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## William Blakley Enters Race For U. S. Senator

William A. Blakley of Dallas, Tuesday entered the race for United States Senate.

The former interim Senator's action ended what was becoming a desperate search by conservative Democrats for a strong candidate.

Blakley will seek the junior Senator place now occupied by Sen. Ralph W. Yarborough of Austin.

Yarborough has not yet announced whether or not he will run a full 6-year term in the Senate. He has hinted that he might run for Governor instead.

Blakley served in the Senate for four months last year. He was appointed to serve temporarily, by outgoing Gov. Allan Shivers, in the place vacated by Price Daniel to become Governor. A special election was called and Yarborough won. Blakley was not a candidate.

The Blakley candidacy will attract not only those loyal to the conservative leadership of former Governor Shivers, but also the moderate faction that backs Sen. Lyndon B. Johnson. Shivers and Johnson were bitter political rivals in the fight for control of the state Democratic convention two years ago. But they will be together in support of Blakley. Johnson has called Blakley one of the best influences for Texas ever seen in the Senate in his day. Blakley has supported both Johnson and Shivers in past campaigns.

The decision to enter the race, evidently reached this week after Blakley previously had indicated he wanted to remain a private citizen, came as unexpected but joyful news to many conservative Democrats.

## Hawkins Elected Asst. Superintendent Magnolia School

High School Principal C. W. Hawkins, whose contract was not renewed for the 1958-59 school year, has been elected assistant superintendent in the Magnolia Independent School District at Magnolia. His duties begin Aug. 1.

Mr. Hawkins has been employed in the Talco school system nine years. He taught high school history four years, was elementary principal one year and high school principal four years.

Mrs. Hawkins was offered a position in the school, but refused on account of her children, but promised to do substitute teaching if she could get a good nurse maid.

## Mt. Vernon Well Is Light Pumper

Final gauge on pump is being awaited for F. R. Jackson and S. H. Killingsworth No. 1 L. C. Moore, Anna Willis survey, indicated Petty lime find two miles east of Mount, Vernon. Initial swabbing after acid treatment through perforations at 7,010-24 got eight to 10 barrels of oil an hour.

In Bowie County hole has been bottomed at 9,719 and cased to 9,236 for testing in the Smackover at Sunray Mid-Continent Oil Company No. 1 J. C. Burgess, E. T. Jackson survey, two miles southeast of Maud. This is an old well which Sunray quit last December at 9,164 and recently re-entered. Before work was quit last year, a stem test at 9,090-106 got free oil along with some sulphur water indication.

Application to drill has been made by I&L Development Co. Martin Stiles No. 1 in the J. Wagley Survey one and a half miles northeast of Annona, Red River County. Proposed depth, 2,500 feet.

## Honor Ernest Smith On His Birthday

Ernest W. Smith was honored Monday night, April 7 by his wife and the Humble sales dept. men and their wives with a surprise party in his home. The dining table was covered with a white linen cloth and centered with an arrangement of white irises in a low green Japanese bowl. White roses and red japonica floated at the base of the irises and brightly colored silk butterflies were perched here and there among them.

When the guests arrived, Mrs. Smith presented her husband with a large white cake, decorated in green and yellow with lighted green candles. The group sang "Happy Birthday" to Ernest and the old tradition of making a wish and blowing out all the candles at once was accomplished while home movies were being made. After serving cake, coffee and cold drinks, home movies that were made at another party of the same group were enjoyed.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Burkham, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Akin and Jeff, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Daniels, Linda, Mike, Cindy, all of Mt. Pleasant. W. R. Killian, who was in the hospital, sent his good wishes with those of his wife.

Sgt. and Mrs. Roy L. Worthy Jr., Lee and Elva of Arlington, visited Mrs. Nora Williams and Wanda, Saturday and Sunday. They were enroute to Bedford, Va., where he will be stationed with the Air Force.

## Final Gin Report Issued for 1957

Final figures on cotton ginned from the crop of 1957 have been released by the Department of Commerce. Weather losses in the harvest season reduced ginnings to a figure below the previous year in Red River County. At the start of picking it was generally conceded the crop was larger than produced in 1956, when drought damage was extensive.

Figures by counties in Northeast Texas ginned from the crop of 1957, with comparative figures for the crop of 1956, were reported officially as follows:

County	1957	1956
Bowie	2,652	7,174
Cass	2,007	3,159
Delta	21,432	13,556
Fannin	25,035	20,131
Harrison	3,432	3,353
Hopkins	6,866	5,563
Lamar	27,717	20,692
Red River	10,873	11,767

## Magnolia Ladies Club Meeting

Magnolia Ladies Club met at the Safety Chapel on Thursday, April 3. A social hour was enjoyed by the group with refreshments being served by the hostesses for April, Mrs. J. E. Stanley and Mrs. Fred Coker. Others attending were Mmes. R. H. Achley, Bill Cockrell, J. H. Lewis and C. B. Barnore of Mt. Pleasant, Mmes. R. M. Lewis, Roy Beasley, H. F. Teague, H. M. Mc Masters, Dan Cotter and Lisa, L. Reed and Reed McGonagill, M. J. Spruell, V. P. Gibson.

The next meeting will be on May 1 with Mrs. C. B. Barnore and Mrs. R. H. Achley as hostesses.

## CPS Safety-Sales Meet at Deport

Employees of Community Public Service Co. in this district gathered Tuesday at the Deport office for a monthly safety meeting. Leon White, Owen Hull and George Caldwell of the division office at Whitewright were here to conduct the meeting in the afternoon.

Tuesday night a sales school, conducted by Joe Weaver of Graybar Co., Dallas, was held in the Deport office. Employees from Bogata, Talco, Detroit and Deport attended both meetings.

## New and Renewed Times Subscribers

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

Wallace C. Fry  
Mrs. G. B. Leftwich  
Earl Shaddix  
A. E. Foster

## Talco Girl Selected As ETSC Beauty

Dora Ann Gandy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gandy of Talco, was chosen as one of the six beauties at ETSC, Commerce. Dora Ann is a freshman, was the only independent student in the contest. She is active in the Baptist Student Union, choir and choral. The brunette is attending ET on a piano scholarship.

## Nominate Storey For Postmaster At Deport



Thurman O. (Pete) Storey of Deport is listed among postmaster nominations for Texas sent to the Senate by President Eisenhower, according to an Associated Press story from Washington. Storey has been acting postmaster since Jan. 1, 1957 on the retirement of C. H. Nobles, who held the post for 23 years.

Storey, a native of Deport and son of R. O. Storey of Paris and the late Lonnie Hearn Storey, has lived his entire life at Deport. He attended Deport High School, Paris Commercial College and Burleson College at Greenville. In 1920 he married Miss Ruth Kelley of Fulbright and they have two children, Rufus K. Storey of Paris and Mrs. Ernest Stinson of Midlothian, and two grandchildren.

Storey was engaged in the cotton business prior to his appointment as acting postmaster last year.

