The Talco Times

COMPLETE NEWS AND ADVERTISING COVERAGE OF THE GREAT TALCO OIL FIELD

THIRTY-FIFTH YEAR

Proposed Campus Oscar M. Seay **Funeral Friday** Reorganization

(This letter has been mailed to all parents in the Talco - Bogata School District).

Dear Parents and Patrons:

As you are probably aware, upon the recommendation of the school administration and approval by the Board of Trustees. the following proposition will be placed on the April 1 trustee ballots for your consideration: FOR Campus Reorganization - a plan whereby all children in the Talco-Bogata Schools in the lower elementary grades would go to Bogata; all children in the Talco-Bogata Schools in the upper elementary grades would go to Talco; all students in grades 9-12 would remain at Rivercrest. AGAINST Campus Reorganization - Grade arrangements will remain as they are.

Probably your first reaction or question concerning this is-"Why?" "Why can't the grades remain as they are?" "Why is this being given consideration?" In answer to the first question, all grades can remain as they are just as long as the public, the local Board of Trustees and/or State desire or will permit them to do so. This is why the Board and administration wants your feelings on this matter and why you are being given the opportunity to express your opinion. This is the democratic way of life-the American way of lifeof deciding issues. There is nothing wrong with this procedure, but there is something wrong when we question the right or wisdom - one of the most important rights that we have-of deciding issues at the polls, regardless of how controversial the issue may be.

The major concern of each parent and tax payer should be that his opinion, whether yes or no, should be an informed opinion and not biased solely on emotion. One thing should be made clear, regardless of whether the reorganization is made or not, we will continue to have the best school program possible with the resources that we have to work with. You are respectfully requested to study the information presented and please ask for any additional information that may be of assistance to you in your decision. The public support and backing of the school is appreciated and our wish is that this issue, whatever the results, will not effect your continued support and desire for a good school program. In answer to the question of why this proposition is being given consideration, the following list of statements will summarize the reasons. 1. This is not an idea that just came up all of a sudden. Faced with a yearly decrease in oil values and an increase in operational costs in the school program, the Board and administration have discussed over a period of the last few years various plans and changes that could be made in the present school program to reduce costs and at the same time not drastically impair the quality of educational program for our students. It is believed that a campus reorganization offers the greatest opportunities of reducing costs and lessening the future tax burden on property owners because it will be possible under a reorganization to reduce the instructional costs in the district. While the major savings would be made in instructional salaries, there are other costs due to duplication of services, activities, and materials that could be eliminated by the reorganization. While financial reasons are prime factors in the consideration, it is also felt the reorganization would make it possible for the district to offer a stronger educational program to our young people in grades K-8 than is possible under the present campus arrangement. Some of the possibilities for a stronger program are as follows: 1. Better equalization of class sizes in the various grades. Example: Presently, we have 31 stcdents in one 1st grade class: If all the 1st grades were on the same campus. it would be possible to reduce this number to 23 students. This is a problem that we have been faced with and will continue to be faced with each year in various grades.

Oscar M. Seay, former Talco resident, died at 11 p. m. Feb. 23 in Mt. Pleasant Hospital. He was

born on May 14, 1882 in Tennessee.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Ora Blackburn of Mt. Pleasant and Mrs. John McKinnon of Dallas; one son, Wayne Seay of Lexington. N. C.; five grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Sam Owens, Mrs. Edna Harper and Mrs. Martha Edwards of Mt. Pleasant.

Services were held at 3:30 p. m. Friday at the Smith-Bates Chapel. Burial was in the Talco Cemetery. Ministers officiating were Rev. Roy Crossland and Rev. Billy Hudnall.

Duane Welch of Pasadena spent Thursday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Welch.

grades 5-8 by a reorganization. This is not only a local problem but also one in meeting the requirements of the Texas Education Agency.

4. Possibility of offering a coordinated vocational - academic program to students in grades 7 & 8 who have a need for this program. With the present campus arrangement, we do not have enough students in these grades on the same campus to qualify. o. Each campus could be arranged and organized to meet the particular needs of the age

upper elementary grades.

and ability.

organization.

than two.

this plan. (The cost of the ad-

ditional busing would be borne

by the State.) Understandably,

the busing would be of more con-

cern to parents of primary stu-

dents who are not presently be-

ing bused. Another disadvan-

tage would be the occasional in-

convenience to parents in attend-

ing various school activities if

their child or children are on the

campus farthest from home.

(Plans are to play the 7th & 8th

grade football games at River-

crest next year. If the reorgani-

zation takes place, some of the

7th & 8th grade basketball games

could be played at Rivercrest or

could be alternated between the

Bogata and Talco gyms.)

ties on each campus.

tors and vote your convictions

Talmadge Morgan, Supt.

Talco-Bogata Schools

consideration.

Sincerely.

span on each campus.

