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Time for Vehicle Inspection Again

Austin.—Col. Homer Garrison Jr., director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, announced today that the time has arrived for Texas motorists to have their vehicles inspected again.

Garrison said September 1 marked the beginning of the 1964 vehicle inspection period as prescribed by the Public Safety Commission. As in previous years, the period will end on April 15, 1965.

"This means that between now and April 15, 1965, more than 5,200,000 Texas registered vehicles will have to be inspected at the 5,200 official inspection stations in Texas," he said.

Garrison urged motorists to have their vehicles inspected in the routine visits to garages for ordinary maintenance and repairs and thereby eliminate the necessity of having to wait in line at a later date for an inspection sticker. He further pointed out that with the ever increasing number of vehicles registered in Texas, it is becoming ever more difficult for the motorist to get an inspection sticker without some delay.

"With the hard summer driving coming to an end, fall is an excellent time to have vehicles safety checked for the winter months ahead," Garrison said.

In announcing the new inspection period, the Public Safety Director pointed out that vehicle inspection in Texas has apparently been a valuable tool in reducing traffic accidents due to vehicle defects. When compulsory vehicle inspection began in 1951, 19 per cent of all vehicles involved in fatal accidents had a defect that contributed to the accident, while in 1963, that percentage had been reduced to 4 per cent. In non-fatal accidents, vehicle defects as a contributing factor were reduced from 20 per cent in 1951 to 5 per cent in 1963.

Lunchroom Menu Talco School

Sept. 14-18.

MONDAY

Chicken fried steak - gravy, seasoned green beans, buttered corn, pickles - olives, hot rolls - butter, 1/2 pt. milk, fruit cups.

TUESDAY

Tuna fish salad, toasted bread, pork & beans, potato chips, 1/2 pt. milk, lemon pudding.

WEDNESDAY

Ham chunks, seasoned pinto beans, creamed potatoes, combination salad, hot corn bread, 1/2 pt. milk, pineapple chiffon pie.

THURSDAY

Hamburger patties, round toasted bun, lettuce - tomatoes, onions - pickles, mayonnaise-mustard, potato chips, ice cream.

FRIDAY

Roast beef - gravy, whipped potatoes, buttered English peas, salad cups, hot rolls - butter, 1/2 pt. milk, peach cobbler.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bonham and Mrs. C. E. Jones were in Dallas on business, Wednesday.

The Real McCoy's

By FELIX JONES



FELIX JONES
INSURANCE
At the Bank TALCO

Mt. Pleas. Times Open House Set

An open house for expanded quarters of the Mt. Pleasant Times has been scheduled for Saturday night, Publisher W. N. (Dub) Furey announced.

The event will climax the latest achievement in a family that has been in the newspaper business in Texas for three generations and nearly a century.

Furey joined a group of nine Mt. Pleasant businessmen in formation of Mt. Pleasant Times Publishing Co. in 1957. Two and a half years later he purchased their interests, and since then he, his wife and son have owned the newspapers.

Last year Furey bought a 2-story building adjoining the newspaper plant which had been the Taylor Hospital and Clinic. The downstairs portion has been converted into executive, business and advertising offices.

Red River Co. Fair Set for Sept. 23-26

Ninth annual Red River County Fair and Livestock Exposition officially opens with the traditional parade at 4 p. m., Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 23 and closes Saturday night, Sept. 26.

One again the Alamo Shows will provide rides and carnival entertainment, to go along with the livestock shows, the handicraft and canning displays, the commercial and educational booths, and the special exhibits.

One of the highlights of the livestock division will be the judging of the 37 calves in the junior show. Larkin Gooch, chairman, has announced that the poultry show will be the largest in history. The swine and sheep divisions will be housed for the first time in a new separate building, completed last month, and located east of the Livestock Barn.

The women's division, handicraft displays, and educational booths will occupy the Exhibits Building.

The principal planned entertainment of the Fair will be the performance of several string bands and an Old Fiddlers' Contest on Saturday night, in charge of Paul Hamilton.

The Horse Show will again be on Saturday, directed by R. A. (Slim) Hulen.

Clubs or groups desiring to sponsor food-service locations are asked to apply to C. M. (Lum) Fisher. Giles McCarver is heading the educational and commercial booth committee.

Clarksville will have a new look for the Fair this year, as many merchants have purchased special decorations. It is suggested that these be hung about Wednesday, Sept. 16.

Mrs. Jones Hostess To Garden Club

Talco Garden Club met in the home of Mrs. Jerry Jones. Roll call was answered by giving the color of a ribbon and what it stands for in judging flower shows. After the business meeting, discussion was on changing three of the programs for the year.

Refreshments were served to 12 members: Mmes. M. L. Barron, Jed Adams, Jerry Clemmons, Cato Jones, Gerald Holmes, Jerry Swarts, Jack Lawyer, Billy Vickers, Robert Giddens, Robert Furry and A. C. Newsome. The members played bingo for the door prizes.

Americans Eating More In 1964

Per capital food consumption is expected to be 1 per cent higher in 1964 than in '63. This would be the largest increase in 5 years. Expenditures for food for the first six months of 1964 were 4 per cent higher than for the same months of last year and are expected to hold at that level for the remainder of the year. Consumers are now spending about 18.5 per cent of their disposable income for food. Food is still a bargain.

Carthal Gipson Is Hurt In Accident

Carthal Gipson was injured in a tractor accident about 5:30 Monday afternoon while cutting brush at his farm 4 1/2 miles south of town.

It was reported that he had gotten off the tractor to make some adjustment. The tractor ran over his left leg and the "brush hog" dragged him for some distance. He was carried by ambulance to Mt. Pleasant Hospital and Clinic.

Extent of his injuries was not known Wednesday, but it was reported his left leg was badly broken, the left hip bone was pulled out of its socket and he received internal injuries.

Mr. Gipson was able to crawl about 60 yards to where the tractor stopped, get on the tractor and drive to the road, where he was found by Mike Slaughter, who summoned L. D. Hanks, who was working nearby.

He is scheduled to undergo surgery on his hip and leg later in the week.

