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TWENTIETH YEAR

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BIG RAINS AND HARD FREEZE VISIT AREA FIRST OF WEEK

Tuesday was the first full day of spring, but the thermometer at Cox Field dropped to 24 degrees, the lowest for that date in half a century.

Some rainfall, swirling snow and sleet fell but melted as it struck the ground. Eleven days previous the thermometer had climbed to 93 and some air conditioners and fans were turned on. Normally the last freeze occurs March 18.

Fruit growers believe the cold snap cost North Texas most of its fruit crop. Alfalfa is said to have been nipped.

An early survey of damage to East Texas' two-million-dollar peach crop indicates that it has been severely damaged by Monday night's freeze and high winds. J. F. Morris, horticulturist at the Texas experiment station at Lindale, near Tyler, said Tuesday.

Tuesday morning the wind had died down and ice and frost glistened in the sun.

The sharp drop in temperatures, following the heaviest rains of the year, caught tomato growers moving plants from hot beds

to cold frames. Nearly all cold framed plants were lost, observers in the Powderly and Blossom areas agreed. And there was heavy damage mounting as growers inspected conditions in hot beds.

Heavy rains preceding the freeze were calculated to save grasses and grains. Damage to early gardens and flowers was considerable. Entomologists believe the freeze killed millions of insects.

Some farmers believe the big nearly three-inch rain helped them more than the freeze hurt. Sulphur and White Oak creeks were out of their banks Monday and Tuesday with water all over the bottoms.

Heaviest rainfall this year was recorded Saturday and Sunday when 2.30 inches was measured by the official rain gauge in Deport, according to A. C. Nixon, in charge of the instrument.

The general downpour began falling Saturday and continued thruout Sunday. Streams and creeks overflowed in this section for the first time in several months.

Joe B. Hopwood Dies Tuesday of Heart Attack

Joseph Berry Hopwood, 31, died early Tuesday morning at Southmore Hospital at Pasadena from a heart attack which he suffered a week previous. His wife and mother were with him when death came.

He was born July 2, 1923, son of Mrs. O. B. Hopwood and the late Mr. Hopwood, who was a pioneer Talco druggist, coming to Talco Jan. 1, 1913.

Joe Berry, as his friends called him, was a graduate of Talco High School, Paris Junior College and Texas Christian University. He served in the Army during World War II and married Betty Ruth Fritz. A two year old son, Barry Lee, was born to this union.

He had been auditor of the Lacks Wholesale Company there the past four years.

Funeral services, Thursday at 2 p. m., were held at the Church of Christ at Talco, conducted by L. L. Gieger, Tyler minister, formerly of Talco, and Bogata Funeral Home made burial.

Besides his mother, he leaves his wife and a son, Berry Lee Hopwood, Pasadena; his mother and his grandmother, Mrs. F. A. Jones, both of Talco.

Two Men Enter Armed Forces

Two registrants, Travis Duane King, Fulbright, and Doyle Dean Miller, Detroit R2, were forwarded by the Clarksville board to the Recruiting and Induction Station at Dallas on March 23, for induction into the Armed Forces.

Smackover Lime Venture Planned In Bowie County

The extreme northeast corner of Bowie County in Northeast Texas was seen in line Wednesday for a possible Smackover lime test in the leasing of Garland Anthony, Bearden, Ark.

The buyer is said to have taken around 3,900 acres, portion of which is across in Miller County, Arkansas. The leases were taken for 10 years at a reported bonus and rental of 25c per acre plus obligation to drill a Smackover well.

Acreage is in and around the William Crabtree, W. W. Watson, R. M. Richardson and T. J. Watson surveys.

BIG LAND DEAL SOUTH OF TALCO

Several thousand acres of land belonging to the Hoffman estate, lying between old Highway 271 and the new route south of Talco, is reported sold to Mr. Colley. Particulars were not available. Large tracts belonging to the estate, east of old Highway 271 were sold several weeks ago.

Lake Creek Soldier Killed in Crash

A young Delta County soldier en route home for discharge was among the 66 persons killed in Tuesday's plane crash in Hawaii.

Sgt. Roxie DeWeese, 22-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. DeWeese of Vasco community, was the crash victim. He was one of six Texans killed.

The sergeant's family was notified by telegram early Tuesday night.

Calvary Baptists Will Worship in New Home Sunday

Formal opening and dedication services for the new Calvary Baptist Church of Talco, will be held on Sunday afternoon, March 27, at 2:30 o'clock, according to the pastor, Rev. Joe Denton.

In addition to this dedication service, regular services will be held in the new building Sunday, with Sunday School at 9:45 and preaching services at 11 o'clock by the pastor.

Rev. James Morman, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Mt. Pleasant, will bring the sermon at the dedication services in the afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Other portions of the service include a song service led by Bill Miller. Rev. C. G. Renfro, Deport Baptist pastor, will read the scripture lesson and lead a prayer.

A youth choir under the direction of Mrs. Kenneth Westbrook will sing, and pastor Joe Denton will recognize visitors present.

An article published in The Talco Times last week gave a full description of the new church plant, but the premises littered with building material, prevented us getting a picture of the structure to accompany the article.

Dave Huddleston of Dallas, was the architect and Robert Williams of Bogata the builder.

Building committee was composed of Cecil Griggs, Omer Cole, Roy Beasley, Mrs. M. E. Jones and Mrs. C. C. Collins.

Finance committee is James Gandy, Bill Miller, R. T. Fuller and Renford Sikes.

Furniture committee is composed of L. M. Gandy, Fred Coker, Mrs. Kenneth Westbrook and Renford Sikes.

Grounds committee—R. T. Fuller, Joe Nelson, W. S. Taylor, Kenneth Tutt, Rex Mitchell and O. C. Holland.

Mrs. J. L. Sullivan Dead at Bogata

Mrs. J. L. Sullivan, 90, died Tuesday at 11 p. m. at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. C. Howison.

The funeral Thursday afternoon, will be held at the Methodist Church by the pastor, Rev. Herbert Grosdidier, and a former pastor, Rev. W. D. Thompson of Trenton. Burial will be made by Bogata Funeral Home.

Brother of Talco Man is Dead

D. D. McKnight was notified of his brother's critical illness on Friday. On Saturday word came of the death of Dewey E. McKnight in an Abilene hospital. He was 42 years of age and had been in failing health for several years.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will McKnight of Salt Lake City, Utah; three brothers and three sisters, Mrs. Robert Burns and David McKnight, also of Salt Lake City, Mrs. V. C. Hamberline and Quannah McKnight of Pocatella, Idaho, Mrs. Weldon Green of Safford, Ariz., and D. D. McKnight of Talco.

Mrs. Will McKnight was in Abilene with her son at the time of his passing. All of the family, except Mrs. Hamberline, who could not come for the funeral, arrived in Talco Monday night and were with the D. D. McKnights until funeral time. The services were held at Kelsey in Upshur County. Elder Moroni Hamberlin and Elder Charles Shirley conducted the service at the Church of Christ of Latter Day Saints in Kelsey.

The following were pallbearers: Ben Dixon, Roy Means, Virgle Means, Heber Jones and John Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Edge and son, Timothy, and Mrs. Glenn Howard and Bill of Talco, attended the funeral.

Control Bought In Paris Bank

Controlling interest in First National Bank of Paris has been purchased by directors of the bank, according to President Robert McWhirter.

Stock was bought from the Murchison interests in Dallas, which have controlled the bank the last four years.

Directors of First National Bank of Paris are J. M. Caviness, C. R. McClure, Luther Howerton, Robert McWhirter, Bedford Harlan, J. A. McGill, J. Glenn Turner, Maury Robinson and Morgan Johnson.

McWhirter said there will be no change in the management or policies of the firm. First National Bank of Paris has been in continuous existence since 1886, being listed as one of the oldest banks in Northeast Texas.

