. Walton of Tyler, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert English and children of Gainesville, visited Mrs. English's sister, Mrs. Kyle Munn and family.

Mrs. Lizzie Tapp, who has been visiting her son, Melvin Tapp and family in Dallas, returned home Sunday.

Frankie and Freddie Stephenson are visiting their cousin, J. T. Stephenson and family in Mt. Sylvia community.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jones have moved into their new, modern home just completed in North Talco, near the school building.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Presley of Mt. Pleasant, were recent guests of their sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Welch.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Gibson and children of Picton, visited Tuesday with Mrs. Gibson's cousin, Mrs. Chas. Hawkins and family.

Glen King of Houston, arrived Tuesday for a short visit with his mother, Mrs. Wm. King and his sister, Mrs. M. C. Bean and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Jones visited Mr. Jones' very close friend of World War II, Orville Frye, Mrs. Frye and Jan in Hugo, Sunday.

Mrs. Sarah Butler returned to her home in Oklahoma City Tuesday after a visit with her sister-in-law, Miss Katharine Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hoffman and Sherry attended the funeral of Mr. Hoffman's grandmother, Mrs. W. E. Elms in Gilmer, Friday.

A daughter who has been named Connie Jo, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Don Ward in a Mt. Pleasant hospital Wednesday of last week.

Misses Nancy and Kathy Wilhite of Houston, arrived Saturday to spend a week or ten days with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Wilhite.

After visiting Mrs. E. L. Miller and Mrs. Sally Gage, Miss Frances Harper and Mrs. Cleila Banister have returned to their homes in Dallas.

P. Clark McPherson, high school principal, announces preschool registration of seniors on Aug. 10 through Aug. 14 from 8 a. m. to 12 p. m.

Mrs. Reagan Pyle and son, Donald of Oklahoma City, visited friends on their return from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hall in Louisiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Forris Brown and Mrs. Brown's two nieces visited his mother, Mrs. A. O. Brown, and his brother, Farris Brown and family, the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Wright and children spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. J. R. Wright, in Idabel, Ok. Mrs. Wright accompanied them home for a visit.

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lilley Sr. were their son, Roy Lilley Jr. and Mrs. Lilley of Lufkin and Mr. Lilley's nephew, Don Lockwood of Tulsa, Okla.

Mrs. Lucy Walls visited her brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Walls in Dallas, her brother, Mat Petty and Mrs. Petty in Novice and other relatives.

Mrs. W. H. Crawford and Mrs. A. H. Arnold took Mrs. Lorena McFerrin and Gabie Gene to Cookville to attend Mrs. McFerrin's father, R. A. Davis, who is ill.

Mrs. Faye Pack, who has been stationed with her husband in Ft. Lewis, Wash., is here with her mother, Mrs. Thelma Tarpley, while her husband serves his overseas duty.

Mrs. Elsie Lou France, senior elementary education major, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mollie Little, Rt. 1, Talco, is attending the second term of summer session at ETSC.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Vickers visited relatives in Maud through the week end. Mrs. Vickers' niece, Miss Myrel Rogers, accompanied them home for a week with them and her aunt, Mrs. W. T. Lewis and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Winn, W. L. Cox and G. M. Burnham went to Cowley, La., Thursday evening. Messrs. Winn, Cox, Burnham and H. R. Perdue, Mrs. Winn's brother, fished Friday while Mrs. Winn visited Mrs. Perdue and children. They returned home Saturday.

Week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Taylor were their daughter, Mrs. Wayne Bridges and Mr. Bridges of Dallas, Mr. Taylor's brother, C. F. Taylor of Houston; their niece, Miss Shirley Alexander of Shreveport; Mrs. Taylor's brother, J. R. Dillard and a niece, Mrs. Frances Carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Thompson and two children moved last week to Winnsboro to their home where they lived before moving to Talco. Mr. Thompson will continue to manage the Hall Lumber & Material Co. here and also the yard at Winnsboro.