Titus Co. Singers To Meet Sept. 12-13

Titus County Singing Association will hold its semi-annual Gospel Singing Convention at the American Legion Hall in North Mt. Pleasant on Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 12-13.

The convention will get underway on Saturday evening, Sept. 12 at 7:30 p. m. with the Sunday session scheduled to begin at 10 o'clock and adjourn at 4 p. m.

Edmond Brown is a patient at Talco Hospital and Clinic.

Mrs. Bulin Dies After Illness

Mrs. Lewis Bulin of Bogata, died at 4 a. m. Friday in Clarksville hospital, after long illness. Services were held at 2 p. m. Saturday at Johtown Baptist Church, with Rev. Garnett Walker officiating. Bogata Funeral Home made interment in Rosalie Cemetery.

Pallbearers were K. O. Shoulters, Weldon Smith, Charlie Lewis, R. D. Hanson, Francis Foster, Hubert Horn.

The former Miss Effie Ward, Mrs. Bulin was born at Birthright, March 3, 1895, daughter of Joseph and Rachel (Lisenby) Ward. She was married at Johtown in 1961 to Mr. Bulin, who survives. Other survivors are two sisters, Mrs. Myrtle Black of Johtown, Mrs. Lula Hanbass of Commerce; a number of nieces and nephews.

LON JONES FAMILY ATTEND LECTURESHIP IN GERMANY

From Mrs. J. C. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Jones have received word from their son, Lon Jones and his family in Holland. Miss Mary Potts, a sister of Mrs. Alexander, who is a teacher in Germany, met the Jones during the lectureship in Frankfurt, Germany. All of the Churches of Christ in that part of Europe were helping in these lectures and Holland was included. Lon Jones is doing mission work in Holland, located at the Haag, together with his family.

Miss Potts wrote her sister that she had a nice long visit with Mrs. Jones and children and a short visit with Lon, and asked Mrs. Alexander to report that they were well.



Austin. — "Interbasin diversions," the process of moving water from where it is to where it is needed, is being talked about more and more in Texas where half of the state's water supply is centered in the eastern one-seventh of the state.

It will be the topic of three speakers at the Association of Western State Engineers in Austin on Sept. 21.

Speakers are Frank Raab of Oklahoma, David Hale of New Mexico and William Warne of California. All three are water officials in states which have turned to inter-basin diversions to solve some water problems.

Some moving already has taken place in Texas. In the Trinity watershed, for instance, Dallas is completing a pipeline and treatment plant for moving Sabine River water from Lake Tawakoni to Dallas. Also Houston has signed a contract with the Trinity River Authority to move Trinity water to Houston.

Interbasin diversion will become the subject of more conversations for Texans when the U. S. Bureau of Reclamation releases its pending report. It proposes a 400-mile canal to move surplus water from the Sabine and Neches basins, southward to link all major rivers in Texas and meet the needs of the Gulf Coast to a point below Corpus Christi.

Gov. John Connally has asked the Texas Water Commission to speed up water planning to seek alternatives to the Bureau of Reclamation's forthcoming proposal. But the commission is strapped by the bounds of a budget inadequate for such a study, unless the 1965 Legislature increases its funds.

INSURANCE INTEREST CHARGE UPHELD — An effort by the Allstate Insurance Company to knock out the State Board of Insurance order requiring a minimum charge of six per cent interest on insurance premiums paid by installments has failed.

Board said it found nothing in the hearing to change its mind. It reported that abuses of Texas laws, prohibiting inducements to prospective policyholders and prohibiting discrimination be-

tween policyholders, were taking place under deferred payment plans.

"Net costs of handling premium payments financed by insurance companies at cut-rate interest, or no interest, will ultimately be paid by all insureds," said Board Chairman Hunter McLean. "Those electing deferred payment plans should bear such costs."

A spokesman for one company charged that criticism of ruling by the National Association of Independent Insurers laid the groundwork for "an attack on the Texas rating system and policy control." N.A.I.I. claimed the order discriminates against Texas policyholders, and that the board had no authority to adopt it.

HIGHWAY HURRY-UPS ASKED — Citizens from San Antonio, Corpus Christi and the counties which connect them asked the State Highway Commission to "hurry up" and schedule work on a proposed Interstate Highway between the two cities so that construction will be completed by 1968.

This is the year when San Antonio will produce the HemisFair; Padre Island National Seashore will be in full-scale operation and Mexico City will host the World Olympics. Nueces County Judge Noah Kennedy Jr. said, "We would just like to be in a position to swap tourists with the city of San Antonio."

"Hurry-up" urgings also were heard from Valley leaders who pleaded with the Highway Commission to hasten construction of the Valley Expressway (US 83) because the current system of routing traffic on access roads is hazardous.

Lower Rio Grande Valley Chamber of Commerce vice president Jack H. Drake of Weslaco told commissioners the Valley death rate has risen 40 per cent this year—compared to a statewide rise of 13 per cent—because of accidents on the access roads adjacent to the expressway route. Commission immediately authorized construction of a 1.7-mile section of the expressway within the city limits of Mercedes.

ANTI-MOSQUITO CAMPAIGN — Spurred by the spread of encephalitis, state, county and city

TALCO NEWS 10-20 Years Ago

Week of September 8, 1944

Lt. A. T. West, recently of the Italian theatre of operations, had returned home.

Word had been received from the Adj. General's department that Sgt. M. C. Gandy, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Gandy, had been missing in action over Germany since August 25.

Mrs. J. C. Vaughn had passed away at her home in Davis, Ok. Born to Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Cantor, Aug. 30 at a Paris hospital, a daughter, Mickey Lucille.

A daughter, named Lydia Diane, was born to the P. A. Anchutzes of Talco.

A daughter was born to the R. O. Gists of Talco. She was named Patricia Diane.

Week of September 10, 1954

A son was born to the Jessie Thompsons at a Mt. Pleasant hospital.

Erwilyn Brown and Don Spruell were married at Freer.

Miss Carolyn Ryan, winner of annual American Legion Auxiliary scholarship of Burks-Clear Post of Talco, was in Washington, D. C., to enroll in Junior Division of George Washington University.

