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## Governor Daniel Praises Twirling Talco Majorette

Patricia Ryan, head majorette at East Texas State, accepted an invitation to appear as drum-major for the Oak Cliff Cowboy Band when the 100-piece organization made an appearance at the Terrell Vetch day parade. When the band approached the reviewing stand playing a special arrangement of music from the motion picture "Giant," Governor Price Daniel remarked that he could watch that type of performance all day long.

The parade marshal repeated the Governor's words over the public address system, whereupon Miss Ryan marched her line of majorettes to a central position and did a feature presentation for the executive. Each of the girls threw the governor a flower, Spanish style.

The Talco girl is teaching in numerous twirling camps this summer, and is frequently invited to judge twirling competitions. R. W. Scott, director of the Oak Cliff organization, has already invited Patricia to make further appearances with his organization.

## At Talco Hospital

Admitted—	Dismissed
Jessie Thompson	5-26—5-29
Thomas Dyke	5-27—5-29
Mrs. Lucy Hervey	5-27—5-29
Butch Walker	6-3
Mrs. Guy P. Walker	6-3
J. H. Dickerson	6-5
Mrs. Maggie Nugent	6-5
Linda Leake	6-6
William Leake	6-6
Mrs. Ella Pyles	6-7

Mrs. Ben Smith of Tell, sister of Mrs. B. L. Gieger and J. L. Cato, passed away Wednesday morning at 10 a. m. at the Children's hospital. Funeral services will be held Thursday at Children's hospital.

## Many Attend New Postoffice Open House Monday

Between 60 and 70 people attended the open house held at Talco's new postoffice on Monday afternoon, including postmasters from several neighboring towns.

Postmaster L. R. Miller, assisted by his clerks, Mrs. J. C. McGonagill, Marshall E. Jones and Rural Carrier Farris Brown. Mrs. Marshall E. Jones presided at the register and served cold drinks to the visitors.

"We were delighted to have the visitors and they were loud in praise of the new air-conditioned postoffice building and its new fixtures," said Postmaster Miller.

## Talco School Buys Two Large Buses

Superintendent of Schools S. O. Loving has been notified that two new 60 passenger buses that were requisitioned through the State Board of Control have been purchased by that agency for the school and will be ready for delivery by August 1.

These units will be Bluebird bodies mounted on International Harvester Model A-173 chassis 1958 series. Each unit will cost \$3250.00 delivered in Talco. The money for the units was appropriated in the 1957-58 budget and cash is on hand to pay for the units upon delivery.

## YOUTH REVIVAL AT ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Youth revival begins June 15 at the Assembly of God Church at Talco. Rev. Sam Alexander of Dallas, will be in charge. There will be special children's services each day from 9 to 10 a. m. Services in the evening will begin at 7:30 p. m. The youth of Talco and the surrounding area are invited to attend these services, according to Rev. J. H. Sartor, pastor.

## Talco Eastern Star Installs New Officers

At a regular meeting of Talco Chapter No. 846, Order of the Eastern Star, Tuesday night, the newly elected officers were installed. They are: Worthy Matron, Velma Hammond; Worthy Patron, R. J. Rosson; Associate Matron, Mary Matlock; Asso. Patron, Ray Beasley; secretary, Thelma Rosson; treasurer, Kate Beasley; Conductress, Iva McElroy; Asso. Conductress, Ruffene Cook; chaplain, Florence Richardson; marshal, Ruby Pierce; organist, Martha Miller; Adah, Shirley Kaufman; Ruth, Beulah Darling; Esther, Sally Belcher; Martha, Thelma Davis; Electa, Coleen Dixon; Warder, Minnie Stephenson; Sentinel, Jack Thompson and reporter, Ivy Smith.

The hall was beautifully decorated with summer flowers and the installing officers were Elsie Griggs, Rosalee Thompson, Lou Lee Flanagan, Florence Richardson, Ivy Smith, Nettie Hammond and R. E. Hammond of Gordon, sister and brother-in-law of the incoming Worthy Matron. Each of these officers was presented a beautiful corsage of white carnations, tied with the five Eastern Star color ribbons, by Mrs. Hammond.

The out-going Worthy Matron, Lou Lee Flanagan, was presented a lovely Eastern Star ring from the Chapter, in appreciation of her wonderful work during the past year. She responded very graciously, assuring the members that it had, indeed, been a very happy year for her, and thanked them for their splendid cooperation.

After being installed, Velma gave an inspiring address to her new officers, after which several talks were made. When Chapter closed refreshments were served by Iva McElroy, Florence Richardson and Elsie Griggs to about 30 members and guests.

## Rebuilding FM 410 Rugby to Fulbright

Good progress is being made by contractors in rebuilding FM Road 410 from Rugby to the old Rozell gin corner, west of Fulbright.

Utility poles have been set back and the road is being widened. It has always been too narrow and not enough drainage ditches to keep it in first class condition.

## Lightning Bolt Hits Deport Girl

Betty Bennett, 16 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jenks Bennett of Deport, suffered shock and two minor cuts on the legs by a bolt of lightning Thursday afternoon at her home during an electrical storm.

It was reported Betty and her mother were in a bedroom of the Bennett home when lightning struck a bois'd'arc tree outside the house and the bolt came in the house thru a power line and electric fan.

The teenager had been showing her mother the fan and had just set it down at the time. Examination by a physician showed shock and the two minor cuts. The fan was completely demolished and a large hole knocked in the congoleum rug. No fire followed the bolt.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Smith and Jessie, Mrs. Myrtle Thornton and girls, Sandra and Shirley, visited their children, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thornton and Terry. Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Jones, Sharron and Ronnie of Los Angeles, Calif., visited Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Smith, Julia Ann, Sus and Becky of Vista, Calif., and went to Hollywood, visited the program, "It Could Be You," and "Queen for a Day"; went on to Juarez, Mexico and did some shopping. Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Smith were on two weeks' vacation.

Misses Virginia, Gloria and Lillian Bradshaw of Tyler, visited their aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jones and Rusty. They attended a week of Vacation Bible School at the Church of Christ with Rusty. Mr. and Mrs. Jones and Rusty took them home Monday.

Mrs. W. E. Lewis and daughter, Charlotte, and son, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bennett, left Wednesday to join her husband, W. E. Lewis, who is employed at Blanding, Utah.

## Aikin Awarded Dr. Laws Degree



State Senator A. M. Aikin, Jr., of Paris, has a new title—doctor of laws—conferred by Midwestern University, Wichita Falls. Senator Aikin was the graduation speaker for the 97 members of the class of 1958 receiving diplomas.

Known as the friend of education throughout Texas, Senator Aikin earned his bachelor of law degree from Cumberland University, Lebanon, Tenn., in 1932, after graduation from Paris Junior College. His business connections include senior partnership in the law firm of Aikin and Townsend.

## Funeral Tuesday For C. B. Deviney

Funeral services for Charles B. Deviney, 46, was held Tuesday at Detroit First Baptist Church, and burial in Detroit Cemetery.