## E. Star Past Matrons Patrons Honored

Past Matrons and past Patrons of Talco Chapter No. 846, Order of the Eastern Star were honored Tuesday night at the close of the regular stated meeting held in the Masonic hall. The hall was beautifully decorated with dogwood, iris, japonica and wisteria by Coleen Dixon, Marie Mueller and Lorene Griffith.

Nine past Matrons and Patrons were escorted to the stations of Worthy Matron, Lou Lee Flanagan and Associate Matron Velma Hammond by Mary Matlock, where they were honored by many appreciative remarks for their work in the past as well as the present. The Associate Matron reminded them that it is better to be a "has been" than never to have been anything.

Each star point, carrying a basket of flowers appropriate to her station, presented one flower of each color to each past Matron and Patron with their expression of appreciation, giving each officer a bouquet of the five Eastern Star colors. Sallie Belcher concluded the program with a reading to these honored guests: Kate Beasley, Lola Taylor, Thelma Rosson, Ivy Smith, Elsie Griggs, Rosalee Thompson, Martha Miller, Roy Beasley and R. J. Rosson.

The refreshment committee, composed of Rufene Cook, Mary Matlock and Coleen Dixon, served cake and coffee from a white covered table, centered with an arrangement of red roses.

## Johnny Dawson Hurt When Horse Falls

Johnny Dawson of Deport, suffered a broken foot and numerous bruises and scratches Monday when the horse he was riding fell with him. One bone below the ankle in his left foot was broken. He was taken to a Bogata physician where the injured foot was placed in a cast.

The accident occurred when Dawson was looking after his cattle and a small calf ran in front of the horse, causing it to fall, and he was caught under the animal.

## Two Men Caught Stealing Gasoline

Tuesday's Mt. Pleasant Daily Times carried the following news item, but we have been unable to learn who the men are. The car was said to have carried an Oklahoma license:

"Two young Deport men were in a Clarksville jail Tuesday morning awaiting reckless driving charges before being brought to Titus County jail to face charges of stealing gasoline from a Talco man Monday night.

"The pair were caught in the act of siphoning gas from a truck by its owner, Melvin Whitney. The two fled in their 1949 Ford and Whitney gave chase.

"They were finally apprehended when the driver lost control of the Ford on the outskirts of Bogata and crashed into the ditch."

## Book Lovers Club With Mrs. Jones

The Book Lovers Club met Friday afternoon in the lakeside home of Mrs. Felix Jones. The beauty of the entertaining rooms was further enhanced by an array of spring flowers. Mrs. Charlie Nichols, sister of Mrs. Jones, arranged the dining table in a most artistic manner. It was overlaid with a dainty white organza cloth. The center piece was an arrangement of white irises surrounded by colorful Easter eggs and greenery.

The meeting was opened with Mrs. R. R. Kelley reading the club prayer, Mrs. E. W. Smith, the president presiding during the business session. Eleven members answered roll call with naming men of the New Testament.

Program Chairman Mrs. Iva McElroy gave an interesting and inspiring reading on History's Greatest Book, The Bible. Games were enjoyed at the conclusion of the program. Prizes were won by Mmes. C. E. Griggs and R. W. Sanford with Mrs. P. P. Hendrix taking the door prize.

The hostess served a menu of hot chicken rolls, quacamole salad, spiced crab apples, chocolate eclair and coffee to Mmes. J. L. Cato, B. L. Gieger, E. W. Smith, R. R. Kelley, Iva McElroy, R. W. Sanford, Glen Gauden, Cecil Griggs, P. P. Hendrix, Dick Hood, Ed Nugent and visitors, Mrs. Charles Nichols and Mrs. Gaines Robinson of Ft. Worth and Mrs. Ray Matherly of Burkburnett, Miss Nelda Jones of Dallas and Mrs. L. L. Reed and Reed McGonagill.

The next club meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Hershel Kelley on April 18.

## Large Crowds At Easter Services

Local churches had capacity crowds for worship service on Easter, as Christians throughout the world celebrated the risen Christ. A clear, sunshiney day prevailed and many visitors, in town for the holidays, accompanied local citizens to the church of their choice.

Mrs. Chas. Nichols and Mrs. Gaines Robinson of Ft. Worth, spent Thursday night and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Felix Jones, and Virgil. While there they visited Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jones and Rusty and Mr. and Mrs. Faris Brown, Lana and Janell.

Mrs. Olen Williams and Sharon visited her mother, Mrs. Edith Stamps and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Tunnell and Shirley, Thursday night and Friday and also Mr. and Mrs. Willie Williams and boys of Lancaster.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Perry and children returned to their home in Cleveland, Ohio, Saturday after a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Drue I. Matlock. They were on their way back from a business trip to Ontario, Calif.

J. A. Yates and daughter, Mrs. L. B. Kaylor and May, visited his son, O. F. Yates and family of Tyler, from Saturday until Monday. While there Sunday, they had the pleasure of hearing the famous Hardings Chorus at the Denwood Church of Christ.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Hendrix spent the week end in Mexia, visiting her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Howard and also Mr. and Mrs. Otis Isham and family. They returned by Longview to visit their son's family, Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Hendrix and Mike.

## Rain Tuesday Nite Washes Off Dust

Tuesday night's gentle rain washed off the covering of sand from vegetation which blanketed this area Saturday. At Deport .74 of an inch was recorded. Blowing dust from the west covered this section Saturday in one of the worst dust storms this season.

Rivercrest reported .78 of an inch of rainfall for the past week. Strong winds Friday and Saturday dried out the soil and farmers were in fields preparing the soil for planting of seed soon. Continued rain and wet weather, along with the high wind, had caused a hard top crust to form, and many say the rain was a beneficial one.

Housewives, who were able to plant seed between rains earlier this year, are beginning to enjoy early vegetables, as several have reported having radishes, onions and mustard this week.

## Morse and Cook Named Trustees

Joe Morse and Johnny Cook were elected Talco school trustees in the election held in the Talco School district Saturday. Morse received 144 votes, Cook 138, Rex Mitchell and L. L. Reed each received 137, M. J. Davis 15, and Lemuel Hargrove whose name was not on the ticket, received one vote. Two new members were to be elected.

## Titus County Car Tag Sales Total 6783

Total vehicle registration has reached 6783, according to Tax Collector Wallace R. Fields. The figure is slightly less than expected, Fields said.

The complete breakdown includes: Passenger cars, 4727; trucks, 1054; farm trucks, 527; trailers, 258; truck trailers, 136; dealers, 52; motor scooters, 34; and house trailers, 5.

## EASTER EGG HUNT AT JONES HOME

Mrs. Jerry Jones, Mrs. Roy Primm and Mrs. Don Clements honored 17 children with an Easter egg hunt and party, Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Jerry Jones.