Thomas Lowell Leake, home from four years Naval service, would enter Sam Houston College to finish his senior year, interrupted by military service.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Clark during the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Al Car-gile and children of Grand Prairie and James Paul Clark, who is teaching in Mesquite.

Talco Business Is Robbed Saturday

Winn's Lumber, Hardware and Furniture Store was robbed Saturday night and a Blossom man, employed by the firm as a TV repairman for the past three months, was charged Tuesday in Mt. Pleasant court with breaking and entering.

Jack Winn, owner of the store, discovered the robbery Sunday morning and later a nearby resident reported seeing the man leaving the store Saturday night.

Recovered from the man's home in Blossom were a shotgun, rifle and \$12.61 in money. Making investigation and arrest were Deputies Grayson and Graf.

Talco Students Off To Various Colleges

Students from Talco have enrolled in the following colleges: Miss Carolyn Rodgers, Baylor University, Waco; Miss Linda Miller, East Texas Baptist College, Marshall; Sherry Sikes, Jimmy Clemmons, Johnny Gable, Ronny Joe Holloway, Becky Lewis, Connie Merle Holloway, Donald Stockton, Lank Easterling Jr., East Texas State College, Commerce; Ronnie Logan, Jacksonville College, Jacksonville; Rodney Russell and Ronnie Nelson, Kilgore Junior College.

Judy Jagers, Barbara Morse, Brenda Lewis, Jan Hargrove, Jan Kirl, Gary Buchanan, C. W. Frye, Jacky Dixon, Richard Parrish, Paris Junior College; Micky Via, Tulane University, New Orleans, La.; Jere Paul Parrish, University of Texas, Austin; Shelby Johnson and Butch Purdue, Texarkana Junior College; Miss Marjorie Richardson and Calvin Hammond, University of Houston.

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Football Schedule Talco Trojans 1964

Sept. 11 — Open
Sept. 18 — Hawkins — Here
Sept. 25 — Quitman — There
Oct. 2 — Mt. Vernon — Here
Oct. 9 — Open
Oct. 16 — * Hughes Spgs — Here
Oct. 23 — * Queen City — Here
Oct. 30 — * Jefferson — There
Nov. 6 — * James Bowie — Here
Nov. 13 — * Bogata — There
* Denotes District Games
* Homecoming
Sept. games begin at 8:00 p. m.
Oct. games begin at 7:45 p. m.
Nov. games begin at 7:30 p. m.

Gerald Ben Morris of Commerce, visited his mother, Mrs. Opal Morris, during week end.

Trojans Lose To Cooper Bulldogs

The Cooper Bulldogs, led by halfback Benton Raney, who gained 57 yards on the ground and added another 55 through the air, racked up an 18-0 victory over the Talco Trojans in the season opener at Cooper Friday night. The past two season openers had seen Talco defeating the Cooper eleven.

Both teams played well despite hot, humid conditions. The heat apparently hurt Talco the most, however, as the Trojans' lack of depth became a problem as the game progressed.

Other than the three touchdown drives by Cooper, the game was fairly evenly matched. Cooper had 196 total yards to 132 for Talco. The Trojans got 127 on the ground while Cooper had 111, with 85 through the air.

Ronnie Duncan, a 160-pound halfback, was the big offensive gun for Talco, rambling for 32 yards on the ground and five via the airways.

Coach Jack Allen was pleased with his Trojans' effort. "We lacked the depth necessary to go with them," Allen said one of his men played three positions in the contest. Talco had 17 men dressed out for the tilt. Allen cited Eddie Reed, Jerry Black and Otis Hall for their defensive work.

The closest Talco got to pay-dirt was in the second period when the squad drove to the Bulldogs' 22 before fumbling. This was after Cooper had scored its first tally.

Olan Worthy, a junior, had 43 yards rushing for Talco.

Talco has an open date this week.

Constitution Week Set For Sept. 17-23

The week of September 17 to 23 is designated Constitution Week by Act of Congress and proclamation of the President. Purpose of the observance of the week is to revitalize appreciation for our constitution and our country.

It is a time when all American citizens should read the Constitution, and to review the circumstances under which it was born. Joseph Ligon Chapter of Daughters of American Revolution of Paris is emphasizing the study of the Constitution especially during this week.

Derrell Stockton of Odessa, spent the Labor Day week end with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Stockton and Donald.

Rose Bowl

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Cecelia Blackwell Weds Sidney Tietz

Miss Cecelia Blackwell became the bride of Sidney Tietz Saturday evening in a formal ceremony in the chapel of the First Baptist Church, Mt. Pleasant.

Rev. Danny Perdue officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Blackwell.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tietz of Tyler, formerly of Talco.

Nuptial music was provided by Mrs. Joe Ed Brown and Mrs. Danny Perdue.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a formal gown of white peau-de-soie fashioned in heirloom tradition. The fitted bodice, which fastened in the back with tiny covered buttons, featured a portrait neckline outlined with lace scallops re-embroidered with seed pearls and iridescent sequins. The long fitted sleeves tapered to petal points over her hands and were fastened with tiny covered buttons. The skirt extended to a chapel-length train in the back and was enhanced with sprays of re-embroidered lace. Her tiered veil of silk illusion was caught by a thin headband of seed pearls. The bride carried a cascade of White Beauty French carnations nestled in white silk tulle and satin leaves outlined with pearls with the center being an orchid.

Attendants were: Miss Vicki Blackwell, sister of the bride, maid of honor; Mike Collom, best man. Miss Angel Blackwell, sister of the bride, lighted the candles, Cindy Blackwell, flower

Parker-Mangrum Vows Exchanged

Miss Dolora Jacque Parker became the bride of Billy Ray Mangrum in a semi-formal ceremony at the Arcadia Park Assembly of God Church in Dallas on Aug. 21 at 8 o'clock in the evening.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Parker of Talco, and parents of the groom are Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Mangrum of Dallas.

