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Rites Sunday For Jno. D. Wilkinson

Rites were held at Bogata Cumberland Presbyterian Church at 2 p. m. Sunday for John Duncan Wilkinson, who died at 11:30 a. m. Saturday at his Bogata home. Rev. Robert Phelps, pastor of Bogata Methodist Church, had charge of the services and interment was made in Bogata Cemetery by Bogata Funeral Home.

Born at Bogata January 18, 1885, he was the son of John Smiley and Mary (Howison) Wilkinson. A life-long resident of Bogata, he was city clerk at Bogata prior to retirement several years ago.

He was married to Miss Mary Myrtle Simmons December 27, 1910, and she survives with their three children: John Neil Wilkinson of Longview, Mrs. Henry Hudson of Bogata, and Mrs. Ray Lewis of Austin. Other survivors are a sister, Mrs. Walter McDavid of Bogata; four brothers, Tom, Bill and Curtis Wilkinson of Bogata, and Roger Wilkinson of Albuquerque, N. M.; seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Honorary pallbearers were Dr. E. E. Brooks, V. Theford, Albert DeBerry, Frank Tyer, F. L. Branson, Earnest King, Oscar Legata, Clifford McCain.

Active pallbearers were Bob Holt, Junior Tittle, Marcus Gibson, Joe Ford, Carlos Vaughan, Freddie Wilkinson, Henry Lee Suggs and Pleas Turner.

MRS. EASTERLING HOSTESS BETHANY CLASS MEET

Mrs. Jewel Easterling was hostess to the Bethany class monthly meeting in the home of Mrs. R. W. Prestidge. The class song was sung by the group and Mrs. H. F. Teague voiced the opening prayer. Mrs. L. M. Gandy brought the devotional, Psalms 100, in keeping with the Thanksgiving season.

The house was decorated throughout with fall flowers. Mrs. Elmer Luttrell, president, presided over the business meeting. The secretary, Mrs. Jewel Easterling, gave the annual report. Games were played.

Attending were these members, Mmes. Prestidge, Easterling, Lemay, Luttrell, Keeling, Haw-

SCHOOL NEWS

The four classes of Talco High School met Monday to discuss the decorations for their floats in the Christmas parade which will be held on Dec. 8.

The Texas State Teachers Association met Monday night for a dinner meeting at the Alps Cafe in Mt. Pleasant. Miss Irene Binion of Mt. Vernon, was guest speaker. Those attending from Talco were A. C. Newsome, Leon Shoffner, Mrs. Lucille Perkins, Mrs. Sammie Burton, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Johnson, M. L. Barron, James Whitaker, Billy Joe Vickers, Mrs. Thelma Jones, Mrs. Elma Chaloner, Miss Elizabeth Allums, Mrs. E. W. Duncan, Miss Alice Ruth Tidwell, Mrs. Vivian Westbrook.

The Powder Puff football game will be held Dec. 2. This is a game between the Senior and Junior girls.

An assembly program was held at the school Tuesday morning. The program was sponsored by the United States Atomic Energy Commission. The Museum Division of the Oak Ridge Institute of Nuclear Studies, under contract with the Commission, operates six units for the presentation of demonstration lecture programs to secondary schools throughout the U. S. The program was concerned with some of the basic principles and peaceful applications of atomic energy and with the importance and value of science studies to high school students. Charles Hardin presented the program. He holds a bachelor's degree in biology from Georgetown College, Kentucky, and also received training in nuclear science at Oak Ridge, Tenn.

thorne, Teague, Gandy and one visitor, Mrs. J. J. Smith. Mrs. Gandy received the door prize. Refreshments of pumpkin pie, nuts, coffee and hot chocolate were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. R. W. Prestidge.

Mrs. L. B. Kaylor and her father, J. A. Yates, spent Thanksgiving at Mr. Yates' home at Haynesville, La., with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Yates. They spent Wednesday night with Mrs. Kaylor's aunt, Mrs. Agnes Brandon at Magnolia, Ark.

Talco Hunters Get 14 Deer at Llano

A group of Talco hunters left for Llano November 14 for a deer hunt. Included in the group were Buck Stansell, Cothran Gibson, Otis Barton, Charlie Martin, Roy Prim and Robin Slaughter Jr. Each of the hunters killed two big bucks with the exception of Gibson, who killed one buck which weighed 140 pounds and one small spike. Gibson's buck was the first killed by the party on the trip. The hunters returned to Talco on November 19.

Book Club Elects New Officers

Talco Book Lover's Club met in the home of Mrs. Williams Friday, Mrs. Ed Nugent, vice-president, presiding. Prayer was offered by Mrs. R. W. Sanford and roll call answered with "Places of interest I have seen in Texas." The flower fund was \$1.45. Books in the club for this year were distributed to members.

Election of officers for the year 1961 was by secret ballot. Those were elected: President, Mrs. Felix Jones; vice-pres., Mrs. R. W. Sanford; sec.-treas., Mrs. B. L. Gieger; sec. sec.-treas., Mrs. Pete Hill; reporter, Mrs. Ivy Smith; ass't reporter, Mrs. F. B. Haines.

The program, "Scenic Texas," was ably presented by the director, Mrs. Frugia. Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Hill, to 15 members. Games were enjoyed in which Mrs. Nelson and Mrs. Walding excelled. Door prize went to Mrs. Sanford.

The Christmas luncheon will be held on Dec. 20. This was the last meeting of the year 1960. The club will resume a new year's work Jan. 15, 1961.

Mrs. Donald Taylor, Donna and Susan, Mrs. Stella Taylor, Jean and Scottie visited in Paris Friday.

Mt. Vernon Beats H. Grove 30-20

Mt. Vernon defeated Honey Grove, 30-20, Thursday for the Region 4-A title. The game was played at Noyes Stadium in Paris. The Tigers will meet the winner of the Albany-Crowell game in the playoff quarter-finals.

Quarterback Bobby Maples paced the Mt. Vernon attack, particularly after the intermission. He scored two touchdowns, passed for one and ran across four extra points.

Talco OES Schedules Christmas Party

Talco Chapter No. 846, OES, held their regular meeting at the Masonic Hall Tuesday evening when Worthy Matron Mrs. Coleen Dixon, gave a report on her recent trip to Grand Chapter in Dallas. The annual Christmas party was set for Dec. 9 at 6:00 p. m. in the Humble Recreation Hall.

