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Plan Christmas Party-Parade At Talco Dec. 8th

Talco Chamber of Commerce executive committee met Tuesday evening to make the final plans for the Talco Christmas parade.

Members of the special committee met with the group. Mrs. Bill Walding, floats chairman; Harold Bonham, parade marshal; Tommie Cecil, horse chairman; Mrs. A. L. Rodgers, publicity chairman; Glen Gaudin, refreshments and candy chairman, led by the president, Jerry Jones, set the time of the Christmas parade.

The time will be 4:30 p. m. December 8. If the weather should prove to be rainy, the parade will be held the following day.

Surrounding schools are invited to send floats. There will be prizes offered in three categories, Talco school, visiting schools, and business and civic groups.

Other chairmen who will serve are: Joe Johnson, bands chairman; A. G. Norwood, judges chairman; police protection, Bob Grumbles; Buck Stansell, transportation.

Santa Claus will be here to greet the children and listen to their Christmas wishes.

Linda H. Douglas Named Who's Who

Linda Haynes Douglas of Talco is one of 31 students at East Texas State College who have been named to Who's Who in American Universities and Colleges.

To qualify, a student must have better than a C average and be a junior, senior, or graduate student. Students were judged on participation and leadership in academic and extra-curricular activities, citizenship and service to the school, and promise of future usefulness.

Mrs. Douglas, a graduate music education major, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Haynes, Talco, and is a graduate of Talco High School. She is a member of Toanoove social club and has been a Talco Beauty.

Mr. and Mrs. Word Worthy of McKinney, visited Mrs. J. R. Lee, Sunday.

Miss Calloway ET Queen

Miss Tommie Jean Calloway, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Calloway of Talco, was crowned 1960 Homecoming Queen at ETSC, Commerce, during half-time ceremonies at the East Texas-Lamar Tech game Saturday night, at Memorial stadium in Commerce.

Miss Calloway received 524 of the 775 votes cast in the run-off election over her opponents, the Pope twins, Dean and Jean of Bonham, who ran as one entry. Miss Calloway is a junior and the Misses Pope are freshmen.

The homecoming queen is a graduate of Talco High School, and is a home economics major at ET. She was a Homecoming Duchess last year and is a member of Chi Omega Sorority.

W. B. Alexander Rites at Talco

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Monday at the Talco Methodist Church for William B. (Buck) Alexander, 64, of Talco.

Rev. George Lester and Rev. W. L. Zimmerman officiated, with burial in Talco Cemetery.

Mr. Alexander died Sunday in a Talco hospital of a heart attack. He was born March 1, 1896 in Franklin County.

He is survived by his wife, Cordell, four daughters, Mrs. Ernestine Morris of Garland and Mrs. Durane Stephenson of Dallas; Mrs. Lavon Glover of Mt. Pleasant and Nelda at home; nine grandchildren and one sister, Mrs. Charlie Whitney of Talco.

Palbearers were T. O. Roney, Buck Clark, George Wims, Jim Davis, Clarence Leake and Lorenzo Reed.

Ollie Perkins Rites Saturday

Funeral of Ollie Perkins, 72, fatally burned in a bedroom fire at his home early Friday, was held Saturday at Jolntown Baptist Church by the pastor, Rev. J. D. Lanier, officiating. Burial was in Mt. Pleasant Cemetery at Deport. Pallbearers were Morris Parker, Pete Barnard, Tom Pirtle, Bill Bain, Travis Watts and Jim Pirtle.

Son of the late Jim and Sallie Perkins, Ollie Perkins was born at Deport, Feb. 24, 1888.

Surviving are these children: Luther Blackwell Perkins, Hooks; Mrs. Claud Nuttall and Mrs. W. A. Hunter, Norman, Okla.; and Mrs. J. T. Quarles, Pittsburg; 12 grandchildren; and two sisters, Mrs. Jimmie Duffie, Jolntown, and Mrs. Blue Miller, Denver City.

J. A. Haley Is Talco P-TA Speaker

Talco Parent-Teacher Association met in regular session Thursday evening, Nov. 10, at 7 o'clock with M. J. Davis, president, presiding. Invocation was given by Supt. A. C. Newsome and devotion by J. A. Haley. Subject for Mr. Haley's talk was, "The Development of Our Children, Mental, Physical, Social and Spiritual."

Our American Heritage was the theme of the program presented by Mrs. Bill Walding. There was a short business meeting. Room count was taken and winners were Mr. Chism's 6th grade and the Freshman class in high school. A Bible is being presented to the Chas. Parson family from the P-TA. Mrs. D. R. Harton received an apple pie as lucky winner of the door prize. The closing prayer was led by Ivan Rogers, followed by refreshments in the cafeteria.

Lou Ann Rodgers Is Sunray Majorette

Lou Ann Rodgers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Rodgers of Sunray, former Talco residents, is one of the five girls of the Sunray High School prize-winning Bobcat band. Lou Ann, a majorette, received a good rating in twirling at the Regional Inter-scholastic League marching contest held recently in Amarillo. A photo of the five young ladies appeared in a recent issue of the Moore County News at Dumas.

Lou Ann is the granddaughter of Mrs. C. C. Newsome of Deport and Mrs. Stella Rodgers of Bogata. The Rodgers lived at Talco a number of years, where he was connected with the Talco State Bank.

Deer Season Opens Nov. 16 In Most Local Counties

Numerous hunters are in the woods this week seeking to kill deer as the season opened Wednesday, Nov. 16.

The season in Lamar County will be from Nov. 16 to Nov. 20 inclusive. In Red River County the season is Nov. 16 through Nov. 30, inclusive. In Franklin, Delta and Hopkins counties the season is Nov. 21 to Nov. 25, both days inclusive. Out of county hunters must register with the county clerk in these counties. Limit is one buck per season.

Shooting hours are one-half hour before sunrise to one-half hour after sunset. Sale of deer hides are permitted.

Many are hunting in Red River County northeast of Clarksville, where antlerless deer may be killed. Permits for the does were issued early last week to applicants who own land in the deer hunting area.

The area designated for deer hunting in Red River County during the 1960 season opening Nov. 16, is the same as last year, according to John Carlisle, biologist in charge of the Northeast Texas game management area.

"A deer supply as good or slightly better than last year" was reported by Game Commission Biologist John Carlisle in the Red River Valley, where last year 3,000 hunters took 1,172 deer.

A substantial mast from red and post oaks was reported by Carlisle who said deer killed on highways have been in good condition.

The biggest kill is expected in Red River County with Bowie County next.

BURGLAR ON BICYCLE VISITS JACK THOMPSONS

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thompson, formerly of Talco, now living on Highway 271 near Mt. Pleasant, were visited by a burglar Thursday night who stole their radio. Bob Grumbles caught the man at Pittsburg Friday morning. He was traveling on a bicycle.