Rev. Glenn Mangrum, brother of the groom, read the double-ring vows as the couple stood before an embankment of blue and white flowers with green foliage in gold colored containers. Rev. W. C. Mangrum, father of the groom, prayed over the couple as they knelt before the altar.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was dressed in a formal length gown of Chantilly lace with fitted bodice and a yoke formed of iridescent sequins. The gown had a Queen Ann neck and Juliet sleeves extending to petal points over the hands. The bodice was fastened in the back with tiny covered buttons to the waist. Half petal points of the lace fell on either side of the six tiered accordion pleated skirt of tulle. Her finger tip veil of illusion was attached to a crown of seed pearls. Her bouquet was white feathered carnations with streamers of white

girl, and David Tietz, brother of the groom, was ringbearer. Ushers were Rusty Leftwich and Mike Blackwell.

RECEPTION

A reception was held following the wedding at the Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church. Mrs. Mike Blackwell and Miss Leanne Henderson served the three-tiered cake to the guests from crystal appointments off of a table laid with white lace over green satin and centered with an arrangement of white Princess gladiolas garlanded with green fern. Miss Sue Davis presided at the registry.

The bride wore an olive brown silk dress accented with brown accessories as her going away ensemble.

The couple will make their home in Lubbock, where she will be employed and he will resume his studies at Texas Tech.

Wedding Shower For Recent Bride

A wedding shower was given Friday night in the home of Mrs. Don Malone for Mrs. Billy Ray Mangrum, formerly Dolora Parker. Colors of pink and white were carried out in arrangements of pink and white roses. White cake squares, topped with pink rose buds, pink punch, nuts and mints were served to twenty-eight guests.

Hostesses were Mes. James Hearron, I. L. Hearron, Don Malone, Glen Harris, J. C. Fail and V. L. Taylor.

Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Warren and Mrs. Alford Flanagan of Mt. Pleasant, Rev. and Mrs. Glenn Mangrum, Miss Helen Hearron of Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. Laren Stephens of Paris.

ribbon tied in love knots.

Miss Brenda Mangrum, sister of the groom, was maid of honor. She wore a pale blue sheath with white accessories. Joe Leroy Johnson, brother-in-law of the bride, was best man.

Wedding music was furnished by Mrs. Joe Leroy Johnson, sister of the bride, and "I Love You Truly" was sung by Mrs. Glenn Mangrum. Also sister of the bride, Mrs. Brenda Peterson, sang "Whither Thou Goest." Ushers were Ricky Briggs and Tommy Anderson of Dallas.

The reception was held in the home of the groom's parents.

The three-tiered wedding cake was decorated in blue and white sugar spun roses and was served with fruit punch to about 75 guests. The couple are employed in Dallas and are at home at 3007 W. Clarendon.

Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Van Winkle, David and Debbie of Stamford.



Thou hast blessed the work of his hands.—(Job 1:10).

The Spirit of God enables our hands to be capable, sure and efficient when they are directed to performing good and humane deeds in His image.

"BUT HOW ABOUT YOU?"



NEWS NOTE: Agencies that demand information from business are opposing legislation requiring them to tell of their own activities.

LOCAL NEWS ABOUT BOGATA

Mrs. Curt Green has been ill at her home in South Bogata.

Worth Seaman and family of Austin, left Friday after visiting his mother, Mrs. Vannie Seaman.

Charlie Isenburg of Garland, is reported getting along satisfactorily in Gaston Hospital, Dallas.

Mrs. Tom Benningfield visited in Blossom Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Alsobrook visited in St. Joseph's Hospital, Paris, Saturday afternoon with her sister, Mrs. May Deaver of Broken Bow, Ok.

Walter Blankenship of Mt. Vernon, who was ill, spent last week with his sister, Mrs. Cora Webster.

Truman Edwards of Texarkana, spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Edwards at Rosalie.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Isenburg of Garland, visited their daughter, Mrs. Leon Huddleston, and Mr. Huddleston, during week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Orvell Lovell and baby of Grapevine, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Lovell, during week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyce Williams and children of Mesquite, were here for the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wood Armstrong and Charles.

Mrs. Ois Swaim, Mrs. Billy Wayne Dixon and son, Bill of Talco, Mrs. Eugene Garrett and son, Ronald of Dallas, were Wednesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Garrett. Wednesday night guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Garrett of Fort Worth.

Jimmy Branch spent the week end in McKinney with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Russell.

Guy Coldflesh Jr. and Dean Hallcraft of Fort Ord, Calif., visited Mrs. Mary Coldflesh, Eddie and Larry, during the holidays.

Martin Clifton and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mitchell of Modesto, Calif., visited relatives here during the Labor Day week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gullion had as Sunday visitors, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Gullion of Paris, Mrs. Phoebe Strother and Ray Blake of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Maxie Lewis and Joyce had as Monday visitors, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Lewis of Odessa, Mrs. George Lewis of Clarksville.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Townes of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. David Townes of Dallas, returned home Monday after the week end with their mother, Mrs. Dessie Bratton.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wayne Dixon and baby of Talco, were Saturday night guests of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Garrett.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Goode had as visitors for the week end: Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mathis, Sandra and Barbara of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Wilburn of Knox City, Mrs. L. C. Barnes of New Boston, Mr. and Mrs. John McGee and Regina of East Hooks. Mr. and Mrs. Levi Gibson, Mrs. Delbert Gibson, Lawrence Lee, Mrs. Bud Belcher were afternoon visitors.

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On March 6 Santa Anna with over 4,000 troops stormed the Alamo, and the last of the heroic band of Texans died fighting. Names like William Barret Travis, James Bowie, Davy Crockett and James B. Bonham became immortal.

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LOCAL NEWS

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Mrs. Earlene Lee is a patient at Talco Hospital and Clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jones and son visited in Talco during the week end.

Miss Pat Jones was dismissed from the Talco Hospital and Clinic, Friday.

A son was born Sept. 8 at McCuiston Hospital in Paris to Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Fitch and Clifford of Dalls, spent the week end with Mrs. W. M. Allin.