Committees appointed for the preparation were as follows: Refreshment committee, Mrs. Ruby Pierce, Mrs. Beulah Darling, Mrs. Bobby Giddens, Mrs. Thelma Dixon; Mrs. Coleen Dixon; Decoration, Mrs. Rufene Cook, Mrs. Ivy Smith, Mrs. Thelma Ross, Mrs. Lottie Via, Mrs. Velma Hammond and Mrs. Florence Richardson; Program, Mrs. D. R. Harton, Mrs. Jean Nelsome, Mrs. Lola Taylor and Mrs. Sally Belcher. This will be a covered dish supper for members and their families. The committees are asked to meet at the Recreation Hall at 9:00 a. m. Dec. 9, for preparation.

After Chapter closed, the Worthy Matron was honored with a handkerchief shower and refreshments were served.

Mrs. C. B. Presley, Ronnie and Cecil visited her mother, Mrs. E. W. Hedges and Mr. Presley's mother, Mrs. E. M. Presley and his sister, Miss Mattie of Kilgore, Saturday.

Mrs. R. Hughston Buried Sunday

Mrs. Ross Hughston, 76, of Clarksville, the former Miss Bess White of Paris, died Friday about 2:30 p. m. in M. D. Anderson Hospital at Houston. She had been in failing health several years.

The funeral was conducted Sunday at 3 p. m. at McKenzie Memorial Methodist Church at Clarksville and burial made there. Named bearers were R. G. Burrus, Don Black, Leroy Pratt of Detroit, Marion Morehead, J. W. Nichols and Lee Austin.

Daughter of the late Dr. and Mrs. J. C. White, Mrs. Hughston was born in Lamar County, September 19, 1884. She and Thomas Ross Hughston, both teaching school at Deport at the time, were married in Paris, August 14, 1913. They later taught at Avery and Detroit, moving to Clarksville about 1919. Mr. Hughston afterward entering the insurance business. She was active as a member of the Shakerspeare Club, Order of the Eastern Star and the Rebekah Lodge.

Survivors besides her husband are two children, Tommy Ross Hughston, Clarksville, and Mrs. Harry Williams, Springfield, Va.; five grandchildren; these sisters and brothers: Mrs. Harry Wilson, Mrs. Nona Boehler, Bill White and Edwin White, all of Paris; James White, Miranda City, and Lon White, Pittsburg.

New and Renewed Times Subscribers

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

A. C. Waddell
Guy Farris
Lon Jones
James R. Shields
George M. Elliott
Mrs. Trudie Singleton
Paul Harbour
J. D. Funderburk

Union Service At Methodist Church

Talco community Thanksgiving program was held at the Methodist Church Tuesday night. The high school choir sang. Welcome and invocation were given by Rev. Walter Zimmerman. Hymns, "Count Your Blessings" and "America the Beautiful" were sung, with scripture reading by Earl Smith.

Presentation and pledges to flags, American and Christian, were led by the Boy Scouts. Following singing of "America" the Thanksgiving message was by Rev. James Schaffer. Closing hymn was "Faith of Our Fathers" and the benediction by Rev. J. A. Haley.

Mrs. Burkham Dies At Sulphur Bluff

Mrs. Fannie Burkham, the former Miss Fannie Morris, died at 4 p. m. Sunday at the home of her son, Boss Burkham at Sulphur Bluff with interment in Wims Cemetery at Talco made by Bogata Funeral Home.

Other survivors are sons, Kemp Burkham of Cooper and Choc Burkham of Loving, N. M.; three daughters, Mrs. Fannie Murphy of Palestine, Mrs. Allie Hart and Mrs. Ola Buchanan of New Boston.

Born in Travis County March 26, 1862, Mrs. Burkham, who lived at Sulphur Bluff for the past five years, had been ill three weeks.

Mother of Talco Lady Dies Thursday

Mrs. Ellen Morgan, 82, passed away Thursday morning at Spring Hill, La., hospital after suffering a stroke Sunday. She had lived several years at Cullen, La., and spent several months with her daughter, Rev. and Mrs. L. R. Lemay at Talco.

Funeral service was held at the First Baptist Church at Cullen, of which she was a member, Friday at 2 p. m., with Rev. L. C. Garner, pastor of the church officiating. Burial was at Blockers Chapel.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Lemay, six grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren. Rev. and Mrs. Lemay returned home Saturday from Cullen.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Rodgers and daughter, Carolyn, spent the week end with their son and brother, James and attended the Baylor-SMU game at the Cotton Bowl. James is a member of the Baylor Golden Wave Band and performed during halftime at the game.

Lions Club Plans Christmas Float

Talco Lions Club enjoyed a film entitled "The Road to Happiness," shown by Robert Giddens, program chairman, Tuesday evening at Norwood's Cafe. This film was furnished by the crippled children's home in Kerrville.

During the business session, presided over by D. R. Harton, a Christmas float was discussed for annual Christmas parade to be held Dec 8 in Talco. A committee was appointed, composed of the following members' wives: Mrs. Jerry Jones, Mrs. D. R. Harton, Mrs. Robert Giddens and Mrs. Bill Walding. These ladies will plan and assist in building the Lions Club float.

The annual ladies night banquet was discussed and planned to be held in the school cafeteria on Dec. 12 at 7:00 p. m. Mrs. E. W. Smith, wife of the deceased club president, was invited to attend the banquet as a special guest. All members and their wives are urged to attend this annual affair.

Gerald Martin Is Birthday Honoree

Gerald Martin was honored with a surprise birthday party Saturday at the Humble Recreation hall from 7 to 10 p. m. The hall was decorated with hanging balloons, blue and white paper streamers. A colorful birthday cake was on the refreshment table surrounded by gifts. The group enjoyed music and dancing. Butch Black entertained during the evening with songs.

After opening his gifts, birthday cake, cupcakes and cold drinks were served to LaDonna Buchanan, Nita Hanks, Butch Black, Lank Easterling, Kenneth Davis, David Waddell, Deanie Leuke, Johnny Mack Brown, Jimmy Fain, Kay Jones, Darryl Martin, Marjorie Richardson, Carol Jean Swaim, Pete Dixon, Wanda Parker, Delora Parker, Truitt Bennett, Patricia Grissom, Sandra Penn, Bonnie Wilson, Sue Locke, C. W. Frye, Stephen Buchanan and Carol Ann Corbell, Joan Williams, Ronnie Porterfield and Janice Topping, all of Bogata. Sponsors were Mrs. Charlie Martin, Mrs. Opal Grissom, Mrs. W. S. Richardson and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Neely enjoyed a birthday supper Friday at the home of Mrs. Micky Brewer and son, Andy in Longview, for Mr. Neely on his 71st and her son on his 8th birthday. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Simpson, Linda and Steve of Longview, attended the birthday supper given for her father and nephew.

Mrs. R. B. Stevens of Lafayette, La., is in Talco Clinic.