School News By SALLIE COOK and JERRY MARSHALL

Talco - Bogata

The students of Rivercrest High School were entertained last Friday in the regular assembly as the Journalism class presented their annual program. The paper staff performed two skits entitled "Emphasis You," and 'The Soggy Saga of Little Nell." Those participating in the program were Terry Dodd, Marla Logan, Bonnie Montgomery. Dianne Ward. Sallie Cook, Jerry Marshall, Jimmy Ponder, Mike Thomas, Jimmy Gray, Rosie Brown, and George Thompson. Future Teachers of America Cindy Watkins, Pam Crossland. Sandie Whitten. Monte Smith, and Johnny Swarts spent the

week end attending the FTA State Convention in Dallas. Held at Memorial Auditorium, the state convention's theme was "Unity Through Understanding." Mrs. Nadine Caldwell, Rivercrest sponsor of the FTA, travelled with the group. Sandie Whitten was Rivercrest's voting delegate

in the convention. The regular meeting of the Rivercrest School Board will be held next Tuesday at 7:00 in the RHS Board Room. Mr. Talmadge Morgan, superintendent

of Talco-Bogata Schools, invites the public to attend the meeting. Coach Larry Tucker hosted a meeting of the girls' district track association on Tuesday at six o'clock. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the track group on each campus. Primary program and set dates for meets. grade children would not have Fifteen teachers from the varthe conflicts and distractions of ious Talco-Bogata Schools Sysprograms and activities of the tem gathered at Rivercrest last Tuesday to select the new text-6. It would be more feasible books to be adopted for th comto set up a continuous progress ing school yar. Several books program whereby each student covering each subject were apcould progress at his own rate proved by the state, leaving the final selection up to the teachers 7. It is likely that our overall and the school.

athletic program would be The athletic complex on the stronger as a result of the or-RHS campus draws nearer to completion as the lighting has 8. Teachers of the same grades been finished, the scoreboard would have more opportunity to erected, and new professional plan and work with each other. style posts installed. The fenc-9. Our school district enters ing of the new area and the fininto a new State program next ishing of the stadium seats are year dealing with learning disin the final stages of work. The abilities in various students. only major projects left are the This program could operate much construction of a press box, parkmore effectively with less age ing area, and concession stands. The annual Rivercrest Frontier

10. Some of the present con-Day will be held Friday, March 3. flicts in scheduling between the All students are urged to particielementary grades and the high pate in the activities by wearing cshool could be eliminated by the frontier clothes, Indian costumes, reorganization. or western wear. A special Fron-When any new idea, 11. tier Day party will be held Frichange, or experimentation is day night at 7:00 p.m. in the desired in grades K-8, it is felt Rovercrest cafeteria. Admission that the procedure must be done will pe 75c for all Rivercrest on each campus. This is time students. consuming and expensive while The Future Homemakers of under a campus reorganization, America Rivercrest Chapter will all efforts and expenses could be attend the AREA VI convention devoted to one program rather



Austin .- State operation and ment \$732,000 for lands ceded to funding of a food stamp program national forests of Texas. Texas seeks money for stumpin all 254 Texas counties was proposed this week by Gov. Preston Smith.

at \$17 million to \$20 million, but Smith says the expenditure would generate over \$285 million of economic activity in Texas cities and counties and offer low income citizens opportunity for better nourishment than is provided by commodity programs in some counties.

Among problems with the proposal is lack of money available at the moment to the U.S. Department of Agriculture which funds a large portion of the food stamp program. USDA says it would have to ask for additional congressional appropriations to fund the governor's proposed state-wide program.

Smith says he believes the state's share of the cost would be money well spent and it would relieve counties of the financial burden of administering the program and issuing stamps - requirements under new federal guidelines.

Texas Welfare Commissioner Raymond Vowell said he doubts the statewide program could be initiated by the Sept. 1, 1972, stort of the state's new fiscal year, as proposed by the governor, but he will talk to the governor about it.

Smith still says he wants to wait as long as possible, before calling a special session of the Legislature this year to write an appropriations bill for fiscal 1972 and handle whatever other matters the governor chooses to submit --- including the food stamp proposal. He estimates cost of a special session at \$800.-000 to \$1 million. Others claim his cost figure is far too high.

EDITORS' POLL MOVES WEST - Newspaper editors and publishers were polled on state political races last week at the meeting of the West Texas Press Association in Sweetwater. Question one asked the editors was who they thought would carry their counties. These were the results:

GOVERNOR: Smith, 15; Barn- zoria, \$6.565. es, 11; Briscoe, 9. U. S. SEN-

Soybean Meeting Douglas Swope At Clarksville An area wide Soybean meeting

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will be held in Clarksville March 3rd at 7:30 p. m. The meeting will be held in the Farm Bureau Building located on Highway 82. one and a half miles west of Clarksville.

Dr. Rupert Palmer, Weed Control Specialist, Texas A&M University, Dr. Raymond Brigham, Research Service from the High Plains, and George Alston. Agronomist, Extension Service, Overton, will present the program. Dr. Palmer will discuss grass and weed control by the use of herbicides. Dr. Brigham

who is doing research in soybean varieties in the High Plains and North East Texas area will discuss varieties. Mr. Alston will discuss seed bed preparations and other cultured practices in sovbean.

Soybean farmers from Bowie. Red River, Lamar, Delta and Fannin counties are invited to attend the meeting. Farmers across the Red River in Oklahoma have a cordial invitation to attend.