Deviney died Sunday in a Paris hospital. He was born Sept. 3, 1911, the son of B. L. and Emma Calley Deviney. He married Louise Hargrove in 1940.

Survivors are his wife; a son, Charles Wayne Deviney; a daughter, Charlotte Louise Deviney, all of Detroit; a sister, Mrs. Addie Lee Wilson of San Antonio and a brother, Roy Deviney of Mt. Vernon, formerly of Deport.

## Pickup and U. S. Mail Truck Collide

A pickup truck driven by Joe Morse and the U. S. Mail truck collided Friday at the corner of 3rd and Lilienstern, in Talco. Mr. Morse's 1957 truck was considerably damaged but minor damage was done to the mail truck. No one was hurt. Apparently neither driver saw the other approaching.

## Home-Coming Held At Old Hagansport

Those who attended the homecoming at Old Hagansport Sunday, June 8, were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Earl Crowston and children, Michael Edwards, James Raye and Cynthia Kaye of Pecan street, Mt. Pleasant, Bill Joe Payne, 1533 Gayland Dr., Dallas; Allie Maude Williams of Pawhuska, Ok., Mr. and Mrs. Chum Dyer, Sherri C. Williams, Pawhuska, Ok., Mrs. Jim Payne, Nappie Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Gill of Lakeview, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Henry and son, Billy Max of Mt. Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hunt and son, Frank, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Tully, 835 Gilmer, Sulphur Springs, Mrs. Verlin Watts, Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sneed, Ft. Smith, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. Claude Crane, Kansas City, Mo., David Williams of Pawhuska, Ok.

Mr. and Mrs. Durrell Stevens and children, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Tillery, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Joyce, Mrs. Claudie Smith, Mrs. Maude Dodson, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Joyce, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Gieger and girls, Nancy and Eddie Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Cannon and boys, Kenneth and Doyle Wayne and Robbie Dell, Mrs. Gladys Dyer, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Easterling and Betty, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Mitchell and son, Henry, H. C. Martin and J. D. Allen of Pittsburg, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Crowston and girls, Edith and Anna Lee, Mrs. James Harren and children, Linda and James Carl of Talco, Mrs. Maudie Crowston, Mrs. Belle Swartz, James Cannon, Dallas; Don Cannon, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Holmes and Mary Nell, Mrs. Coy Godfrey and son, Greg, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fulbright and granddaughter, A. J. Fulbright of Mt. Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Jackson and boys, Joseph, James and John of Kansas City, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Burks and Sally of Talco, Jack Towers of Taylor.

There was a nice lunch served at noon. There was a new shed built and by next year we hope to have a larger shed and more tables and benches for everyone to enjoy it more.

## Scattered Showers Hit This Section

Electrical thunderstorms and scattered showers hit this section at intervals during the past week. Some localities reported precipitation heavy, while other sections received very little, or no moisture. Small hail stones accompanied the disturbances in some areas, but little damage resulted from the hail.

Rain measured at Deport showed .23 of an inch fell on Wednesday of last week and .53 of an inch on Thursday. Light scattered hail came with the Thursday shower.

Temperatures remained about the same, from the low 90's to the upper 70's. Summer will not arrive officially for a week, Saturday, June 21.

The moisture was helpful to grasses, gardens and crops, but a good general rain is needed in most areas.

Crops are a little late this season, because of continued rains at planting time. Cotton is being chopped and cleaned of foulness. Harvesting of the grain crop is now underway, and stockmen are putting up hay for winter months.

Small hail stones pelted Bogata for a short time Friday afternoon and two inches of rainfall was measured.

## Miss Janice Matlock Weds Billy Thomas

Janice Matlock and Billy Thomas were married Saturday night at Hugo, Okla., by a Baptist minister.

Janice is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Drue Matlock of Talco and Billy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Thomas of Mt. Pleasant.

The groom graduated from Mt. Pleasant High School and is self-employed. The bride is a graduate of Talco High School and is employed by Lone Star Steel at Lone Star.

The couple will make their home at 207 Taylor Apartments, North Jefferson, Mt. Pleasant.

## Red River Singers At Dimple June 15

Red River County singers will convene at Dimple, about eight miles north of Clarksville on Highway 37, for the annual singing convention, Sunday, June 15. The all day affair is scheduled to get underway at 10:30 a. m. All singers from this area are invited to attend, and participate in the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Rodgers and sons will leave Friday for Ft. Worth, where Mr. Rodgers will be employed with Convair Aircraft. They will reside at 1518 Lincoln Ave.

## Deport Firm is Successful Bidder

Lamar County Commissioners Court continued its money-saving campaign Monday, making their first bulk purchase of bolts, nails and grader blades for the Road and Bridge Departments of the four precincts.

In the past, each precinct had done its own buying of the materials.

The Commissioners Court accepted bids Monday on 100 kegs of spikes, 35 sets of grader blades and 525 machine bolts at a definite saving over previous prices.

Deport Lumber & Hardware Company entered the successful bid of \$146.42 for 525 machine bolts of varied sizes, for 90 kegs of size 40 needle point spike nails at \$11.50 per keg and 10 kegs of size 60 needle point spike nails at \$11.45 per keg.

## Robbers Attack Patrolman's Wife

All area law enforcement units were alerted Wednesday night after two armed robbers took approximately \$500 from the H. A. Clement grocery store at Paris. Constable W. J. Corbell of Bogata, had reached Rugby when notified by radio that two Dallas men had been arrested at a Detroit cafe.

Mrs. Max Womack, highway patrolman's wife, was reportedly hospitalized from injuries received when one of the men pistol-whipped her during the robbery.

## OIL NEWS

Application to drill an oil test in Lamar County has been made by Dr. J. R. Gill and Associates, operator. No. 1 W. J. Turner, lease. T. G. Wright survey, 330 ft. south of north line, 330 ft. west of east line. Proposed depth 2500 ft.

Location falls six miles north-east of Powderly at 330 from the north and east lines of a 236-acre tract in the T. G. Wright survey. Permit calls for 2,500 feet.

## Lightning Causes Two Minor Fires

Two fires, neither one causing serious damage, were caused by lightning striking electrical connections during a thunderstorm Friday in Talco.

The fire department was called first to the home of Miss Blanche Gieger, where the wiring had been struck, and then to the home of Jess Blackburn, when Mrs. Lester Watts reported the electric meter was on fire.



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## Halesboro Home Coming June 22

Plans are underway for a homecoming at Halesboro on Sunday, June 22. A picnic lunch is being planned for the noon hour, to which all former and local residents are invited.

Mrs. Kenyon Eaton of New London, visited her mother, Mrs. W. A. Perdue, Wednesday.

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**DISTRICT JUDGE Sarah Hughes** of Dallas, was in this area last week seeking votes for Supreme Court judge. Sarah is a New Dealer from "way-back" and will not receive our vote. A recent poll conducted by the Dallas Bar Association gave Judge Joe Greenhill of Travis County 419 votes to her 315. Lawyers usually know more about the qualifications of a candidate for judge of a high court than do laymen and we usually follow their recommendations. Dallas lawyers probably know District Judge Hughes very well.