Refreshments of sandwiches, cookies and punch were served to Rusty Jones, Randy Clements, Stan Dickerson, Janie Webb, Carol and David Glen Gauden, Guy and Vicky Morris, Amelia Bolin, Carol and Debra Hall, Linda, L. A. Nell and William Leake, John Delbert and Melia Goodroe and Libby Swinford. Mothers attending were Mmes. Lovell Leake, Glen Gauden, J. T. Goodroe, L. G. Adams, Frank Sloan, J. H. Dickerson.

## Mrs. N. A. Williams Buried Wednesday

Funeral services for Mrs. Annie Carrie Williams of Talco, were to be held today at 3:30 p. m. at First Baptist Church in Talco.

Mrs. Williams died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Norvie Cade on the old Talco highway. She was 57.

Mrs. Williams is survived by her husband, N. A. Williams; two daughters, Mrs. Valera Cade of Mount Pleasant and Mrs. Margie Mayes of Bogata; six half-sisters, Mrs. Nan Lawson, Mrs. Vera Hyde, Mrs. Lizzie Brown, Mrs. Doll Tulley, and Mrs. Jessie Gentry; one brother; M. C. Lain, Will Smith and Art Smith; and five grandchildren.

Services were conducted by Rev. C. W. North and Rev. Hull Horton with burial in the Talco Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Dewey Howard, Eugene Mankins, Ellis, Elmer and Benjamin Harris and Mr. Davis.

## Men Indicted In Deport Burglaries

Fourteen out of the 18 indictments returned by Lamar County Grand Jury charged the suspects with burglary. Cases probably will be tried in Sixth District court in the near future.

Named in the indictments were Henry Wallace Handley, burglary, two counts, and Rex Austin Allums, burglary, two counts. Charges grew out of break-ins at City Drug and R. E. Nobles stores in Deport earlier this year.

## Young Offenders Punished in Work

Missoula, Mont.—This city has decided to put juvenile offenders to work.

The work will be washing city-owned cars, polishing fire trucks, helping patch streets, and janitorial duties in public buildings.

City Manager Alan W. Cuthbertson said the city hopes that callouses will replace glorification in the person of the juvenile offender.

## Talco Boys Win In Pinewood Derby

In the Pinewood Derby held by the Cub Scouts Pack 205, Ray Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Miller, won first place; Richard Shaw, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Shaw, second place; John Parsons, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Parsons, third place. These boys take their racers to Mt. Pleasant April 19 to enter a district race. The Cubs and their parents enjoyed the very exciting races.

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**BURT LOCKHART'S** Pittsburg  
Gazette won a prize on column  
writing at the recent convention  
of the North and East Texas  
Press Association. The column is  
an editorial feature of this news-  
paper, with the head, "Editorially  
Speaking." We thought it  
was good when we first started  
reproducing it 15 years ago, and  
still think so. Lockhart is like  
good whiskey—gets better with  
age of the author who is now  
about 86. He also has a grand-  
son, Dick White, who is no slouch  
on writing and picture making.

### Readers Views

Washington, D. C.  
April 1, 1958.

Dear Sam:  
It pleased me very much in-  
deed to learn that you have re-  
ceived the first award plaque for  
outstanding journalism service  
ever presented by the North and  
East Texas Press Association. You  
have every reason to be proud—  
as we are proud of you—of this  
honor, which you so richly de-  
serve.

With heartiest congratulations  
and very best wishes, I am  
Sincerely yours,  
WRIGHT PATMAN.

### THE FISHERMAN'S SCALES

An avid fisherman, true to  
tradition, could hardly contain  
himself when recounting his rod-  
and-reel triumphs to his pals.  
Indignant at the skeptical  
hints that he was an out-and-  
out liar, he bought a set of scales,  
installed them in his kitchen and  
insisted that his friends watch as  
he weighed his daily catch.  
One evening a neighbor rushes  
in and excitedly asked permis-  
sion to borrow the scales. A few  
minutes later he was back beam-  
ing with delight.  
"Congratulations, men," he  
cried. "I'm the father of a 38-  
pound boy!"

### IT TAKES TIME

In Kentucky a man was arrest-  
ed charged with the possession  
of a bottle of corn whiskey. The  
judge frowned and asked the  
prisoner if he pleaded guilty of  
possessing illegal moonshine.  
"Your honor I'm guilty of hav-  
ing the liquor but I am using it  
as a medicine for my asthma," the  
defendant replied earnestly.  
The judge peered down from  
the bench, "Does it do you any  
good?" he asked.  
The man shrugged his shoul-  
ders. "Can't tell yet. I haven't  
finished the bottle."

### SHORT MEMORIES

Some memories are so long  
you have to tie a knot in 'em to  
carry 'em around.



THE OLD TIMER

"The dictionary is the only  
place that 'Success' comes be-  
fore 'Work.'"

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### EDITORIALLY SPEAKING

BURT LOCKHART  
in Pittsburg Gazette

Easter is that all-important day  
when the Easter parade brings  
out the forward lookers.

When you boast that you feel  
like a million dollars, be sure to  
state whether before or after  
taxes.

According to Washington views,  
a licking seems to be in store for  
the proposed 5-cent postage  
stamp.

It would be a dull world if we  
had nothing to do but to sit on  
top of the world and watch the  
man-made moons go by.

In the old days married couples  
settled their quarrels with a kiss,  
but today it takes a firm of law-  
yers, courts, Reno and alimony.

If the government spends mon-  
ey as is planned, there is going  
to be a tremendous demand in  
the bookkeeping department for  
red ink.

In the old days our dear Uncle  
Sam was a very economical  
gentleman, but he has raised a  
family that spends money faster  
than he can bank it.

Has it ever occurred to you  
that once in a while you come  
across an individual who is so  
generous that he is always giv-  
ing somebody a piece of his  
mind.

Pretty soon East Texas will  
provide an eyeful of scenery for  
everybody. And then, too, there  
will be gardens filled with the  
beauty and fragrance of millions  
of flowers.

Many a fellow is working like  
blazes now so he can do all his  
resting after 65. Not a bad idea  
if he can do it. Most of the hard  
workers we know who have  
reached 65 are too tired to work  
and too poor to quit.

### Reduce Delinquency

XIV

### AT GATESVILLE

(A distinguished Texas  
judge offers pointers on  
combating our rapidly in-  
creasing juvenile delin-  
quency problem.)

By JUDGE SARAH T. HUGHES



JUDGE HUGHES

For many years whippings and  
solitary confinement  
were routine punishment  
at the state reformatory  
at Gatesville. We heard  
that sadistic guards pun-  
ished the boys unmercifully.

Several years ago a drill-  
master jumped on a boy who  
refused to drill any longer and  
choked him. The boy died.  
**Like Hardened Criminals**  
"The boys in this institution  
are subject to the same harsh  
and strenuous rules and regu-  
lations as you would expect to  
find in controlling the hardest  
criminal in the penitentiary,"  
a legislative committee said  
about the Gatesville reforma-  
tory.

Despite the harsh treatment  
(which included 10-year-olds  
who were there because they  
were neglected but who were  
learning crime from the older,  
more serious offenders) there  
were gang fights, hunger  
strikes, and many escapes.