Public School Week To Be Observed

The week of March 6-10 is Public School Week in Texas Schools. Parents and the general public are invited to visit the Talco-Bogata Schools during this week and to make a special effort to attend the Open House in the school or schools your children attend. Open House will be held in the Bogata and Talco Elementary Schools on Thursday night, March 9th from 7:00 to 9:00 p. m. and at Rivercrest on Friday, March 10th from 7:00 to 9:00 p. m.

BAND BOOSTERS CLUB TO MEET MARCH 6

The Rivercrest Band Boosters Club will meet Monday. March 6 at the Band Hall. All members are urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. George Burleson and Carey Joe of Grand Prairie visited during the week ned with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Clark and with his sister, Mrs. Loyd Gauntt.

Little Miss Christy Leake. three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Leake of Midlothian, was chosen from a large group of youngsters to have her

Accident Victim

Mrs. J. F. Swope received word Thursday morning of the death of her son, Douglas of Sini. Cal., Wednesday evening. Mr. Swope was employed by TWA and as he approached the entrance gate, he was struck by a drunken driver and killed instantly.

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Mrs. Swope, his brother. Donald and his sister, Mrs. Judy Walker, went to Dallas Thursday and by car to Oklahoma City, were flown by TWA to Sini Friday. Funeral services Saturday noon with interment in local cemetery.

Mr. Swope is survived by his wife and two daughters, Julie and Sherry, eight and nine years old; his mother, Mrs. J. F. Swope; three brothers, Jack of Denton, Neb., Donald of Talco and Larry of Pinrose, Colo.; four sisters, Mrs. Cliff Lance of San Jose, Calif., Mrs. Clint Fredrick of Melvern, Kans., Mrs. Ralph E. Cook of Durango, Colo., and Mrs. Judy Walker of Dallas; severa nieces and nephews, uncles and aunts.

Douglas Swope came to Talcc when a young boy. He attended Talco schools and graduated here. He had many friends here and in Mt. Pleasant who are grieved at his untimely passing.

Lunch Room Menu

Bogata, Talco and Rivercres Schools. March 6-10.

MONDAY

Pizza. ranch style beans, corn on the cob, peach half w/whipped topping, 1/2 pt. plain milk. TUESDAY

Chicken fried steak - gravy green peas, tossed green salao hot rolls - butter, pineapple pie 1/2 pt. ohocolate or plain milk. WEDNESDAY

Ground meat & spaghetti. green beans, fruit cup, chocolate cake. 1/2 pt. plain milk. THURSDAY

Baked ham, large lima beans steamed cabbage, corn bread fruit pie, ½ pt. plain milk. FRIDAY

Hamburger patty, potato chics seasoned pinto beans, lettuce. tcmatoes, onions and pickles, ic cream bar. 1/2 pt. chocolate o. plain milk.

Mrs. Ed Bradshaw and Mrs Lorena McFerrin visited Mond morning with Mrs. George Wir

age sales on 658,513 acres in four national forests. The forests are Cost to the state is estimated Angelina (Angelina, Jasper, Nacogdoches and San Augustine counties); Davy Crockett (Houston and Trinity counties); Sabine (Jasper, Sabine, San Aug-

ustine and Shelby counties) and Sam Houston (Montgomery, San

Jacinto and Walker counties). Under a 1911 act of congress, 25 per cent of money received from each national forest was to be paid by the U.S. to the state in which the forest was located. Martin alleges that while there have been \$2.9 million in Texas forest stumpage sales over the last six years, the federal government has withheld from the state the 25 per cent share due it.

CRIME TAX — Houston and Harris County led the state during the first four months' collection of the new "crime tax." a court cost levied for use by the Texas Criminal Justice Council to upgrade local law enforcement

planning. The Legislature enacted the tax in 1971 to provide money for CCJ. Under the tax. additional court costs of \$2.50 are levied for misdemeanor convictions in city. county and justice of the peace courts, \$5 for conviction on a misdemeanor in district courts and \$10 for felony convictions.

Houston collected \$210,387 during the period, said State Comptroller Robert S. Calvert. Totals for other major cities included Dallas, \$117,266; San Antonio, \$83,470; Fort Worth. \$57,014; El Paso, \$29,935; Austin, \$34,098; Corpus Christi. \$24,429; Amarillo, \$18,453; Lubbock, \$31,608; Beaumont, \$23,811; Wichita Falls, \$9,049; Irving, \$13,582; Waco. \$15,756; Arlington, \$12,-092 and Abilene, \$12,639.

County collections reported by Calvert included: Harris, \$42,629; Dallas, \$21,076; Bexar, \$6,267; Tarrant, \$7,811; El Paso, \$9,168; Travis, \$4,878); Jefferson, \$6,553; Hidalgo, \$7,184; Nueces, \$5,116; Lubbock, \$6.458; Galveston, \$7,-049: McLennan, \$4,768; Cameron, \$4,717; Wichita, \$2, 957 and Bra-

SHORT SNORTS

2. A better job could be done in the areas of music, art, ard physical education in grades K-8. (A weakness in our present program).