Newspaper One Day Late Next Week

Publication of this newspaper will be one day late next week, due to the fact that its press day comes on Thanksgiving, a national holiday. Our employees should be with their families on Thanksgiving.

Banks and postoffices will be closed and there will be no rural delivery service next Thursday.

This Newspaper Makes Ideal Gift

Do your Christmas shopping the easy way. Send this newspaper to relatives and friends. It will make an ideal gift.

The recipient will receive 52 issues and it will arrive each week throughout the year, not just at Christmas time.

Why not do your shopping now by ordering one or more subscriptions. All gift subscriptions will be announced thru the columns of this newspaper.

Thanksgiving Day Next Thursday

Thursday of next week is Thanksgiving, which is a national holiday. Banks and postoffices and most stores will be closed, and there will be no rural mail delivery.

There will be the usual Thanksgiving church services, family gatherings and reunions.

Former residents from the cities will be coming home for the holiday and a meal or two under the parental roof.

PTA Minstrel Show Set For Tonight

A minstrel show, "Siss, Boom, Bah!" will be presented by the Parent-Teacher Association in the high school auditorium, Thursday (tonight) at 7:30 p. m.

A. C. Waddell is interloctor, and the cast is made up of parents and teachers.

Census Bureau To Conduct Sample Farm Survey

The 1960 Sample Survey of Agriculture will be conducted in this county during the next several weeks, it was announced by the Bureau of the Census, U. S. Department of Commerce.

The 1960 Sample Survey of Agriculture will collect information on ownership and size of farms, acreage and harvest of crops, and livestock production and inventories. Information will be collected also on farm equipment, farm income, construction of new farm buildings, farm contracts and farm operator debts. This survey will supplement information collected in the 1959 Census of Agriculture.

Farms in the county which will be covered in the 1960 Sample Survey of Agriculture were selected at random under the Census Bureau's scientific sampling program to provide a representative cross-section of all farms in the county. Information collected locally will be combined with that collected in other areas of the country to provide national estimates.

OIL NEWS

Titus County—Trix-Liz (Woodbine) field; Humble Oil & Refining Co. No. 2 J. S. Temples, 4,100-foot test five miles east of Talco, 463 from north and 467 from east lines of 145.58-acre tract and J. W. Stephens survey, A-554, Jones-O'Brien, Inc., Shreveport, N. 8 Adele Garbade, 4,000-foot test 5 1/2 miles east of Talco, 330 from south and 993 from east lines of 160-acre tract and James T. Smith survey, A-548.

Application to drill—Wildcat in Titus County. Gibson Drilling Company, operators; Williams and Gibson Well No. 1; G. A. Miller survey, Woodbine reservoir. Regular permit. Proposed depth, 4,200 feet.

Application to drill—Wildcat in Titus County. Sun ray Mid-Continent Oil Co., operators; Paul H. Pettitt Well No. 3; Elisha Uzzell survey. Woodbine reservoir.

Three Die in Rural Traffic Accidents

There were three lives lost in rural traffic accidents in the East Texas Highway Patrol district during the month of October, according to Captain Glen Warner of Tyler. He stated the Highway Patrol inspected a total of 222 accidents during the month of October—158 of which were property damage, 61 personal injury and three fatal. The property damage amounted to \$122,422 and 39 persons were injured.

Up to November first there have been 82 people killed in rural accidents in the district as compared to 115 for the first ten months of 1959. This represents a 29 per cent reduction in traffic deaths as compared with the same period last year.

Captain Warner stated this was a very good record for this year and urged motorists to be especially careful the next two months. He stated this was a dangerous time of the year to drive due to heavier traffic, inclement weather and shorter days. "I stated we have a chance to end up the year with less than one hundred traffic deaths for the first time since the Highway Patrol started tabulating the accidents and keeping accurate records; that the Highway Patrol had set that figure as a goal and that with the public cooperating by driving in such a manner as to save their own lives, we could make it."

Talco Trojan Band Enters Region Meet

Band majorettes and drum majors attended the 1960 High School Band Marching Contest Tuesday at Pittsburg. The University Interscholastic League Regional Contest included bands ranging from Class B to Class AAAA. This contest was the highest competition for the high school bands in the state and is considered the annual state band contest. Talco received a fourth division in marching and a third in inspection.

The band also attended East Texas State College Homecoming Saturday and marched in the parade. Later attended the football game and took part in halftime activities with 19 other high school bands.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Virgie Graf, Charles and Nancy over the week end were Al and Mrs. Carl E. Smith, Carla and Lavonne Graf, Betty Ann and Melba Sue Lewis of Carswell Air Force Base at Ft. Worth, Mrs. Zonetta Graf, Jimmie Dean and Rhonda of Texarkana, Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Stephenson and Rocky of Talco and Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Temples, Donna and Tonia of Mt. Pleasant.

Proposed depth 3,900 feet.

Mt. Vernon Beats Talco 14-A Crown

Mt. Vernon Tigers defeated the Talco Trojans by a score of 40-14 to capture the district title in the 14-A District game here Friday night.

The Tigers' tight defense and powerful offensive attack proved to much for the Trojans. In the first half the Tigers picked up 10 first downs and scored 32 points, bringing the half-time score to 32-0.

Mt. Vernon added its last score of the game shortly after the opening of the second half.

With the Tigers far ahead, the Trojans began to move in the third quarter. Quarterback Johnny Gable and his backfield of Virgil Jones, Pete Dixon and John Whitten began to move the ball down field. Whitten scored the first TD for Talco early in the fourth quarter and Gable drove over for the extra points.

Next drive by the Trojans began with Virgil Jones dropping on a Tiger fumble on the Talco 43. The Trojans moved the ball all the way downfield for another TD, but failed on the try for extra points, bringing the final score to 40-14.

The game ended with both teams in a defensive battle. The Tigers threatened to score once more, but John Whitten nailed the Mt. Vernon quarterback and the ball went over to Talco on downs.

Schools To Dismiss For Thanksgiving

Students and teachers are preparing for the Thanksgiving holidays next week. Classes will be dismissed Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 23, for four days in observance of the national holiday. School work will be resumed on Monday, Nov. 28, at the usual time.

Teachers and students will be making trips or spending the time with family and friends. Numerous college students will return home for the holidays.

New and Renewed Times Subscribers

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

G. F. Stevenson
Mrs. S. F. Worthington
Mrs. Elizabeth Tapp
W. C. Jones
Roy Lilley Jr.
Aubrey Harris
J. R. Blalock
Chas. Kaufman

Mrs. Jimmie Lou Jones of Bogata, worked the past week in Community Public Service office while Miss Wanda Williams was on vacation.