## Cub Scouts Visit Mt. Pleasant

Cub Scouts of Den 1, Pack 205, enjoyed a trip to Mt. Pleasant Tuesday. They had lunch, the boys having the privilege of anything on the menu. Five of the six ordered hamburgers. The group visited the court house, where court was in session. Next they toured the county jail. Most interesting item there was the place to hang people. A tour of the Butternut Bakery followed with the boys receiving bread samples. They visited KIMP where they gave their names over the radio and dedicated songs to round out the day. Mrs. C. W. North served cookies and punch at their new home.

Attending were Larry and Danny Cotten, Donald North, Jerry Scarlett, Lyndon Reed, all Cubs from Den 1, Mrs. L. L. Reed and Mike, Mrs. Fred Scarlett and Mrs. Dan Cotten, Den Mothers.

## Ann Bell to Wed R. G. (Woody) Duffee

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bell of Rosalie, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Ann, to R. G. (Woody) Duffee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Duffee of White Sands, N. M., formerly of Bogata. The ceremony will take place at Rosalie Baptist Church on June 21 at 8 p. m.

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## EDITORIALLY SPEAKING

BURT LOCKHART  
in Pittsburg Gazette

The dreamers of Yesterday are the builders of Today.

If Uncle Sam was not so good natured he would not let so many nations pick his pockets.

Learn to do things for yourself like your father did before the government took over the job.

Many a man who makes a fool of himself has no better outlet for his talent than on television.

With 4-cent letter postage coming up, the 3-cent postcard may be moving up into better society.

The man in the moon misses a great deal by not reading the papers. He would learn that he might have company very soon.

One hundred and seventy-four million Americans can't be wrong. As long as they work, build, save and have faith in their country they are safe.

Our reader up the street is convinced that Satan is not going to punish him in the next world because he does everything here he wants him to.

In the old days only one sheep strayed from the fold. A look at the newspapers of today will reveal a different ratio. The ninety and nine seem to have gone modern.

When we were a boy the boys who were able to buy a ticket to the circus got free passes. Those of us who were not able to pay our way had to carry water for the elephants.

Millions of boys are out of school for a long vacation. A fine opportunity for many to learn a trade—something they can carry around in their vest pocket—in case.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Goodroe, Melia, John Delbert and Sherry Sikes spent Friday to Sunday with Mrs. Goodroe's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. LeGrande Cato, Ann and Sandra of Mineral Wells.

**ANSWER EMBARRASSING**  
"Look here," said the sales manager, "you've put down on this expense account \$17.20 for train fare from Chicago to Jonesville. It so happens that I used to live in Jonesville, and the ticket actually cost you \$4.43. What about that?"

"H-m-m. Let's see now... hm-m-m..."

"What's the matter? Does my question embarrass you?"

"Not at all, but my answer does."

**SUPERIOR JUDGMENT**  
"Are you acquainted with any of the jurymen?" the District Attorney asked the elderly witness.

"Are you willing to swear that you know more than half of them?" persisted the D. A.

The old fellow flicked a glance over the jury box.

"If you want to put it that way," he drawled, "I'm willing to swear I know more than all of them put together."

**ADVICE TO THE "SLEEPER"**  
The guest came downstairs after his first night in a country hotel. "I trust you had a comfortable night," said the proprietor.

"I had a terrible night!" snapped the guest. "I didn't close my eyes all night."

"Well that's your fault," replied the proprietor. "If you want to sleep, you gotta close your eyes."

**COULD BE**  
"Mama," asked 7-year-old Clara, "what does transatlantic mean?"

"Across the Atlantic, of course," replied her mother. "Trans always means 'across.'"

"Then, I suppose," continued Clara, "that transparent means a cross parent."

**UNIMPORTANT DETAIL**  
When one beautiful gold digger asked another why a girl of her age and talents would marry a wealthy old man, she replied:

"Listen, if anyone offered you a check for a million dollars, would you stop to look at the date?"

## Miss Worthington Weds B. D. Williams Saturday Ceremony

Miss Patsy Joann Worthington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Worthington, Talco, and Bill D. Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe F. Williams, Mt. Pleasant, were married Saturday evening in the First Methodist Church.

Rev. J. W. Polk of Annona, assisted by Rev. Dale Smith, Talco, officiated at the double ring ceremony before an altar centered with the lighted cross and the open Bible. The two baskets of white gladioli flanked by the candelabra. Tasseled roping marked the family pews.

Traditional wedding music was played at the organ by Mrs. Vernon Martin. Paul Clark of Houston, sang "Because" and "Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us."

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore ballerina length gown of hand-clipped Chantilly lace and tulle over taffeta. The molded bodice was topped by a mandarin collar, featuring tiny lace covered buttons from the neck to below the waist line, which were also used on the long sleeves that tapered to points at her wrists. The bouffant skirt featured lace panels with side lace ruffles.

Her two tiered veil of French illusion was accented with seed pearls and attached to a crown of rose point lace adorned with seed pearls. She carried a white Bible centered with a white orchid, French carnations and Lilies of the Valley, streamers with love knots and Lilies of the Valley.

The bridesmaids were Susan Williams, sister of the groom, of Mt. Pleasant, and Nancy Kelly of Talco. Maid of honor was Martha Johniken, Talco. They were dressed in long waisted dresses with full skirts of powder blue taffeta, and hats of blue with short veils; they carried colonial bouquets made with shredded white carnations.

James Johnson of Baytown, was best man, and David Hanes and Thomas Hanes of Mt. Pleasant were ushers.

The bride's mother was attired in a dusty rose lace dress and hat with white accessories, and a white corsage. The groom's mother was attired in powder blue linen and white accessories and a white corsage.

The wedding reception was held in the Humble recreation hall. The bridesmaids bouquets centered the serving table. The table was covered with net over blue embossed with love birds and wedding bells. The three tiered cake topped by the miniature bride and groom, blue rose petals mints and fruit punch were served to the guests. Judy Cain served at the register. Mrs. Glynn Slaughter poured, and Miss Becky Foster cut the cake.

The couple left for a honeymoon in Shreveport, La. The bride's going away costume was a navy silk shantung sheath with empire jacket and pleated cummerbund, white accessories and white orchid corsage.

The bride is a graduate of Talco High School and attended Paris Junior College. The groom is a graduate of Mt. Pleasant High School and received his B. A. degree June 2 from East Texas Baptist College in Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Worthington were hosts for the rehearsal dinner held Friday night at the Alps Cafe in Mt. Pleasant. Twenty-four guests were present, members of the bridal party, relatives and friends.