Teachers could more consistenly teach in their major teaching fields of preparation in

in Commerce on Saturday, March Mrs. Bonnye Gage and Mrs. Are there disadvantages to the Anita Stupplefield, home econreorganization .Yes, there are omics teachers at RHS will acdisadvantages. The major one is company the 22 members on the that more students will necestrip. sarily have to be bused under

Talco elementary, Bogata elementary, and Rivercrest high schools were visited on Wednesday of this week by the state immunization program. This was the first of four clinics to be held to meet the new state requirement of immunization. Public School Week is set for

next week with open house scheduled to be held in the two elementary schools on Thursday, March 9 from 7:00 until 9:00 p. Rivercrest High School will be open to the public on Friday night, March 10 from 7:00 until 9:00 p. m. All parents or interested persons are urged, however. to visit the schools on any day during this week.

Rivercrest boys' coaching staff, Under the reorganization, a Bobby Dobbs. Wake Wood, and child beginning school next year Dick Frierson, have beegun workand continuing until graduation ing in earnest with the boys would spend approximately equal track team. A triangular meet time on each of the three camwith Winnsboro and an unnamed puses. Since it is generally felt school will be held beginning this that the consolidation of the pre-Wednesday. These meets, held vious Bogata and Talco School on the new all-weathr track at Districts has worked out well, it Rivrcrest, will continue for apis believed that a campus reorproximately four weeks. Coach ganization would of necessity Wake Wood commented on the create even more of a district track team's potential by saying that the team "looks very strong wide interest on the part of parents for the programs and faciliat this stage."

Rivercrest Choir members In summary, the Board and Vicki Hinson and Jerry Marshall administraction feel that the adparticipated in the Regional UIL vantages of reorganization out-Solo and Ensemble Vocal Contest weigh the disadvantages. It is on Saturday, February 26. Coachfelt that educationally wise, more ed by William Cooksey, the students sang solos for a UIL judge can be done for our young people -and this should be our major at East Texas State University. Vicki, accompanied by Mrs. Again. you are asked to give Claire Jesse, received a II rating careful consideration to all facon her solo "Velvet Shoes." Jerry, accompanied by Mrs. Marla Logan, received a I or "superior" rating on his solo "Where 'Ere

ATE: Tower, 11; Yarborough, 10; Sanders, 7. LT. GOV .: Connally, 10; Hobby, 5; Christie, 3; Hall. 1 and Jones, 1.

Asked whom they would vote for, the editors said: GOVER-NOR: Briscoe, 15; Barnes. 8; Smith, 6; Farenthold, 4: U. S. SENATE: Tower, 20; Sanders, 5; Yarborough, 5. LT.' GOV .: Connally, 11; Hobby, 7 and Christie, 3.

ELECTION FINANCING -Still up in the air is the question of how state primary elections this year are to be financed. Secretary of State Bob Bullock, the state's chief election officer, says the federal courts have clearly stated he has authority to use state funds for operation of the elections, just as state funds are used to conduct general elections. Other state officials say a special legislative session would be needed to provide the money.

RECOVERY TIMBER SOUGHT - Atty. Gen. Craw-ford Martin has filed suit to recover from the federal govern-

titles Jerry to participate in the State Solo and Ensemble Contest held in Austin later this year.

Six Candidates File **For Trustee Election**

Six candidates have filed for the three positions to be filled on the board of trustees of the Talco-Bogata Schools in the April 1st trustee election. The terms of Kenneth Jeffery and James Gaddis of Bogata and Paul Miller, Sr. of Talco are expiring.

Candidates from Bogata who have filed to have their names placed on the ballots are Kenneth Jeffery, Paul Williams, and Neil Rozell. Candidates from Talco who have filed to have their names placed on the ballots are James Dunn, Troy D. Brown, and Jerry Stansell.

Word has been received of the death of a former Talco resident. Mrs. R. J. (Zelma) Poston of Pampa. Services for Mrs. Poston will be held Friday at Mabank. While here Mrs. Poston taught in the Wilkinson and Argo schools also Maple Springs. You Walk." This I rating en- Mr. Poston worked for Humble

The Governor's Criminal Justice Council has received notice it will be funded \$58,640 to provide four-year courses of study in criminal justice at four Texas colleges. The grant, from the Law Enforcement Assistance Administration. U. S. Department of Justice, will be subgranted by CJC to the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement Officer Standards and Education. Participation colleges are University of Houston; Wayland Baptist College, Plainview; Christian College of the Southwest, Mesquite and University of Texas at El Paso.

Twelve additional Texas counties have been approved for participation in the food stamp program of providing low cost stamps to low income persons for use in buying groceries. New counties with U. S. Department of Agriculture and State Welfare Department Approval are owie, Cameron, Castro, Crosby, Dallas, Floyd, Hale, Hidalgo, Jefferson, Jim Wells, Swisher and Willacy.

Annual Area VI FHA Meeting Mar. 4 At ETSU

"FHA Dives for Treasures" is the chosen theme for the annual Area VI FHA meeting slated for March 4 in the auditorium on the campus at East Texas State University. The opening general session will begin at 10:15 a.m. with Carolyn Price, Area President from Yantis, presiding over meeeting. Approximately th 3,000 members and guests will attend

Greeting the FHAers from seventeen counties will be Dr. Whitney Halladay, president of ETSU.