In 1952 a new policy was in-  
augurated. Today the whip is  
gone. Bars have been removed.  
Boys are punished by being de-  
prived of privileges. There have  
been no gang fights or hunger  
strikes. Escapes have de-  
creased.

**Institutional Whippings**  
Authorities believe that  
whippings in institutions often  
build up resentments that cause  
the boy to commit other of-  
fenses.

Those who have actually  
worked with teen-age offenders  
believe that institutions for de-  
linquents should have treat-  
ment seeking the causes of de-  
linquency, together with a pro-  
gram of education, rehabilita-  
tion and vocational training.

### Talco Activities 10-20 Yrs. Ago

Week of April 9, 1948

**Births:** Son to the Samuel C.  
Jenkins of Corpus Christi; daugh-  
ter to the Raymond C. Jones of  
Talco; daughter to the Chas. Shel-  
ton Kennedys of Cunningham.  
Congress had voted for federal  
income tax cut; President Tru-  
man vetoed the bill.  
Larry Prather had been hospi-  
talized with a slashed throat af-  
ter being involved in an auto-  
mobile accident on Talco-Maple  
Springs road.

An explosion and fire at the  
Talco asphalt and refining divi-  
sion plant of the American Liberty  
Oil Company had caused \$100,000  
damages to the \$10,000,000 plant  
and it was to close for three  
weeks.

Mrs. E. Unsell, Mrs. E. E. Jones  
and Mrs. R. R. Kelley were on a  
committee to raise money to  
take care of Talco Cemetery.

Using a gypsy theme, members  
of the Junior class, assisted by  
Mrs. Emma Leftwich, had entertain-  
ed with a banquet for the  
Seniors. Appearing on the pro-  
gram were O. B. Moon, Eddie  
Dunagan, Jack Morris, Nelda  
Martin, T. W. Hendricks, J. L.  
Hughes, Jerry Spruell, W. T.  
Hughes, sport of Deport schools,  
was guest speaker.

Talco Trojans had won a dis-  
trict meet held at Mt. Pleasant,  
taking six first places and tying  
for two others.

In a school trustee election E.  
E. Burge had received 25 votes;  
Joe Mitchell 44; J. C. Wright 20;  
Joe Hall (written in) 2. For  
county trustee, Avery 9; Taylor  
23. Forty-six votes had been cast.

Senator James E. Taylor, chair-  
man of the Gilmer-Aikin com-  
mittee, had appointed J. L.  
Hughes and Felix Jones as two  
of 15 members of the County Ad-  
visory Committee on Education in  
Titus County.

A Red Cross drive was to start  
within a week.

Bob Ottinger of Hagansport,  
had been burned about his face  
and hands when gas he was pour-  
ing into the carburetor of his car  
ignited.

Week of April 8, 1938

The Recreation Club had met  
at the Humble hall and plans  
were made for a baby show to be  
held in April.

Chief of Police G. R. Black of  
Greenville, had been in Talco to  
recover a bicycle that had been  
stolen there and found in Talco.  
Miss Mattie Lee Jack of Coop-  
er, and Glen Martin of Paris, had  
been married at the Talco Bap-  
tist parsonage by Rev. Thomas  
Young.

Ben Patrick had been elected  
mayor of Mt. Pleasant by a mar-  
gin of 92 votes over his oppon-  
ent.

C. E. Taylor, Nolan Neugent  
and K. O. France had been named  
trustees in the school election.  
Mt. Pleasant's 40 piece band  
had given an hour's entertain-  
ment at the high school auditor-  
ium.

The Talco Chamber of Com-  
merce had named Rev. Thomas  
Young, Baptist pastor, as presi-  
dent to succeed Bill Phillely, who  
had moved to Paris.

A banquet was being planned  
for April 18 by Talco Chamber  
of Commerce.

Grocery stores were advertis-  
ing bacon for 25c, coffee for 28c  
and bananas for 15 cents per  
dozen.

Wesley Coker, 15, son of W. L.  
Coker of Cuthand, had died fol-  
lowing a seven weeks' illness.

Funeral services had been con-  
ducted at Bogata for Mrs. J. M.  
Shelton, age 63.

A daughter, who had been  
named Jane, was born to Mr.  
and Mrs. W. H. Kelley.

Mrs. S. M. Kirby was home  
from the hospital after being in-  
jured in a car wreck.

### EASY TO FIND

Husband (in kitchen): "I can't  
find the tea."  
Wife (upstairs): "I don't know  
what could be easier to find. It's  
right in front, on the pantry  
shelf, in a cocoa tin marked mat-  
ches."

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### Uncle Dan From Tom Bean Says:

Dear Mister Editor:

I was reading this morning  
where the American Public  
Health Association announced  
yesterday that more farmers was  
killed on the job last year than  
"in any other occupational  
group." Farming, they allow, "is  
the third most dangerous occupa-  
tion."

They don't know the half of it,  
Mister Editor. Them that survives  
just barely makes it. Last sum-  
mer, for instance, I tried to work  
the farm by standard time, watch  
television by daylight saving  
time, and get to bed by God's  
time. In a manner of speaking,  
I was having a helluva time. Af-  
ter I wore out three clocks I just  
went back to sun time and stay-  
ed there.

Them that survives spends  
about all their time between "ro-  
tating" and "estimating." Some-  
times I think the surviving ain't  
worth it. For instance, after a  
farmer surveys his patches so's  
he can rotate according to law,  
it's time to estimate for income  
purposes. That "estimating" calls  
for "supernatural powers."

To git a "estimate" that's be-  
accepted, a farmer has just got to  
guess the annual rainfall, just  
when it'll come and when it  
won't. He's got to figger about  
what date the first frost will hit,  
which way the boll weevil will be  
migrating in June.

All of this distracts a farmer's  
mind from farming. I wouldn't  
be surprised if some of them that  
got killed last year ferreted out  
and stuck their head in the mowing  
machine while they was trying to  
rotate and estimate.

I see by the papers where a  
feller named Daniel F. Gilmore,  
writing for the United Press from  
London, says from now on "world  
attention will focus on the moon."

I got news for Mister Gilmore  
and them United Press fellers.  
Farmers has been focusing their  
attention on the moon for cen-  
turies. Any farmer that's got  
sense enough to know how to  
drink out of a gourd knows that  
agriculture would never have  
been invented without the moon.

There's certain things that's got  
to be planted in the dark of the  
moon and other things that's got  
to be planted in the light of the  
moon. If you do it backwards,  
you'd just as well sign up for  
the land fer Benson's soil bank. And  
the saving of hog meat depends  
entirely on the moon. Salt your  
hog meat away in the dark of the  
moon and you'll have bad tasting  
meat. Farmers has knowed that  
since hogs was hogs.

Yours truly,  
UNCLE DAN.  
—Whitewright Sun.