Sam Weiss Hurt In Auto Crash

A Paris business and civic leader, Sam Weiss, was seriously injured Monday in an auto crash near Carmi, Ill.

Weiss is reported in "fair condition" at Carmi Hospital, where he was taken with severe injuries to the hip, knee and other parts of the body.

Weiss had been to Chicago, Ill., for a Council of Presbyterian Men convention.

Details of the wreck could not be learned Tuesday. A Ladonia pastor, Rev. George Walker, was driving Weiss' car at the time of the accident. They had attended the Chicago meeting together. Rev. Walker was not hurt in the wreck.

New Beauty Shop Opens in Talco

Mrs. Mary McEntire and Mrs. Doris Page of Mt. Pleasant, have opened a beauty shop in the building formerly occupied by Pauline's Gift Shop.

Both are experienced operators and will do all the beauty work to be had in any good shop.

They are using advertising space to invite your patronage, to which your attention is directed.

Lions Net \$134 On Donkey Ball Games

Talco Lions Club netted about \$134 from the donkey ball games the first of last week, according to President Jerry Jones.

The money will be used in a campaign to have markers placed on Talco streets.

CHANGE IN DATE FOR TALCO PTA MEET

Talco Parent-Teachers regular meeting has been changed from the regular time, to the first Thursday night, April 7, for the April meeting only. This was done for the benefit of the teachers who might be able to attend the TSTA at Titus County. Dr. G. P. Smith can come to us on April 7th as the speaker for PTA.

Polio Vaccine May Be Available to 1st-2nd Graders

School and Health Officials have begun a program to see how many children in the 1st and 2nd grades will have parents' permission to take the Salk Vaccine for polio if the vaccine is approved and licensed in April.

The vaccine if approved, will be furnished free to these children through the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis at a cost of \$9,000,000. Vaccine for other age groups will be made available through physicians at a normal cost.

Salk Vaccine was given to 440,000 children last spring. Sometime in April the results of the evaluation study will be known. However, for local schools to participate in a vaccination program this year school officials must learn this month how many of their 1st and 2nd grade students will have permission to take the vaccine if it is approved. Letters and permission forms are to be sent parents.

Once the vaccine is approved, officials wish to start the program immediately in order that the complete series of shots may be given before school is out.

Naturally, if the vaccine is not licensed, there will be no program.

Miss Katherine Moore had as guests on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Robert Miller of Pittsburg, and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Moore and son, Jimmie, and daughter, Janice of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Gail Moore and daughter of Daingerfield.

T. Ladd Escapes Drowning While Rescuing Cattle

Taylor Ladd, who resides near Cunningham, narrowly escaped drowning Monday morning in Brushy creek, south of Deport.

Ladd, enroute to Cunningham, discovered 10 or 12 head of cattle, belonging to W. K. Read of Deport, surrounded by the overflowing stream and just able to keep their heads above the high water, marooned on a small mound.

Returning home for his horse, as he attempted to drive the animals to higher ground, the horse became frightened and stepped into the main channel of the creek. The swift current carried horse and rider down stream and under a road bridge.

Ladd caught to the flooring under the bridge, was able to free himself from the horse, kick off one of the rubber boots he was wearing, then drift down stream and swim to higher ground.

Ladd's dog, following his master, headed the marooned cattle into the stream, and the swift current carried them under the bridge. They were able to reach higher ground safely about 50 yards downstream.

New and Renewed Times Subscribers

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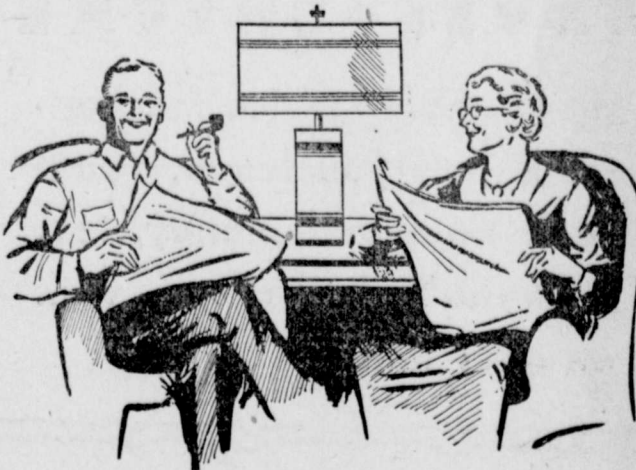
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vertising rates will be applied.
Formal obituaries, cards of
thanks, resolutions of respect and
poems are published at regular
advertising rates.

THAT song, "I Get the Blues
When It Rains," certainly does
not apply to folk in this area. All
moisture which fell the past
week was very welcome. Farm-
ers had been complaining of a
lack of sub soil moisture. Maybe
these rains have caused it to
"meet." We hope so, anyway.

This community extends its
deepest sympathy to Mrs. Joseph
Berry Hopwood and Mrs. O. B.
Hopwood in the death of their
husband and son. It is bad when
an elderly person passes on, but
for a fine, highly intelligent man
to be cut down in the prime of
his young manhood, the blow is
staggering. Our sympathy and
deepest regrets to his loved ones.

Weatherman was as fickle as
he could possibly be the past
week. He ran the thermometer
up to 93 and within less than a
week it was shoved down to 24.
Poor Old Mother Nature has had
a hard time. New buds put out,
got nipped and some are now as
black as printers ink. But such
is weather in Texas. It has been
a long time since water was all
over the bottoms along Sulphur
and White Oak.

The Talco Times publisher
thanks friends for their thought-
ful expressions of appreciation
for last week's edition which fea-
tured news of the great Talco oil
field, along with some history re-

garding it. It did require consid-
erable statistical digging. Folk
who really should be thanked are
the advertisers who made its pub-
lication possible. Next March
our oil fields will have complet-
ed twenty years of production.
Why not have a reunion of old
timers who discovered and drill-
ed the field; barbecue a beef or
two and pay tribute to those who
risked their shirts in search for
oil? It would be a nice project
for the Talco Lions Club and a
fitting tribute to pioneering oil
efforts.

We can't go along with Presi-
dent Eisenhower in advocating
four-year terms for congressmen.
We have six-year terms for sen-
ators and the people never feel
as close to a senator as they do
a congressman. Because of this,
the House is more of a foundation
for Representative Government
than is the Senate. When a Con-
gressman must make his report to
the people every two years, he
will come nearer expressing their
sentiments in his votes than he
would every four years. If they
don't like what he has done and
how he has voted for two years,
they can kick him out. We don't
want to hire an employee who
later doesn't do his job as we
think he should, and then have to
wait four years to fire him. Two
years for Congressmen and Re-
presentative Government suits us.

Oil Is Found On Land of Killer

Joliet, Ill.—A convicted mur-
derer sentenced to die in the
electric chair has just been in-
formed that oil was discovered on
his land in Oklahoma.

Harry Spegal, 28, a Cham-
paign, Ill., tax driver, is in the
death house at Stateville Prison
awaiting an appeal of his convic-
tion. A jury found him guilty
Oct. 14, 1953, of strangling 6-year-
old David Wayne Anderson, son
of a fellow roomer in a boarding
house.

Spegal was granted pauper's
status in the Illinois courts al-
though he was one of five heirs
to a 40-acre tract in Oklahoma
considered worthless except for a
nominal rental paid by the Sin-
clair Refining Company for oil
and mineral rights.

PROBABLY

Navy Bill opines: "A snitch in
time saves nine.—U. S. S. Quin-
cy Yankee Clipper News.

EDITORIALLY SPEAKING

BURT LOCKHART
in Pittsburg Gazette

If you don't want the world to
know your age, don't appear on
a TV quiz program.

The Creator knew it would be
difficult to enforce laws. That's
why he made only Ten.

The hardest task in life is try-
ing to find a key that will un-
lock the door of Success.