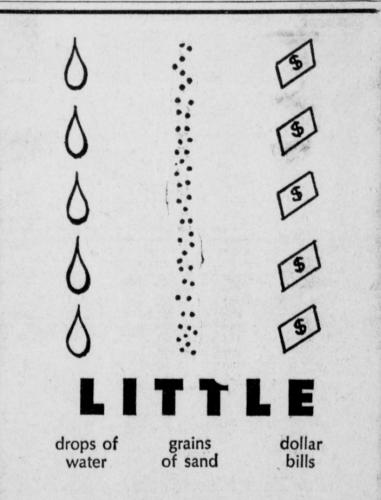
House of Delegates will convene at 8 a. m. in the homemaking department with entertainment furnished by various FHAers in the auditorium until the opening general session. AF-ROTC from East Texas will present the color guard.

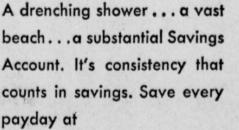
Among the officers are Vicki Topping, State Third Vice-Presient, Detroit; Pam Allen, Fourth Vice-President, Cunningham.

Co. and they lived in Humble Camp.

picture on display at Sanger-Harris store in downtown Dallas. Christy is the niece of Mrs. Eunice Harris.

of Mt. Vernon, who is serious ill. They also visited Mrs. Cm bie Crawford in the Geras Nurs ing Home in Mt. Pleasant.





Talco State Bank TALCO, TEXAS Member F. D. I. C.

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JOHNTOWN

By MRS. FRANCIS FOSTER

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Barnard received word that their granddaughter, June Wilson, 7 years of age, underwent kidney surgery at a Waco hospital Feb. 22. June is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julian Wilson of Waco, the former Wanda Barnard.

Lewis Stoker is a patient in Titus County Memorial Hospital ir. Mt. Pleasant,

Rev. Marvin Gardner attended the funeral of Rev. A. J. Kirkland at Henderson on Friday. Rev. Kirkland was editor for the Baptist Monitor. He has been here on different occasion and preached.

Fay Brock of Bogata visited her mother, Mrs. Lucy Hervey in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hinson on Sunday.

Loy Dean Watson and Jerri Kay Randolph of Paris spent Saturday night with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Barnard.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hicks of Paris visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Don Barnard and family on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jean attended the funeral of his brother, Buddy Marooney of Boxelder on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Horn of Paris spent Saturday night in the home of his aunt, Mrs. Katie Pirtle

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Visiting Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Mayfield and Charlie were Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Cabell and their granddaughters, Sheila and Cynthia Cabell and Mrs. Virginia Blackwell and Mike of Talco.

Mrs. Junior Black of Ft. Worth spent part of last week with her father. Lennie Wicks, who was ill with flu. She also visited Mrs. Wicks, who is in the Bogata nursing home.

Mrs. Charlie Jimmerson and daughter, Pamela and Mrs. Bob Martin and son, Robert Allen of Longview visited Mrs. H. L. Jean Wednesday morning.

Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Johnston of Dimple visited with Rev. and Mrs. Marvin Gardner and family Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mauldin of Grand Prairie visited Thursday night in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Jean and family

Rev. Marvin Gardner visited with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Gardner of New Waverly Wednesday and Thursday. Sunday dinner guests of Mrs.

Katie Pirtle were Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Horn and David. Diana Booker and Freddy Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Horn of Paris. Mr. and Mrs. Mac Bell of Rosalie.

Visitors during the week end of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Mayfield and Charlie were Mrs. Doris Morris and son, Kevin of Illinois, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hill of Clarksville, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Carr and family of DeSoto.

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THE TALCO TIMES, TALCO, TEXAS, THURSDAY, MARCH 2, 1972

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resistant, and termite, rot and

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amount of electricity and fuel required to heat or cool buildings, which, in turn, helps to reduce air pollution,

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depletion of our natural

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adding a room to your home,

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Mr. E. Whalen, V.P. at the

The recycling process itself

making ecological history.

Ecology. Environment.

more than 63 years, the Homasote Company has been Pollution Though these words have been in our dictionary for many, many years, it's only during the last decade that they've taken on special meaning and become a part of our everyday vocabulary. 'Awakened to the dangers of air pollution, water pollution and the depletion of our natural resources, industry and public are joining hands to give new

importance to yet another word; one that promises to go a long way in reversing some of the ecological harm we've been doing ourselves. That word is recycling.

Recycling reclaimed waste, of course, is not a new idea. During World War II, Americans conducted and contributed to all sorts of drives; to collect paper, metal, rubber and even chicken and bacon fat (for the manufacture of explosives). Recycling waste during that dark era, however, had nothing to do with



the preservation of our environment. It was an effort to preserve the freedom of

this great land. Today, recycling is proving to be an effective weapon in the new war we are waging; the war against our own technology, which threatens us by depleting our resources while generating waste and pollution as by-products. One good example of what recycling can mean to our environment can be found in

Mrs. Tommie Lee Cox were Mr. and Mrs. Alsie Shirey of Levelland. Mrs. Britt Wilson of Bo-

her wedding. Her flowers were white carnations. She is a gradwere Sunday dinner guests of uate of Rivercrest High School her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Philand Northeast Texas Commerlip Brooks of Cuthand. Saturday night visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Gantling were her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Rep Robinson of Arlington. Lewis Stoker received word Monday night that his son. Jerry Stoker had undergone emergency surgery at a Tyler hospital and was in the intensive care ward there.