Austin.—Added to the list of lively topics for the next Legislature is the carving out of a new Congressional district.

Final figures in the national census show Texas entitled to a 23rd congressman. State's population rose 24.2 per cent—to 9,579,677—making it the sixth most populous state in the nation.

Even though population increase accounts for Texas' getting another representative to Congress, population will not be the sole consideration when lawmakers decide where to put the new district.

Population of Texas districts ranges widely, from about 227,000 to 614,000. It is highly unlikely that the legislature will undertake to rearrange the districts statewide so as to even out the differences. This would inconvenience too many incumbent congressmen, taking from their districts counties where they are popular and adding counties where they are unknown.

Nor is it expected that Dallas County, the state's most populous district, with 614,000, will get the extra congressman. Dallas now sends Texas' only Republican to Washington, and a Democratic legislature likely will not want to create an opportunity for another GOPer to be elected.

Texas' biggest congressional district—and the nation's biggest—are-wise, is the 16th, stretching all the way from Ozona to El Paso. But if El Paso, the only metropolitan area, were taken out, what was left would be short on population for a district.

After the 1950 census, the Legislature ducked for awhile the question of what to do with the extra congressman by having him serve "at large" (the whole state). Later Harris County (Houston) was given the extra congressman.

OIL FLOW UPED—Texas Railroad Commission has set the December oil allowable at 2,819,379 barrels a day on a nine-day producing pattern.

For the past seven months the state has been limited to eight producing days.

Independent producers, most of whom have been strong for holding production to eight days in previous months, recommended nine for December.

Earlier, TIPRO (Texas Independent Producers and Royalty Owners) had asked the Commission to consider whether the sharp cut-back in Texas production during the past two years

actually had improved the supply situation or enabled other producing areas to grab some of Texas' share of the market.

"CONTROVERSIAL" BOOKS ADOPTED—In the enormous and often touchy job of adopting textbooks for public schools, the State Board of Education rejected one and accepted two of three books against which protests had been raised.

Board asked the publishers of the history text, "Texas and our Spanish Southwest," to correct errors before it reconsiders the book in January. Two other books criticized by J. Evetts Haley and a committee known as Texans for America were accepted by the Board.

These are "Language for Daily Use" for grades 7 and 8 and "The Stockmen's Handbook" Haley's committee said the language book was based on too limited a vocabulary and the stockmen's book was too welfare state-ish in its discussion of farm issues.

Seven books opposed by Texans for America already had been eliminated by a teacher-composed advisory committee which screens textbook offerings before they are considered by the Board of Education.

LOCAL HELP TO AGED, ILL—A plan that would divide part of the responsibilities for care of the aged and mentally ill, between state and local government, may be proposed in the next Legislature.

It would take a constitutional amendment approved by the people to put the plan into effect.

Legislative Budget Board has tentatively approved a recommendation whereby the state would split with a city, county or district the cost of such programs as out-patient care for mental patients and nursing home care for elderly patients.

It is felt that this approach might be more economical and effective for some patients. Nearly-recovered mental patients, for example, could be released from bed space at expensive state institutions and get treatment as needed from a nearby clinic.

PERJURY RULING REAFFIRMED—Court of Criminal Appeals refused to reconsider its 2-to-1 decision that former Insurance Commissioner J. Byron Saunders could not be convicted for perjury as a result of testimony before a legislative committee. But it did not make the opinion

final. Travis County District Attorney Les Proctor is filing a second motion for re-hearing in hopes of keeping the issue alive until after the first of the year.

At that time one of the members holding in Saunders' favor, Judge Lloyd Davidson, goes out of office. If incoming Judge W. T. McDonald took the other side, the scales would be tilted and Saunders' conviction upheld.

OUT-OF-STATE TAX DENIED—Texas cannot collect a tax on the premiums of an insurance policy sold to a company in Texas by an out-of-state firm not licensed to do business in Texas.

Third Court of Civil Appeals ruled that this would conflict with U. S. Supreme Court decisions now in effect. A Texas law requires purchasers of insurance from companies not licensed in Texas to pay a tax equal to 5 per cent of the premiums. This is higher than the tax on companies licensed in the state.

Appeals Court suggested hopefully that the Supreme Court might reconsider its position so that the Texas law would become valid.

SHORT SNORTS—Secretary of State Zollie Steakley has issued a charter for Houston Baptist College to be built by Texas Baptists on a 200-acre site in Harris County. College is to open its doors by September, 1962. It already has a \$3,000,000 endowment for buildings. . . Department of Public Safety reports a 7 per cent decrease in Texas traffic fatalities this year as compared with the same period last year. Number of death-causing accidents dropped 9 per cent. . . Some parts of Texas had the wettest October on record, and all parts of the state except the southwest portion received above-average rainfall last month. State Board of Water Engineers reported that Corpus Christi and Victoria had the wettest October ever. Amarillo had rainfall 16.42 inches above normal by the first of October. . . Unusually heavy moisture is blamed by Texas A&M experts for the state's generally poor pecan crop this year.

Horticulture Professor Dr. Benton J. Store says why wet weather makes bad pecans is not fully understood. Most growers just call it "blight". For ranches, however, the rainy weather is mostly good news. U. S. Department of Agriculture says Texas ranges are going into the winter in "above average" condition.

Friday and Saturday SPECIALS

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| Ladies Hose, 60 Ga. | 59c pr. |
| 2 Pairs | \$1.00 |
| Micro Mesh Seamless | \$1.00 pr. |
| Large Size Towels | 2 for \$1.00 |
| Bobby Sox | 2 Prs. for \$1.00 |
| Printed Outing Flannel | 49c yd. |
| Unbleached Domestic | 5 yds. \$1.00 |
| Curled Chicken Feathers Pillows | \$2.69 pr. |
| Automatic Blankets, 2yrs. Guarantee—Single Control (Restwell) | \$15.98 |
| Ladies Toppers, all new Acri-Suede—Washable | \$10.98 |
| Ladies Corduroy Jackets | \$4.98 |
| Ladies Vinyl Coats | \$10.98 |
| Ladies 100% Cotton Cordurette Wash and Wear House Coats | \$5.98 |
| Ladies 100% Ban-Lon Sweaters | \$3.98 |
| Boys Jackets, Wool and Nylon, Reg. \$12.98—Special | \$8.98 |
| 100% Nylon Jackets, Reg. \$10.98—Special | \$6.98 |
| Plastic Jackets—Fur Collar, Reg. \$8.50—Special | \$4.98 |
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INVARIABLY IN ADVANCE

WILKINSON

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

Mr. and Mrs. Gavlon Riddle
and son of Marshall, spent Sun-
day with his grandparents, Mr.
and Mrs. C. B. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock and
P. B. Harris visited Mr. and Mrs.
Charlie Blalock and boys Friday
and other friends in the hospital.