Four Talco residents are included among 1200 students enrolled at ETSC the second six weeks of the summer session. Included, according to news service files, are Mrs. Zelma P. Poston, Mrs. Loreta Couch Foster, Janie Wilson and James Bowie.

Miss Marie Reed left Sunday to visit friends in Houston for a few days. Miss Jackie Winn accompanied her to Conroe to visit her aunt, Mrs. Kenyon Eaton and family. Before returning home she will visit another aunt, Mrs. Dorr and family in San Antonio.

Mrs. C. E. Davidson of Deport and daughters, Mrs. James Gibson of Bogata, and Mrs. James Clyde Watson of Talco, left Tuesday for Pasadena to attend Mrs. Davidson's sister, Mrs. J. H. Hancock, who is ill in a hospital there.

Mrs. A. R. Cole and Mrs. Lewis O'Shields took Miss Patsy Cole back to Little Rock, Ark., after she had spent her vacation here with her parents and Mrs. O'Shields. While in Little Rock, Mrs. Cole and Mrs. O'Shields visited their son and brother, A. R. Cole and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Coker went to Grandview Saturday to spend a few days with their daughter, Mrs. Paris Reece and Mr. Reece. Monday they were called to a

Naples hospital to attend Mr. Coker's father, who was seriously ill. Mrs. Reece accompanied them to Naples but returned to Grandview Tuesday.

Jo Ann Hestand of Talco High School will appear under the baton of Frank Simon, noted band director, in a special concert by high school musicians from throughout Texas at Southwest Texas State Teachers College at San Marcos Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Bennett and children of Houston, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bennett. His sister, Miss Vera Bennett, who had been visiting them for a month, accompanied them home. Troy Bennett and family of Overton, also spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Bennett.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Truman Wright Tuesday, Aug. 4 in a Mt. Pleasant hospital. He has been named Rickey Stratton. His paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wright of Talco and his maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Stratton of Bogata.

Week end visitors in the J. A. Jones home were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Randle and children of Houston, Mrs. Sue Roberts and children, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Wilson, Helen Mercer and daughter, Carol, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Gossett and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Baply of Mt. Pleasant and Mr. and Mrs. Dee Florid of Pewitt Ranch.

Mrs. J. H. Barger, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Barger, J. W. Barger and Shelby Barger returned Sunday from a visit with Mr. Barger in a veterans hospital in Denver, Colo. Mr. Barger has been in the Denver hospital since May and at the time of entrance was scheduled for two years. His family report that he is progressing satisfactorily.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank May of Corpus Christi, announce the birth of a daughter, Linda Gail, on July 22. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Cole of Talco and Mr. and Mrs. Doyce Davis of Mt. Pleasant. Mr. and Mrs. Cole, Miss Patsy Cole and Mrs. Lewis O'Shields returned from Corpus Christi Tuesday after a visit with the May family.

Talco Activities Ten Years Ago

Week of August 6, 1943

Albert Bailey had been inducted into the navy.

Pfc. Joe Bob Temples of Gulfport, Miss., was spending his furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Temples.

Sailor Leon Lindsey had been transferred to Memphis, Tenn., for entrance into a school for naval aviation radio work.

C. C. Holden, former athletic coach for Talco schools, had been inducted into the navy.

Cpl. Joe Temples, stationed at San Antonio, in the ground air force, was visiting his parents.

Joe Franklin Mitchell had graduated after nine weeks of basic pilot training at Chico Army Air Field, California, and was on his way to advanced school, the final phase of training before winning his wings.

Ernestine Brown, age 17 years (colored) had drowned in White Oak creek.

James M. Tulley, age 69, had died at his home in Dike.

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A daughter, Anzy Laverne, had been born to Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Buchanan.