Mrs. J. F. Swope and girls,  
Judy and Gail, visited her daugh-  
ter, Patsy, who is teaching at  
Stanton, and visited J. F. Swope's  
mother, Mrs. D. L. Swope of  
Coline and Mrs. Lewis Fincan-  
non of Hamlin, Mrs. N. E. Hosea  
and Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Swope  
of Munday. Mrs. Hosea return-  
ed home with Mrs. J. F. Swope,  
her sister, to visit a week.

### PLEASANT DRIVE-IN

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FRIDAY-SATURDAY

Show Starts at 7:30 p. m.

The Desperados  
Are In Town

A good Western from a story  
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ing Post. It stars Robert Ar-  
thur and Kathy Nolan.

### Stowaway Girl

A rough adventure story with  
a fine cast including Trevor  
Howard, Pedro Armendariz  
and Elsa Martinelli.

SUNDAY-MONDAY

JERRY LEWIS  
THE SAD SACK

The whole family can enjoy  
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TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY  
THURSDAY

### Car Nights

ALAN LADD in

The Deep Six

A fine war picture in color  
with William Bendix, Keenan  
Wynn and many others.

### WILKINSON

By MRS. MORRIS BLALOCK

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. H. G.  
Blalock over the week end were  
Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Sloan and  
children of Wichita Falls, Mr.  
and Mrs. Joe Blalock and chil-  
dren of Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock and  
P. E. Harris visited Mr. and Mrs.  
Leo Blalock of New Boston, Sat-  
urday.

Misses Dorothy and Marcia  
Blalock spent the week end with  
their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mor-  
ris Blalock.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Moody  
Belcher over the Easter holiday  
were Mr. and Mrs. Harmon  
Wright and daughter of Dallas,  
Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Price and  
children of Denison, Mr. and  
Mrs. Joe Belcher and daughter of  
Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Horn-  
buckle of New Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thompson  
and children, Mr. and Mrs. Cal-  
ton Smith and family of Mt.  
Pleasant, were Sunday night  
visitors of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Dyke.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Paul Allen  
and children of Dallas, Mr. and  
Mrs. Mack Huckburr of Houston,  
Pvt. Richard Haren of Waco and  
James Ankins of Dallas, were all  
visitors of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Har-  
ren Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Phillips  
and daughter of Mt. Pleasant, vis-  
ited Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Phillips.  
Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. C. B.  
Harris over the week end were  
Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Huddleston  
and son of Dallas.

Mrs. Ruth Buchanan of Mid-  
way, visited her daughter, Mr.  
and Mrs. Vernon Riddle and  
Vicki, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Romus Burgin of  
Talco, visited Mr. and Mrs. A. T.  
Blalock Thursday night.

Rev. and Mrs. L. V. Smith and  
sons of Lone Star, were Sunday  
guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Phil-  
lips.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock and  
Mr. and Mrs. Morris Blalock and  
Pallie visited Mr. and Mrs. Re-  
mus Burgin of Mt. Pleasant, Sun-  
day evening.

Mrs. Jennell Craig visited Rev.  
and Mrs. L. V. Smith Sunday  
night.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmo Rick and  
son of Ft. Worth, spent Monday  
night with Mr. and Mrs. Walter  
Blalock.

Mr. and Mrs. Slim Phillips of  
Ft. Worth, visited P. B. Harris  
Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Logan  
of Mt. Pleasant and M-Sgt. and  
Mrs. J. R. Logan and children of  
San Antonio, visited their par-  
ents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Logan,  
over the week end.

Dr. and Mrs. Herbert Banks  
and son of Los Angeles, Calif.,  
Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Jones and  
sons of Dallas, visited Mr. and  
Mrs. R. P. Moles and sons, Fri-  
day night.

Mrs. Helen Mercer and Janette  
of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs.  
Virgil Wilson and Francis Linda  
of Argo, Miss Wilman of Fort  
Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth  
Baxley, Robbie and Bobbie of  
Mt. Pleasant were guests of Mr.  
and Mrs. Jess Jones. Mrs. C. H.  
Wilson and son, Lee, visited the  
Jones Sunday evening.

### ONE BRIGHT SPOT

"Feeling the recession any in  
your line?"  
"Yeah. Sales off about 6 per  
cent—but staff meetings are up  
a good 29 per cent."

### Political Announcements

The Talco Times is authorized  
to make the following announce-  
ments, subject to the action of  
voters in Democratic primaries:

For State Representative—  
JAMES V. ADAMS

For County Judge—  
HARRY TAYLOR  
CARL W. PITTMAN

For District Clerk—  
ALLEN LAPRADE  
HUGH CROSS

For County Clerk—  
HOMER L. BOWDEN

For County Superintendent—  
WELDON NELSON  
MORRIS BUDDIE DAVIS  
PAUL BLACKARD

For County Treasurer—  
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FOR SALE—Cocker Spaniel pup-  
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### MONEY MADE A DIFFERENCE

"Mr. Arnold," the timid-look-  
ing boy began, "tr—an—that is,  
can—er—will you—"

"Why, yes, my boy, you may  
marry her," said Mr. Arnold with  
a smile.

"What?" said the boy. "Marry  
who?"

"My daughter, of course. That's  
what you mean, isn't it?" asked  
Mr. Arnold. "You want to mar-  
ry her, don't you?"

"Er—that's not it," said the  
boy. "I just wanted to know if  
you could lend me \$10."

"Certainly not!" said Mr. Ar-  
nold. "Why, I hardly know you!"

### Ordinance No. 6

An ordinance granting to the  
Southwestern States Telephone  
Company, a corporation, its suc-  
cessors and assigns, the right,  
privilege and permit to establish  
monthly rates for local telephone  
service in the City of Talco,  
Texas:

Be it ordained by the City  
Commission of the City of Talco,  
Titus County, Texas:

Section I. That the right, pri-  
vilege and permit is granted to  
The Southwestern States Tele-  
phone Company to put into effect  
the following monthly rates:

Class of Service	Rate
Business One Party	\$7.50
Business Two Party	6.50
Business Extension	1.50
Residence One Party	5.50
Residence Two Party	3.75
Residence Four Party	3.00
Residence Extension	1.00

Section II. The above rates  
shall become effective May 1,  
1958.

Passed and approved this 31st  
day of March, 1958, by the City  
Commission of the City of Talco,  
Texas.

JERRY JONES,

Mayor in and for the City of  
Talco, Texas.

Attest:  
MRS. O. D. WELCH,  
(SEAL) City Secretary.

### SQUELCH

"George," the tearful wife snif-  
fed, "Your mother insulted me to-  
day."

"She—what? She's a thousand  
miles away."

"But a letter came for you—  
and I opened it."

"What about the insult?"

"In the postscript, she wrote:  
'Agnes, don't forget to give this  
to George.'"

### REASON ENOUGH

The husband was curious.  
"Why do you weep and sniffle at  
a movie over the imaginary woes  
of people you never met?"

Wife: "The same reason why  
you scream and yell when a man  
you don't know slides into sec-  
ond base."