Tommy Belcher of Houston, spent the Labor Day week end with his grandmother, Mrs. Vivian Belcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Lewis and Miss Brenda Lewis spent the Labor Day week end at the Narrows at Daisy, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Derrell Stansell of Garland, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Stansell, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lagrand Cato of Mineral Wells, who accompanied their daughter, Miss Ann Cato, to Commerce, where she enrolled in ETSC, are visiting relatives in Talco and Bogata this week.



Blessed are the peacemakers: for they shall be called sons of God.—(Matt. 5:9).

The more we promote peace personally, the more we contribute to peace universally. The more we eradicate fear, hatred, and intolerance from our own heart, the more we help to eradicate them from the world.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Kent and Patrick of Commerce, visited Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Foster during the Labor Day week end.

Jerry Jones and Billy G. Jones of Dallas, participated in the Labor Day Invitational Golf Tournament in Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Williams and children of Dallas, visited Mr. and Mrs. Blanton Gage and family during the week end.

Sgt. and Mrs. Jimmy Presley of Fort Hood, spent the week end with Mrs. C. B. Presley and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Horton.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Kelley Jr. and family spent the Labor Day week end with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cockrell and family in Smithville.

Mr. and Mrs. David Schoolfield and John of Shreveport, La., visited his cousin, Mrs. Hershall Kelley Sr. and family Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Foster and Chris of Houston, visited Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Foster and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Richardson, during the week end.

Miss Janie Wilson has returned to Dallas, where she is a teacher, after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harold Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Blalock.

Thomas A. Manor and daughters, Misses Linda Sue and Marilyn Ann Manor of Oklahoma City, visited Mr. Manor's sister, Mrs. W. M. Allin, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Carroll of Dallas announce the birth of a baby daughter on Sept. 7. The baby weighed 7 1/4 lbs. and has been named Kimberly Lyn. Mrs. Carroll is the former Donna Blackard. The baby is a great-granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Kaylor spent the Labor Day week end in Hot Springs and Magnolia, Ark. Enroute home they visited in Haynesville, La., where they met her father, J. A. Yates, who had been visiting Dr. and Mrs. A. R. Ramsey in Baton Rouge and relatives in Haynesville.



MRS. PAUL TERRELL POPE, the former Gayla Sue Gieger until her marriage Aug. 22 to Paul Terrell Pope of Ft. Worth. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Gieger, Ft. Worth and the granddaughter of Mrs. B. L. Gieger of Talco. An account of the wedding appeared in last week's edition.

Mrs. P. O. Gwin and son of Natchitoches, La., are visiting her sister and brother-in-law, Mrs. W. T. Calloway and Mr. Calloway. Tuesday they accompanied Mrs. Calloway to Hughes Springs to visit Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sinclair.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Frye Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Robert Frye, Kelley, Kasey and Robert Paul Jr. returned to Talco Thursday after a week's vacation at the Narrows. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Frye Jr. and sons in Callesburg Friday night and attended a football game. Edward Frye Jr. is coach at Callesburg. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Frye Sr. returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Micky Via and Mindy, who are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill Via and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lewis, will leave the last of the week for New Orleans, La., where he attends Tulane University.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and home for the Labor Day week end were all their children, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bramlett and children, Mr. and Mrs. Walton Gentry and children, all of Diana, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith of Denton, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Smith and children, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Easterling of Mt. Pleasant, Lamond Verner of Garland and Hilton Stroman of Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Davis and family visited in Talco during the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Davis, who are former Talco residents, are residing in Louisiana.

Jerry Dee Simmons received a broken arm when he fell from a swing set at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Simmons, Saturday afternoon.

Talco PTA will meet at 7 o'clock Thursday evening, September 10 (today) at the Talco High School auditorium for the first meeting of the year. A nursery will be provided for the small children.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Johnson during the Labor Day holidays were Sgt. and Mrs. C. E. Oynett and Eddie of Clinton-Sherman AF Base, Ok., Mr. and Mrs. David Johnson and girls of Texarkana, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson of Tyler and Shelby Gene Johnson of Texarkana.

William C. Walls, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Lank Easterling, received his Master of Science degree in Industrial Education from ETSC on Aug. 25. While at ETSC he was a member of the Sigma Phi Epsilon, Iota Lambda Sigma and Phi Delta Kappa fraternities. He and his wife, Martha, have moved to Greenville, where they are employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurmond Jones, Miss Nina Sue Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Jones, Jimmy Lee and Alma Marie, all of Little Rock, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jones and children of Winnsboro, Raymond Jones and Charlie Jones visited Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Hood and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Jones during the Labor Day holidays. Sunday they met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jones in Winnsboro where they were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wesson of Mesquite for a family reunion.

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CUNNINGHAM

By MRS. IRA TAYLOR

Mrs. Ben Clayton and son left Friday for their home in Tulia, after several weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cruise.

Mrs. J. B. Williams was a recent visitor of her sister, Mrs. Hazel Deshazo in Cooper.

Mrs. Ila Taylor has returned to her Paris home after a week's visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Malone have moved into their home here. They purchased a house and moved it onto their place then remodeled it. We are very glad to have them move into our community.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Cox are adding new aluminum windows and screens to their home here. They also added mahogany paneling to their living room and are repainting some woodwork. Joe B. Williams is doing the work.

Mrs. Hilda Clement has purchased a new water tank and had it set up at her rent house here.

Mrs. Rupert Sugg and Alta of Clardy, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor one day last week.

Mrs. Dean Baker and Janey of Greggton, Mrs. Ray Landrum of Hooks, were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Pynes, over the Labor Day week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Byers and family, Charles Baker and Miss Donnie Baker of Dallas, were week end visitors of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Gil Landers of Roxton, were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Taylor. On Monday Mrs. Faye Woodard of Sulphur Springs, Mrs. M. M. Igo of Deport, were visitors of the Taylors.

A revival meeting is in progress at the Baptist Church. Rev. Wilbert Radcliff of Ft. Worth, is doing the preaching.

Visitors over the Labor Day week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Whitney were Mr. and Mrs. Graydon Whitney of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Allison and family of Garland.