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Political Announcements

The following announcements for public office are made subject to the action of voters at the Democratic primaries in 1972:

For State Representative, Dist. 9: NEAL SOLOMON (Re-Election)

GEORGE PRESTON

For District Attorney: LARRY EVANS

For Sheriff: JOHN W. TERRELL (2nd Term)

For Commissioner. Precinct 3:

ALVIN (Scooter) PARISH JR. HUBERT MARTIN MICKEY SEELY TRAVIS CAMERON CARR M. DENMAN, JR.

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LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR BEN BARNES

PUBLIC SERVICE

Elective Offices 1960 — Elected to House of Representatives from District 64 at age 22

1962-1964-Re-elected to House without opposition

- 1965 Elected Speaker of the House
- 1967 Re-elected Speaker. Youngest Speaker in Texas history to serve two terms
- 1968 Elected Lieutenant Governor by more than two million votes, 72 per cent of the total vote cast and the largest ever polled in the history of Texas elections
- 1970—Re-elected Lieutenant Governor by impressive margin

Appointive Offices

- 1967 Member, Board of Directors, States' Urban Action Center formed to help seek solutions to urban problems
- 1968-1969 Member, Executive Committee, National Conference of State Legislative Leaders
- 1968-1970 Member, Executive Committee, Council of State Governments
- 1967-1968 Chairman, Southern Conference, Council of State Governments
- 1968-1969 President, National Legislative Conference 1967-1968 — Member, Persident's Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations
- September 5-6 1968 Representative of U.S. State Department at meeting in Brussels, Belgium, of NATO Civil Defense Committee
- 1968 Representative of U. S. State Department at meeting in Geneav. Switzerland, of United Nations Econom

Mrs. Loyd Mayfield of Mt. Pleasant was a Friday visitor. Visitors Sunday of Mr. and

gata, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Cox and family, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Cox and Angela of Tyler,

Mrs. Don Eudy and family of

Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson. Visitors Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Black were her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Robinson of Arlington and her son, Mr. and

Paris. Mr. and Mrs. Marion Foster

Wedding Feb. 18

by-products.



Miss Mary Elizabeth Davis be-

came the bride of Randy Carl

Whitten in an informal double-

ring eeremony Friday. Feb. 18 at

the Methodist Church in Talco.

Rev. George Thompson perform-

ed the ceremony. The bride, dau-

ghter of Mr. and Mrs. Sammie

Davis of Talco, chose a street

length dress of beige crepe for

her wedding and wore a cameo

brooch that her mother wore for



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Mr. and Mrs. Gladys Trussell of Salem, Ore., arrived here Monday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reid and other friends and relatives in Mt. Pleasant and Daingerfield.

Saturday visitors with Mrs. J. L. Perry were her daughter, day. Mrs. Aline Fussell of Dickinson; her granddaughter. Mrs. Shirley McClung and children of Daingerfield and Mrs. Irene Kelso of Daingerfield. Mrs. Perry returned to Daingerfield with Mrs. Mc-Clung to help attend Mrs. Thomas Joe Kelley who is a surgical patient in the Titus County Memorial Hospital.

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cial College and for the past two years has been employed at Southeastern Rubber Co. in Paris as a secretary. The groom, son of Clovis Whitten and the late Mrs. Whitten of Talco, served four years in the U.S. Navy and is presently employed by H. K. Porter as District Sales Representative of Kansas City. Kan.

For traveling the bride chose a pants ensemble of navy trimmed in red with navy and red accessories. After a short wedding trip the couple will be at home in Winchester, Kan.

L. R. Lemay entered the Titus County Memorial Hospital Mon-

L. M. (Lonnie) Verble. long time manager and part owner of J-B Pump Supply and former Talco resident. died at his home in Garland Sunday night. Services were held Tuesday afternoon at Williams Funeral Home in Garland. Besides his wife, he

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1965 — Named by Texas Jaycees as one of five Outstanding Young Texans

1970 - Named by U. S. Jaycees as one of ten Outstanding Young Men in the United States for the year 1969

1966 - Awarded Honorary Doctor of Laws Degree by Mc-Murry College

1967 - Awarded Honorary Doctor of Laws Deegree by Texas Technological University

1969 - Awarded Honorary Doctor of Laws Deegree by St. Edwards University

Civic and Philanthropic

1967 — State Chairman. Cancer Crusade

1969 - Led Easter Seal Appeal

1970 - State Chairman, Heart Fund

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Legislative Record

59th Legislature - Active in passage of legislation dealing with mental health and retardation; aging; teacher pay raise; revised code of criminal procedure; water development; annual voter registration.