A Marshall waffle shop displays
this sign: "Old Fishermen Never
Die. They Just Smell That Way."

Man realizes that he cannot live
by bread alone, so he either or-
ders a tee-bone steak or a ham-
burger.

With Easter only a few days
off, there is ample time for "that
cold spell" to strike us with shiv-
ering effect.

A sweet girl has been defined
as "one who can hold a man at
arm's length without losing her
grip on him."

Developments in the land scan-
dal at Austin indicate a lot of dirty
water will come out of the
washing machine.

Recent developments in Austin
indicate that Duval County does
not have a monopoly on all the
wrong-doing in Texas.

A fellow got mad the other day
and fired a shot into his TV set.
We wouldn't guess out loud the
kind of program he was looking
at.

The papers tell of a man who
has won \$3,000 in various puzzle
contests. Local crossword con-
testants might do well to put him
on the payroll.

Even sin is on a big scale now-
adays. It's a million-dollar land
scandal, a million-dollar FHA
steal, or a million-dollar counter-
feiting ring. It's hard to keep a
progressive devil down.

With 260 million pounds of but-
ter in his refrigerator, it seems
that Uncle Sam should reveal to
the world that not only is his
heart on the right side, but that
the bread he gives our foreign
cousins is buttered on the right
side.

Announce Results Facts Forum Poll

The results of the March Facts
Forum Public Opinion Poll were
announced by its President, Rob-
ert H. Dedman, who explained
that the percentage shown as vot-
ing yes is computed on the basis
of votes actually cast on each
question.

Should we let the Chinese fight the Reds?	88%
Do U. S. servicemen lose U.S. protection when fighting under the UN?	65%
Is a raise in pay for our congressmen justifiable?	61%
Will our decision to defend Formosa be tempered by coexistence policies?	75%
Are our Supreme Court Justices keeping faith with our Constitution?	29%
Is every increase in government authority a step towards Socialism?	75%
Should Congress establish a medical insurance plan?	19%
If China was represented in the UN would it promote peace in Asia?	7%
Can petitions to our government help in the deciding of important issues?	76%
Is reciprocal trade really reciprocal?	15%
With today's missiles, do you favor construction of "Super" air-carriers?	59%
Should American History be a compulsory course in all of our colleges?	90%
Will U. S. lose Japan to Communists in economic trade war?	57%
Would a nationwide curfew curb juvenile delinquency?	46%

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Cuts Can Be Made

Speaking about cutting unnecessary and wasteful Government spending, in the interest of balancing the budget next fiscal year:

A commission headed by former President Herbert Hoover finds that Federal paperwork—the daily blizzard of forms, letters, carbon copies, etc., etc.—is costing us taxpayers about four billion dollars a year!

That's about equal to the entire U. S. Federal budget prior to 1933. It means that Federal paperwork is costing the average American family of four about \$100 in taxes a year.

The Hoover economy program, if adopted, would slice about \$255,000,000 worth of red-tape immediately. It shows that cuts in Federal spending, to bring about a balanced budget, are possible. They should be made.

When Flu Raged

This editor has been around here quite a spell. He was re-
minded of that the other day
when Mrs. Harvey Kimble of
Roseville, Ill., came by to see
him. She is the former Imogene
Perry of Deport.

"Mother tells me you put diapers on me when I was an infant, while our family was ill with influenza," she reminded.

The editor admitted that he did. He also told her he gave her the first cow's milk she ever consumed. Her mother was ill with flu and the doctor warned her to not let the baby nurse.

Flu was raging, everyone was afraid of it, and many were dying back in 1917. Nurses could not be had and nearly every home had one or more cases. The Perry's, with the exception of Imogene, were all very ill.

When the editor learned about them one night, he went to see them. No one had been there that day, except the doctor.

He built a fire, called his neighbor, the late Albert Jackson, and

sent him to a drug store for a nursing bottle. Imogene was both hungry and wet.

Jackson also milked the family cow; the editor scalded the bottle, and the baby soon had all the fresh, warm milk she would take. We will never forget how she went after the contents of that bottle.

Sick folks were given some milk, canned tomato soup and crackers and it was two o'clock the next morning before Imogene awoke and demanded to be fed again.

HE SHOULD

A practical politician should make a good housekeeper, because his bunk is always made up.—Louisville Times.

Imogene is now about 37 years old, a fine-looking woman with two sons of her own, 8 and 5 years.

Yes, the editor has been around here quite a spell, and he must have been doing things in those days aside from editing a newspaper.

Announcing Opening of TOM'S BEAUTY SHOPPE

Which has been closed a short time, is being opened by Mrs. Frances Parks Myers, who has had a brush-up course at Fields Beauty School in Dallas. Mrs. Myers was reared in Bogata, been employed in Bogata and invites her friends to come to see her.

PHONE 45

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Announcements

The Talco Times is authorized to announce the following as candidates for Mayor and City Commissioners of the City of Talco, Texas, subject to the action of the voters at an election to be held on Tuesday, April 5, 1955:

For Mayor—
JERRY JONES
GEORGE W. BOND
For Commissioner—
A. G. NORWOOD
RENFORD SIKES
ELTON WELCH

Charles Dickens Praised Printers

Charles Dickens, one of the world's wisest men, said... "the printer is the only product of civilization necessary to the existence of man, because without him, tyrants and humbugs would have their own way." "He is a friend of intelligence and thought... of liberty... of law, indeed the friend of every man who is a friend of order." "Of all discoveries in science and art and all the wonderful progress in mechanical energy and skill the printer is the only product necessary to the existence of man."

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that on April 5, 1955 A. D. an election will be held at the City Hall in the City of Talco, Texas, for the purpose of electing a Mayor and two Commissioners who shall serve and be known as the City Commission in and for the City of Talco, Texas, for the ensuing two (2) years. Polls open from 7 a. m. to 7 p. m., April 5, 1955
GEORGE L. BOND, Mayor
MRS. O. D. WELCH, City Secretary.

NOTICE

Will stand at stud at my barn in Talco, Texas, one sorrell two year old colt. Breeding American saddle horse and quarter horse. Fee \$15.00. Terms cash. You have return privileges throughout the season. Sam Mayfield. 8p

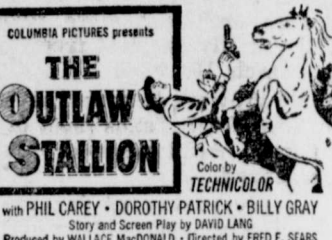
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We want to thank everyone who was so thoughtful at the passing of our loved one, and express gratitude for your kindness, food and beautiful flowers. May God bless you.
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'50 Ford V-8 Tudor. Clean black finish. Radio. Heater. White sidewalls \$475

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shell is off from work, this week.

Clark entered a Paris hospital for eye surgery.

G. G. Ryan visited her in-law in Tyler on Friday.

Hal Newsom of Gilmer, d her daughter, Mrs. D. D. night and family on Saturday.

Marilyn Jacks of Dallas, d her daughter, Mrs. D. D. night and family on Saturday.

A. A. Spivey was able to brought home from a Mt. Pleasant hospital on Tuesday.

Mrs. Rex Mitchell visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Mitchell in Gladewater, day.

Mrs. A. A. Spivey was carried to a Mt. Pleasant hospital on Friday.

Mrs. Sidney Frugia visited Mrs. A. M. Pettit in New London on Wednesday.

T. B. Machen of Bonham, is here this week visiting his daughter, Mrs. D. B. Stone and family.

Mrs. Cecil Griggs attended a wedding shower given for Mrs. Don Brewer in Wright City on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Mitchell and Danna Beth visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mitchell and girls in Jacksonville, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodroe Orr and children of Henderson, spent Friday here with his brother, Weldon Orr and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Roach Jr. and children of Laird Hill, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Funderburk and boys on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Fife of Naches, spent the week here with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Compton and Judy.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Carter and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Weldon League and boys in Greggton over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Dickerson and Stan spent the week end in Greggton with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cook and children went to Gladewater to spend the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Strawn and other relatives.