Mrs. T. C. Riddle and son,
Charles of Dallas, visited her
parents, Thursday.

Mrs. Ruby Logan and little
daughter spent a few days with
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter
Wilson of Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. T. C. Riddle of 2327 Volga
Ave., Dallas, honored her niece,
Miss Marcia Blalock with a bridal
shower Saturday night. Approx-
imately 60 guests were present.

Several gifts were received.
Cake squares, coffee and punch
were served. Those attending
from here were Miss Blalock's
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morris
Blalock and daughter, Pallie,
and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs.
A. T. Blalock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Robertson
of Mt. Pleasant and Mrs. Gertie
Robertson were Tuesday dinner
guests of her sister, Mrs. Morris
Blalock.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock
spent Saturday night and Sunday
with their daughter, Mr. and
Mrs. T. C. Riddle of Dallas, and
visited their grandson, Mr. and
Mrs. Albert Riddle and daughter,
Jerry Lynn of Hurst.

Miss Pallie Blalock spent the
week end with her sisters, Dor-
othy and Marcia Blalock of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Blalock
spent Saturday night and Sunday
with Mrs. Blalock's sister, Mr.
and Mrs. J. S. Ford of Dallas.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. C. B.
Harris over the week end were
Mr. and Mrs. Dean Brownlee and
boys and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil
Ship and son of Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hou-
chan and daughter and husband
of Lubbock and O. E. Jones of
Talco, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jess
Jones, Friday night.

Mrs. Roger Cabell and children,
Mrs. Jerry Brown and little
daughter of Talco and Henry
Jackson were Sunday dinner
guests of Mr. and Mrs. John
Smith and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Robertson
of Mt. Pleasant, were Sunday
visitors of Mrs. Robertson's par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Dyke.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Price and
children of Denton, spent the
week end with Mrs. Price's par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. Moody Bel-
cher.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Thompson
and children of Dallas, were
week end visitors of her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Gracen Byram.

Mrs. Johnnie Woolsey and chil-
dren spent Sunday with her par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wyant.

C. N. Dyke of Brownfield, re-
turned home this week after
spending a few days here with
relatives. His mother, Mrs. M.
J. Dyke, returned home with

EDITORIALLY SPEAKING

BURT LOCKHART
in Pittsburg Gazette

Ballots speak louder than polls.

The same Nevada gamblers who
bet ten to seven for Kennedy bet
fifteen to one on Dewey.

Election polls are good for one
thing: they prove in every
election how unreliable they can be.

Heaven forbid that the Kennedy
administration will take off where
the Truman administration got
off.

Since a new broom sweeps clean
the public waits impatiently for
the new president's broom to get
busy.

Before the election the Kennedy
fortune was estimated at \$200
million and up. A new audit is
now in order.

Those were the good old days
when prospective stork visits were
whispered over the garden fence
and not over television.

Better not put too much faith in
those campaign promises. It is a
long, long road from a campaign
promise to its realization.

There are 4,000,000 unemployed
in the United States, but statisti-
cians have not yet told us how
many of the four million are al-
lergic to work.

Now that computing machines
are proving their worth in cal-
culating results in elections, may-
be we had better let them do our
thinking for us, and also our vot-
ing.

Mr. Nixon will have much to be
thankful for on November 24. He
will escape a million headaches
and the hard work of the White
House. No more eggs would be
thrown at him, but there would
have been brickbats from every
direction. A defeated candidate
for president should be thankful
when he cuts into that fat turkey
on Thanksgiving.

WSCS Entertains With Buffet Supper

Members of the WSCS of Talco
Methodist Church entertained
their husbands with a Thanksgiv-
ing buffet supper Friday in
the church reception hall. Har-
vest colors and fall leaves dec-
orated the hall. The tables, ar-
ranged in the center of the room,
were covered with white cloths
with brown crepe paper runners
down the center. On this was
placed colored fall leaves, wick-
er baskets at intervals held col-
orful fruits and vegetables. An
amber glass cornucopia was fil-
led with Indian corn, grapes and
leaves. At vantage points on the
table gold tapers burned in cran-
berry glass candleholders.

Mrs. Earl Burks gave the in-
vocation. Traditional Thanksgiv-
ing meal was enjoyed by Mrs.
Earl Burks, Mrs. Guy Walker,
Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Adams, Mr.
and Mrs. W. S. Richardson, Mr.
and Mrs. A. C. Waddell, Mr. and
Mrs. Frank Sloan, Mr. and Mrs.
Sid Frugia, Mr. and Mrs. E. R.
Grayson, Winston and Glenna,
Mr. and Mrs. Milton Bolin and
Amelia, Rev. and Mrs. Walter
Zimmerman and Debra, Mr. and
Mrs. Jack Brown and Mr. and
Mrs. Jack Hammonds. Hymn
singing followed the meal. Mrs.
Jack Brown dismissed the group.

him for a visit.
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lee Allen
of Mt. Pleasant, spent the past
week with her grandmother, Mrs.
Sally Haren.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Smith
and children visited Mr. and Mrs.
E. W. Dyke, Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Holcomb
and children of Sulphur Springs,
visited her parents, Rev. and Mrs.
Alvin Blalock, over the week
end.

THE AMERICAN WAY



Political Windbag

TALCO NEWS 10-20 Yrs. Ago

Week of November 24, 1950

Gus Edward Rhea, 47, lifetime
resident of Titus County, was
killed when he fell 35 feet from
the top of a tree while hunting
in White Oak bottom.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Haynes of
Talco, announced the engage-
ment of their daughter, Jo Nelle,
to Thurman S. Fuller, son of Mr.
and Mrs. R. T. Fuller of Talco.

Students home for Thanksgiv-
ing holidays included Eddie and
Bonnie Dunagan from Texas Uni-
versity; Jane and Beth Rosson,
Katie Trimble, Lora Pearl and
Patty Ike Reed, Janie Wilson,
Norma Nelson, Eugene Hargrove,
Bud Welborn from ETSC; John
Paul Jones of TCU.

Lana, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.
J. E. Sloan, was first place win-
ner in a pre-school age children's
popularity contest staged by Am-
erican Legion Auxiliary; Gayla
Lou, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.
Jerry Caldwell, won second place
and Sue Webb, daughter of Mr.
and Mrs. R. O. Webb, third place.
Billy Adams, son of Capt. and
Mrs. J. W. Adams, was first place
winner for the boys; James Mich-
ael Haynes, son of Mr. and Mrs.
Jimmy Haynes, was second and
Johnny Anderson, son of Mr. and
Mrs. Anderson, third.