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- \$149.00 Blond Double Dresser, Bar Bed, Solid Oak, Plate Mirror **\$129**
- \$239.00 Mengel Double Dresser, Bar Bed, Genuine Mahogany, Top Quality **\$199**
- \$239.00 Mengel Double Dresser, Bar Bed, Tawny Walnut. A Real Beauty **\$199**
- \$249.00 Colonial Double Dresser, Bed and Stand, Knotty Pine, Superb Quality, Style. **\$199**
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 - \$199.00 2-pe Modern Living Room Suite, New Lurex Upholstery, Choice Colors. **\$169**
 - \$239.00 2-pe Modern Living Room Suite, Red Mohair, 6-inch Fringe, Latex Padding **\$199**
 - \$299.00 2-pe Crescent Shape Living Room Suite, Green Mohair Frieze, Latex Padding **\$259**
 - \$269.00 Lawson Sofa, Kick-pleat Trim, Matelasse Cover, Decorator Colors **\$229**
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- \$199.00 2-piece Modern Couch Suite, New Lurex Cover, Latex Padding **\$169**
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Alcorn Favors New Meat Tenderizer Thinks He Could Use It Elsewhere

Editor's note: Achin Alcorn, philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Sulphur, probably is assuming too much power for the latest evidence of scientific progress.

Dear Editor: You can't always tell how far ahead of his times a man is just by looking at him.

Take me out here on this grown-up-in-weeds - and - Johnson-grass place. You'd think that by looking around I was at least twenty-five years behind the times, but there's nothing to it. I may be twenty-five years behind in my work, that's true, but I do not intend to stay that way; a year from now I'll be twenty-six years behind, the year after that, twenty-seven. I believe in progress. It's people who stand still that's holdin' this country back.

Yet you can't always judge by appearances. Take my cattle. Lots of people have poked fun at my cows, on account of they look sorry, and up to now maybe they

have been sort of sorry, and I'll admit I haven't seen any cafes with menus advertising Jersey Steer T-Bone Steaks, but I read last night where a couple of men have invented a process for tenderizin meat, and under this new system it may be hard to tell a Jersey steer steak from a Kansas City four-dollar number. Under this process, as I understand it, all you do is sprinkle the meat with this atomic dust or whatever it is and a stringy roast, the kind a dog would tire out his jaw muscles on tryin' to handle, becomes as tender as the right side of a high-priced T-bone.

Of course, my production-per-animal out here may not be so great as it is with these registered cows, the per-pounds-per-acre of pasture may not be so big, the growth-per-day may not be so fast, but in the final analysis when I sit down to a steak it ain't much concern of mine how long it took the thing to reach my plate or how many miles the calf had to walk to find enough grass to grow up on. Just give me elbow room and keep the salt, pepper and the bottle of tenderizer handy, is all I ask.

However, I ain't too hopeful yet. Some bird is liable to throw a monkey wrench in the thing somewhere, or cows are liable to catch on and develop an immunity to the tenderizer, but I don't intend to change the whole cattle program out here until the thing has been tested out fully, which will take years.

I hope it works, and if it does there may be other fields of endeavor where it might be applied. For example, there are times when a little tenderizer, sprinkled on a banker, would be just the thing to help swing a loan. There are merchants who have a tendency to clamp down on my credit, and if this new dope works on one of my cows, it'll work on anything. Looks like it's going to beat catsup all to pieces. Yours faithfully, A. A.

Induction Board Takes Four Men

Four registrants were forwarded by the Clarksville Board to the Main Station in Dallas on July 22, for induction. They are Paul Wayne Landrith, Royce Dee Hammett, John Dan Watkins and Edward Wendell Harris, all of Clarksville.

JOHNTOWN

By MRS. G. A. VAUGHAN
Mr. and Mrs. James L. Watts visited their son, Dale Watts and family at Longview and attended the first birthday party of their granddaughter, Marque.

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Vaughan has recently been repainted, the paint and labor being a Father's day gift from his two sons, J. H. and L. M. Vaughan.

Visitors in the John Roach home Sunday included Mrs. Bob Pope of Talco and Rev. Lanier of Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Vaughan visited their son, Bob Vaughan and family of Halesboro, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pirtle spent Sunday at Greenville with their daughter, Mrs. Tommy Cecil and family. Her mother, Mrs. Joe Sims, who had visited there the past week, returned home with them.