Out of town guests for the wedding included Mrs. J. W. Polk, Annona; Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Mabry, Miss Kathy Sullivan, Miss Betty Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Williams, Tyler; Mrs. B. F. Williams, Jefferson; Mr. and Mrs. Neil Bailey and Miss Nancy Bailey, Longview; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Williams and Mrs. J. L. Kershner, Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lowden, Miss Judy Lowden and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Martin, Sr., Bastrop; Richard Lee Martin and Miss Shirley Hooks, Ft. Worth; W. D. Martin Jr., Shawnee, Ok.; Edward Lee Baucum, Daingerfield; Mrs. Jessie Davis, Bogata; Miss Nita Smith, Whiteface; Dr. and Mrs. George Grout, Hagensport; Miss Martha Brown, Dallas; Glenn Slaughter, Mrs. Jerry Homer, Mrs. John Hanes, Miss Mary Nell Hanes, George Richey, Joe Rue Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Hensley, Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. Billy Ray Dickerson entertained Miss Christelle Cato, Miss Nelda Jones and Mrs. Jerry Jones with a movie and bag of popcorn Tuesday night at Mt. Pleasant.

## WILKINSON

By MRS. MORRIS BLALOCK  
Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Blalock and boys of Mt. Pleasant, visited in the Morris and A. T. Blalock homes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Remus Burgin of Mt. Pleasant, visited Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock, Saturday.

Earl O. Tennon of Sulphur Springs, will be principal of the Wilkinson school for the next school term.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Blalock, Pallie, Dorothy and Marcia of Dallas, spent their vacation seeing some of the states. They left Wednesday, went through Arkansas and Missouri and spent the night in Illinois. Left there on Thursday morning and went thru Kentucky, saw the Hermitage, home of Gen. Andrew Jackson, near Nashville, Tenn., spent Thursday night in Athens, Ala. Left there Friday morning, going to Vicksburg, Miss., spent the night and left there Saturday morning for Princeton, La., where his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Blalock, live; visited a while with them, then came home Saturday night. All enjoyed a nice trip for the first time in 32 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Franks and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kay at Mt. Pleasant, Saturday.

Sisters who returned home Sunday to Dallas after a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Blalock were Mrs. Beulah Dowkins and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hood and baby. The nieces who stayed for a two weeks' visit are Linda, Karen and Janice Hood.

Mrs. Mary Britt and Mrs. Liza Howard of Batesville, Ark., are here visiting their sister, Mrs. M. J. Dyke, for several weeks. Dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Phillips were Mrs. Mary Britt and Mrs. Liza Howard of Batesville, Ark., Mrs. M. J. Dyke, Mr. and Mrs. Newell Landrum and children of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Blalock and children, Rev. and Mrs. L. V. Smith and boys of Lone Star. Those visiting in the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Dave Neeley of Talco, Allen and Clarence Dyke, Mrs. Opal Dyke and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Muckleber of Longview, visited Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Haren and other relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thompson and children of Mt. Pleasant, visited Mrs. Donnie Thompson, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Buchanan of Dallas, visited Mrs. Buchanan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dyke and Linda Sue and Joyce returned home with them for a two weeks' visit.

Airman 2c Richard L. Haren of Waco, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Haren, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Buris Criswell and children are visiting in Amarillo this week.

Mrs. Sally Haren left recently for a week's visit with her granddaughter, Mrs. Ellis Paul Allen and family of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Brownlee and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ship and son of Mt. Pleasant, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Harris.

Mrs. Vernon Riddle and daughter visited her mother, Mrs. Ruth Buchanan, Sunday evening.

Mr. Kenneth Baxley and boys of Mt. Pleasant, visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Jones, Mrs. R. L. Randles of Maple Springs, spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Cedric Martin of Dallas and Cecil Bevil and daughter of Houston, were Sunday evening visitors in the A. T. Blalock home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock visited their daughter in Dallas on Thursday. Remus Burgin of Talco, accompanied them and visited his niece, Mrs. Freeman. They returned home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Meeks announce the arrival of a son on June 7, weight 6 lbs. 5 ozs., name, Steven. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Williams, formerly of Talco.

Wayne Bradley and Miss Judy Fox of Mt. Pleasant, visited his aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Welch, Monday night. Mr. Bradley is enroute to Westover Air Force Base in Massachusetts.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Hendrix, Waiter and Gene Lightsey visited their son and family, Mr. and

**MONUMENTS**  
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## Going Away Party For W. W. Richesons

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Richesons and Gene were given a going-away reception at the Humble Recreation hall Wednesday night at 8 p. m. Refreshments of cold drinks and cookies were served to a host of friends. The reception was opened by singing several songs and prayer by Bro. Earl Smith, after which talks were made by Felix Jones, Bob Parker and R. R. Kelley. The display table was laid in pink with beautiful flowers. The Richesons received many beautiful and useful gifts. Friends of all the congregations of the churches in Talco attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Richesons and Gene will be missed by their many friends as Mrs. Richesons taught school here for several years. Gene received highest honors in Talco High School this year. Mr. Richesons, an employee of Humble Oil and Refining Co., was transferred to Spearman. We regret to lose these good people but wish them happiness and success in their new home.

## Two Franklin Girls Engagement Told

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Franklin of Mt. Pleasant, formerly of Talco, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mary Zula to Jimmy E. Wren. The groom-to-be is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wren, Bossier City, La.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Mt. Pleasant High School and attended Abilene Christian College. Her fiancé graduate from Bossier High School in 1956, and is presently employed in Shreveport, where the couple plan to make their home.

The bride-elect's sister, Patricia Ann Franklin, will be married to Lowell Dean McCoy at the same time in a double wedding ceremony to be held at the Southside Church of Christ on June 30. The engagement announcement of the latter couple was made in February.

## Magnolia Ladies Hold Meeting

Magnolia Ladies Club met on Thursday with a small attendance, due to the vacation season. Mrs. C. B. Baremore, president, presided over a short business meeting. Mrs. R. H. Achley invited the group to her home for the next meeting which will be on July 10, due to the 4th holiday. She lives at 202 W. Holland, in Henderson Heights at Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. Dan Cotten and Mrs. L. L. Reed served refreshments of sandwiches, chips and punch to Mrs. R. H. Achley, Mrs. C. B. Baremore, Mrs. W. F. Cockrell and Sharon McDowell of Mt. Pleasant, Mrs. Don Clements, Mrs. H. M. McMasters, Mrs. Fred Coker and Mrs. Roy Beasley.

## FISH FRY HONORS TWO BIRTHDAYS

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lewis were honored with a fish fry on their birthday Friday. Mrs. Lewis was 68 years old and Mr. Lewis was 76 years old. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Lewis, Judy and Jacolyn of Texarkana, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Russell, Ricky and Rocky of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Rodgers, Randy and Marc of Ft. Worth, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Rodgers and Monty, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Lewis, Charles, Martha, Hansen Rikard Jr., of Casper, Wyo., Gene Richeson, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Frye, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Lewis, Sylvia and Mike, Mrs. W. E. Lewis and Charlotte.