Week end visitors of Mrs. Wade Landrum were Mrs. Ben Clayton and son of Tulia, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Russell of Houston, Mrs. Tom Eudy and Miss Vicki Moss of Paris, Kathy and Tam Yancey and Lori Jean Rees of Dallas, Mrs. Goldie Wilson and Rodger,

House Reunion At Newsome Home

Second annual reunion of descendants of the late W. D. and Mattie House was held Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Newsome at Deport. At noon a bountiful dinner was served.

Attending were Mrs. Ella Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Brady Frye, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Brown, all of Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Kenith Brown and Tina, I. M. Brooks of Dallas, Mrs. Bill Kilgore, Nelda and Donald Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Newsome, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brooks and David of Deport;

Mrs. Dan Johnson, Phyllis and John Mac of Detroit, Mrs. Dovie House, Leonard House of Houston, Shelia Borden, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Borden, Clyde House, all of Talco, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Crane, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan House of Bogata, Mr. and Mrs. Don Brooks and Donna of Mesquite, Mr. and Mrs. Bud House of Cross Roads, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Smith of Hereford.

and Jimmie Hicks of Texarkana, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Landrum of Hooks, Mr. and Mrs. Gaylon Oats and son of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Uvalde Landrum and girls of Reno.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Wicker and son of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. Walker Devlin of Minter, visited Mrs. Ora Wicker, over the week end.

The James Jones family moved into their new brick home on Jefferson road this week.

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JOHNTOWN

By MARY ANN VAUGHAN
Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bain are camping and fishing on Lake Ouachita in Arkansas this week. John W. Horn of Quitman and John Sale joined them Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Magee Jr. and Kim of Kingsville, arrived Friday night for a visit with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Hawkins and sons were week end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hawkins and Cheryl. They are moving from Longview to Monticello, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Watts and family of Fort Worth were Labor Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dodd and family and J. O. Cooper Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Dowell of California, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Sale and Jo last week.

Visitors in the G. A. Vaughan home Sunday included Mr. and Mrs. James Thomas and family of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parks and daughters of Ardmore, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Vaughan and children of Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Combett, Clint and Melanie of Longview, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hawkins and Cheryl.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harville and Brian arrived Friday for a visit

here. Mr. Harville left Sunday for Odessa, where he will be employed. Mrs. Harville will remain here with her parents for two weeks.

Supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hawkins Saturday included Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Magee Jr. and Kim of Kingsville, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Combett and children of Longview, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Hawkins and family of Longview, and Mary Ann Vaughan.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jones, Ronnie and Bruce of Terrell, were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Black.

First Sunday singing held at the Baptist Church Sunday afternoon was well attended by both visitors and home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Lowry and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lowry of Bogata and Miss Wanda Lowry of Seattle, Wash., visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lowry and Janie, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Allison and daughters of Garland, visited relatives here during the week end.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pirtle Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Askins of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Kennedy of Cunningham and Mrs. Willie Cotten of Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Horn of Mineola, visited relatives and friends here Monday.

R. C. Jones suffered a light heart attack Tuesday and spent from Tuesday to Friday in Talco Hospital and Clinic. He was reported improved Monday, but due for a check-up Tuesday.

B. F. Rhodes and son, Jackie, who are employed in Louisiana, spent the week end here with Mrs. Rhodes, Shannon and Dale.

Howard Potter of Mt. Pleasant and Roy Potter of Dallas, visited Mr. and Mrs. Burl Duffie and Gene, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jean and family of Longview and Mrs. Phoebe Riggs of Bogata, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Parker, Sunday.

Kathy and Karen Pirtle and Mark Hudson of Bogata, spent Sunday night with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pirtle.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Lee Cox are visiting in Littlefield this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Jones of Everman and Miss Betty Jones of Dallas, have been here attending their father, R. C. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald R. Calquehoun of Dallas, Mrs. Reece Bickham, Eva and Nancy Bickham, Mr. and Mrs. Barry Rosmussen, all of Shreveport, La., Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jean and family and Mr. and Mrs. Drue Pirtle of Longview, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Pirtle and Vance and R. L. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Avret L. Vaughan, Jeff, Laura and Mary Lynn of Cooper, visited G. A. Vaughan and Mary Ann, Thursday.

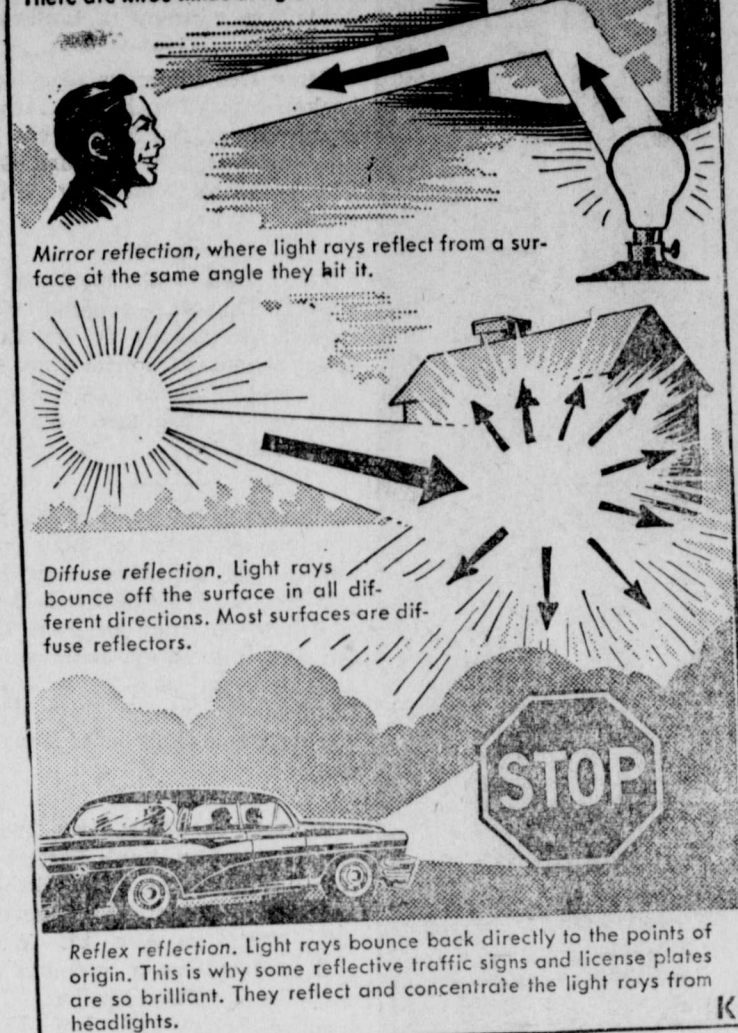
Miss Nelda Dodd of Dallas, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dodd and family.