Mrs. Donald Clifton and sons, Mike and Eddie of Bogata, visited Mrs. Dan Cotton and sons, Larry and Danny, Tuesday evening.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ocie Mauldin at the Lamar General Hospital in Paris on Tuesday, July 28. Mrs. Mauldin, who has been in a critical condition, is reported improved.

Charlie Vaughan Morris of Dallas, spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. D. A. Baxter and Mr. Baxter.

Mrs. Jerry Dodd, who has been ill at her home, is able to be up.

Relatives here have received announcement of the marriage of Mrs. Juarita Miller to A. J. Weisengulf of Colorado Springs, Colo.

Jim Williams, who has been employed in Michigan, has returned to his home here.

Robbie McCuller of Talco, was a dinner guest Sunday in the Earl Hawkins home. In the afternoon he and Miss Janice Hawkins joined in Talco by Mr. and Mrs. Elton Belcher, motored to Daingerfield for a picnic and swimming.

A good attendance was reported Saturday night at the opening service of the revival beginning at the Johntown Baptist Church.

H. L. Shoffner, principal of the school here the past two years, has accepted a position in the elementary school at Talco.

Avret Smith suffered a sudden illness Friday while at work, thought to be food poisoning, after eating a packed lunch. He was brought to the home of his mother, Mrs. T. W. Smith, where

a doctor was called. He is reported improving.

Mrs. W. L. Stringfellow and sons, Ronnie and Buddy of Kilgore, visited Mrs. T. A. York over the week end. Her son, Jimmy, who has been visiting relatives here, returned home with them.

Doug Hawkins, who has been visiting in the W. L. Stringfellow home at Kilgore, returned home Saturday.

M. J. Dodd, employed at New Orleans, visited his family here over the week end.

Visitors in the G. A. Vaughan home over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Vaughan and children, Steve and Debbie of Brenham.

Miss Eleanor Vaughan returned home Friday night after a week's visit in the J. H. Vaughan home at Sherman.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hawkins and children, Kay and Roger, and Mrs. H. C. Hawkins returned to their homes in Corpus Christi after a week's visit with relatives here. Avret Lynn Vaughan returned home with them, where he hopes to find employment.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Wilson spent the week end with relatives here and at Bogata. Jerry Rhoades, son of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Rhoades, returned home after a month's visit in the Wiltson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Pirtle and son, Mike of Dallas, visited relatives here and at Bogata over the week end.

Miss Mary Dryden and Miss Syble Bond, who are students at a business school in Dallas, visited their home folks over the week end attended services at the Johntown Baptist Church, Sunday.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Dryden has received a new paint job the past week and the addition of a front porch.

Mrs. Grady Rhodes was hostess Friday at her home for a pink and blue shower, honoring Mrs. Joe Norris Woodall.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jones and son, Ronnie of Commerce, visited recently in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Black.

Granvill Sale of Paris, is visiting relatives here.

There's no soothing the savage beast

Naples, Italy.—David Tongi, a lion tamer, entered a lion's cage at a circus here when a furious fight broke out between a jealous lioness and her mate.

He could not separate the maddened beasts and when the fight was over he had to shoot the dying lioness, Brescia. She had attacked Pasha because of his attentions to a new arrival, a sleek, beautiful lioness named Messalina.

Crosby Must Pay Inheritance Tax One Million

Hollywood. — Bing Crosby is having to sell his race horses, two estates, stocks and possibly some cattle to scrape together enough cash to pay a \$1,000,000 inheritance tax.

The crooner is one of the richest potentates of the Plaster City, but his fortune is tied up in properties. When it comes to collecting dollars, he's as strapped as many a less well-heeled citizen.

The tax came due after the recent death of his wife, Dixie.

Under California community property laws, half of their wealth was hers. She left it to Bing and their four boys. In order to keep half, they have to pay an inheritance tax that "is close to \$1,000,000."

The world's most famous singer has put on the market his Holmby Hills mansion. So far, no takers. You have to have five permanent servants for the vast place just to keep the door open.