Week of November 22, 1940

The YWA girls had elected new
officers as follows: President,
Mary Helen Johnson; vice-pres.,
Olga Mae Lindsey; sec., Janie
Goodwin; reporter, Eula Mae
Pinkston; mission study, Dorothy
Neugent; personal aid chairman,
Naomi Crabb and program chair-
man, Vera Henderson.

William Z. Sargent, 54, promi-
nent citizen of Cookeville, had died.
Talco High School Band, under
direction of Rex Shelton, had
joined eleven other high school
bands to play at the football
game at Commerce between East
Texas State and North Texas
State.

A son had been born to Mr. and
Mrs. Sam Armstrong.
Bill Smith and Miss Edna Bish-
op, both of Humble Camp at Tal-
co, had married.

Merchants were expressing
appreciation thru Thanksgiving
advertising, and some were ad-
vertising Christmas goods.

WMU MEETS AT CALVARY
BAPTIST CHURCH

Ladies of the WMU of Calvary
Baptist Church met Tuesday
morning from 9:30 till 12:30 for
a study of mission book entitled
"Across the Bridge." Mrs. J. A.
Haley, Mrs. A. C. Newsome Mrs.
E. A. Rodgers and Mrs. J. H.
Weatherall taught the mission
book. Sixteen were present.

First Bible printed in America
was printed in the Indian lan-
guage.

This Newspaper Makes Ideal Gift

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

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CUNNINGHAM

By MRS. CLETUS COOPER
Mr. and Mrs. Barney Jones left
Wednesday to spend two weeks
in Oklahoma different parts of
the state with three of his sisters,
other relatives and friends.

The community expresses sym-
pathy for the bereaved family of
Mrs. J. E. Wright of Clarksville,
who formerly lived at Minter and
was known here. She was the
mother of Elvis Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Kennedy
of Paris, came Saturday to visit
his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude
Kennedy.

Mrs. George Taylor entered a
Paris hospital Thursday for sur-
gery on Friday, and is reported
doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen ex-
pected their son, Fred and family
from Ft. Worth over the week
end.

Rev. and Mrs. Jimmy Cannat-
ser and children of Garland,
were guests Sunday of Mr. and
Mrs. C. E. Cooper.

Harold Bell of Paris, attended
church services Sunday night at
the Methodist Church.

Bill Cooper is home now after
several weeks treatment in a ho-
spital in Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Taylor attend-
ed the birthday celebration Sun-
day at the home of Mr. and Mrs.
Jesse Taylor, honoring Mrs. Tay-
lor's birthday. All enjoyed the
get-together.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Wright of
Minter and Mr. and Mrs. Clark
Terry of Milton, attended the
Sunday night service here.

Miss Ann Cox of Commerce,
spent the week end with her par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Cox
and Morris.

Mrs. Edna Betterton of Paris,
visited her daughter, Mrs. Wil-
liam Cooper and family, Saturday
night.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Moore visit-
ed Mr. and Mrs. Talma Harvey
at Milton Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cooper visit-
ed Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Shuford
and Mrs. Ollie Skelton of Paris,
Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Skelton
fell several days ago and broke
her left arm just below the
shoulder. She is doing fine now,
and spent several days at Milton
with her cousins, Arthur and Judd
Shuford and their wives.

Mrs. Weldon Smith and Mrs.
C. E. Cooper visited Mrs. Jess
Williamson and Mrs. George Tay-
lor in Paris hospitals Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Betterton
and Mrs. Edna Betterton of Paris,
visited the William Cooper fam-
ily, Sunday.

Announce Engagement



Mr. and Mrs. Morris Blalock of
Rt. 4, Mt. Pleasant, announce the
engagement of their daughter,
Marcia Blalock of Dallas, to
James M. DeLaughter also of
Dallas. Mr. DeLaughter is the
son of Mrs. Jessie Flint and Da-
vid N. DeLaughter of Dallas.

The bride-elect is a 1957 gradu-
ate of Talco High School, and
the future bridegroom attended
schools in Dallas.

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LOCAL NEWS

MRS. NORA WILLIAMS
Local Reporter
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Royce Holloway of Newsom, spent Wednesday till Friday with Bill Perdue.

Mrs. Glen Adams of Dallas, visited her aunt, Mrs. O. S. Goodloe, recently.

Van Cato of Clarksville, visited his brother, Louis, in Talco Clinic, Saturday.

Mrs. C. S. Case, Mrs. Jerry Jones, attended the ball game at Texarkana Friday night.

Mrs. Gladys Seward of Ft. Worth, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. J. R. Lee.

Mrs. Aaron Parker of Powderby, Mrs. Edna Nelson and Calvin Hudson of Paris, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Teague.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Lewis and son, Mike of Atlanta, visited relatives here Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Reed visited Mr. and Mrs. George Wims at Mt. Vernon, Sunday.

Mrs. J. R. Lewis visited her daughter, Mrs. Clifton Russell of Mt. Pleasant, Wednesday night.

Mrs. H. F. Teague visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Harris, Elbert and Minnie Harris of Biardstown, Friday.

Mrs. Minnie Swartz and Richard of Tulsa, Ok., are spending several days with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Johnny Paul Jones and children of Longview, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jones and Rusty, Thursday.

Mrs. Hughie Harper, Mrs. Susie Brown and Mrs. Minnie Coker were business visitors in Paris, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lee, Cindy and Susan of Ft. Worth, spent Wednesday night with his mother, Mrs. J. R. Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Frye visited her sister, Mrs. Clifton Russell in Memorial Hospital at Mt. Pleasant, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Loving of Saltillo, visited Mrs. Maud Leftwich and Mrs. Clovis Whitten at Talco Clinic, Tuesday.

Mrs. Viola Scarborough of Irving, visited her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. O'Keefe, the past week.

The seven men deer hunting the past week in South Texas near Llano, killed 14 bucks and returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Felix Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Cato Jones, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Lon Jones, Debbie and Star of Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Via and Jimmy, Mrs. Naomi Fitch and Miss Martha Lewis attended the ball game at Ada, Ok., Saturday.

Mrs. Troy Lewis, Becky and Brenda, and Mrs. Billy Joe Vickers spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Lilly of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lewis and daughter, Martha, spent the holidays with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Herring of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Moon and son, Robby of Natchez, Miss., visited her grandmother, Mrs. Sallie Perdue and her uncle, Bill Perdue, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Gieger and Miss Blanche Gieger spent the holidays with their son, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Gieger and daughter, Gayla of Ft. Worth.