Austin—Shell-shocked and exhausted from one of the hardest fought general elections in decades, Texans now can get a second wind and turn to new issues and decisions. Some of the significant decision ahead grow out of decisions made at the polls earlier this month.

As a result of Sen. Lyndon B. Johnson's election to the vice presidency his senate seat will become vacant on or before Jan. 20. It's a highly coveted position, seldom up for grabs, since the winner of a six-year term can be fairly sure of holding it for life.

It is likely that the race for Johnson's post will be the first special election in Texas history to have a run-off. A 1957 law, called the Pool Bill, provided that in special elections for congressional vacancies, there shall be a run-off if no candidate receives a majority of the votes in the first polling. Previously, special elections had been on a high-man-wins basis.

Many possible candidates are mentioned. Among them: John Connally of Fort Worth, Jack Cox of Breckenridge, Martin Dies Sr. of Lufkin, Congressman Joe Kilgore of McAllen, Wright Morrow of Houston, Lt. Gov. Ben Ramsey, John Ben Shepperd of Odessa, John G. Tower, Johnson's Republican opponent in the general election, Atty. Gen. Will Wilson and Congressman Jim Wright of Weatherford.

It is unlikely that any candidate will make a public announcement until Senator Johnson officially resigns and Gov. Price Daniel sets the date for the special election. Under the law, the governor must call the election in no less than 60 days and not later than 90 days from the time the vacancy occurs.

If Congress is in session at the time the vacancy occurs, it would also be the governor's duty to name an interim senator to serve until a successor is elected. Governor Daniel already has said that former Sen. William Blakely would have first chance at such an appointment.

When the vacancy will occur depends entirely on Senator Johnson. There is speculation

that he will not lay aside his senatorial toga until he takes the oath as vice president (Jan. 20). Many feel that his presence and assistance in organizing the Senate prior to that date would help get the incoming Democratic administration off to a good start.

OKAYED AMENDMENTS — On the purely state level, voters' approval of the four constitutional amendments during the general election pose some new decisions and issues for the state legislators next January. Among them:

1. MORE PAY — FROM WHERE? — By constitutional amendment, voters have, for the first time in history, put members of the Texas Legislature on an annual salary.

They will be entitled to \$4,800 a year, whether in session or not. They also are to get \$12 a day expenses for 120 days of a regular session and for each day of any special sessions called thereafter. This replaces the old \$25-a-day pay plan.

Question is where to get the money. State's general revenue fund is, according to State Treasurer Jesse James' latest report, \$60,535.63 in the red. By the time the next session starts, this figure is expected to be higher.

So, legislators will have to turn their attention quickly to a means of finding money somewhere if they're going to meet their own grocery bills.

2. LOAN COMPANY REGULATION — Passage of Amendment Four dumps in the Legislature's lap the tremendous job of passing laws to regulate lending practices in Texas.

Some lawmakers gloomily and privately predict that it will result in a worse fight than trying to pass a new tax bill.

Previously, the Constitution limited legal interest rates to 10 per cent. This provision was repealed.

Under the new provision the Legislature has the responsibility to (1) license and regulate lenders, (2) prevent misleading advertising, (3) fix and limit maximum charges and (4) impose effective penalties for violations. Atty. Gen. Will Wilson, elated over the passage of the amend-

ment, warned that "the loan sharks will pitch their final battle in the Legislature to try to eliminate the penalties and to develop loopholes."

Abner V. McCall, executive vice president of Baylor University and head of a citizens committee that worked for passage of the amendment, predicted "a real dog fight" in the Legislature over control legislation.

3. LAND PROGRAM PICKS UP — Since the voters gave it permission Nov. 8 to pay higher interest on its bonds, the Veterans Land Board is getting ready to do a bigger business.

Maximum interest the board can pay on the bonds it sells was raised from 3 to 3.5 per cent. With this easing of restrictions, the board expects to be able to sell more bonds and have more money available to loan veterans for land purchases.

A new bond sale is planned tentatively for December. Meanwhile, the board secretary said mailing of applications to veterans has been stepped up from 100 a week to 225 a week.

Some 40,000 veterans are now waiting for loans, but in actual practice, only about one in five finally finds land and qualifies for a loan.

Board has authority to issue \$62,500,000 more in bonds. This amount of money is expected to take care of those waiting to buy who will qualify.

According to the constitutional amendment setting up the program, no new loans are supposed to be made after Dec. 1, 1965.

SCHOOL GOALS SET — Knowing it will be a tough job in this debt-ridden era, Texas school people are, nevertheless, setting their sights on a \$100,000,000 improvement program.

At an Austin meeting of educators, legislators and interested citizens, Governor Daniel promised his support to the effort to pass a bill to raise teachers salaries.

This is one of the main items of the \$100,000,000 Hale-Aikin recommendation. This program resulted from a study begun in 1957. It sat on the shelf during the last legislature because of the acute money shortage.



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INVARIABLY IN ADVANCE

IN THE RECENT Presidential election this newspaper took no part for either the Republicans or Democrats. What we would say would make little difference in the outcome and we had no quarrel nor ax to grind. A man we talked with who has been around a good many years said his idea was that if the people were ready for a change it would come and if they were satisfied with the way things were going the same administration would be returned to lead us. It was a close decision, but we believe the people were ready for a change. It may be better—it may be worse. We will all hope for the better.

Ottinger-Cox Shower-Wedding

Miss Jane Ottinger, bride-elect of Bobby Cox, was honored with a bridal shower at the Humble recreation hall Monday from 7:30 to 9:30 p. m. Using the bride-elect's chosen colors, yellow and white, the hall was beautifully decorated in yellow, white and bronze chrysanthemums and fall leaves. The honoree was presented a yellow chrysanthemum corsage. Her mother, Mrs. Roy Ottinger and the groom's mother, Mrs. Jess Cox of Mexia, were presented white corsages. Mrs. Frank Sloan registered the guests. The register table was covered in white net over yellow. Beside the bride's book was a large crystal jar containing small bronze and yellow bride, nesting in a miniature floral arrangement.

The reception table was covered in white net over yellow, accented with a large arrangement of bronze colored chrysanthemums in a crystal container, which centered the table. Extending from the centerpiece to the end of the table were sprays of fall flowers and yellow tapers in a large candelabrum.

Serving punch and yellow cake squares, nuts and mints to the guests were Mrs. L. G. Adams and Mrs. P. F. Hendrix.

Hostesses were Mmes. Frank Sloan, Lucille Perkins, Blanton

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BURT LOCKHART
in Pittsburg Gazette

God save America—politicians can't!