- 60th Legislature Played leading role in legislative action on consumer credit code; drug control; reorganization of representative districts; creating advisory council for language-handicapped children; teacher pay raise; urban studies, clean air; mental health and retardation; traffic safety; water quality; parks development.
- 61st Legislature Led legislative programs in creating nursing schools at El Paso and San Antonio, University of Texas dental school at San Antonio, University of Texas medical schools at Houston and Texas Tech University at Lubbock; establishing senior colleges at Dallas, San Antonio, the Permian Basin and Laredo; raising teacher pay; creating rehabilitation commission; dealing with mass transportation; liquor control reform; increasing workmen's compensation benefits.
- 62nd Legislature In forefront of fight to improve state government, led in creation of a Texas Department of Community Affairs to assist local governments in providing services; helped establish Texas Commission on Children and Youth; helped establish the Consumer Protection Division within Consumer Credit Commission; instrumental in obtaining funds for research in higher education and for the Air and Water Quality Control Boards to aid the state in the field of environment.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Born April 17, 1938, at Gorman, near DeLeon, Comanche County. Attended DeLeon schools, Tarleton State University, Texas Christian University and University of Texas. Married to the former Mrs. Nancy Sayers of Austin. Financial interests in agriculture, real estate, construction, radio, motels.

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Rev. Dickie Golden performed

the ceremony. The bride is a

High

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Mrs. Robert Wright LOCAL NEWS **Shower Honoree**

AYMAN ALEXANDER Local Reporter

Phone 379-4445

Mr. and Mrs. John Prater of Denton visited friends in Talco Friday.

Mrs. Sybil Glass Gholsom of Austin visited her cousin, Mrs. I. L. Reed, Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. George Wims is seriously ill in Mt. Vernon hospital after suffering a heart attack.

Miss Bessie Gillean of McKinnev is visiting her sister. Mrs. George Walker and Mr. Walker.

Rev. Roy Crossland was dismissed from the Mt. Pleasant Hospital and Clinic. Friday,

Mrs. Paul Miller Jr. returned to her home Tuesday after a few days in the Titus County Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mills went to Dallas Sunday to visit their sons, James Mills and family and Randy Mills.

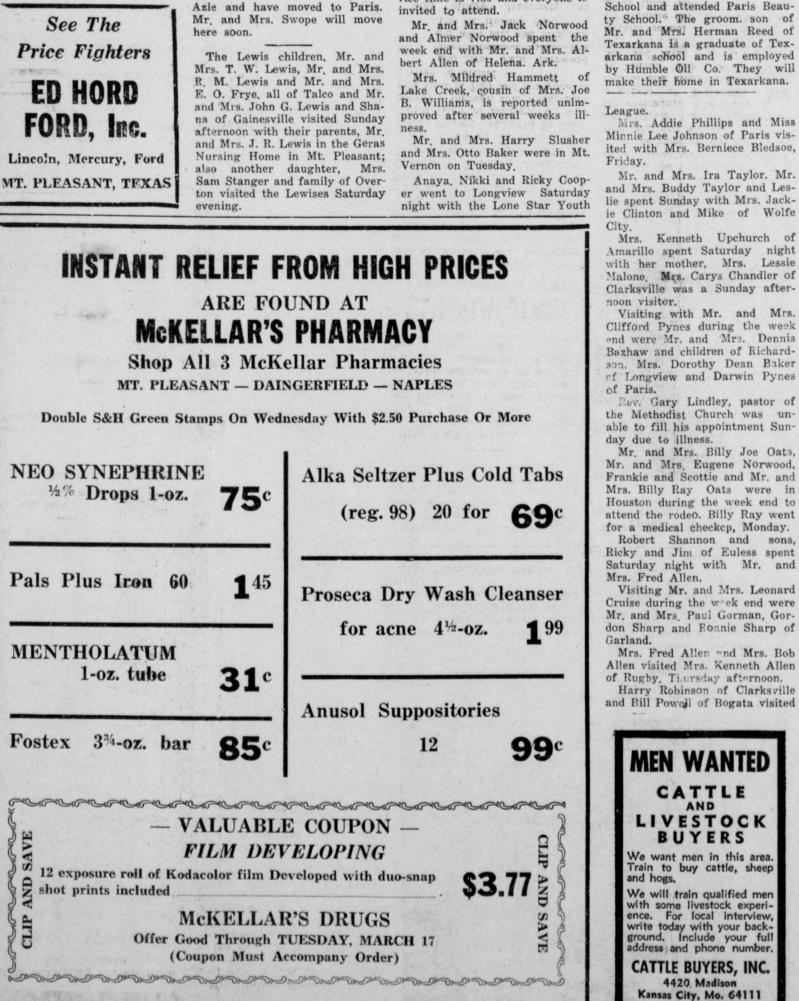
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Welch and two children of Winnsboro visited Sunday with Mrs. O. B. Hopwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kelley visited their daughter, Mrs. Nancy Fuller and children in Leonard during the week end.

Mrs. Jackie Stinson of Clarksville and Little Miss Carol Fry of Mt. Pleasant visited Saturday with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Fry.

Rev. Edwin Crank, Director of Christian Education Department for the Baptist Missionary Association of America at Dallas, brought the morning message at the First Baptist Church Sunday. He was a dinner guest of Rev. Roy Crossland.

> **Bogata Funeral** Home Phone 632-5614 Wayne McCasland **James** Grant



Mrs. Robert Wright was honored with a stork shower Thursday evening from 7 to 9 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Jack Mills. The co-hostesses were Mrs. Gerald Martin, Mrs. John David Wright, Mrs. R. J. Fitch. and Mrs. Wayman Alexander. The honoree was presented a beautiful corsage made by Mrs. R. J. Fitch.