Mrs. Rex Mitchell and Danna Beth visited her sister, Mrs. Travis Parker and family in Wills Point and another sister, Mrs. Johnny Allen in Grand Saline on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nelson and Ronnie had as their guests over the week end, her mother, Mrs. W. J. Tramel and sister, Mrs. Jim Warren, Diana, Randy and Racene, all of Kerens.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Jones and son, Phill, went to DeQueen, Ark., for the week end with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Johnson and children. They returned home Monday.

Donald Brewer of Houma, La., came by on Tuesday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Brewer and his aunt, Mrs. O. C. Zoller of Overton, who is here with the Brewers this week.

Mrs. Sheffield Busby and Mrs. J. G. Wilson of Houston, came on Wednesday to get their sister, Mrs. J. H. Dickerson, and father, W. P. Jones of Mineola, to take them to Houston for a visit with them.

Mrs. L. R. Brewer returned home on Friday from Overton and her sister, Mrs. O. C. Zoller, accompanied her home for a visit until she is stronger, following surgery in a Jacksonville hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dyson had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sullivan and family of Gladewater, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Roberts and Paula of Winnsboro, and Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Allison and family of Quitman.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rollins and Mrs. B. F. Granberry went to Minden, La., on Sunday to visit Mr. Rollins' father, John Rollins, who is ill. He has improved enough to be taken to his home in Minden from a Shreveport hospital.

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.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Pearson and Mrs. Harold Trimble went to Cisco on Friday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Milton Pearson. They all went to Abilene on Saturday before coming back to Talco on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Hendrix, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stafford of Longview, came to visit Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Hendrix and attend a wedding shower given for them by Mrs. Remus Burgin on Friday night.

Mrs. Riley Gibson entertained her mother, Mrs. J. S. Holcomb, on her 69th birthday Sunday, with a dinner at the Gibson home. Mr. and Mrs. Will Holcomb, Mary and Nadine of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Chum Dyer and Charles of Mt. Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Locke, Kay and Sue, were present to help her celebrate.

Mary Frissel is looking for a man who is tall, dark, and has some.

WILKINSON

By MARCIA BLALOCK
Eld. and Mrs. E. L. Craver of Harolton, were with the Harris Chapel Church of God last week end during the absence of the pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Logan and children were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Elder and Mr. Nora Harris of Old Union, Sunday.

Eld. and Mrs. E. L. Craver and children of Harolton and Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Anchutz and children of Argo, Mrs. Jean Haren, Mrs. Lucille Allen were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Anchutz, Sunday afternoon.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wyatt Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wyatt of Cookville.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Elder of Old Union, were Saturday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Anchutz.

Mrs. Christine Harris returned home Tuesday after spending several days with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. D. Tuck of Dallas. Mrs. Sally Haren accompanied her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mickelboro of Longview to Vermont to visit some of Mr. Mickelboro's relatives.

Miss Marie Dyke was a week end guest of Miss Martha Hays of Winfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Fry and children and Mrs. Josie Barry were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Blalock and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Price and Sandra Kay of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hornbuckle of New Boston, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Moody Belcher.

Mrs. C. A. Dyke attended the wedding of her daughter, Miss Mavis Dyke in Dallas last week.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Harris, Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Dean Brownlee and Danny and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Shipp Jr. and Jimmie of Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. John Parr of Maple Springs, visited her sister, Mrs. C. B. Harris, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Blalock and family to Dallas to visit their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Riddle and family.

Saturday night guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock was J. D. Davis of Wienert.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Floyd have been vacationing in Abilene, Gilmer and Perryville and returned home Sunday evening.

HE FINDS PLEASURE IN HIS BOTTLES

Mrs. A. T. Blalock and Mrs. Remus Burgin were hostesses for a miscellaneous shower for Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Hendrix of Longview. There were 24 present.

Roxton.—Old bottles that seem to pile up are just a lot of bother to some folks.

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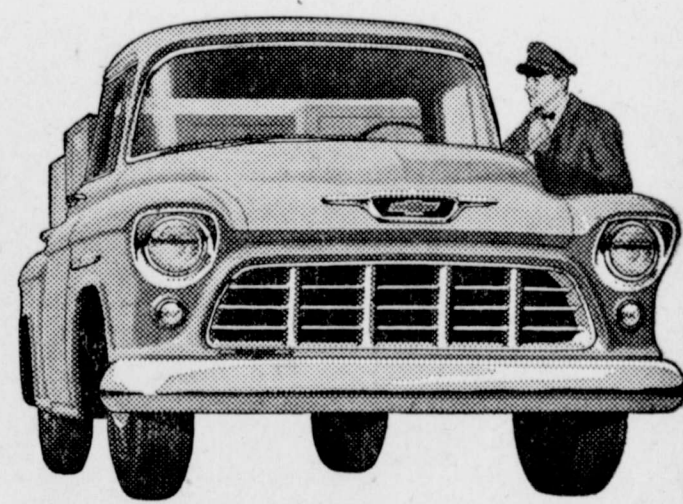
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Book Lovers Club With Mrs. Gieger

The Book Lovers Club enjoyed a study on English Royalty, in the home of Mrs. B. L. Gieger Friday afternoon. Pansies and lilac blossoms gave an air of spring to the entertaining rooms.

Roll call was answered with an old English custom. The club's project, the building of a new cemetery fence was discussed and some donations were reported.

Mrs. John D. Wright was in charge of the program. As she talked on English Royalty, she projected colored pictures on a screen, of the famous places of which she talked, making a very interesting and impressive program.

During the social hour, Mrs. Wright entertained with bingo. Mrs. Ann Gandy and Mrs. E. W. Smith received the floating prizes.

An attractive and delicious refreshment plate was served by the hostess to Mmes. R. R. Kelley, D. H. Kelley, J. W. Haynes, D. C. Jensen, John D. Wright, Felix Jones, C. E. Griggs, Ed Nugent, C. E. Jones, E. W. Smith, J. L. Cato, R. G. Hood, Dan Cotten and Ann Gandy.

The next meeting will be April 1, in the home of Mrs. Griggs, with Mrs. Sidney Frugia as program director.

HAGANSPOUR

C. H. McCorkle, Sulphur Springs District lay leader, called on A. J. Laws while on his way to Talco to the organization of a fellowship meeting of Methodist men.

Mrs. J. L. Van Pelt of Pensacola, Fla., arrived Friday to visit her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Geo. P. Grou. The Van Pelt, who moved a foundation herd of Coronet Registered Guernseys from the Grou and Van Pelt herd at Humble Camp, Talco, to Pensacola, Fla., now have a herd of 150 Guernseys of Coronet breeding. First calf heifers in milk are averaging 4 to 5 gallons of milk per day with first calf.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Wood of Oklahoma, visited Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Barron, Lakeview, last Wednesday.

R. D. Crowston and Bill Pipkin were in Paris Monday on business.

John White of Hagansport, is very low.

Mrs. Mattie Young, Mrs. Bill Lee and Jerry and Freddie of Paris, visited Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Barron, Lakeview, Sunday.

Rev. Ray Wayne of Mt. Pleasant, filled his regular appointment at the Church of God on Sunday.

We received 2.31 inches of rain at Hagansport (official) Sunday.

A quilting party was held at the home of Mrs. Calley Payne on Wednesday of last week; next week it will meet with Mrs. Morris Holms.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Stewart, Dallas, visited relatives Friday at Hagansport, Mrs. Morris Holms and Mrs. Clevenger.

The community musical had a good crowd Friday night, with a pie supper that brought in \$40.00, proceeds to be used for an amplifier.