It is all over now but the headaches and the "I told you so's."

If you want to make your election sure, run for two offices at the same time.

The political speakers can now go to the washroom and give their mouths a good soaping.

What a candidate needs most in presidential race is a good set of tonsils and a healthy pocketbook.

If our country goes to the dogs there is consolation in the thought that we will have plenty of company.

At least we are agreed on one thing, that thirty days is long enough for any presidential campaign.

With Thanksgiving just around the corner and the presidential election is in a \$10 billion giving mood, he should see to it that there is a turkey in every pot.

The two political parties are believed to have spent a million dollars each on the campaign. How much more was spent by individuals is something else more staggering.

Personality played such a big part in the presidential race that thousands of women and teenagers seem to think either Elvis Presley or Frank Sinatra was running for president.

Now that Mr. Kennedy is elected, he will soon be looking at this country through rose-tinted glasses. He will see the same beautiful picture that existed in his moments of gloom, but they will be seen from a mahogany desk in the White House.

How to fill a million itching palms with hand-outs from the Treasury without taxes to pay for them is a problem only a magician can handle. We are still wondering why Mr. Kennedy did not apply his magic wand while working fourteen years in Congress.

A new resident may not change the welfare of our nation. Whatever changes are made will be those that man made himself. Heaven will continue to smile on Democrats and Republicans alike. All will receive material blessings from His generous hand. Politicians may be able to fool some of the people part of the time, but not all of the people all the time, although they may think they have heaven fooled.

Gage, Guy Walker, Sammy Burton, Nadine Caldwell, L. G. Adams, J. R. Lee, A. E. Foster, E. W. Duncan, P. P. Hendrix and Jack Brown.

The many beautiful and useful gifts were displayed on tables covered with yellow cloth.

At the Humble hall following the shower, Miss Ottinger and Mr. Cox were united in marriage by Rev. W. L. Zimmerman, pastor of First Methodist Church, who performed the double ring ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Cox will be at home in Talco. Mr. Cox is industrial arts teacher in Talco High School.

A GOOD "POSTURE"
In answer to the question, "How may one attain a good posture?" one boy wrote on his class examination paper: "Keep the cows off it, and let it grow awhile."

WILKINSON

By MRS. MORRIS BLALOCK
Mrs. John Parr of Maple Springs, visited her sister, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Ford of Dallas and Mrs. W. L. Robertson of Mt. Pleasant, were recent visitors in the Morris Blalock home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock and Mrs. Morris Blalock visited Mr. and Mrs. Romus Burgin at Talco Friday night.

Mrs. Pleas Anschutz is ill in a Mt. Pleasant hospital.

Mrs. Opal Dyke returned home Wednesday after spending several days in the Talco hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock visited Mr. and Mrs. Leo Blalock at Maud, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Mucklebur of Longview, visited Mrs. Sally Haren and other relatives here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Robertson of Mt. Pleasant, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Dyke, over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Watson spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Dyke.

Mrs. Johnnie Woolsey and children spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wyant.

Visitors in the C. B. Harris home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Dean Brownlee and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Shipp and son of Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. C. B. Harris, Mrs. Dean Brownlee and Mrs. Cecil Shipp visited Mrs. John Parr at Maple Springs, Sunday.

Mrs. W. E. Anschutz, Mrs. R. P. Moles and Mrs. Shep Barber were in Texarkana Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Shep Barber of Talco, visited Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Moles, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Blalock of Dallas, visited relatives in this community, Saturday.

Mrs. Sue Roberts and Mrs. Claude Cook of Mt. Pleasant, visited the Jess Jones Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Green of Mt. Pleasant, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jess Jones, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Baxley and boys of Mt. Pleasant, spent the week end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Blalock of Mt. Pleasant, were Sunday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock.

Rev. and Mrs. Leo Massie and children of Henderson, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Blalock.

Mr. and Mrs. Juan Lawson of Mt. Pleasant, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Elder.

LOCAL NEWS ABOUT BOGATA

Mrs. Ross Griffin has recovered after several days illness.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Hudson visited Mrs. Kate Terrell at Paris, Sunday.

Mrs. M. E. Roach visited Frances Ann Dodd, patient in Clarksville hospital, Sunday.

Mrs. Virgil Hudson and children of Detroit, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Hudson.

Galen Johnson spent the week end with his aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Bart McDowell at Paris.

Bud Holt of Houston, has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Addie Holt, and other relatives.

Hugh Lawrence Jeffus of Detroit, is now employed by the North East Texas Telephone Co.

Mrs. Erna Edwards of Dallas, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edwards and Miss Mattie Chesshir, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Chesshir, Mr. and Mrs. Jap Chesshir and other relatives in Bogata.

"...AND KEEP US FREE"



Thanksgiving, 1960

Mrs. C. P. Pearson left Tuesday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Ruby Scrrels in Dallas.

Condition of Mrs. Russell Gill, patient in Clarksville hospital, was reported as improved Tuesday.

Mrs. Mattie Butler, Dennis and Brenda Pettit of Dallas, spent Sunday in the Walter Pettit home.

Don Roach and Ralph Cawley were home from Dallas last week end with Mrs. Cawley and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. David Townes and children of Dallas, spent the week end with is mother, Mrs. Dessie Bratton.

Mrs. C. C. McMinn and children of Euless, were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russ Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Porterfield, and family had as a Sunday guest her uncle, Earl Carroll of Porterville, Calif.

Mrs. Jack Franklin orders The Bogata News sent to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bennie Franklin, 413 Marthe St., Grand Prairie.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Benham were Sunday guests of his sister, Mrs. Frank Hoffman and Mr. Hoffman at Pittsburg.

Mrs. Pete Johnson was brought home Sunday from Clarksville hospital, where she had been a patient for some time.

Clyde Siddens, who has been overseas with the U. S. Navy, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Siddens at Cuthand.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Tyer of Clarksville, visited Mrs. Stella Rodgers and Welch Sunday. Mrs. Madge Brown and son, John of Talco, visited in the Rodgers home Sunday.

Saturday visitors in the Henry Hill home were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams and children and Mrs. Myrtle Williams of Dallas.

Mrs. Horace Benham orders The Bogata News sent to her daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Logan, Rt. 1, Mt. Pleasant, as a birthday gift.

Mrs. Tient McCrury renews a subscription to The Bogata News as a Christmas gift for her sister, Mrs. F. E. Bryson of Norman, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cannon and sons of Dallas, were week end guests of her father, Tom Benningfield and Mrs. Benningfield, at Rosalie.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tillman and sons, and Lee Puckett were in Fort Towson, Ok., Sunday to visit Tillman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tillman.