Mrs. Sharon Whitten and Bruce of Paris, visited Mrs. J. B. Harville and Brian and Mrs. John Horn and sons, Monday night.

Miss Nancy Wood of Bogata, was a Thursday night guest of Mary Ann Vaughan. They visited Mr. and Mrs. James Thomas and family in Paris Friday.

Did You Know?

There are three kinds of light reflection.



WILKINSON

By MRS MORRIS BLALOCK

W. H. Cooley and son of Dallas, were Friday evening guests in the A. T. Blalock home.

Mrs. Loyd Haren and son, Mrs. Alvin Blalock, Mrs. Sally Haren, Mrs. Morris Blalock were in Mt. Pleasant Friday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Harris and Mrs. Virgia Parr of Maple Springs, made a business trip to Paris, Monday.

Sandra and Howel Anschutz returned home Sunday after a week's visit with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Duran of Pine Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock returned home Thursday after being with their grandson, Albert Riddle, who underwent surgery in a Dallas hospital last Tuesday.

Mrs. Harvey Blalock returned home Friday after being ill in the Talco Hospital.

Ray Blalock, who is in the U. S. Navy, left Saturday after a two weeks visit with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Alvin Blalock. Ray will be stationed in Memphis, Tenn., for eight weeks.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Phillips were Mrs. Phillips' sister, Mrs. John Allen and son of Cookville, who also visited Mrs. Cordie Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Logan and family visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Logan Sr., Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gunn of Mt. Pleasant, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Haren and son, Lydon, Sunday.

Mrs. P. A. Anschutz is ill in Mt. Pleasant Hospital and Clinic.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wyant were Mr. and Mrs. James Wyant and family of Dallas, Rev. and Mrs. Ray Jobe and family of Mt. Pleasant.

Visitors in the E. C. Elder home over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Burgess and grandson of DeKalb; also friends from Ft. Worth, and Marion Bell of Lone Star, visited friends and relatives in the community.

Mrs. Ocie Nickelson and Mrs. B. E. Criswell of Mt. Pleasant, visited Mrs. Criswell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Elder, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Abston and children of Dallas, were week

end guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Dyke and other relatives.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Smith were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Kelton Smith and children, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thompson and children of Mt. Pleasant, and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Abston and children of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin McGee visited Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Dyke, Sunday.

Mrs. Sally Haren spent Friday night with her granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hughes and children of Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. C. A. Case and Mrs. Morris Blalock went to Tyler with Mrs. Myra Blodgett to a party.

Mr. and Mrs. Mutt Riddle and son of Texarkana, visited his sister, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Moles, Thursday.

Jude and Mike Preddy of Mt. Pleasant, spent two days last week with Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Moles.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Anschutz were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Blalock and children of Marshall and Mrs. J. M. Brown Jr. of Argo.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Harris were Mr. and Mrs. Dean Brownlee and son, Harris, Cecil Shipp and Jim Bob Shipp, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Brownlee, all of Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Harris and Mrs. Virgia Parr visited Hazel Shipp, Friday who is ill in the Memorial Hospital at Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Price and children of Denison, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Moody Belcher.

Little Sondra Kay and Vickie Price of Denison, spent last week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Moody Belcher.



I have set before thee a door opened—(Rev. 3:8).

The door to perfect fulfillment is always open before us. By our faith in God and in His infinite wisdom and love we can pass through the door into complete spiritual satisfaction.

BOGATA NEWS
10-20 Years Ago

Week of September 8, 1944

Sgt. Vernon Theford had recovered after being wounded in action in the South Pacific.

Mrs. William D. Martin and infant son had died with burial at Detroit. Mrs. J. C. Vaughan had died at Davis, Ok.

Miss Virginia Suggs and Pat O'Donnell had married. Mrs. Essie Thompson of Bogata and S. E. Burton of Maxey had married at Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bishop of Bogata, had received word that their son, Sgt. Robert Bishop had been awarded the Air Medal. His group was cited as a Distinguished Unit by the President for outstanding service in the Mediterranean area.

Week of September 10, 1954

Rev. Herbert Grosdidier of Wakefield, Kans., was new pastor of Bogata Methodist Church, succeeding Rev. Larry Meredith, transferred to Dallas.

Deaths: Elmer (Monk) Churchman, while at work in Dallas; Mrs. J. R. Rutland of New Boston, former Bogata resident; Mrs. A. L. Robbins of Clarksville.

Lightning struck and burned a barn at home of Jim Robinson in south Bogata. Carpenter and garden tools were among destroyed property; Town Baker home at Cunningham, burned with its contents.

Marriages: June Gullion and Bobby Watts; Patsy Jane Alsobrook and Waylan Don Norrell.

Red River County agriculture leaders, seeking drought aid, requested the county be designated as drought-stricken area.

BOOK LOVERS CLUB
OPENS SEASON FRIDAY

The Book Lovers Club will hold their first meeting of the year at 2:30 p. m. Friday, Sept. 11, at the home of Mrs. Elsie Weatherall. The program topic is "How to Relax." Mrs. Weatherall will have charge of the program.

Alcorn, Like Candidates, Takes Rest Before Settling Down to Campaign

Editor's note: Achin Alcorn, philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Sulphur, claims he's resting his mind this week.

Dear Editor: If you noticed, after each convention and just before the campaigning began, both candidates for President took off and rested up a while, and that's what I'm doing this week, resting up before settling down to listening to the campaigns.