Community singing at the Baptist church last Sunday afternoon was rained out.

Hagansport played Johtown valley and soft ball last week. Hagansport won the former and Johtown the soft ball game.

Wayne McHaffey died the first of the week at Tyler. The family lived at Sulphur Bluff all their lives.

Mrs. Ada Meredith of Hagansport, visited her son, Jeff Meredith and family the first of the week.

Mrs. Edna Waters is in Mt. Vernon hospital and Mrs. Leonard Gieger and Mrs. Morris Holms visited her there Sunday.

Bogata FFA Calf Show and Sale

Bogata FFA Chapter held a club calf show and sale Friday. Herman Lynch, Red River County Agent; Agriculture Teachers J. C. Miller of Clarksville and Jack Davis of Dimple, were the judges.

Calves averaged 25c per pound and following are boys names, weight of calves, price per 100 pounds and the buyers names:

Ronald Benson, 755 lbs., \$24.00, buyer, Legate's Dry Goods.

Marion Mitchell, 595 lbs., \$25.25, Harvey Brothers.

Marion Mitchell, 615 lbs., \$25.25, Bogata Gin.

Duane Bryson, 645 lbs., \$26.09, Gibson Grocery.

Johnnie Couch, 720 lbs., \$25.25, Bogata Butane Co.

Johnnie Couch, 620 lbs., \$24.25, Clarksville Auction Barn.

Donald Porterfield, 580 lbs., \$24.00, Clarksville Auction Barn.

The boys and the chapter wish to thank the buyers, the business men and sponsors for their cooperation in the show and sale, and especially do we want to thank Nort Gibson and Henry Burl Barton for a wonderful job in selling the calves, stated M. B. Trimm, vocation teacher.

Mavis Dyke Weds James Buchanan



Miss Mavis Dyke of Dallas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dyke of Wilkerson, and James Buchanan, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Buchanan of Dallas, were united in marriage at the Gaston Avenue Baptist church at 6 p. m. on March 16.

The bride chose for her wedding dress a blue suit with white accessories and carried a white bouquet and was given away by her cousin, J. H. Byram, of Dallas.

The bride graduated from Talco High School in 1953, and has been employed in Dallas.

A reception followed the informal double ring ceremony, at the home of the groom's parents. The couple will make their home in Dallas.

Glenda Sulsar Wins Talent Contest



Glenda Sulsar, 11-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Sulsar of Bogata, was the local winner in a talent contest conducted by the Big D Jamboree Friday night at Bogata. The winner was awarded a trip to Dallas and appeared on the Big D Jamboree radio program Saturday night.

The fifth grade student was declared winner over the other contestants by singing a hill-billy song entitled "If You're Not Loving You're Not Living." Approximately 20 persons entered the contest.

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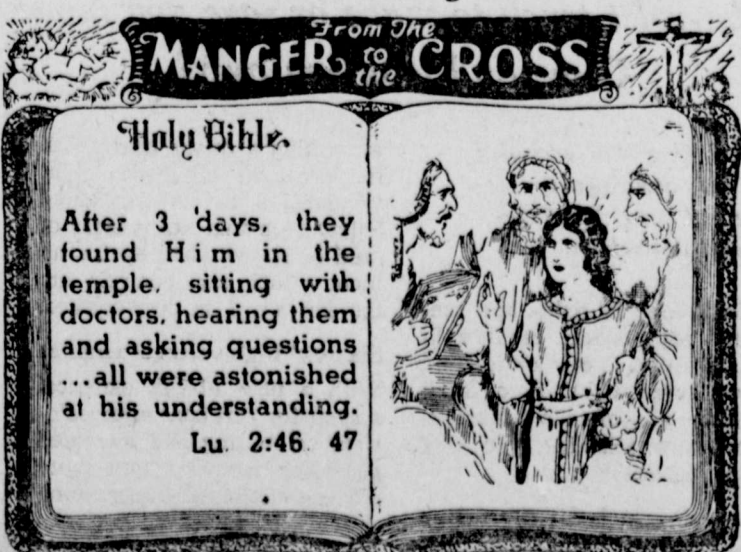
The sneeze of a person who has a cold, or has one "coming on," can infect a whole room full of people.

A sneeze, unless blocked with a handkerchief, will shoot droplets loaded with cold virus and traveling at 150 feet a second. When the droplets evaporate, they release the infection agents. So—Block That Sneeze!

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Shower Honors Mrs. Johnny Lilley

Humble Recreation Hall was the setting for a wedding shower given for Mrs. Johnny Lilley, nee Janetha Lewis, Friday, March 18.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mmes. Nadine Caldwell, Kyle Munn, J. B. Harper, Glenn Howard, Garland Jagers, Claud Parr Sr., Felix Jones, Roy Primm, Ferris Brown, A. L. Rodgers and Miss Alice Ruth Tidwell. A white and orchid corsage was presented to the honoree and white iris corsages were given to the mothers of the bride and groom, Mrs. Troy Lewis and Mrs. Roy Lilley Sr.

Colors chosen for the party were spring hues of yellow, orchid, pink, green and blue. Early spring flowers of iris, yellow forsythia, japonica, lilac, wisteria and peach blossoms, were used in the decoration throughout the hall. Mrs. Johnny Lilley and different hostesses greeted the guests as they arrived and Miss Annette Lewis, sister of the bride, registered those attending, in a white leather bound "Wedding Memories" book. Mrs. Garland Jagers, Mrs. Glenn Howard and Miss Alice Ruth Tidwell presided at the punch service.

The serving table was covered with a white maderia cloth over pink, the serving pieces of crystal, a center arrangement of white iris, peach blossoms and wisteria. Lemon cherry punch was served from a bowl surrounded by floating japonica blossoms. White angel cake squares decorated in pastel colors, toasted nuts and rose petals completed the hospitality plate. The many lovely and useful gifts were displayed on tables covered in yellow, green and pink.

Those registering thru the tea hour, 2:30 until 4:30 p. m., were Mmes. Roy Lilley Sr., Edgar Eastertling, Herman McElroy, Lillian Broughton, Allene Pope, Lena Stockton, Georgia Sullivan, Daisy Harris, Dora Frye, Naomi Watson, Betty Lockwood, Marnell Upchurch, Bobbie Shofner, Joyce Alexander, Gladine Clements, Troy Lewis, D. F. Dixon, Billy Carter, Bob Lewis, Earl Edge, L. B. Kaylor, Bob McClung, Wanda Vickers, Roger Hood, D. C. Jensen, Jerry Jones, Felix Jones, O. J. Holland, Louis Cato, R. R. Kelley, Gene Gandy, Nadine Caldwell, A. L. Rodgers, Roy Primm, Garland Jagers, Ferris Brown, J. B. Harper, Claud Parr Sr., Kyle Munn, Glen Howard, Eunice Harris and Mrs. R. A. Emerson and Mrs. Wendell Rogers of Maud; also Misses Alice Ruth Tidwell, Janell Brown, Gale Blackburn, Peggy Holland, Jane Kelly, Becky Foster, Maydell Belcher, Rose Robinson, Carolyn Lewis, Patricia Ryan and Gayle Caldwell and a great many sent gifts who could not come.

Texarkanian Has Cricket Farm

Texarkana.—Arval Manning is landlord to 17,000 crickets.

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One day he hopes every fisherman will use a cricket for bait.

Raising crickets is a lot of work, the Texarkana service station operator discovered.

First, you have to keep temperatures just right. And there is a temperature for the mating season, the growing season, and for adult crickets—the kind that's just right for bream bait, Manning claims.

Manning's crickets are pedigree Australian Grays, which, he says, are a lot different from the ordinary kind you've seen all your life.

The 17,000 crickets in two rooms of Manning's house today are the offspring of 300 "breeder" crickets, screened over and electrically warm.

Only one state, Washington, has been named for a U. S. President.