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## Political Announcements

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

**For Congress 1st District—**  
WRIGHT PATMAN  
(Re-Election)

**For State Representative—**  
JAMES V. ADAMS

**For County Judge—**  
HARRY TAYLOR  
CARL W. PITTMAN  
CLYDE T. HOLCOMB

**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—**  
CECIL FRANKLIN  
CLARENCE C. CLARK

## WANT ADS

Rates: 3 cents per word first insertion; 2 cents per word each additional insertion. No ad accepted for less than 50 cents per issue. Terms cash unless you are a regular advertiser in this newspaper.

**FOR SALE—**Four room house in Humble Camp; to be moved, \$500. T. W. Blalock. 18-p

**FOR SALE—**One Humble super-visor's house to be moved; 5 rooms and bath, glassed in sleeping porch, also attic fan. Priced to sell. To see house, ask for Jack Winn, Talco, between 3 and 7 p. m.

**BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY—**Local area Man or Lady wanted to service and collect from coin-operated dispensing equipment. 4 to 9 hours weekly earns operator up to \$290 monthly. No age limit or selling but must have car, references and \$800 to \$1600 working capital. For interview give personal particulars, phone number. Write Box 4728, Dallas 6, Texas. dbt-19p

**OPPORTUNITY—**Man or Woman. Responsible person from this area, to service and collect from automatic dispensers. No selling. Age not essential. Car, references, and \$400.00 to \$700.00 investment necessary. 7 to 12 hours weekly nets excellent monthly income. Possibility fulltime work. For local interview give phone and particulars. Write P. O. Box 146, Minneapolis 40, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Cain, Debra and Jimmy of Gregton, spent the week end with her mother and sisters, Mrs. Nora Williams and Wanda, Mrs. Roy Primm and Mr. Primm.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Fail left Friday to visit her mother, Mrs. E. C. Lane, of Breckenridge and also visit their son, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fail and family of Lamesa. They will return home Thursday.

Jo Ann Mankins accompanied her aunt, Mrs. Ernest Smith, to Bonham Monday to spend the night with her cousins, Linda and Laura Lee Austin and attend a music recital in which Laura Lee took part.

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## HAGANSPORT

There will be community singing at Fairview Chapel next Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Grout were in Deport and Bogata on Friday of last week on business.

Barbara Pamey is expected to return home from Farmersville Saturday. She has been there for about two weeks visiting relatives.

Mrs. Pipkin is feeling somewhat better and attended the party at Mrs. Flora Brews last week.

Mrs. Fannie Pearl Smith of Mt. Pleasant, called on Mrs. J. H. Clawson last week.

M. L. Barron Jr. will be home for a few days before going to camp in Georgia.

M. L. Barron of Lakeview, has sold his store to Howard Edge. Mrs. Frank Lentz of Dallas, visited this week with her sister, Mrs. W. C. Clevenger.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Clevenger and daughters of Dallas, spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. W. C. Clevenger.

Mary Linda Coe and Kay Carrell of Mt. Vernon, spent Friday with Sandra King in the L. K. Day home.

Mrs. Woodrow Henry of Mt. Pleasant, is in the hospital at Mt. Pleasant.

Jimmie Moore of Dike, spent the week with J. Burns and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burns of Hagensport.

Mrs. Burrell Toon of Brasher, spent Thursday night with her sister, Mrs. L. B. Sheppard. Noble Sheppard and family came down Saturday from Hooks to visit their parents and grandparents.

Billy Brock went to Kilgore Sunday to visit his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brock. Mrs. Brock and Tommy left Tuesday and will take Billy to a specialist at Kilgore.

Janice Davis and Marilyn Kirl spent the week end in Denton. Janice attended a wedding and visited friends and Marilyn visited Barbara Watson, who is attending NTSC.

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# LOCAL NEWS

**MRS. NORA WILLIAMS**  
Local Reporter  
Phone  
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John Stockton is seriously ill at his home.

Mrs. Fred Coker is in the Titus County Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Smelley spent the week end in Cross Plains.

Rex Wood of Arp, visited friends in Talco Friday and Saturday.

Roy Primm and C. B. Presley were in Greenville on business Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Knight of Dallas, brought Ma Dillard home Tuesday.

Mrs. L. M. Wyatt and Duke visited friends in Nashville, Ark., Saturday.

Mrs. Jessie Davis and daughter of Bogata, visited Mrs. L. R. Miller, Tuesday.

Duane Welch of Daingerfield, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Welch, Sunday.

Mrs. Alex Waddell and Chris and her nephew left Wednesday to vacation in Nebraska.

Troy Lewis and Billy Joe Vickers fished at Narrows Lake in Arkansas over the week end.

Mrs. Buster Case visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Nix of Daingerfield, Saturday.

Mrs. J. L. Kershner and sons, Johnny and Barry of Houston, visited Mrs. R. T. Fuller Tuesday.

Billy Brock spent Friday night in a Mt. Pleasant hospital, after having an attack of appendicitis.

Mrs. J. T. Lorraine, Mrs. V. L. Taylor and Ma Dillard attended a funeral at Leonard Wednesday.

Mrs. Pearl Hays visited her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Welch, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob McMillian of Ft. Worth, visited her mother, Mrs. W. M. King, over the week end.

O. O. Hunsburger and J. R. Lewis visited Mrs. Hunsburger at a rest home at Naples, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fite of Austin, visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Adams, over the week end.

Mrs. Elizabeth Elkins of Fayetteville, Ark., visited her father and family, Mr. and Mrs. Louie Elkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jones entertained their friends with a picnic and swim at Delwood Park Saturday.

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Mrs. Sammie Davis was reported recovering after major surgery at Red River County Hospital in Clarksville.

Jackie Winn visited her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Kenyon Eaton and Nancy of New London the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Winn went down Saturday night and Jackie and Nancy returned home with them Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Brock and boys attended the Brock family reunion at Henrietta Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. J. T. Lorraine of Corpus Christi, is visiting her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Taylor and Johnny.

Mrs. B. L. Gieger and J. L. Cato were called to the bedside of their sister, Mrs. Byran Smith of Childress, Friday.

Rev. James Shaffer of Dallas, delivered the Sunday morning and evening sermons at the First Baptist Church.

Vacation Bible School closed Friday morning at 10:00 with exercises following at the First Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Gandy left Friday to spend a few days in Austin. While there they attended the Gandy reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Lewis and girls of Texarkana, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lewis, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Norwood are visiting her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Rodgers and Luanne of Sunray.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Rodgers were in Ft. Worth Thursday to rent an apartment. Mr. Rodgers is employed there.

Mrs. E. G. White has been moved from the Talco Clinic to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Nell Nix in Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Blain and Jimmy of Odessa, visited her father, W. B. Harris and other relatives over the week end.