A citizen with a fat bankroll also has a chance to buy the Crosby estate at Pebble Beach, Calif., south of San Francisco. The Crosby clan spent many a summer there, near Bing's Pebble Beach golf course.

Sixty-five race horses owned by Bing and Sportsman Lin Howard go on sale at Hollywood Park race track and at their stables at Suburban Moorpark.

Dixie's death is costing Bing \$1,000,000 because she wasn't properly insured, Larry said.

"A husband and wife should insure each other," said Larry. "Then when they're settling an estate they've got something to take care of that inheritance tax. Dixie had a little personal insurance, but that was all."

It is possible, but not probable, that a President and Vice-President of the United States may be elected from the same state.

Titus Fair Dates Set August 24-29

The Titus County Fair will be held August 24 through 29. Three livestock shows will be featured.

The dairy show will be Wednesday, August 26, and the division is headed by Raymond Brown. The Angus show and sale will be on Thursday, August 27, with Dr. N. C. Ralston heading that division. C. E. Gaddis is in charge of the Hereford division, and their show and sale will be Friday, August 28.

According to Arnold Anderson, president of the Titus County Fair Association, \$1,500 prize money will be awarded among the three divisions.

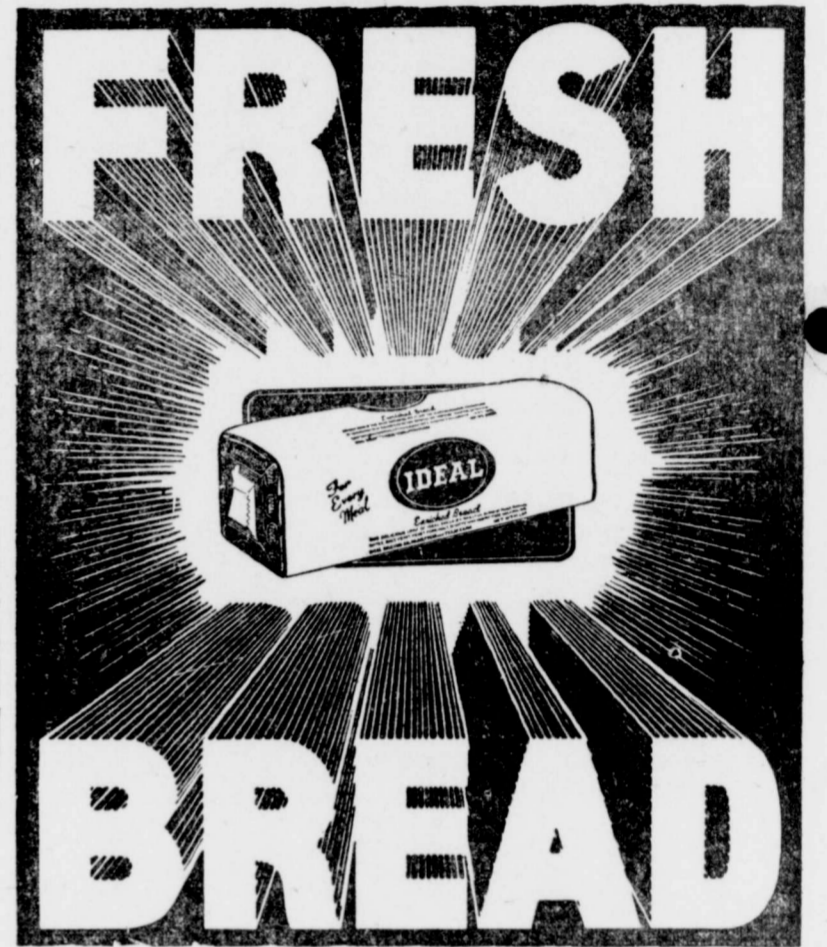
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- 1950 Ford Pickup. Heater Good Tires. Clean \$695
- 1941 Ford 4-Door Sedan. Radio. Heater. New finish, and seat covers \$345
- 1941 Plymouth Tudor. Extra clean. Good tires \$295
- 1941 Pontiac Coupe. Good tires. Runs out extra well \$245
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