ARTIST'S sketch shows the Kilgore News Herald's new plant which will be formally opened Sunday, March 27, with the public invited to an open house from 2 til 6 p. m. Publisher Charles Devall said the plant has 11,000 sq. ft. of floor space. New facilities include a 16-page Duplex Tubular press. Devall was formerly publisher of the Mt. Vernon Optic-Herald, Daingerfield News and Hughes Springs New-Era. He went to Kilgore in 1933 when the great oil drilling boom was on.

Fine Arts Club With Mrs. Loving

Mrs. S. O. Loving was hostess Tuesday afternoon when the Fine Arts Club met in her home. First Vice-President, Mrs. Howard Johnson, presided. Mrs. C. C. Collins, program chairman introduced the program, "Texas Day." Participating on the program and subjects discussed were:

The Alabama-Coushatta Indians of Texas—Mrs. Orr; The Story of the State Song, "Texas Our Texas"—Mrs. Burnham; Little Towns of Texas—Mrs. Collins.

Plans were made for the annual guest day tea, which will be April 5 at 2:30 p. m. at Humble Recreation Hall. Mrs. Loving will review "The Lady of Arlington" by Harnett T. Kane. A letter from General Federation Headquarters asked that the Fine Arts Club participate in a drive to raise \$3,000,000 with which to build a 500 ft. cross atop Bald Knob mountain in Illinois. This is a non-profit, non-denominational project, the aim is to furnish a place of worship for all denominations. More than 5,000,000 members of the General Federation of Women's Clubs will participate.

During the business session, Mrs. Collins was elected as delegate, and Mrs. Anderson as alternate to attend Third District convention to be held in Lufkin on March 23, 24, 25.

The meeting adjourned with the pledge to the Texas flag and a social hour followed.

Hatcher Will Speak To Talco P-TA

The Talco PTA will close its Home and Family study course on March 29 with a meeting at the school building for all parents and teachers.

D. L. Hatcher psychology teacher, athletic director and head of the Education Department of Paris Junior College, will be the speaker for the occasion, with forum discussion following. Bring your question. The topic will be, "Some children do; some don't. Why?" Time will be 7:00 p. m.

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Talco Activities Ten Years Ago

Week of March 23, 1945

Sgt. T. J. Cunningham, son of Mrs. Alma Cunningham of Talco, had been wounded in the Pacific Asiatic theater.

Sgt. Melvin Tapp of Washington, D. C., had spent his furlough with his mother, Mrs. Lizzie Tapp, and his wife at Mt. Vernon.

Pfc. John (Hoot) Clark, who had been in Iran for 27 months, had come home for a 30 day leave. He had been in the department for supplying Russia.

Miss Yvonne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Washington, had married S-Sgt. J. W. Morse at Laredo Air Force at Laredo.

Sgt. Billy G. Carter, mechanic in the Fifth Air Corps had returned to the States after 26 months overseas. He had been stationed at Ft. Sam Houston.

Sgt. Melvin Brown, Talco, with the 2nd Infantry Division in Germany, had been awarded the Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star for gallantry in action.

Sgt. Billy Carter had returned from the European theater, where he had spent 27 months. He had been ground mechanic of the 15th Air Force. He visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Carter and his sister, Mrs. J. W. League.

Mrs. J. B. Osborn had received word from her sister, Mrs. S. A. Jolly of Naples, that her son, S-Sgt. Edgar W. Jolly of the Signal Service, had been killed in action Feb. 25. He had been radio operator in the Air Corps in France.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jess Phillips.

Pvt. Fred Barker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Barker of Mt. Vernon, was a prisoner of the Germans. Mrs. Barker and daughter had made their home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack White at Mt. Vernon. The Barkers had been former residents of Talco.

Pvt. Gordon McCarty and his mother, Mrs. Pat Murphy of Grand Saline, had visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Dyson. Pvt. McCarty had been overseas 30 months and in four European major engagements and one Asiatic.

T-Sgt. Gale Brelsford, who had returned from England, with his wife and daughter of Dallas, had visited Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Secord. He had been a member of the Air Force and a radio operator; 35 missions over Germany. He wore the Air Medal and five Oak Leaf

FISHING NEWS

By JACK WINN

Heavy rains over the week end brought fishing to practically a halt in this area. C. C. Busselle, trying out a new "Kink Eye" river runt at Humble lake, caught a bass that tipped the scales at better than four pounds, along with some smaller ones for the best catch reported this week.

All the lakes should be full after these rains and fishing should pick up after the water clears.

River fishing should show signs of improvement after the rains, as the big cats should start up stream to spawn.

If you own an outboard motor, you should go by it and pull the starter, or better still start it up in a barrel of water, every month or two while it is not in use. This will keep the pistons from sticking.

Several boys, and grownups, too, come to me wanting to know what kind of rod and reel to buy. I would advise anyone starting out to buy a rod and reel, to buy a good quality rod and reel. I would advise to buy a standard make, such as Pflueger, Shakespeare, Southbend, etc. The tendency in experienced fishermen is to buy the longer rods, either 5½ or 6 ft. length. Of course brushy conditions might call for a short rod. Get a rod with plenty of "backbone," but flexible enough not to tire the user in long periods of fishing. The experienced fisherman lets the rod do the work of throwing. By buying a standard reel, repair parts can be purchased at most sporting goods stores. If you buy a cheap reel, a cheap stiff rod, usually you become discouraged with the whole deal before you learn to fish. By using smaller lines, say 9, 12½ or 15 lb. test lines, you will find the casting much easier. Of course in brushy lakes, where there is lots of big

Clusters; also Presidential Citation. Before entering service, Brelsford was employed by Magnolia.

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Mt. Pleasant Talco Troja Baseball

Mt. Pleasant baseball team won a game from Talco Wednesday last week, 8 to 2, in a game played at Talco.

"Lefty" Thornton won five innings on the mound for the Tigers, giving up four hits and striking out eight players.

Morris went three innings for the Troja team, giving up two hits and striking out two players.

Coach Colley's team won 3 to 0 on one hit in the ninth and were never threatened by their opponents.

This was a non-league match.

TALCO (2)
Hanks, ss
Williams, 3b
Broughton, c
Blackburn, cf
Russell, rf
Hood, lf
Woodell, 1b
Morris, p
Ebberts, 2b

Totals 24
MT. PLEASANT (8)
Heimer, cf
Abbott, cf
Patterson, 3b
Cook, rf
Conroy, c
Taylor, lf
Thornton, p
Wright, 1b
Smith, ss
Brown, 2b
McClinton, 2b

Totals 36

MARY HOPPER TO DO STUDENT TEACHING

Stillwater.—Mary Hopper, who is in home economics education at Oklahoma A&M College, had her student teaching assignment at the Pawnee school system. Each girl picks her teaching center where she spend six weeks observing school system, holding conference with the students, visiting homes and seeing the school program in action.

Miss Hopper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hopper of Talco, will be working with Miss Thomas of the Pawnee home economics staff.

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LOCAL NEWS

By MRS. O. B. HOPWOOD
DIAL DR 9-3855

W. R. Shaw spent Sunday with his folks in Eustace.

Frank Sloan visited his father, O. A. Sloan in Hennessey, Okla., last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Smalley and Wayne went to Dallas Friday and saw "Cinerama."

Mrs. Lucille Perkins visited her son, Lloyd Perkins and family in Sulphur Springs, this week.

The Methodist Church has changed the time for their evening service from 7 o'clock to 7:30.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McGonagill spent the week end in Memphis, Tenn., and Mississippi with relatives.

Mrs. Fred Coker was released from Mt. Pleasant hospital on Friday, a medical patient for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Caldwell visited her sister, Mrs. J. W. Davidson and his mother, Mrs. W. W. Caldwell in Oklahoma on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Frye and family left on Tuesday for a two weeks' visit in Rockford, Ill., with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Yates.