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# LOCAL NEWS

**MRS. NORA WILLIAMS**  
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Mr. and Mrs. Deloris Horn of Atlanta, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Horn, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Leftwich of Carthage, visited his mother, Mrs. Maud Leftwich, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harper and Dave of Dallas, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Harper and Mrs. M. A. Coker.

Mr. and Mrs. V. P. Gibson and Gay spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. N. C. Cutrer of El Dorado, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Beasley visited their parents, M. J. Beasley and Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Brewer in McNeil, Ark., over the week end.

Miss Dianne Dozier of Dallas, visited Mrs. Maud Leftwich, Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Gray and Mrs. Sallie Gage visited their son and brother, R. S. Gray and wife of Carthage, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bennett and boys of Kilgore, visited her mother, Mrs. Minnie Swarts and Richard Holloman, Friday night.

Dale Pownell of Shreveport, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Nelson, Sunday.

Mrs. Zenobia Goodloe's grandchildren, Bebe Joe and Larry of Irving, are staying with her for a few weeks.

Miss Janice Matlock spent Sunday with her fiancé, Billy Thomas and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Thompson and children of Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. Zula McDonald of Newsum, visited Miss Janice Matlock over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wesley Leake of Dallas, visited his grandmother, Mrs. Maud Leftwich, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Wilhelm and children, Katy, Mark and Kirk of Dallas, visited her mother, Mrs. Maud Leftwich, Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Nelson visited relatives at Smackover, Ark., Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Hughie Bogue and son of Mt. Vernon, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Swarts and Johnny, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Harris and Barbara and W. B. Harris spent the week end in Winters visiting Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Whitley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Johnson of Big Spring, visited Mr. and Mrs. G. Norwood, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Adams, Billy and Johnny of Kilgore, visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Thomas, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hanks of Dallas, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cogburn and Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Hanks.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hamilton visited his mother, Mrs. O. B. Hamilton of English, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Westbrook of DeKalb, visited Mr. and Mrs. Mack Pittman, Karen and Karla, Saturday.

Janice Davis and Martha Johniken of NTSC, Denton, spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Davis and Mrs. Fred Johniken.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Marshall spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Tot Miller of Winnsboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blackard and children of Oak Grove, visited Mr. and Mrs. Farris Brown and Lana, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Loving of Austin, spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Loving and Mrs. W. W. Richardson and Gene.

Carolyn Upchurch of Irving, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. P. H. O'Keefe and Starlyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Frye, Mrs. Roy Primm and Mrs. Florence Miller went fishing at Texarkana dam Friday.

Mrs. Billy Dean Edge and children, Bobby Faye, Robert Lynn Dena Kay of Mt. Pleasant, visited her father, Mr. and Mrs. Olen Williams, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Vickers visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Rogers of Maud, Sunday.

Miss Annette Lewis went to Dallas Sunday with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Lilley and returned Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Pierce and children spent the week end in Benton, Ark., visiting her father, Hogan Traylor and her sister, Mrs. M. M. Elrod.

Mrs. Sue Thomas of Kilgore, is visiting her son, Buck Thomas and wife for a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Rodgers and Lou Ann of Sunray, spent the Easter holidays with Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Norwood.

Mrs. Jimmy Haynes is in a Mt. Pleasant hospital recovering from pneumonia. Mrs. Bill Parks is substitute teacher in Bogata school for Mrs. Haynes.

Dean Flemming of Lamesa, visited his uncle, Sam Harper, and also Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Davis, Friday.

Mrs. Kenyon Eaton of Centerville, visited her mother and sister, Mrs. Sallie Perdue and Mrs. Jack Winn, for a week.

Mrs. Bill Jordan, Little Bill and Mary Jane of Ft. Worth, visited Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Gieger, Sunday. Mrs. Jordan is a former teacher at Talco High School.

Mrs. Mary Carlson and Sherry and Miss Dorothy Spivey of Mt. Pleasant, visited friends in Talco Friday.

Miss Hinton Davis of Dallas, visited her mother and sister, Mrs. M. A. Coker and Mrs. Hughie Harper for two weeks.

Jackie Winn and Janell Brown of Dallas, spent from Thursday to Monday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Winn and Mr. and Mrs. Farris Brown and Lana.

Wanda Williams and Nancy Kelley visited Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Cain and children of Greggton, Saturday.

Mrs. Claudia Starnes and Miss Clyde Holland of Waco, visited their sister, Mrs. Ernest Watson and Mr. Watson for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Spruell spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. J. A. Ginnings of Texarkana. Mrs. Ginnings returned home with them for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Bowman visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Moore of Lufkin, over the week end.

Mrs. S. A. Tidwell and Miss Alice Ruth visited Mr. and Mrs. Doris Shelton and children of Denton Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Parrish and children spent the week end with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Molnari of Mineola.

Mrs. Billy Martin of Dallas, visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Leake Friday and Saturday and visited Mrs. Maud Leftwich, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynard Whitley of Dallas, spent Wednesday with her sister and niece, Mrs. Georgia Jones and Mrs. Harold Bonham.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Larson and sons, Larry and Mack of Norphlet, Ark., visited Mr. and Mrs. Mack McMasters, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Harvey D. Robertson and children, Tereca and Roger, Mt. Pleasant, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hawthorne, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylyn Pownell and Susan of Houston, spent from Friday until Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Nelson.

Mrs. J. W. Robinson and family of Sheridan, spent the week end with her parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Gandy and Mr. and Mrs. James Gandy and family.

Mrs. Pat Brady of Baton Rouge, La., visited her father, O. O. Honsburger, the past week and visited her mother, Mrs. O. O. Honsburger Monday of Naples, in a rest home and reports her doing fine.

Mrs. J. D. Henry happened to a painful accident Friday while cutting grass. The lawnmower threw a piece of glass, cutting the arteries in her ankle. Several stitches were required.



## Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Worthington of Talco, announce the engagement of their daughter, Patsy Joanp, to Bill D. Williams of Mt. Pleasant. The bride-elect is a '57 graduate of Talco High School, and attended Paris Junior College. Her fiancé, a Baptist minister, is a graduate of Mt. Pleasant High School and will receive his B. A. degree from East Texas Baptist College in Marshall, June 2. The couple plan a June 7 wedding in First Methodist Church of Talco.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Matherly, Michael, Dana and Valaree and Douglas Branch of Burkburnett, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Worden and Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Ryan.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Owings of Dallas, visited his mother and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Tension and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Owings and baby from Friday until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Smith visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sikorski of Bryan, Saturday and Sunday and on Monday visited his mother, Mrs. Ella Smith, of Teague.

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Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Drue Matlock and family over the holidays were Mrs. Matlock's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Stevenson and children of Malvern, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Gene Jones of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. John Paul Jones and Randy of Longview and Miss Nelda Jones of Dallas, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Felix Jones and Virgil.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Tension visited her sister and sister-in-law, Mrs. Ida Corder and Mrs. Jim Cunningham of Fairlee, Mrs. Cunningham had a stroke Friday and is in a serious condition.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hill, David and Terita spent from Friday until Sunday with her sister and mother, Mrs. L. V. Denton and Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Simmons and Charles Turbyfill of Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Drue I. Matlock announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Janice Matlock to Billy Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Thomas of Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kelley, Ronnie and David of Dallas, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lank Easterling, Martha and Junior and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kelley and Nancy.