Mrs. Levi Chesshir orders a renewal subscription to The Bogata News as a birthday gift for her daughter, Mrs. C. B. Flippo of Grand Prairie.

Mrs. Melvin Brown of Mt. Pleasant, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ross McClure, Mrs. Ida Lee and other friends in Bogata, Sunday night and Monday.

Mrs. Cletus Collins, Ricky, Randy and Sandra of Irving, spent the week end with Mrs. Collins parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louie Evans, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Forester and Miss Billie had as Sunday visitors Mrs. C. C. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Swain and children and Mrs. Harry Crawford of Paris.

A3c Charles Sistrunk of Shepard Training Center, Wichita Falls, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Berlin Sistrunk, brother, Richard, and other relatives the week end.

TALCO NEWS 10-20 Yrs. Ago

Week of November 17, 1950

Coldest weather in November since 1911 had hit this area with the mercury dropping to 15 degrees.

Robert Frye Jr. had been elected secretary-treasurer of the freshman class at Henderson Junior College.

Deaths: Fred (Dutch) Fishback at his home in Van; Mrs. Exa Still at Pittsburg; Mal F. Hargrove, timber contractor, Mt. Pleasant.

Talco Trojans bowed to district champs, Hawkins Hawks, 20-13.

Minerva Easterling and Walton Gentry were wed at home of officiating minister, Rev. T. H. Maxberry of Mt. Pleasant.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Turner in a Pittsburg hospital; a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Shirey in a Mt. Pleasant hospital.

Week of November 15, 1940

Miss Arlene Phillips and Pleas Anschutz, both of the Wilkinson community, had been married at Mt. Pleasant.

The old highway between Talco and Mt. Pleasant was to be resurfaced.

Talco Trojans had lost to the Clarksville Tigers at Clarksville by a score of 14-7.

A daughter had been born to Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Harris at a Paris hospital. A daughter had been born to Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Lockridge at Johtown.

F. A. Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Jones, was stationed with the Army Air Force at Brooks Field.

C. E. Jones, Felix Jones, Joe Hall, Leo Wilson and Tom Davis had gone to South Texas for a deer hunt.

Titus County girls enrolled at CIA, Denton, were Verbeth Davis, Mary Lou Cargile and Claire Covington of Talco.

DOROTHY PIERCE IS BIRTHDAY HONOREE

Mrs. T. P. Pierce honored her daughter, Dorothy, with a party celebrating her 11th birthday Monday. The children enjoyed games and were given favors of balloons and bubblegum. The honoree received many nice and useful gifts. Her aunt presented her with a beautiful pink birthday cake which was served along with strawberry sodas to: Dana and Debra White, Peggy and Cheryl Kelley, Clarence and William Lee Watts, Gayla Caldwell, Lana Sloan, Glenda Stockton, Carolyn Gaunt, Glenna Grayson, Jeanie Cook, Jackie Clemmons and Tommy Pierce. Mrs. Fred Clemmons assisted Mrs. Pierce with the serving.

WANT ADS

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MT. PLEASANT

FRIDAY - SATURDAY

Ray Danton-Karen Steel in

"Rise and Fall of
Legs Diamond"

plus

Lou Costello

Dorothy Provine in

"Thirty Foot Bride
of Candy Rock"

plus

Guy Madison - Felicia Farr in

"Reprisal"

SUNDAY-MONDAY

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY

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LOCAL NEWS

MRS. NORA WILLIAMS
Local Reporter
Phone
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Mr. and Mrs. Noy Blackburn visited in Longview Thursday.

Laurel Goodloe of Irving, spent Saturday with his mother, Mrs. O. S. Goodloe.

Mrs. Mattie Milner and Bob Gregory of Lubbock, visited in Talco Wednesday.

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KIRK'S

READY TO WEAR
MT. PLEASANT

Miss Janice Davis of Dallas, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Morris spent the week with their children at Garland and Grand Prairie.

Mr. and Mrs. Geoffrey Gieger of Mt. Pleasant, visited his mother, Mrs. Ellen White, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Blessingame of Palestine, visited Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Worthington, Saturday night.

Charles Lewis of Abilene, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Lewis and Martha.

Mrs. Sue Thomas and son, Jackie of Kilgore, visited her son, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Thomas, Thursday.

Mrs. B. H. Maywald of Gilmer, spent the week with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Weatherall and Jay.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Sloan of Commerce, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sloan.

Mrs. Maud Leftwich spent the week with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Leake and daughter, Terry of Wilkinson.

Mrs. R. O. Webb, Ronnie and Janie spent Saturday with Mrs. Webb's father, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dodd, of Commerce.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Gandy, Carolyn and Cathy of Lone Star, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Gandy, Sunday.

Mrs. Bill Watkins and sons, David and Donald of White Oak, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Neely, Saturday.

Mrs. L. L. Gieger and daughter, Gayla of Ft. Worth, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Gieger.

Mrs. D. J. Smelly returned home Friday after visiting her mother, Mrs. L. W. Hendon of Richland for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Matherly and children of Burkburnett, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Gieger.

Mrs. Noy Blackburn visited her father, Sam Fowler of Daingerfield, Friday. Mr. Fowler suffered a heart attack Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill D. Williams and daughter, Debra, spent Monday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Worthington.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Jones and her mother, Mrs. Sellie Wages, attended the funeral of Oren Burks of Sherman, Sunday.

Mrs. Galen Johnson and Mrs. Earl Shaddix of Daingerfield, spent Tuesday with Mrs. Shaddix's daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jones.

Mrs. Georgia Jones spent Thursday with Mrs. Earl Strickland and Mrs. Mattie Milner of Lubbock, at Hughes Springs.

Mrs. Gordon Simmons and Mrs. Ivy Smith visited Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Simmons and son, Jerry Dee at Green Hill, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Justiss of Daingerfield, visited her son, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Webb, Ronnie, Janie and Anna Sue, Tuesday.

Mrs. Ikey Harte and baby of Naples, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Fussell and her aunt, Miss Eva, the past week.

Mrs. J. J. Smith attended the 50th wedding anniversary of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Hargrove at Longview, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bragg of Garland, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Morris and attended W. B. Alexander's funeral Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Meeks, Stevie and Donny Wayne of Big Sandy, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Williams.

Vernon Smith and Woody Sanford of Dallas, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Sanford and Mr. and Mrs. D. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Blackburn of Dallas, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noy Blackburn and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith.

Mrs. Ethel Scott of Dallas and Mrs. Bernice Whitney of Greenville, visited Mr. and Mrs. George Keeling, Mr. and Mrs. Brady Whitney, Wednesday.

Talco Masonic Lodge will be host to the Gilmer degree team on Monday, Nov. 21 at 7:30 at the Talco school auditorium. All Masons are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jones attended TCU ball game and Homecoming at Ft. Worth and visited Mr. and Mrs. James Kelsie during the week end.