Miss Barbara Traylor was released from a Mt. Pleasant hospital on Friday, where she had been a medical patient for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lindsey and children spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents at McKinney.

Mrs. Roxie LeMay of Springhill, La., came last week to visit her son, L. R. LeMay and Mrs. LeMay.

Miss Jean Gables, employed in Dallas, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Gables.

Charles Dawson, a student at Stephen F. Austin, Nacogdoches, spent the week end with Wayne Smalley.

Mrs. James Robertson and mother of Mt. Pleasant, visited Mrs. Billy Joe Pope and family on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Harris were in Longview on Saturday for Mr. Harris to have a checkup on his eyes.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Britt of Shangaloo, La., were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Baten and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Barrett and family of Oklahoma, visited in the Frank Lindsey home on Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Sikes attended the funeral of Mrs. Sikes' uncle, W. A. McClellan, in Shreveport on Sunday.

Rev. E. K. Sparkman returned home Monday from Bridgeport, where he held a ten day revival at the First Methodist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gauden and David Glenn spent Sunday in Longview with his sister, Mrs. G. W. Anderson and Mr. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Henderson visited their son, R. C. Henderson and family in Dallas over the week end; their granddaughter is critically ill.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Belcher at a Mt. Pleasant hospital Wednesday morning. He weighed nine pounds, one and one-half ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Taylor and Johnny, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Taylor visited their brother, C. T. Taylor in Big Sandy and their mother, and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Taylor and Mike in Gilmer on Sunday.

Mrs. Sallie Gage attended the Fourth Division meeting of Texas Association of Accredited Beauty Culturists and annual East Texas Design Show in Tyler on Sunday. Mrs. Gage, president of N. E. Texas Unit 75, gave an interesting talk on the requirements for successful operation of a unit.

Mrs. L. G. Adams returned home Thursday from South Bend, Ind., where she has been visiting her sister and getting acquainted with her new niece.

Frank Bowen spent the past week with his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sloan and Jim. He returned to his home in Oklahoma City on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Westbrook and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Haynes visited Mrs. Fred Coker Wednesday night in a Mt. Pleasant hospital. Mrs. Coker was dismissed on Friday.

Mrs. E. K. Sparkman returned home Monday after a visit in the home of her son, Ted Sparkman and family of Dallas, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dodgen of Coleman.

Visiting Mrs. Nora Williams and Wanda, Sunday, were her son, Richard Williams and family of Palestine and daughter, Mrs. James Cain and family of Longview.

Visiting in the D. E. Howard home during the week end were their daughter, Mrs. Vernon Stewart and Mr. Stewart of Oklahoma City and their son, Dean Howard of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. LeMay attended the funeral of V. W. Casebur at Broken Bow, Okla., on Thursday. Mr. Casebur was the father of Mrs. Jess Shaw of Tyler, formerly of Talco.

About 100 acres of land on the Burton ranch on Scatter Creek on old Highway 37 between Bogata and Clarksville has been cleared of timber. John D. Wright, Talco contractor, did the work.

Mr. and Mrs. LeGrande Cato and daughters of Mineral Wells, spent the week end with his sisters, Mrs. Wilton Kelley, Mrs. J. T. Goodroe and Mrs. Autrey Sikes and their families.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Harris over the week end were her mother, Mrs. Bessie Reidout, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Parham and son of Mt. Pleasant, Irvin Gipson of Commerce and Rev. George Lester of Scroggins.

Those visiting Mrs. S. A. Tidwell and Miss Alice Ruth over the week end were Mrs. Tidwell's nephew, D. W. Shelton and family from Denton, her nieces, Mrs. Berta Mae Humphries and Mrs. Douglas Mitchell from Clarksville.

John D. Wright of Talco, is clearing 90 acres of timbered land on the Felix Jones ranch, south of Talco. Timber is being removed to grow better grass. None of the land will be put into cultivation, according to Mr. Jones.

A son, Mickel Scott, was born on March 17 to Sgt. and Mrs. Eugene Davis of San Antonio. He weighed 8 lbs. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hoffpauir, all of Talco.

Gus Swaim, in a Raris hospital for three weeks, following a heart attack, was dismissed Saturday and returned to his home in Bogata. He is improving but must remain in bed several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Legrand Cato and two daughters, Sandra and Ann of Mineral Wells, spent last week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Lowry at Bogata and his relatives at Talco.

The Panhandle Herald has published a Rotary number for past presidents. It has had a club for thirty years. Dr. Geo. P. Grout of Hagansport, was president in 1940-41. He left there to move to Talco to take charge of the Grout-Van Pelt herd of Coronet Guernseys. As president of the Panhandle Plains Dairy Show, he was commissioned Lieutenant Colonel on the Governor's Staff

for his work with vocational agriculture boys and the advancement of dairy cattle breeding in the Panhandle.

TODAY'S FAVORITE GAG
Joe College: "You look all broken up. What's the matter?"
Roommate: "I wrote home for a study lamp."
Joe College: "So what?"
Roommate: "They sent the lamp."

PITTSBURG DEEP TEST DOWN 7,300 FEET

The deep test a few miles north of Pittsburg, in the Macedonia section, is reported drilling at 7,300 feet. No showing of oil has been reported. The contract depth is 12,000 feet.—Pittsburg Gazette.

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Alcorn Worried Over Proposed Law Against Selling Goods Below Cost

Editor's note: Achin Alcorn, philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Sulphur, may be unduly worried over the matter at hand this week, but you can decide that from his letter.

Dear Editor: The trouble with electing a man to Congress is that he considers it a mandate as they say from the people to get his name on some legislation. There ain't nothing apparently more embarrassing to a Congressman than to visit back home and have

to admit to the people he hasn't gotten a law passed that he thought up, and consequently this puts so much pressure on him he has to rack his brain to find a spot for a new law, because if there's one thing the United States has a surplus of, it's laws.

Nearly any situation you think of, some Congressman has already thought of a law to cover it. But the other day a Congressman thought up a new law, and I'm concerned over it.

What he wants is a law to prohibit the sale of merchandise below cost.

Now off-hand this might sound like a good thing, business has got to make a profit to be worth anything, and I guess if a man hasn't got sense enough not to sell for more than he paid, maybe he needs a law to keep him in business.

But I got to thinking. I don't know what all "merchandise" would include, but I can see the day when the courts would interpret it as cattle, for example, or cotton or corn or wheat or rice, and I'm telling you when they pass a law keeping a farmer from selling below cost, they're gonna play thunder with farming.

I know farmers, in fact I'm one of 'em, who have been selling below cost for years, and you pass a law putting a stop to it and you'll throw a lot of us out of work.

Year before last, nearly anybody who sold a cow he'd bought the year before that, sold it at below cost, and if this law had been in effect, by now lots of farmers couldn't have gotten to their mail box for stumbling over dead cows.

I'm not in favor of it, but one of the fundamental rights of a farmer has been to sell below cost, and you eliminate that and there'll be years when a man can't plant a

Highlights and Sidelights FROM Your State CAPITOL

By VERN SANFORD, Texas Press Association

Austin.—After prodding from the head coach, line coach and backfield, the Legislature got busy on both the put and the take phases of its money job.

House and Senate committees reported the biggest biennial budget in history. The Senate version calls for \$1.5 billion. The House bill ran slightly less.

In one day of debate, the House passed its bill, calling for \$212 million in two years from the general revenue fund, now currently in the red. It would require \$33,600,000 more than current spending, for general purposes, plus a proposed addition of \$27 million for highways.

Hearings by the revenue and taxation committee finally were held on Gov. Allan Shivers' tax recommendations — the Murphy 2-cent per gallon gasoline tax increase; and the Kirklind one-cent cigarette tax increase.