Mrs. E. E. Woodruff of Cooper and Mrs. R. E. Burns and children, Julia and Margaret of Dallas, visited their daughters and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Gauden and children, David Glenn and Carolyn.

Arkansas-Louisiana Gas Company honored their employees and their wives with a supper at the Alps Cafe Monday night. Ladies who attended from Talco were Mrs. J. D. Riley and Mrs. J. T. Goodroe.

Floyd Hamilton, manager of Community Public Service and Wanda Williams, cashier, attended a Hotpoint meeting at Deport Tuesday night. Other guests attending were Leon White, division merchandise manager of Whitewright, and Joe F. Weaver, Hotpoint representative from Dallas.

Mrs. Cecil Loftin and Cecil Lynn visited Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bradshaw of Gilmer, Sunday. Mrs. Loftin remained there for the day while Cecil Lynn went to Longview to visit Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Russell and Pam and Jerry Roebuck.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carlisle of Kilgore, Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Jones and children of Talco, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith of Lev-erets Chapel, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McGinty and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Carlisle of Ft. Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Frye and three boys, Mrs. Lucy Frye and Mrs. McBride spent Monday and Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Frye Sr. Mr. and Mrs. Frye and boys went on to Louisiana, but Mrs. Lucy Frye and Mrs. McBride remained for a two weeks' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Rodgers and daughter, Lou Ann, returned Monday to their home at Sunray after spending Easter holidays with her mother, Mrs. C. C. New-some in Deport, his mother, Mrs. Stella Rodgers and Welch in Bogata, and Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Norwood at Talco.

Mrs. Imogene Condrey, daughter and son, Melba Jean and Joe Don of Mt. Vernon, spent Friday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bragg and children of Garland and David Dooley of Dallas, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Morris.

Miss Mary Hargrove returned Monday to New York to attend a university after visiting her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Wright, her brothers and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. Hargrove and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hargrove and her mother and sister of Mt. Pleasant, Mrs. Monty Hargrove and Patsy, for the past few weeks.

## MONUMENTS

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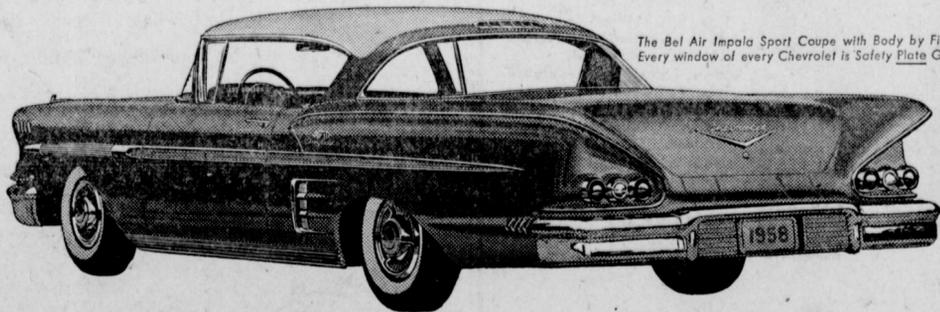


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## ALCORN TACKLES FARM PRICES NO SATISFACTORY CONCLUSION

Editors' note: Achin Alcorn, philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Sulphur, takes up the farm price situation this week, but he never does make clear what his ideas are.

Dear Editor: Like a bunch of Congressmen, me and my neighbors have been arguing the pros and cons of the farm price situation lately, which was brought on by President Eisenhower's vetoing a bill Congress passed to keep price supports on farm and dairy products at the same level this year they were last year.

Personally, the problem is too big from a long-range standpoint for me to figure out, but you can get some pretty hot statements on the matter from other farmers.

For example, when Ike vetoed the bill, he said what the farm situation needs is not a freeze but a thawing out.

One of my neighbors said: "The trouble with a thawing out is that generally what it amounts to is that prices don't just thaw out, they melt and run down to practically nothing."

Another neighbor said he understood a lot of Congressmen admitted that maybe from a long-

range viewpoint it would be ideal to have no acreage restrictions and no fixed prices, but that a lot of farmers don't see it that way and when a Congressman faces a choice of taking a long-range view and getting beat, or a short-range view and staying in, it doesn't take much mental raveling to come to a conclusion.

Another neighbor said it's a lot easier for a farmer with a job in town to take a long-range view of low prices than it is for a man living altogether off the land. "That is," he said, "maybe I could wait for the situation to right itself over the next few years and tough out low prices a while, but my wife and kids don't see it that way. There never was a woman satisfied with being in style five years from now, and very few kids who postponed their education and ever went back to it." He also added that you've got to remember Ike is a farmer who has a job in town.

Personally, the problem is too big for me, and I hereby turn it over to you. Give it some thought, and I hope you'll solve it before the month is out.

Yours faithfully, A. A.

## Ed Bryson Pleased Over Plaque Award

Ed Bryson, farm-reared Deport boy, who talked us into giving him a job so he could learn the newspaper business, now holds a responsible position in the editorial department of the Beaumont Enterprise and Journal.

He writes, first lecturing us on newspaper ethics and freedom of the press, then extends congratu-

lations upon the recent award of the North and East Texas Press Association:

Beaumont, Texas,  
March 29, 1958

Dear Sam:

Newspaper ethics, including a certain amount of modesty, is one thing; the right of the people to know is another.

In the case of publishing anything personal, either good or bad, the people's right clearly predominates.

So in printing your own picture and the accompanying article you were adhering to the finest tradition of journalism. Not to have done so would have been an infringement on the freedom of the press.

All of which is a rather roundabout way of saying what I started out to say in the first place: Congratulations on receiving the special honor. It couldn't have gone to a more deserving person.

Sincerely,  
ED BRYSON.

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## JOHNTOWN

By MRS. G. A. VAUGHAN  
Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Vaughan and Mary Ann, Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. James E. Thomas and children of Pittsburg, and Miss Mary Margaret Barnard of Bogata and Galena Park. Avret L. Vaughan called an Easter greeting to his parents by telephone from Ft. Carson, Colo., and informed them he would get a basic leave from army duty starting April 10 or 11.

Mrs. Guy P. Walker is in Abilene visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lon Jones, Mr. Jones and daughter.

Butch Walker is reported ill at his home with measles.

J. O. (Boots) Cooper of Texarkana, spent the week end with his father, J. O. Cooper Sr., who is ill at his home.

Mrs. Ivy Kelley and children of Slabtown, spent the week end here with her sister, Mrs. Velma Watson and her mother, Mrs. Mollie Rector.

Mrs. Jim Williams of Cisco, called her mother, Mrs. D. A. Baxter, Sunday for an Easter greeting to her and their two children, Robert and Anna Kay, who are staying with their grandmother while Mr. Williams is employed in Cisco.