Mrs. G. G. Ryan, Ross Morris, Mrs. Jim Morris and Kenneth Pirtle are attending summer classes at ETSC, Commerce.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jones had as guests, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Crews and boys, Hal and Ted, of Ft. Worth, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Frye, Mrs. Roy Primm and Sye Lansford of Kilgore, fished at Caddo Saturday and report a big catch.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rogers of Maud, visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Lewis, Becky and Brenda, Thursday and Friday.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lewis over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Russell, Ricky and Rocky of Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. Billy Joe Pope of Smackover, Ark., returned home Tuesday after visiting her father, J. A. Stockton, who is seriously ill at his home.

Vacation Bible school closed at the Calvary Baptist Church Wednesday morning with good attendance and a program Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jones and Rusty took Mrs. Jones' nieces, Linda and Carolyn Bradshaw, to their home at Tyler Friday. She had been visiting the Jones and attending Vacation Bible School at the Church of Christ.

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# TEN AND TWENTY YEARS AGO

Condensed from Back Files of The Talco Times for Dates Indicated

## Week of June 11, 1948

W. W. Mason had announced his candidacy for the office of County Judge.

The street leading east to Meadows Curve had received a new oiling and grading.

Mrs. Rice Kirby and Mrs. I. L. Reed had been selected to attend an American Legion and Auxiliary convention in Mt. Pleasant.

James Olan Adams had been killed, and Fred Freeman injured, when the car in which they were riding crashed into the side of a Waits bus, five miles north of Mt. Pleasant.

Deaths: Mrs. G. B. Stanton at Bogata; George Morrison, 78, former Red River County judge and court clerk, at his Clarksville home.

New officers for Talco Eastern Star were Elnora Ford, Burl Leftwich, Raymond Rosson, Elsie Griggs, Beatrice Jones, Ione Sloan, Opal Stracener, Winnie Bell Davis, Nina Pea, Bess Pittman, Florence Richardson, Katie Burnham, Rosalie Thompson, Lue Lee Flanagan, Louise Ray, Evelyn Leftwich, Trenton Pea.

Rev. and Mrs. A. R. Morgan were moving to their new home at Holliday after two years of service at Talco. Rev. C. D. King was replacing him.

Billy Perdue, who had attended Abilene Christian College for two years, was spending the summer with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Perdue.

Miss Patricia Ryan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Ryan, had been presented in a program at PJC under the direction of DeWitt studio of dance.

Mrs. Jennie Stephenson and J. D. Crane of Hamilton, had married.

Mrs. Jim Morris had been hostess to the Book Lovers Club in their last meeting until the fall season. Mrs. W. W. Neugent had

Mr. and Mrs. Will Singleton and Mrs. Leora Stevenson are visiting friends and relatives in Oklahoma City for a week.

Mrs. D. J. Smelley left Tuesday to spend a week with her mother, Mrs. L. W. Hendon of Richland and Mrs. J. R. Swink of Freer.

Walter and Gene Lightsey of Houston, are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Lightsey and Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Hendrix.

The Vacation Bible School at the Church of Christ ended Friday morning. They had a good attendance and two were baptized.

Mrs. E. W. Smith visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Mankins and her brother, Preston and Leston Mankins of Mt. Pleasant, Thursday.

## Week of June 10, 1938

Mrs. Edna Lassater, 97, one of Titus County's oldest residents, had died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Sherman Calloway.

Seven stitches were required to close a gash on the leg of a small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lolas Webster when she fell on a broken fruit jar.

Gilbert Smith, aged resident of Sulphur Springs, had suffered a crushed arm as the result of a milk truck collision.

Funeral services had been conducted for Mrs. Ellen Temple, 67, Charles E. Allen had died at his home in the Green Hill community.

A. P. Kirkpatrick had died at his home east of Talco and was buried at Yantis in Wood County.

Twin calves had been born to a Jersey milk cow belonging to Tucker Quinton of Bogata.

W. R. Morgan was the new county agent of Titus County.

Work was progressing rapidly on the new school building and plumbing was being installed.

Miss Pauline Graf of Talco, had undergone a major operation at Grant Hospital in Deport.

Miss Marjorie Holloway, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Holloway, and Wilson F. Hyman of Tomball, had been married at Tyler.

L. O. Holloway, George Anderson and J. E. McConnell had attended a company barbecue at Longview.

C. F. Streetman had purchased the property of A. E. Malone and he and his family had moved there to make their home.

Miss Lula Jim Kelley had graduated from college at Boston, Mass.

Growers were being paid from \$1.50 to \$1.80 per 100 lbs. for tomatoes.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Porter, Donna and Mike of Mt. Pleasant, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Coye Case, Don and Dan, Sunday.

James Dunn of Ft. Gordon, Ga., Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Rodgers and Judy of Mt. Pleasant, are visiting their grandfather, John Stockton.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Williams and Sharron visited his sister, Mrs. James Meeks and nephew, Steven at Gilmer hospital Saturday night.

Mrs. E. W. Smith visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Mankins and her brother, Preston and Leston Mankins of Mt. Pleasant, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Martin and girls of Texarkana, spent Monday and Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Don Clements, Randy and Linda.

Jerry Welch of Ft. Worth, spent a few days with his uncle, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Welch and his grandmother, Mrs. Minnie Vickers of Paris.

Melvin Tapp of Dallas, spent Monday night with his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Tapp. Mrs. Tapp returned home with him for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Holder Jr. and family of Marshall, spent the week end with his father and sister, Clyde Holder and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Morris.

Mrs. Olen Williams and Sharon left Friday to spend the week end in Dallas, where they attended the wedding of Mrs. Williams' niece, Shirley Tunnell.

Mrs. Bill Sosebee and grandson, Pete Gordon, returned home Sunday after spending a week with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Sosebee of Waco.

Mrs. Edwin Stewart and Karen of Granie, Ark., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Northam, over the week end. Karen remained for a longer visit.

Mrs. W. T. Lewis and Mrs. Billy Joe Vickers visited their sister, Mrs. Ray Taylor of Redwater, Saturday night and Sunday. While there they also attended an all-day get-together for friends and neighbors.

Gas line employees drilled under U. S. 271 near Rivercrest Electric plant Tuesday with a small line. Don't know where it is headed, but wonder if Lone Star is planning to serve Johnstown with natural gas.

Mrs. Sallie Gage visited Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Davis and Mike and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Sanders, Billy, Jim and Cindy of El Paso, Sunday and Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Sanders are all graduates of Talco High School. Mrs. Sanders is the former Aileen Secord.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Harris and Barbara and Mrs. M. M. Barrett returned home Thursday after visiting Mr. Barrett in the M. D. Anderson Hospital at Houston. While there they visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Seale. Mrs. Seale is the former Pauline Norris of Talco.

Mrs. Elizabeth Tapp and Mrs. Nora Williams visited Mrs. Frank Guthrie, Mr. and Mrs. Will Rasor of Commerce and Mr. and Mrs. Eli Gentry of Sulphur Springs, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Morris and Janice of Hobbs, N. M., spent Friday thru Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Morris, Darrell, Gerald Ben and Andy. Gerald Ben returned home with them for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. John Northam and Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Butler visited their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Northam and Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Butler visited their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Northam and children of Manchester, Tenn., for a week

Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Miller were hostesses to the Young Adult Class of the Methodist Church at their lake house at Lone Star for an outing Wednesday night. Swimming, boating and skiing and fishing preceded a steak supper. Those enjoying the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Ross Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Burton, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Bolin and Amelia, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Cotten, Rev. and Mrs. Dale Smith, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Adams.