Although the current House is one of the "workingest" groups ever, Speaker Jim Lindsey, called on the members to work harder. He predicted that most of the urgent program—water, insurance laws, hospital, tax and spending—could be achieved. He estimated \$60 million new taxes would be required.

Governor Shivers renewed his urging for the gasoline tax hike, backed by the highway commission's estimate that Texas needs to spend \$2,200,000,000 on highways during the next 10 years.

Rep. Jerry Sadler who said he was "authorized to speak for a majority of the House," told the revenue and taxation committee that the 2-cent gasoline tax hike won't pass.

Sadler prefers a one-cent per gallon gasoline and condensate processing tax. This, he contends, would bring in \$160 million a year and permit repeal of the present 4-cent gasoline sales tax. A processing tax would reach out-of-state as well as Texas buyers of gasoline.

Sadler also has proposed a \$3.30 per barrel hike in the tax on beer.

Heard by the oil, gas and mining committee was Rep. J. B. Walling's "anti-waste" bill to set minimum prices for natural gas. At present rates this bill would bring in an estimated \$20 million a year.

Under committee rules, the tax and gas-conservation bills automatically went to sub-committees for a week's study.

Veterans' Affairs
Veteran land deals and their investigation resulted in an ever-growing list of legal suits against Bascom Giles, former commissioner of the General Land Office.

Filed by Atty.-Gen. John Ben Shepperd in 53rd District Court here was a civil suit against Giles, seeking a lien on property purportedly owned by the former commissioner in Falls County.

new crop for worrying where to put last year's.

Maybe a druggist shouldn't be allowed to sell tooth paste below cost, or a merchant a formal evening gown, but you stop a farmer from selling his products that way and what's he gonna do for a living?

Yours faithfully, A. A.

JOHNTOWN

By MRS. G. A. VAUGHAN

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Calquhoun of Las Vegas, Nev., arrived the past week for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Lila Pirtle. Mrs. Calquhoun was formerly Miss Ruth Pirtle.

Mrs. Rupert Hinson and Mrs. John Hervey made a business trip to Naples and Daingerfield Wednesday.

Mrs. Robbie McCuller and son of Longview, and her mother-in-law, Mrs. Pleas McCuller and daughter, Evelyn of Talco, visited Mrs. W. J. Hawkins and Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Pew, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thomas of Bogata, spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Vaughan and Mary Ann.

Mrs. Jim Hervey and son, Wendell, were business visitors in Paris, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pirtle visited their daughter, Mrs. Tommie Cecil and family at Greenville, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bain are doing some re-decorating inside their home.

The new home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. (Boots) Roberts is progressing with each week. Mr. Roberts is doing his own work.

Mrs. John Roach of Sulphur Springs, is visiting her sister, Mrs. T. A. York and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Patterson visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pope at Talco, Tuesday.

Rev. and Mrs. Alvin Blalock and children visited Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hawkins of Longview at

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their home here the week end.

Mrs. Tommie Cecil and son of Greenville, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pirtle.

Mrs. Thomas Patterson, who has been employed at a cafe at Talco, is now unemployed.

Tom Cox and daughter, Miss Sue, were in Bogata, Saturday.

Jess Morris of Grand Prairie, spent the week end with his family here at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Baxter.

Mr. Morris, an electrician, had an accident the past week when he contacted a live wire and was painfully burned on his right hand.

Mrs. W. R. Baxter is visiting a daughter, Mrs. Earl Rivers and family, and son, Richard Baxter and family at Oklahoma City.

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Orders Cut April Crude Output

Austin.—The Railroad Commission ordered a cut of about 59,500 barrels a day in the state's allowable production of oil for April. This will mean a permissive flow of about 3,275,000 barrels daily.

Curtailment of April production will result from having only 17 days of flow statewide and in the big East Texas Field. That is one day less than for March, in both instances.

Commissioner decision on 17 producing days was in conflict with recommendations of a majority of the oil purchasers testifying at the statewide proration hearing.

Nine companies wanted 16 days of flow; one suggested 15. Only three called for 17 days. They were Gulf, Sun and Atlantic.

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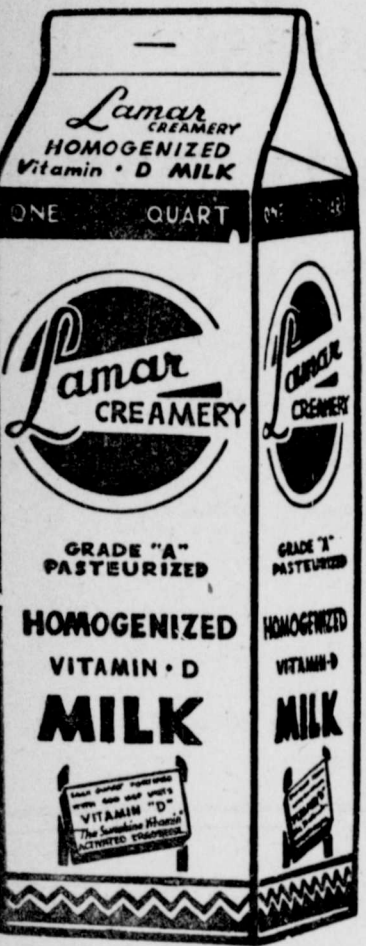
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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

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Doc vowed he'd leave her there to teach her a lesson. But Mrs. W. spoke up: "Now you go turn her loose. It's hard to cut a good

conversation short—something only a woman understands!"

From where I sit, however, plenty of men are as hard to pry away from a telephone as any female. Some people are just naturally long-winded, while others are the silent type—just as some of us like coffee and others prefer a glass of beer. The important thing is to be considerate...before friends start giving us the "busy signal."

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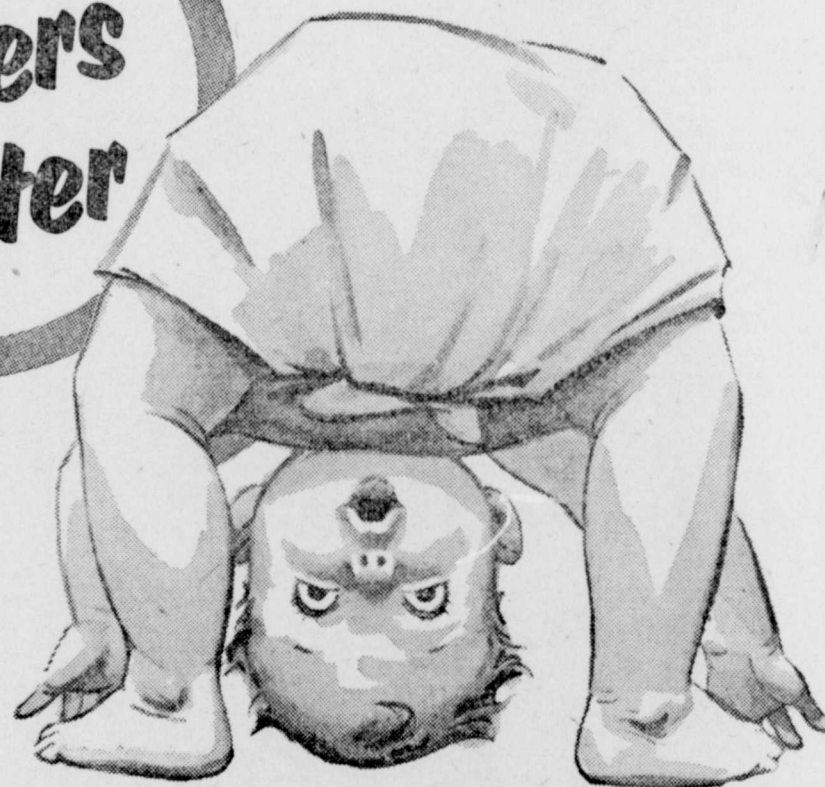


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