Johnstown school observed April 1 by a short hike to different locations for picnic lunch and nature study, as reported by the faculty, J. W. Lowry, principal, Mrs. Anna Bell Patton and Mrs. Georgia Easterling. No Easter holidays were taken from regular school work.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bain and Billie Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. James B. Bain and children of Commerce, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Gunter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Whitten Jr., Forrest and Freida, enjoyed a picnic and Easter outing at the roadside park south of town Sunday after church.

Mrs. Joe Mauldin and daughter of Dallas, visited their mother and grandmother, Mrs. John Parker and Mr. Parker, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bain, Mrs. John Sale and daughter, Josephine, Mrs. Bob Jones, Joe B. Coats and son, Mrs. A. M. Coats, Mr. and Mrs. George Thomas and children attended funeral services for Travis Peek at Guillian, near Boxelder, Monday. He died

in Bisbee, Ariz., and the body was sent back for burial.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyce Boyd and children and Mrs. Bob Coats left Friday for Dallas, where they will seek employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Calquhoun of Dallas, visited Mrs. Lila Pirtle and other relatives over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. James L. Watts of Greggton, visited Mrs. J. A. Watts Saturday.

Miss Patricia Watts, visiting Mrs. J. A. Watts and attending Bogata High School, left Thursday for Odessa to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Watts, over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Vaughan and Mary Ann visited the J. E. Thomas family in Pittsburg, Friday. Mary Ann remained until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Estell and children of Irving, visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Whitten Sr. and other relatives over the week end.

Mrs. Carl Jones and sons of Sonora, who have been visiting relatives here and at Bogata the past week, were joined Saturday by her husband. They visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Black and attended his father, Joe Jones of Bogata, who is ill and visited his mother, Mrs. Jones, before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Hervey of Livingston, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hervey over the week end.

J. E. and G. A. Vaughan and Jim Hervey held the trustee election at the school Saturday. W. L. Wicks, whose term expired, was re-elected. Bill Bain and Fred Whitten Jr. are the other two trustees.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hall and daughters, Linda and Cindy of Paris, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Vaughan, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Drue Pirtle, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey L. Jean and Vance Pirtle, all of Longview, spent the week end with relatives here.

Miss Nona Hawkins of Longview, visited her aunt, Mrs. Irene Pew, and other relatives Friday.

Miss Verah Cotten and Mrs. Maggie Chesshir visited in Deport Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Porter Page moved from the M. H. Dryden house to Paris. We regret to lose this fine family and sincerely hope they are satisfied in the new lo-

## HAGANSSPORT

Hagansport school announces there will be a pie supper on night of April 18 for the eighth grade class, to which all are most cordially invited.

C. D. McDuffee visited his sister, Mrs. Pearl Scudder at Glade-water Friday night.

Rev. W. D. Roy of the Methodist Circuit, held preaching services at Terry Memorial Methodist Church Saturday night and again after Church School at the 11 o'clock hour. He was entertained at dinner Sunday by the Terry Waters family.

W. N. Ottinger is going to Paris to enter the hospital for an eye operation.

Mrs. J. H. Clawson fell and hurt her neck and was taken home by her son and Mrs. W. W. Clawson of Fulbright who took her to a doctor at Bogata last week.

Mrs. Alice Goode called on Mrs. Clawson Sunday afternoon and reported the family had taken her to a doctor for high blood pressure.

Joe Dan Barker and C. C. (Slim) Crowston were the new board members on the Hagansport School Board. Joe Dan Barker took Canada's place.

The following Bogata business men were in Hagansport on Sunday: Sam Barnard, W. A. Jones, whose wives the employed at the Bogata First National Bank, and Dr. Jack Troutt, who is returning to his practice in Bogata as dentist.

Mrs. Melba Jean Lambert visited Mr. and Mrs. Morris Barron, Sunday. M. L. Barron, son of Mr. and Mrs. Barron, is stationed at Ft. Carson, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. McBrayer and

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thomas and children of Pittsburg, were supper guests of Mrs. Irene Pew, Sunday night.

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## HOLD OUT

A lawyer friend of mine brought a suit for a client of his, asking \$5,000 in damages. He was hoping to recover \$1,000. On the day of the trial, he was delighted to find one of his best cronies on the jury. The case was tried, and the jury deliberated for several hours. The result was a hung jury, 11 to one. The judge discharged it, and my friend's crony hurried to tell him that 11 of those jurors wanted to give \$2,500 in damages, but that he had held out for the full \$5,000.

## HONESTY ALWAYS PAYS

One of two women riding on a bus suddenly realized she had failed to pay her fare. "I'll go right up and pay it," she declared. "Why bother?" her friend replied. "You got away with it—so what?"

"I've found that honesty always pays," said the first woman virtuously, and went up to pay the driver. When she returned to her seat, she exclaimed, "See, I told you honesty pays; I handed the driver a quarter and he gave me change for 50 cents."

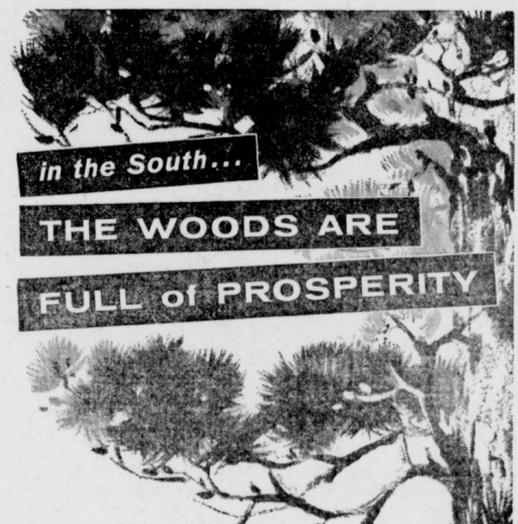
children of Farmersville, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Flora Brewer.

## Don't Neglect Your Eyes

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## PULP and PAPER DAY—April 15

Pulp and Paper Day will be celebrated throughout the South on April 15. This event will focus public attention on the economic importance to the region of the pulp and paper industry, its role in the South's modern agricultural development... and the tremendous economic opportunities more productive forests offer in the years ahead.



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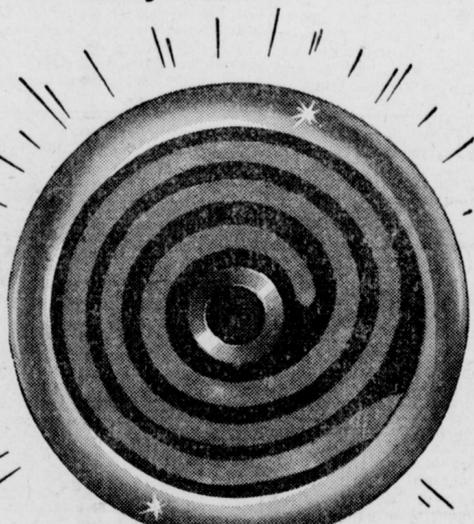
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