Mrs. Sallie Gage returned Tuesday from the Texas Association of Accredited Beauty Culturists state convention held in El Paso. This was the 27th annual meeting. She attended the Board of Directors meeting Saturday morning at the Cortez Hotel prior to the convention delegate sessions on Sunday and Monday, and served on the State's Beauty Magazine committee. Mrs. Gage is director of Northeast Texas and also served as a delegate, giving a report on NET Unit 75 activities.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Teague accompanied by their daughter and family, Mrs. Joda Nelson and girls of Nashville, Ark., arrived home Wednesday after visiting their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Teague and family of Wichita, Kans. They returned by Nashville to see Neva Jo perform in a recital.

Week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Worthington were Mrs. Jessie Davis of Bogata, Mrs. J. L. Kershner of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Martin Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lowden and Judy Bastrop, Richard Lee Martin of Ft. Worth, Miss Shirley Hooks of Ft. Worth, W. B. Martin Jr., a nephew, of Shawnee, Ok.

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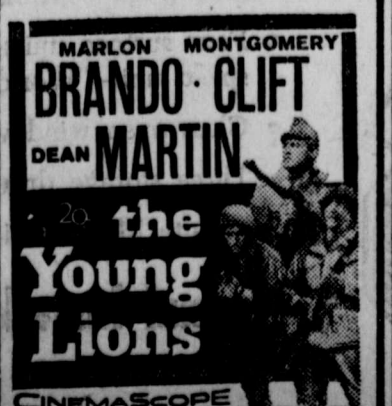
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## FROM YOUR STATE CAPITOL HIGHLIGHTS AND SIDELIGHTS

By VERN SANFORD, Texas Press Association

Austin.—Texas Board for State Hospitals and Special Schools is working toward getting a gold star when an economy-minded Legislature hits Austin next year.

Launching a new tight-purse policy, the Board voted to prohibit superintendents of individual state institutions from (1) using leftover funds without Board permission and (2) making any expenditure of more than \$1,000 without Board approval.

Sometimes individual hospitals develop surplus funds resulting from smaller patient loads than had been expected, or other reduced costs. New rule puts an end to no-strings-attached spending of such surpluses. These lapsed funds could amount to as much as one million dollars, according to Board Member W. G. Kirklind of Odessa.

**CHILL WIND** — Hospital Board's move pinpointed the spot where the state's money shortage is expected to pinch hardest — administration of state's services.

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A revenue shortage in excess of \$100,000,000 by next year has been freely predicted by various authorities for months.

A survey of the platforms of legislative candidates over the state shows a fairly consistent approach by those making statements on the revenue dilemma. General pattern of promises to voters:

(1) Continuation or, often, increase in state obligation for education, welfare payments, road building, soil and water conservation, etc.

(2) Opposition to certain new taxes or sometimes new taxes in general.

(3) Cuts in state spending by "elimination of waste, duplication and needless services by state agencies."

Actual achievement or near-achievement of this fiscal magic will put a real squeeze on every state department.

**NOT ME** — Likelihood that someone may draw the "black bean" of new state taxes has group after group telling the State Tax Commission how overburdened they are already.

A spokesman for the Texas Motor Bus Association told the Commission taxes on that industry are heavy and discriminatory. He said many smaller lines were having to go out of business.

A representative of retired people asked tax relief for people living on pensions.

"We are no longer concerned with saving the goose that lays the golden eggs. Our goose was cooked when we lost our ability to work and earn," said W. B. Wood of Port Arthur.

On behalf of the Texas Association for Tax Relief for Texans over 65, Wood asked for tax exemption for the first \$3,000 of property owned by oldsters. He also opposed a sales tax.

Discrimination is charged because the law applies to wholesalers but not to producers who sell only the output of their own flocks. Suit also objects to the provision that makes violations a criminal offense and the requirement that eggs kept under refrigeration for 30 days or more be labeled "cold storage eggs."

**REPUBLICAN** — Texas Supreme Court is considering the question of whether a former Democrat candidate is entitled to a position on the Republican primary ballot.

Grover Cantrell, Dallas labor leader and onetime Democratic candidate for the Legislature attempted to file against Texas' only Republican congressman, Bruce Alger. He called himself a "Stevenson Republican," an apparent parody of Eisenhower Democrats.

A lower court ruled that Cantrell, as a member of one party,

### JOHNTOWN

By MRS. G. A. VAUGHAN  
Mrs. J. B. Roberts left Wednesday for Dallas to attend Mrs. Howard Potter, who is scheduled for surgery Thursday.

Mrs. Jackie Watson and two children are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Barnard.

Mr. and Mrs. Carleton Holder and daughter, Janice of Cisco, was not entitled to seek nomination in another party's primary. Cantrell appealed to the high court.

Since there is usually only one nominee for each office, Republican primaries do not ordinarily attract a heavy vote. It is widely assumed that many Republicans cross party lines to vote in Democratic primaries where most state offices are decided.

Cantrell's candidacy is generally interpreted as a move to force Republicans to stay in their own primary.

**DIESEL TAX CHANGE** — Proposed revisions in the diesel fuel tax law are being planned by the State Comptroller's Department.

Next Legislature will be asked to change the law so diesel fuel taxes would be collected from the wholesale distributor rather than the user, said a Department official. This is expected to make it easier for tax agents to keep track of consumption and purchases.

Comptroller's Department staffers admit that there are some evasions of the state motor fuel tax, but contend that Texas collects more per vehicle than any other major state. They discount tax too large Sen. Charles Herring's guess that some \$25,000,000 in fuel taxes went uncollected.

Senate investigating committee looked into records in the Houston area to discover if small staffs, vague laws or insufficient penalties were causing the state to lose revenue.

**OVER THE HUMP** — Texas' general revenue fund is back in the black, according to State Comptroller Robert Calvert.

During the spring, state expenditures got ahead of tax receipts. A month ago the fund was in the red by some \$1,250,000. But collection of corporation franchise taxes and insurance company occupation taxes during the month put finances back on schedule.

Now there's more than \$12,000,000 in the fund, said Calvert.

**THINNING RANKS** — Withdrawal of Joe Booker of Orange reduced to four the number in the governor's race.

Alvis Vandygriff, Austin attorney, dropped out earlier.

Still opposing Gov. Price Daniel are W. Lee O'Daniel, State Sen. Henry B. Gonzalez and Joe Irwin of Dallas.

spent the week end in the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Kenneth York and Mr. York.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Hervey and family of Bisbee, Ariz., are visiting her mother, Mrs. A. M. Coats and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Tucker and baby of Clarksville, visited Mrs. W. W. Black, Rachel and Rosie Pearl, over the week end.