Mrs. C. A. Bennett spent the week with her mother, Mrs. Nannie Mason of Alto. Mrs. Mason returned home with her daughter to spend several days.

Miss Barbara Watson and Miss Marilyn Kirl of Commerce, spent the week end at home with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kirl, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Watson.



This home and 23 others were destroyed in East Texas in the blow-up of grass and forest fires last year. Most of the fires were started by folks burning household trash carelessly. These losses would have been prevented by following these simple rules of safe burning: (1) Use a fire-safe container set on an area, cleared to bare soil 50 feet from the nearest building or woods; (2) have water handy; (3) burn when the wind is low; and (4) stay with the fire until it is DEAD OUT. Contact your county agent or the Texas Forest Service for construction details and use of a safe trash burner.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Byrd of Houston, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Smelley and Mrs. Byrd's mother, Mrs. O. C. Byrd of Ozark, Ark.

Mrs. Jim Davis and Miss Janice Davis of Dallas spent the holidays with their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Cotten, Larry, Danny and Lisa of Pampa.

Mrs. J. C. McGonagill, Reed and Terry spent Friday till Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sanders of Memphis, Tenn., and H. M. McGonagill of Oxford, Miss.

Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Haley and Mrs. D. J. Smelley of Calvary Baptist Church, attended the monthly Workers Conference at the Baptist Church in Pittsburg, Tuesday.

Mrs. Jerry Dismukes and son, Bill, returned to their home Sunday at Bellevue, Neb., after spending several days here with her mother and sister, Mrs. J. L. Cato and Christelle and attending her father in Talco Clinic.

Mrs. L. B. Kaylor and her father, J. A. Yates, spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Wyche of Longview. Returning home Friday, they visited Mr. Yates' niece, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Blackwell at Seven Pines.

Mrs. Donald Taylor, Donna and Susan went to Barksdale Sunday to spend two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Connel. Mrs. Stella Taylor accompanied them to Barksdale and will spend Thanksgiving with her daughter, Mrs. Tommy Smithson and son, Jamie of Denison.

Intermediate and Jr. G. A. and R. A. met at the Calvary Baptist Church Monday afternoon for a mission study. Mrs. Peggy Hargrove and Mrs. C. S. Case taught the book. Fifty attended. The Lawanda Couch Circle served a hot dog supper.

Mrs. W. T. Leake and daughter, Terry, Mr. and Mrs. Minor of Mt. Pleasant, spent Thanksgiving with their daughter and son, Mr. and Mrs. George Leake of Ft. Worth.

A. F. Bowman left Saturday to join a deer hunting party in South Texas for a week. Mrs. Bowman spent the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Moore of Lufkin.

Miss Shirley Whitney, employed at Buckner Orphan's Home, Dallas, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Whitney and her grandmother, Mrs. Zelma Grissom.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Watson and Barbara, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Davidson Jr. of Deport, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Davidson and attended the bi-district ball game at Hooks Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sullivan of Mt. Pleasant, visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Keeling, Saturday. Les Sanders of Mt. Pleasant visited Mr. and Mrs. Keeling, Sunday.

Mrs. J. A. Haley, Mrs. D. J. Smelley, Mrs. Ottis Hall, Mrs. H. F. Teague, Mrs. A. C. Newsome and son, Phil, Mrs. C. S. Case and Bruce attended the District WMU Conference at First Baptist Church in Pittsburg, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Butler visited his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Williams and son, Glynn, in Dallas the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hill of Clarksville, accompanied them to Carrollton to visit their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Batter Hunter and son, Glynn.

Mrs. T. E. Watis of Rodessa, spent the week at their home. Mr. and Mrs. Watis will spend the week end with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Newton of Shreveport, La.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Johnson and three children left Thursday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson of Milwaukee, Wis., for a few days and plan to sail for Germany in a short time.

Visitors over the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Keeling were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sullivan of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Burns, Ricky and Elaine of Irving and Thurman Hardy of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Winn spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. Winn's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Winn of Granbury. They also spent Sunday night with their daughter, Miss Jackie Winn of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Smelley visited Mr. Smelley's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Smelley of Nacogdoches, Saturday. They were met at the Jim Smelleys by their brother, P. F. Smelley of Long Beach, Calif., their sister, Mrs. C. E. Whitmire and their mother, Mrs. Dollie Smelley of Winters.

Mrs. A. C. Newsome of Talco, Mr. Louis Seay of Sulphur Springs, visited their brother, J. A. Cowan, Sunday, who suffered a heart attack and is a patient in Baylor Hospital, Dallas.

The Old Timer

"After all is said and done, you usually find more has been said than done."

Bogata Activities 10-20 Yrs. Ago

Week of November 21, 1950
Carl House of Pine Branch, was the first hunter of the Bogata area to bring in a deer with the opening of the season. He was hunting at McCrury.

Eleanor Lamb and Gaylord McCluer were married in the Presbyterian Theological Seminary Chapel at Austin; Lou Ada Rose and Allen Watkins were wed at Texarkana, Ark.

Deer hunting on Ringold Lake, S. T. Smith killed a seven-point buck.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ted Tompkins at a Dallas hospital; a daughter was born to Rev. and Mrs. R. S. Smith Jr. of LaRose, Ill. Rev. Smith was a former pastor of Cumberland Presbyterian Church at Bogata.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie D. Evans of Halesboro, were parents of a new daughter.

Week of November 22, 1940
Mrs. Herman Moore had entertained with a party for the fourth birthday of her daughter, Anita.

Miss Vida Bell Greer had been elected the most beautiful girl at a basket supper at the Mauldin school.

John W. Sain, 90, of Milton, had died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. S. E. Thompson at Paris.

R. S. McCall of Cuthand was seriously ill at his home.

A house belonging to Dick Jackson and occupied by Mrs. Emma Messick and family had burned.

MAY BE AROUND
The photographer had just taken a picture of an old gentleman on the latter's 98th birthday. He thanked the oldster, saying "I hope to be around to take your picture when you're 100."
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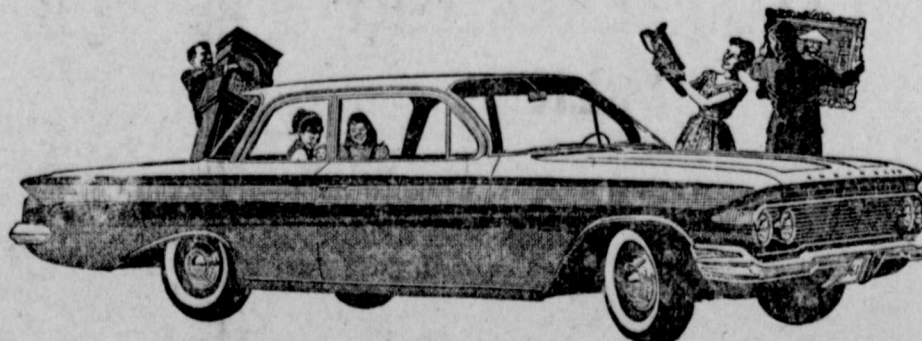
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Alcorn Finds Nothing to the Report That Dollar Is Now Worth Only 42c

Editor's note: Achin Alcorn, philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Sulphur discusses money this week. It's sort of like a prize fighter discussing etiquette.