Felix Jones and Hughie Harper left Monday to join other hunters at Mt. Pleasant to deer hunt at Fredericksburg, in South Texas, for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Cullie Bradley of Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bradley of Mt. Pleasant, visited Mr. and Mrs. Elton Welch and Mrs. Pearl Hays, Sunday.

Mrs. Ora Buchanan of Hooks, and Mrs. O. S. Goodloe visited Mrs. Buchanan's mother, Mrs. Fannie Burkham at Sulphur Bluff, Thursday night.

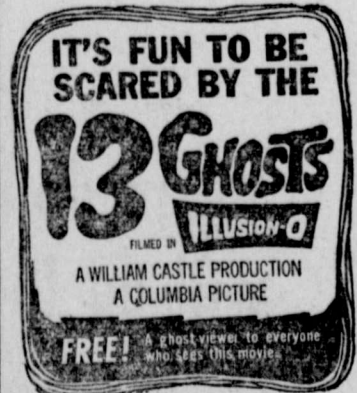
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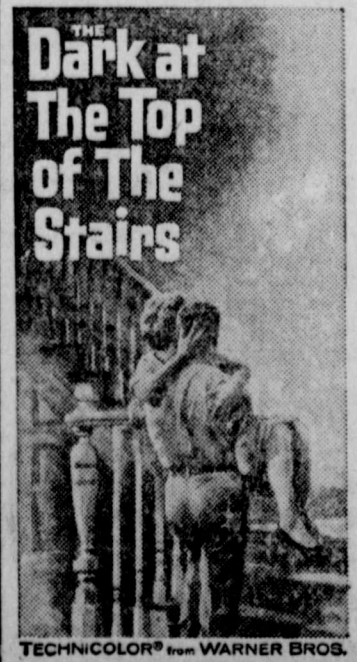
FRIDAY-SATURDAY



plus



SUNDAY-MONDAY
TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY



Mr. and Mrs. Frank Glover of Mt. Pleasant, were guests of her father, W. B. Alexander at the Talco Clinic Sunday and visited Mrs. Alexander and Nelda.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Jones of Winnsboro, visited Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jones and children, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Hood and attended the gall game Friday night.

Col. and Mrs. Jerry Dismukes and children of Omaha, Neb., visited her parents, Mrs. Louis Cato and Christelle and Mr. Cato at Talco Clinic, over the week end.

Mrs. Kate Jackson and son, Burl of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Roy David and daughter, Polly of Hagansport, visited Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Swinford, Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Williams and daughter, Sharron, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Edith Stamps and her sister, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Turnell, all of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Lemay left Sunday to be with her mother, Mrs. Ellen Morgan, who suffered a stroke Sunday and was carried by ambulance to the hospital at Cullen, La.

Roy Primm, O. W. Barton, C. B. Presley, Robin Slaughter Jr., Charlie Martin, Carthal Gipson and Buck Stansell are on a week's deer hunt in South Texas, near Llano.

Mrs. Willie Watkins and Mrs. Emma Guess of Bogata, visited Mrs. Clovis Whitten the past week. Mrs. Whitten has been confined to bed at her home for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wellington of Lawton, Ok., spent the week visiting her brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Brady Whitney, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Whitney and his nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Whitney. They also visited in Mt. Vernon, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Fuller spent the week with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Fuller of Graham. Mr. Fuller and his son, Thurman will deer hunt about 60 miles from Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Hood, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jones and Raymond Jones attended the ball game between Paris Jr. College and Kilgore Jr. College at Kilgore Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Clark visited her grandmother, Mrs. Fannie Burkham of Sulphur Bluff, Thursday night. Mrs. Burkham lived most of her life at Talco and will soon be 100 years old.

Miss Wanda Williams, on a week's vacation, visited her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Williams and children in Arlington and Mr. and Mrs. James Cain and children in Garland, Saturday till Wednesday.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Buna Swinford Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Orrie Slaton and Gloria of Lancaster, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Pope, Linda and Kenny of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Swinford and Elibbia, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Blythe, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Martin and Vickie, all of Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Worthington, Beinda Jo and Eugene of Shreveport, La., returned to their home Sunday after spending two weeks vacation with Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Worthington, Mr. and Mrs. Bill D. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Paul D. Brown, all of Mt. Pleasant, also visited in Mexia and Arlington.

Jackie Clemmons was honored Saturday night at his home on his 12th birthday with a weiner roast. Those enjoying the party were Andy Morris, Lyndon Reed, Pete Grissom, Ronnie, Clifton and Gary Duncan, Sammy Hanks, Robbie Rogers, John Haley, Mike Haynes, Billy Brock, Robbie Gibson, Tommy and Dorothy Pierce, Cheryl Harton.

Bogata Activities 10-20 Yrs. Ago

Week of November 17, 1950

Bogata Book Club presented an art exhibit and silver tea at the home economics building on school campus.

New officers for Fulbright WHD Club were Mmes. M. E. Lee, Leo Ridens, J. J. Kerbow, Hurley Stevens, Travis King, David Anderson, Roy Legate, Clovis Van Deaver, Luther Rozell, Earl Legate, Billy Allen Leggett, Blake Reynolds, Bob King, Essie Chesshir, Clyde Mitchell, J. H. Kelley.

Carl Henry Burns and Mrs. Pat Martin were married at Baton Rouge, La., on Nov. 3.

The Loyalty Circle of WMU, Calvary Baptist Church met Monday morning with nine members present. Mrs. J. A. Haley gave a lesson on Soul Winning and Mrs. F. B. Haynes gave a lesson on the Woman's Witness.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Neil Waddell Nov. 12 at a Pittsburg hospital. She weighed 5 lbs. and 12 ozs., and has been named Sonja Dianne. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Waddell of Talco, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Cole of Winnsboro.

Howard E. Troutt of Greenville, x-ray and laboratory technician, had received orders to report for army duty in January. He was the third son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Troutt of Bogata to enter military service.

Lt. Joe T. York, who had been employed in Washington, D. C., was being transferred to Rio, Brazil, according to word received by his mother, Mrs. T. A. York of Jothtown.

Week of November 15, 1940

W. B. Jenkins had died at his home at Rosalie, after a long illness.

Quota of men for the first draft call from Red River County was six. Twenty-five Red River County men had enlisted the previous week, including Frank Watkins of Rosalie and Woodrow Henson of Bogata.