Mrs. Arthur Weisenflum and children of Blossom, are visiting her father, J. O. Cooper, and other relatives.

Mary Ann Vaughan was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Thomas and family of Pittsburg from Thursday until Sunday.

Rev. Will Allen of Mt. Pleasant, was a visitor at the Baptist church Sunday. Others from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Carleton Holder and daughter of Cisco.

Mrs. W. A. Black was in Deport Monday for medical attention.

Miss Nona Hawkins, who spent the past week with relatives here, accompanied her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hawkins to their home in Longview Sunday. Mrs. Hawkins was in Bogata for dental work Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jones and sons of Sonora, are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Black and Mrs. Joe Jones of Bogata.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Vaughan received word from their son, Pvt. Avret L. Vaughan of Ft. Bliss, that he had the good fortune to meet Duane King, formerly of Fulbright and had a short chat. King is also stationed at Ft. Bliss. Mrs. A. L. Vaughan left Bogata Thursday to join her husband there.

Mrs. T. W. Smith and daughter, Mrs. Vivian Westbrook of Bogata, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Vaughan, Sunday.

Mrs. D. A. Baxter spent Friday and Saturday with her son, Charles V. Morris and family at Daphny.

Mrs. Ben Watkins and daughter, Mrs. Vivian Watson of Lorenzo, visited their sister and aunt, Mrs. Fred Whitten Sr. and Mr. Whitten, recently.

Mrs. John Hervey, ill at the home of Mrs. Irene Pew, is reported slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bain, Billie Ruth and Mary Ann Vaughan were visitors in Cuthand, Supday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thomas and children of Pittsburg, visited here and in Bogata Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Duffie and son visited relatives and friends here the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Edward Pirtle of Odessa, spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pirtle visited her mother, Mrs. Emma Askins, ill at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Willie Cotten in Mt. Pleasant. They reported her condition

## Alcorn Says Russian Propaganda Cant Sweep Him Off His Feet

Editor's note: Achin Alcorn, philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Sulphur turns his thoughts to a world problem, his letter this week indicates. Anything to avoid farming.

Dear Editor: I was reading in a newspaper I borrowed out of my neighbor's mail box the other day and returned before he got there—there's one thing you can say for reading a neighbor's newspaper, it's like looking at a sunset, your looking at it doesn't lessen the fun he can have from looking at the same thing, although I'll admit you don't have to subscribe to the sun, however on the other hand you'd miss a lot of information by confining your reading to it—at any rate, to get on with this, I was reading how Russia had scored a great propaganda victory by announcing it is suspending all atom and hydrogen bomb tests, which I suspect is sort of like a man's saying he's suspending plowing on

as much improved. She was moved from the Claud Kennedy home at Cunningham to Mt. Pleasant, Sunday.

Mrs. Gene Crane of Corpus Christi, called her aunt, Mrs. Irene Pew, Sunday. She was formerly Miss Frances Hawkins.

There will be a baptizing at the J. C. Vaughan lake Sunday afternoon at 2:30 p. m., Rev. Alvin Blalock, Baptist pastor, announced.

Albert Cotten of Blossom, visited W. A. Cotten, Miss Verah Cotten and Mrs. Maggie Chesshir, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pirtle have recently completed the addition of a minnow shed to their grocery store.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hervey and Mrs. R. W. Weisinger were in Clarksville Thursday and visited Mrs. Sammie Davis, a surgery patient in Red River County Hospital.

Mrs. Jim Hervey and Mrs. Sammie Hervey were in Clarksville Saturday for medical attention for the latter and while there they visited Mrs. Sammie Davis in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Vaughan have received word that their son, J. H. Vaughan and family moved Friday in Tyler from 1022 South Azalia to 1405 Graham Dr.

this year's crop, along in the fall of the year when it's already in his barn.

This news has upset a lot of people, who are afraid it will sweep the world and convince everybody Russia is a dove of peace and the United States an ogre out to poison the atmosphere.

Well now I'll tell you, I don't believe it. In the first place, anybody who believes Russia, on anything she's unwilling to let free men check up on, is a mighty poor prospect for basing the foundation of world freedom on. If Russia can sweep you off your feet with boasts, you were tottering already and probably don't know the difference between up and down. There's a difference between conquering space and the hearts of men. And in the second place, a propaganda victory is one of the most temporary things there is.

I've seen politicians who rode into office on propaganda, and some of them stay there a long time on that, but in the final analysis the people catch on.

And as for people who are swayed by propaganda, like the people who invariably vote for the last man they heard speak just before the election, you haven't won much when you win a propaganda victory over them. You'll lose em the next time somebody else speaks.

Understand, I don't know anything about testing hydrogen bombs, I don't even know how to test for a stuck valve on my tractor or guess what a teenager will do next, but I learned long ago the only satisfactory way to get along in life is to figure out what is right for you and go ahead, regardless of what anybody else thinks. I don't care how shining a speech a man makes at a luncheon club, if he doesn't pay his bills, most folks soon catch on he's a deadbeat. You can borrow money on promises, but you demonstrate your worth only when you pay it back in cash.

Any nation you can win by propaganda alone, well, you ain't won much when you get it. There's nothing under the sun or in the newspapers Russia can say that'll sweep me off my feet. I'm the one that decides when I'll get off my feet, and I decide it frequently.

Yours faithfully, A. A.

## IRVING SCHOOLS TO BUY AT HOME

Irving.—Trustees of the Irving Independent School District approved a plan to "Buy in Irving" all purchases of the district. The board passed the proposal unanimously, and ordered specifications mailed to all prospective bidders in this city.

"We are anxious to give local merchants every opportunity to bid on any and all purchases made by the city schools," explained Supt. W. T. Hanes.

### TRADING STAMPS HIDDEN BARGAIN

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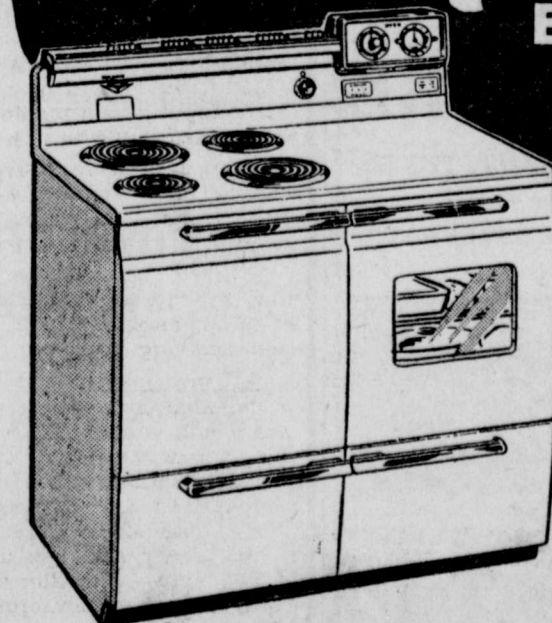


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