Consequently, I have carefully avoided thinking about any big problems for a week now, and it's surprising how many of them seem to get along on their own.

As for the little problems, I was interested in a couple of items I found in a newspaper last night.

One reported a city man has devised a special clock that turns his car's motor on fifteen minutes before he needs it, so it'll be good and cool in the summer time via the air-conditioner, or nice and warm in the winter time via the heater. I guess one of the most perplexing problems some people face is having to

wait five minutes for their car to get air-conditioned in summer or warmed up in the winter. I'm sort of the same way, I guess, and for years during the winter have followed the practice of banking the fire in the fireplace before I go to bed so it'll be ready to go in the morning. I'm in favor of all the soft living I can manage.

The other item reported a company is now manufacturing a special dish-making machine for the kitchen. With it, you set a dial and push a button and the machine turns out the exact number of plates, cups, saucers and glasses you need for the next meal. When the meal is over, you throw the things away.

This is satisfactory enough, but it doesn't go far enough. With a little more thought and effort, the dishes could be made with a protein formula and you could feed them to the hogs.

Civilization will have reached a certain peak when a housewife can feed a family, slop the hogs, and walk out of a clean kitchen and get to the television set as fast as the rest.

Yours faithfully, A. A.

Former Talcoan
Weds in Jacksonville

John Earl Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Davis, formerly of Talco, and Miss Deloris Chancellor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Chancellor of Jacksonville, were married Aug. 22 at the Central Baptist Church in Jacksonville, with the Rev. John Hamrick officiating.

Both bride and groom are graduates of Jacksonville High School. The groom previously attended school in Talco. The couple will make their home in Jacksonville.

The Davis family formerly lived in Talco about 10 years, J. P. Davis having been field superintendent for an oil company.

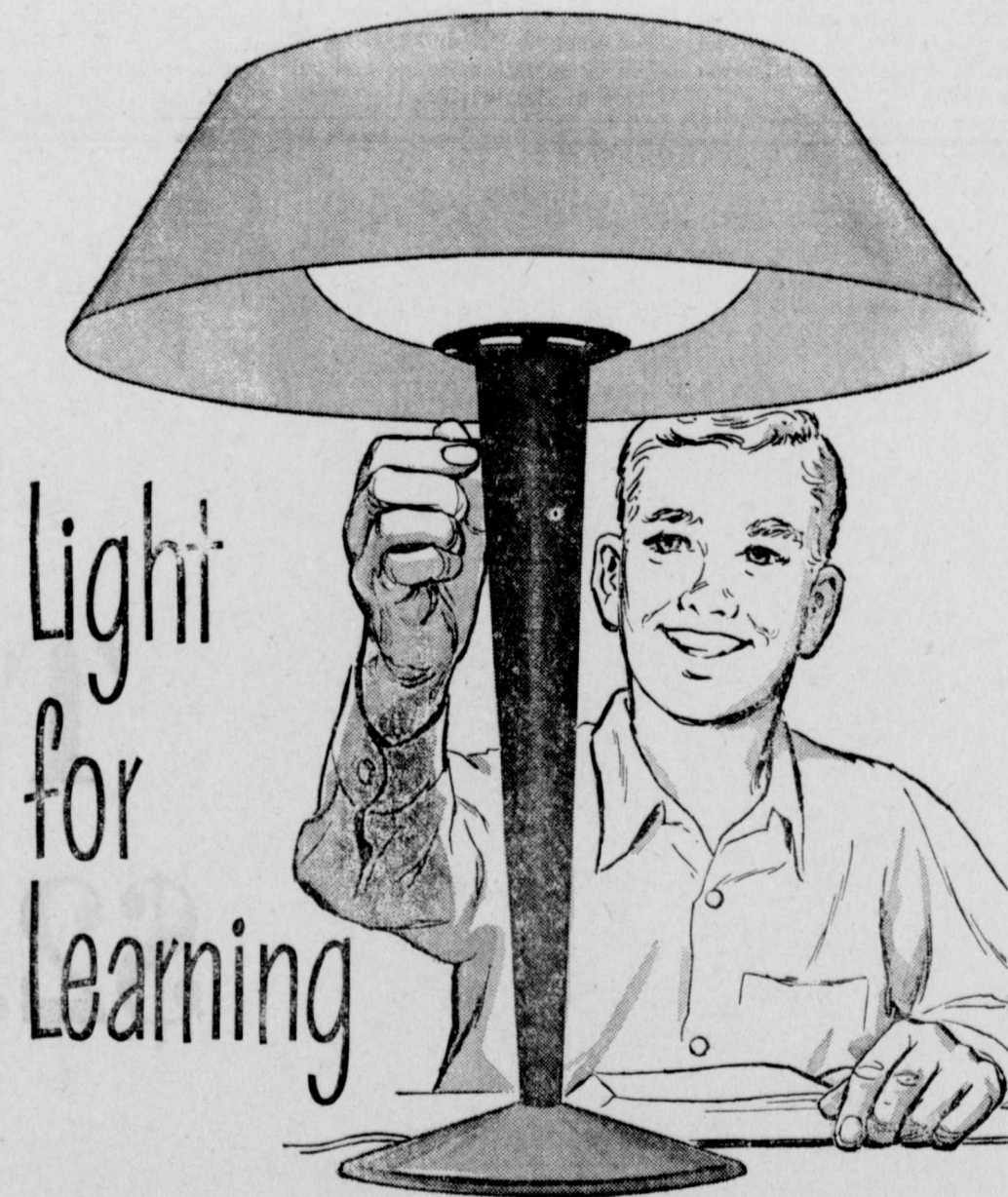
Visits in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Parker over the Labor Day week end were Rev. and Mrs. Glenn Mangrum and Karl, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Mangrum and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Leroy Johnson, all of Dallas.

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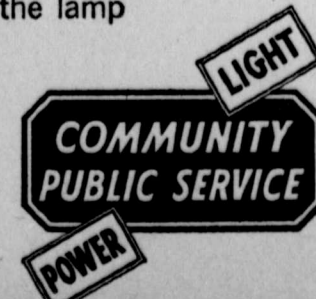
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