Dear Editor: I have run into a financial problem which I need help on. Well, actually it's not a problem, it's most a lot of people's economic ignorance.

I read in a newspaper last night which the wind had blown against my front fence yesterday afternoon and I pulled it off in a hurry because that fence can stand just so much pressure, that the American dollar is now worth only 42 cents.

I can report that there's not a word of truth in this, as I went to eight different stores in town this morning and couldn't find anybody who'd sell me one at that price. People around here apparently don't read the financial section of newspapers and everybody still wanted 100 cents for theirs, and acted like there wouldn't be any profit in that sort of deal. A man can't get ahead against that kind of economic ignorance. Even when I showed them the article, they just laughed.

For a week now I have been concentrating on the money situation in the world and am as exhausted as the four candidates for President and Vice President and the only reason I don't fly somewhere for a rest in the sun like they did is that I don't have an

airplane and anyway have found I can use the same sun they're using without getting off this Johnson grass farm.

As I understand it, the money situation is complicated by the fact too much gold is leaving the United States, plus the fact the Russians have voted that a ruble now has more gold content than it did last month, even if it's still printed on the same kind of paper.

One expert said the reason gold was leaving this country was because the U. S. was believed figuring on increasing the price of the stuff above \$35 an ounce, which it's not, he says, because that would be de-valuing the dollar. You may understand this but I don't. It frustrates my brain so much that the only way I've found to regain peace of mind is to get on the south side of the barn in the sunshine and re-read both party's platform promises.

People are always saying that a dollar won't go as far as it used to, but I don't understand this either. Actually, I've never known how far a dollar of mine went. As soon as it leaves my hands, I lose track of it. It's slammed into somebody's cash register and that's the last I hear of it.

I will appreciate it if you'll take time off from your other duties and explain the monetary system to me and the rest of your readers. Yours faithfully A. A.



BREAKING GROUND near Vivian, La., for the new 1553-foot TV tower of KCMC-TV Channel 6, Texarkana, are four mavers. Left to right: R. P. McElroy, Texarkana, Texas; Clyde Fant, Shreveport; Haskell Hay, Texarkana, Arkansas, and Jake Cameron, Bossier City. The new tower, expected to be ready in early 1961, will serve 1 1/4 million people in the Ark-La-Tex. The tallest tower in the South, it will be the fifth tallest man-made structure in the world.

JOHNTOWN

By MRS. G. A. VAUGHAN

R. C. Hinson suffered an arm injury Thursday while on his job at Talco, when a wrench slipped. He is reported recuperating satisfactorily at home.

Mrs. R. C. Hinson was in Paris Friday for a medical checkup for her daughter, Bonnie, who recently had her tonsils removed.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Vaughan of Bogata and Jim McCall and son, Wayne of Irving, visited in the G. A. Vaughan home Friday.

Jim Pirtle reported these killed deer the past week in this vicinity: David Lee Hudson, Kenneth Pirtle, Buck Smiley and Hubert Horn.

E. V. Pirtle, W. E. Hawkins and M. H. Dryden of Longview, have work in Talco this week. They're employees of Humble Pipe Line.

Mrs. Minnie Wickersham of Grand Prairie, visited her brother, Francis Foster and family, Sunday.

Miss Janell White of Dallas, is visiting her cousin, Doris Watson.

Miss Glenda Mantooth of Bogata, spent the week end with Rachel Black.

Mrs. Bose Gable of Bogata, visited in the W. A. Black home Thursday.

Francis Ann, 9 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dodd, who recently had an appendectomy in Clarksville hospital, has not recovered sufficiently to return home.

J. E. Vaughan was reported not doing as well as expected Tuesday at his home. Visitors of Mr. Vaughan Sunday included Rev. Will Allen and Garnet Walker of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pope of Talco and Carles Vaughan of Bogata.

Mrs. Jess Morris visited in Bogata Tuesday.

Mrs. Bill Bain and Billie Ruth were Paris business visitors Sat-

BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR CHARLES LYNN WINKLE

Charles Lynn Winkle was honored on his sixth birthday with a party at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Bill Via, Friday. Favors were bubblegum and candy. Refreshments of birthday cake and drinks were served to the following: Teresa Barger, Patricia and Darrell Wayne Carson, Danny Davis, Terry Giddens, Charlott and Gerald Brown, Sally Cook, Harley Joe Mitchell, Robby Rogers. Mothers attending were Mrs. Robert Giddens, Mrs. Carson, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Rogers, Mrs. Winkle and Mrs. Hawthorne.

urday.

Mrs. G. A. Vaughan and Mary Ann visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ward at Bogata, Sunday. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ward and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ward of Bogata.

Henry Bolen of Forman, Ark., visited his brother, W. O. Bolen and wife, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kirt of Talco, were other visitors, Sunday.

Mrs. Sammy Hervey accompanied her husband to Kaufman, where he is employed, Wednesday, returning home the same day.

Miss Bettie Hervey of Dallas, bride-elect of Doug Blegburn of Mesquite, was honoree at a miscellaneous shower at school cafeteria Saturday afternoon. Sixty names were registered.

Mrs. John Sale was reported ill at her home Sunday.

Mrs. Tom Pirtle is suffering from painful bruises received while assisting her husband in loading cattle on a trailer when a frightened cow jumped from the trailer almost upon her.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Vaughan and Mary Ann left Tuesday afternoon for Tyler for an overnight visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Vaughan and children, then on to Angleton Wednesday, where they will spend Thanksgiving day and the week end with Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Vaughan and children.

STEADY EMPLOYMENT
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LOCAL NEWS ABOUT BOGATA

Mrs. O. J. Cooper is visiting her sister, Mrs. Rhea Vernon in Ft. Worth.

Mrs. Davie Collins of Irving, spent the week end with relatives and friends here.

Mrs. Dick Malm of Eagletown, Ok., was a guest last week of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Grayson.