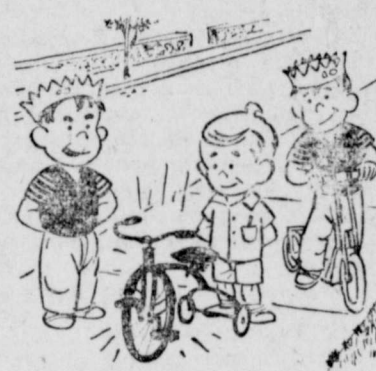
Margie Lou, two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Stoker, had died at the home of her parents at Jothtown.

William D. Slaton and Miss Velma Lowry of Rugby had been married at Bogata.

Miss Ethelene Williams was sponsoring the organization of a glee club for all high school girls.

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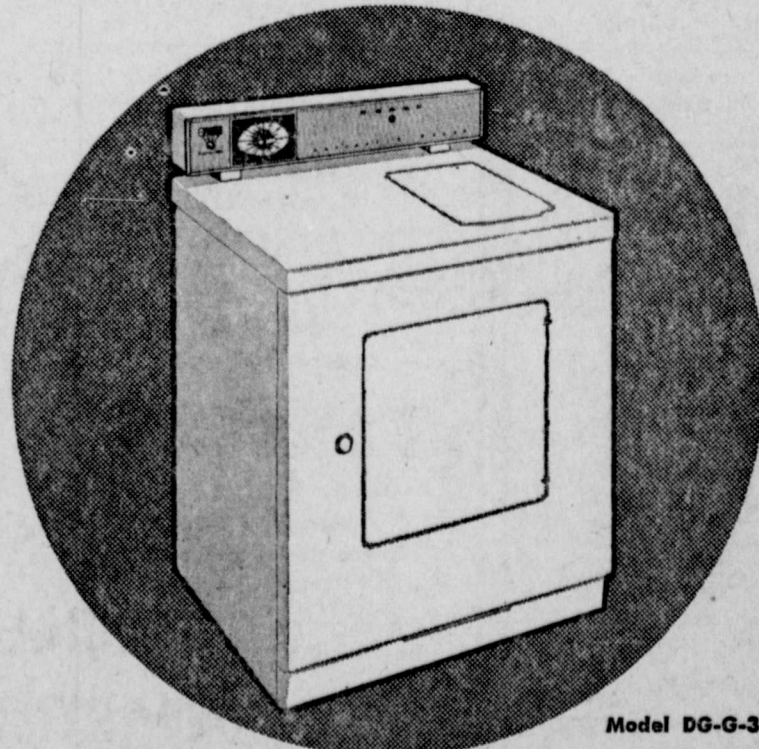
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JOHNTOWN

By MRS. G. A. VAUGHAN

Mrs. Irene Pew returned to her home Friday after being in Loretto since Oct. 18 with her sister, Mrs. W. P. Hood. Mr. Hood suffered a stroke on that date and has been a patient in a hospital in Lubbock since. His condition is reported unchanged.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Dryden and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stahl and Rebecca Lee visited Mrs. Irene Pew, Friday and Saturday.

Bonnie, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hinson, was in a Paris hospital Friday and Saturday for a tonsillectomy, returning home Sunday.

Miss Verah Cotten visited friends in Deport the first of last week and combined it with a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Vaughan, David and Sarah visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Vaughan and Mary Ann and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Alsbrook of Rugby, Saturday, returning to their home in Tyler Saturday night.

G. A. and J. H. Vaughan made a business trip to Paris Saturday. Francis Ann, 10 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dodd, had an appendectomy in Clarksville hospital Friday. She is reported doing satisfactorily.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Horn of Dallas, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bain and Billie Ruth and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Whitten Jr. and Freida.

Ollie Perkins died Friday morning from burns received when his house and contents were destroyed by fire at Clarksville. Mr. Perkins had been confined to a wheel chair for a number of years after a stroke. Final rites were held Saturday afternoon at the Baptist Church here, conducted by L. D. Lanier of Daingerfield and Alvin Blalock of Wilkinston. A sister, Mrs. Burl Duffie and a niece, Mrs. J. B. Roberts, and other relatives live here.

Condition of J. E. Vaughan, convalescing at his home after being a patient in Clarksville hospital a week, is reported as doing as well as could be expected.

Mrs. Jim Williams and Mrs. D. A. Baxter were in Bogata Thursday for a medical checkup for Mrs. Williams and baby daughter, Sherry Ruth.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fortner of Fulbright, visited J. E. Vaughan Sunday. Others from out of town included Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Vaughan of Bogata, Mr. T. W. Smith, Mrs. Vivian Westbrook, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pope of Talco.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Foster visited Mr. and Mrs. K. O. Shoulters and Mrs. Bell Cavender at McCrury, Sunday.

Hugh Mayfield received word that a brother, Harmon Mayfield of Shreveport, La., was seriously ill.

Mrs. Luther Calloway and son have returned to their home in Sparks, Nev. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fincher left for Georgetown and Wilburn Parker for Dallas, after more than 30 days spent here attending their brother, Elton Parker.

Rev. Garnet Walker, Baptist pastor, was a visitor Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Branch of Bogata.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Pirtle, Mrs. Harvey Jean, Mrs. Earl Hawkins and Drue Pirtle of Longview, attended last rites for Elton Parker, Thursday.

Jim and Sam Hervey received word that their brother-in-law, Barney Summers of Paris, had passed away Monday at a Paris hospital. Funeral arrangements were incomplete when reported.

A miscellaneous shower honoring Miss Bettie Hervey of Dallas, bride-elect of Doug Blagburn of Mesquite, will be held at school lunch room Saturday from 2 to 4. They will marry Dec. 10. Miss Hervey is the daughter of Mr.

Clint C. Hennig
Receives Safe
Driving Plaque

Clint C. Hennig, manager of the Northeast Texas properties of Community Public Service Company, was chosen from 5,000 of the country's safest drivers to be one of six semi-finalists in a scientific study to determine "the nation's safest driver."

The safety research project, first of its kind, was sponsored by the Du Pont Company. It was administered by the Safety Research and Education Division of Teachers College, Columbia University; the National Safety Council; Remington Rand and Dodge Division of Chrysler Corporation.

Hennig and the five other semi-finalists were subjected to three days of intensive testing in Chicago during September by a board of experts which included doctors and psychologists as well as driving performance experts.

Hennig's showing was excellent in all phases of the tests except for color perception. Finalist proved to be Alex J. Keilen, a Minnesota highway patrolman.

An employee of the utility company since 1939, Hennig completed 232,446 safe-driving miles in August of this year, without an accident of any kind, or even a parking ticket.

The National Safety Council records for the period ending in August, 1960, show that Community Public Service personnel include a total of 255 safe drivers, with driving records from 1 to 29 years, who have amassed a total of over 39 million miles driven without a chargeable accident.

Top man is Luther Raley of

and Mrs. Sam Hervey.