Refreshments were served from a table laid with a white linen cloth and centered with an arrangement of yellow flowers. Cake squares and punch were served by Mmes. Martin, Wright and Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Vickers and Tina visited her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Windell Rogers Maude during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Lewis and Shana of Gainesville visited Sunday with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Erby Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Williams visited during the week end with their daughter, Mrs. Butch Perdue and Mr. Perdue of Nashville. Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayman Alexander visited Sunday afternoon with Mrs. J. E. Sloan, who is a patient in the McCuistion Hospital in Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Goode have returned to their home in Valliant. Okla., after visiting here with her brother, M. C. Bean.

Mr. and Hrs. Jerry Dismuke and Bill of Grand Prairie visited here during the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cato and Christelle.

Talco's Leap Year baby is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wright. born Feb. 29 at 7:55 p. m. at McCuistion Hospital in Paris. The young man weighed

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Bass, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Hearron, have moved from Mt. Pleasant to Henderson. where he will be attending Henderson Baptist College.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Norwood who owned and operated Norwood's Superette for several years, have sold their home to Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Swope of Azle and have moved to Paris.

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The Detroit Fire Department partments this amount when the received a check for \$75.00 redepartment works at a fire in cently from Texas Farm Bureau rural areas, involving property Insurance Companies as an exinsured by them. pression of thanks for the Department's work on the property of Mr. Billy D. Robertson of Detroit, Texas. The money will be used for the purchase of equipment

The Texas Farm Bureau Insurance Companies pay fire de-

Mrs. Irene Johnson and two grandchildren, Mike and Shara Johnson of Richardson visited during the week end with her mother, Mrs. Lucy McClung and sister, Mrs. Nadine Caldwell.

Mrs. Fred Turner and granddaughter, Rena, were in Denton Sunday where she and her sister, Mrs. A. J. Venable. honored their mother, Mrs. Clara Beale by taking her out to dinner. This was in celebration of Mrs. Beale's 81st birthday.

MRS. BERNIECE WYATT

Mrs. Joe Bailey Williams honored her husband with a birthday supper Saturday evening. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Danny Liles and son of Cooper. Mrs. Hazel Deshazo, Miss Lucille Daugherty and Kathy Joe Williams of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Williams, Mike, Davy Jo and Jay and Taylor Ladd.

The revival at the United Pentecost Church conducted by Rev. David High of Luling, La., will continue through this week. Service time is 7:30 and everyone is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. O'Neal during the week end Arthur Crafton is a patient in

McCuistion Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. William Cooper and family attended a skating party, sponsored by the Lone Star League, Tuesday night at Bogata.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Whitney attended the ordination service of her nephew. Rev. David Norwood. at the First Baptist Church in Bonham, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly France and daughter of Hugo, Okla., visited with Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Williams Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Zeb Page visited her

brother, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ellis of Hale. Thursday.

Mrs. Della Howe attended the funeral service of her brother, Claud Anderson of Athens Monday.

Mrs. William Cooper visited with Mr. and Mrs. Dempsey Deason of Bridge City at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Handley in Deport Thursday aaahrrduuu in Deport Thursday night. Visiting with Mr. and Mrs.

Jeb Page during the week were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Morris of Paris, Rev. Weldon Allen and Curt O'Neal and Mrs. Lawrence O'Neal.

Open House Sunday Glenn Evans Home

Sunday, March 5 from 2-5 p. m. open house for all our friends, relatives, neighbors, and those

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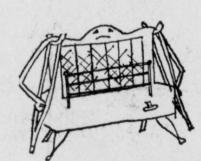
curious people passing on the 271 Highway, who have waited years for that odd-shaped Aframe house to be completed in Pattonville, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Evans and children.

Mrs. Addie Cain **Dies In Longview**

Mrs. Addie Cain of Longview died Tuesday morning at 1:30 in a hospital there. She was ill with pneumonia. Mrs. Cain would have celebrated her 97th birthday in May. Her funeral was set for Wednesday at 2 p. m. at the First Baptist Church in Longview. Mrs. Cain is survived by a son, Bob Cain of Longview and three grandchildren, also a brother, Othor Pearson of Deport.

Relatives from this area attending the service were Elbert Veteto, Mrs. Vera Ragsdale of Bogata, Mrs. Arthur Pate and Mrs. Maggie Lee Morgan of Paris.

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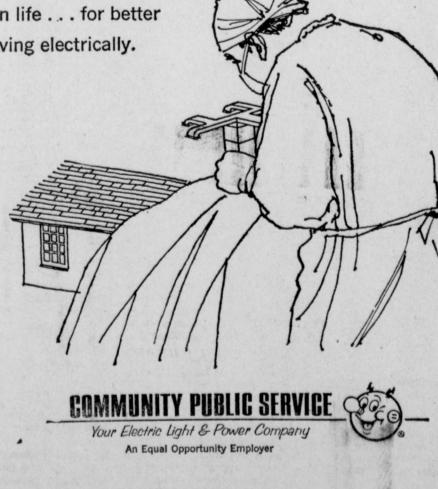
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