A. L. King was in Lubbock Saturday night to attend the Arkansas-Texas Tech game.

Mrs. Nellie Black, who spent last week at Dimple, attended the funeral of Mrs. Charlie Bridges.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Johnson and Johnny of Soper, Ok., visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson, Monday.

Mrs. L. C. Jackson requests a change of address from New Boston to 3015 Beauchamp, Dallas.

Gordon House and family of Groom, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. House at Rosalie.

L. G. Farris of Gilmer, in Bogata on business Monday, visited his in-laws, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wilkinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith visited in DeKalb Sunday with the Cecil Phillips family.

Mrs. Leroy Prejean and daughters of Dallas, visited her aunt, Mrs. J. A. Cox and Mr. Cox, during the week end.

Don Fortner spent Friday and Saturday with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Knowles at Dimple and did some deer hunting.

Mrs. J. R. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Walker and Elise, visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lewis in Clarksville, Sunday.

Mrs. Jim Childers, Miss Melba Childers, Mrs. Mary Dawson and Mrs. Floyd Bell were Paris business visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Harbison and Harry Harbison were in DeKalb Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Howard Harbison.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kee of Camp Maxey, have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Pettit and Mrs. Elmer Pettit.

Jimmy and Page Killpatrick of Haslett, left Monday after spending several days with their grandmother, Mrs. Nellie Black.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Clouse of Dallas, were week end guests of his foster parents, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Webster at McCrury.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Craven had as Saturday visitors, his cousin, Mrs. Arthur Pate and daughter, Miss Sarah Ann Pate of Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. K. O. Shoulders and Mrs. Belle Cavender of McCrury, visited his mother, Mrs. J. E. Shoulders at Clarksville.

Dan Topping of Dallas, left Monday after spending several days with his uncle, Johnny Topping, Mrs. Topping and family.

Misses Jean, Janice and Justine Ford of Dallas, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John K. Ford and Joe.

Relatives here have received announcement of the birth of a 9 pound, 1 1/2 ounce son to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bob Fortner of Goldsmith on November 10. Mr. and Mrs. Archie Fortner of Odessa, are grandparents. Spencer Fortner and Mr. and Mrs. George Muthena of Bogata, are great-grandparents.

Dr. Lane D. Craddock and family of Climax, Colo., are here for the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Amy Craddock, his sister, Mrs. Alvin Wood, Mr. Wood, other relatives and friends.

Fred Wilkinson of Tyler and Mrs. L. G. Farris of Gilmer, were in Bogata Sunday to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wilkinson, and to attend the funeral of their uncle, J. D. Wilkinson.

Mrs. Lawrence Wood and Miss Tom Underwood attended open house at the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Louie Roberts in Deport, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Lee were in Fort Worth during the week end to visit his sister, Mrs. Claude Pierce, patient in a hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cody and Janette were holiday guests of Mrs. Cody's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. West and Miss Laverne West in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. William Taylor of Commerce and Mrs. Odessa Jones of Fort Worth, were Sunday guests of their cousin, Mrs. Mel Dozier and Mr. Dozier.

Mrs. Linda Hancock left the first of the week for Orange, where she will visit her son, Kenneth Hancock, Mrs. Hancock, Linda and Joe, during Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Cecil Hearne spent last week in Dallas with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Hearne and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Hearne and baby, and Miss Linda Hearne.

Mrs. Russell Townsend of Grand Prairie, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Denny, during the week end. She was the Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Forrester and Miss Billie.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Williams Jr. and daughter, Lisa, of Conroe, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Barney Alsbrook and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Williams Sr. Lisa is spending the week in the Alsbrook home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cody and Janette were hosts Sunday for a family Thanksgiving dinner. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cody and Leslie Ann of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Pierce and children.

Mrs. W. R. Bishop left Wednesday for Bartlettville Ok., where she will visit her granddaughter, Dixie Wadlington, polio patient in a hospital there. Nancy Wadlington, student at Oklahoma State University, will join them for a holiday visit.

Named Members Hereford Ass'n

A. L. Buckman, Bogata, and Crux Ansata Ranch Talco, have been named to membership in the American Hereford Association, the world's largest purebred registry organization, with headquarters in Kansas City, Mo.

Sixty-seven Hereford breeders were placed on the Association's official roster during October. The Association maintains active accounts for more than 80,000 breeders of registered Herefords over the nation. The Hereford Association during the last fiscal year recorded 475,843 purebred calves. The year's total recordings were the eighth highest on record, and twice the combined registration of other major beef breeds.

Buster Wright of Halesboro, had cut a severe gash in his foot while cutting wood.

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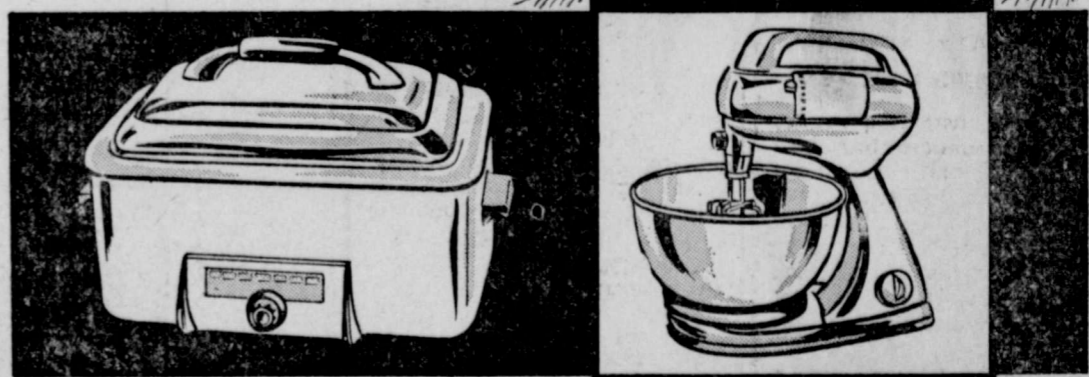


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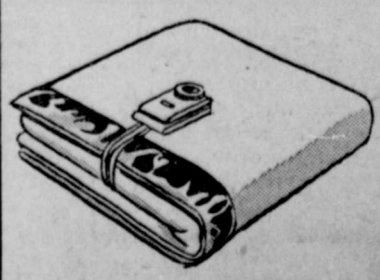
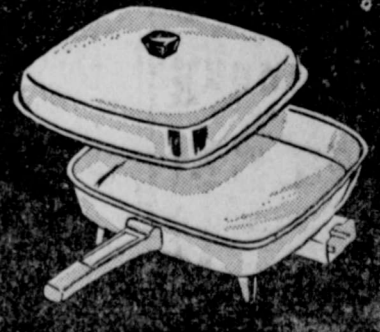


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