Mrs. Sammie Hervey honored her husband Sunday with a dinner, the occasion in observance of his birthday. Those attending were Miss Bettie Hervey of Dallas, Doug Blagburn of Mesquite, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hervey and Bobby, Mrs. Chas. Jones and boys of Talco and Mr. and Mrs. Lonzo Eudy of Cuthand, besides the honoree and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rhodes, Dean Rhodes, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Ross Rhodes and baby, B. F. Rhodes Jr., Mr. and Mrs. David Potter and children and Hal Potter left Monday for Abernathy, where they will be employed at a gin.

Mrs. Jackie Watson returned home Tuesday after a week's visit in Dallas.

Mmes. Jim Williams, Jackie Watson, Jess Morris, Grady Rhodes and Monroe Rector were business visitors in Bogata, Tuesday.



ONE OF NATION'S SAFEST DRIVERS—Clint C. Hennig, second from left, manager of the Northeast Texas properties of Community Public Service Company, was presented a National Safety Council plaque in recognition of being chosen one of six semi-finalists in a test to locate "the nation's outstanding safe driver." Presentation was made by Dr. W. J. Danforth, managing director of the Fort Worth Safety Council, on behalf of NSC, at the Annual Industrial Institute in Fort Worth, November 9. Standing left is W. J. Millican, safety director; and at right, R. L. Bowen, president and general manager, of Community. Hennig and the five other semi-finalists underwent three days of intensive tests in Chicago during September.

Valley Mills, Texas, special representative who has a record of 1,421,000 safely driven miles.

Ending in August, 1960, Joe Garrison of Deport had a record of 36,286 miles driven safely over a period of 3 years; and J. W. Burchfield, 3,802 miles driven safely over a period of 1 year.

Ending in August, 1960, Floyd Hamilton of Talco had a record of 45,511 miles driven safely over a period of 5 years.

Safe driving records of Bogata CPS personnel are as follows: J. Lee Smith, 266,534 miles, 22 years; Fred Whitten, 56,083 miles, 6 years; and Jerry Ward, 6,065 miles, 1 year.

Safe-driving records are kept only for employees who drive 50 per cent of their working hours.

TWO WISHES

Lillian: "If you could have two wishes, what would they be?"

Beverly: "I'd wish for a husband."

Lillian: "But that's only one wish. What would the other be?"

Beverly: "Well, I'd save the other until I saw how he turned out."

The U. S. flag-maker to the world, America's skilled flag makers manufacture the flags of more than 150 countries, reports World Book Encyclopedia.

Social Security
Information

Your social security is now better than ever. Because of the 1960 amendments, coverage has been extended, less work under social security is needed to qualify for benefits, and a person no longer need be at least 50 years old to receive disability insurance benefits.

Paul J. Files, District Manager of the Paris Social Security Office suggested that anyone who answers one of the following questions "yes" get in touch with the Paris Social Security Office as soon as possible.

1. Have you ever had your application for social security benefits denied because you, or the breadwinner in your family, hadn't worked long enough under social security?

2. Have you delayed filing for disability insurance benefits because you are not yet 50 years old?

3. If you are a widow, were you ever told that you couldn't qualify for benefits on your husband's social security account because he died before 1940, or had not worked long enough under social security?

4. Have you been told you

John N. Garner
92 On Nov.. 22

John Nance Garner of Uvalde, former vice-president of the United States, will celebrate his 92nd birthday anniversary on

can't receive benefits on your husband's account because you haven't been married to him for 3 years.

Read the questions carefully, and if your answer to any one of them is "Yes," get in touch with your social security office right away. There may be good news for you.

A social security representative will be in Mt. Pleasant at the American Legion Building, on Highway 67, on Friday, Nov. 18, from 3:30 a. m. to 12:00 noon.

Alcorn Proves Stumbling Block In
First Step Toward Moving Forward

Editor's note: Achin Alcorn, philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Sulphur seems to be dragging his feet on a new idea, his letter this week indicates.

Dear Editor: Here it is only a week after the country has elected a new President and some things have already moved forward.

For example, the mail service—not the mail service generally, it's about where it always was and I don't have any complaints about it, but a particular idea for the mail service.

As I understand it, the post office department in Washington is experimenting with a new type of mail delivery in which you write a letter on a special piece of paper, fold it into an envelope, drop it in a machine. The machine then opens it, looks at it, finds out where it's going, transmits it electronically to its destination, then tears up the original. On the receiving end, another machine reproduces it, seals it, and hands it over to the local post office for delivery.

I have been thinking about this system and I have my doubts. In the first place, if the machines can deliver a letter from New York to the local post office, it won't be long before somebody wanting to move even further forward will figure out how to have it delivered electronically to

my mail box, and I'm having trouble enough keeping my present mail box propped up without having to maintain an electronic brain machine alongside it.

In the second place, I don't ever remember having received a letter on any day that I'd have been any better off or more informed if it had gotten to me two days earlier. Very few people have any thoughts or messages to convey to me that are that important. And I don't know of anybody, congressman, governor, sheriff, newspaper editor, who would be any better off or any more informed finding out what I think two days earlier than he can find out now. I take the position that if it takes me a week to think up an idea, anybody waiting on it can wait an extra day and not be hurt. In some cases he could never hear and be just as well off. And this thing works vice versa.

It may be important to get a guided missile to its destination in thirty minutes, but very few thoughts are that devastating.

I think this country ought to move forward, even if it has to go around me to do it, but electronic mail service may not be in that category. I'm not interested in this country's spending money to get my monthly bills to me two days earlier than I'm getting them now.

Yours faithfully, A. A.

Tuesday, Nov. 22.

Garner, who was born in Red River County, four miles north-east of Deport, began his public career when in 1898 he was elected to the Texas Legislature. Beginning in 1903 he served 39 years as representative from the 15th Congressional District before being elected vice-president for two terms.

Garner has many friends and relatives in this section who join the nation in congratulating him on his birth anniversary.

Early New England women bleached their sheets by spreading them with sour milk and putting them in the sun.

FIDELIS CLASS SOCIAL
AT TAYLOR HOME

Fidelis Class of Calvary Baptist Church had their regular monthly social in the home of Mrs. Donald Taylor Tuesday night. Meeting opened with prayer by Joyce Martin. Mrs. Gladys Branch gave the devotional and the secretary gave the reports. Secret Pal gifts were exchanged and plans were made for the Christmas party.

Hostess served refreshments of drinks, sandwiches and coffee.

Attending were Mmes. Ruby Mitchell, Joyce Martin, Jean Taylor, Peggy Hargrove, Sallie Belcher, Bobby Shoffner, and Gladys Branch. Jean Taylor assisted in serving.



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