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## State Capital NEWS

By Vern Sanford

Austin. — Summer weeds are being mowed down on the school yards over Texas this week. Classrooms are being aired, and and teachers are mapping lesson plans.

Some teenagers — probably thousands — are ignoring all these tax-pair preparations being made for their benefit. Deliberately or unknowingly, they're getting ready to make one of the worst mistakes of their lives — not finishing high school.

Gov. Price Daniel has issued a special plea to youngsters to "go back to school and remain there until graduation."

To drop out of school, the governor reminded, is to cheat yourself out of a probable \$50,000 in future income. This is the average difference between what a high school graduate and an eighth grade graduate will earn in a lifetime.

At the peak of his earning power, the average high school graduate will earn 27 per cent more than the average eighth grade graduate, said the governor.

Public concern is based on statistics showing that between the 1955-56 school year and graduation of the 1958-59 class, more than one-third of Texas high school students dropped out.

In 1955 a total of 118,272 students enrolled in the ninth grade in Texas public schools. When that class graduated in 1959, only 71,855 still were there. About 39 per cent had dropped out.

Governor Daniel reminded that in an age of swift technical advancement, it is harder and harder for an unskilled worker to find a job. He called on public and private organizations to join in encouraging young people to stay in school. Both the individual and the community enjoys a better life, he said, where more people have good educations.

**SMALL WORLD PROBLEMS** — In deciding what kind of materials to use in building Texas roads and bridges, the State Highway Commission found itself plunged headlong into the whirlpool of international relations.

This summer the Commission issued an order that only American-made materials should be used in Texas road and bridge building. Texas industrialists, particularly steel officials cheered, but representatives of foreign nations lodged a storm of protest at a hearing before the Commission.

As a result, the order has been held up for further study. Decision will come probably in late September.

Representatives of the Texas steel industry called the ban on

foreign materials "a forward step for Texas." They said use of imported products brings loss of jobs for Texas workers and loss of taxes from Texas businesses. Furthermore, they argued, the imports are only slightly cheaper and frequently of inferior quality.

Attorneys representing the governments of Japan, Belgium and West Germany countered that "international trade is a two-way street." In short, they said Texas cannot expect to continue to profit from selling its products abroad unless it is willing to buy from other countries.

A spokesman for an international trade group declared the imports ban would violate the spirit of a treaty between Japan and the U. S.

**MEDICAL AID URGED** — Next legislature has been urged to pass a law providing for payments for the medical care of the needy aged.

Housing sub-committee of the Governor's Committee on Aging has released its report which points particularly to the discrepancy between old age pensions and nursing home costs.

Maximum old age assistance is \$67 a month, said the sub-committee, while the average charge of a licensed private nursing home is \$159 per month. Medical payments, said the committee, would be a help in closing this gap.

In 1958 a constitutional amendment was approved giving the legislature authority to set up such a program. It would cost approximately \$10,000,000 in state money, which would be matched with almost twice as much in federal funds.

These and related problems will be discussed at a statewide meeting of the Committee on Aging in Austin Sept. 7. Lending importance to the study are statistics showing the rapid increase in the number of older persons. During the past 60 years Texas population has tripled, but the population over 65 has multiplied by ten.

**BALLOTS UP TO COUNTIES** — It's up to county election boards to decide the order in which parties will be listed on the general election ballots.

Atty. Gen. Will Wilson ruled that counties do not have to list the parties in the same order in which the secretary of state lists them on a sample ballot. Secretary of state sends this out to list the certified nominees for state office.

Republican officials have been urging that county officials draw lots to decide whether Republi-

## Talco School Board Adopts 1960-61 Budget

An official school budget for the 1960-61 term was adopted at a called meeting of the Talco School Board on August 23. The budget is larger than in 1959-60 term—\$191,971.24 compared to \$181,247.00. Chief items causing the increase can be attributed to the expected purchase of a new bus, \$6,000.00, for the reevaluation of the school district properties 77,800.00, and addition of one classroom teaching unit \$4,000.00.

The larger part of the new budget is for teachers' salaries and other instructional costs, \$122,491.24 budgeted for these purposes.

Plans are under consideration for several badly needed improvements to be made and as much of the budget as possible will be used for these improvements.

## Tennessee U. To Honor Doctor

Dr. Roy A. Grayson of Bogata, who received his doctor of medicine degree in 1910, is one of 26 physicians and five dentists who will be honored by the University of Tennessee Medical Units at commencement exercises Sunday, September 25. The University is recognizing the services which Dr. Grayson has rendered to his community during the half-century since his graduation.

The physician will be presented with a Golden "T" certificate at the exercises at 3:30 p. m. in Ellis Auditorium. A luncheon and a tour of the Medical Center will precede the ceremony. Dr. Grayson received his degree from the Memphis Hospital Medical College, which was consolidated with the NT College of Medicine in 1913.

can or Democrats shall get the preferred first column on the left.

**INTEGRATION OPINION ASKED** — Dr. J. W. Edgar, State Commissioner of Education, has asked the attorney general for an opinion on whether the Houston public school system can continue to receive state aid if it follows a federal court order to integrate a grade a year, beginning in the first grade. State law denies aid to schools integrating without voter approval. Houston voters turned down integration.

**TETANUS SHOTS URGED** — State Health Department officials are urging Texans to have tetanus shots and keep the immunity up to date by getting periodic boosters. Lockjaw, which the shots prevent, has not disappeared. Fifty-two persons, 24 of them infants, died of lockjaw in Texas last year.

**HIGHWAY FUNDS ANNOUNCED** — State Highway Commission has announced plans to spend \$188,550,000 on the interstate highway program. An estimated \$169,912,000 will be spent on 548 miles of controlled access highway and \$27,638,000 on buying right of way.

**TEXAS DAIRY PRINCESS CHOSEN** — An 18-year old dairy farm girl from Sandia, Texas, Miss Louise Knolle, is Dairy Princess of Texas for 1961. She replaces Mariynn Carpenter of San Antonio, 1960 winner.

Miss Knolle was selected from three finalists in the Fifth Annual Leadership Awards Program of the American Dairy Association of Texas. They competed in Austin for the state honor.

She will represent Texas in the 1961 American Dairy Princess contest.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Worthington spent Sunday with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Worthington, Belinda Jo and Eugene of Shreveport, La.

## Talco's New City Directory Ready For Distribution

Talco's city directory has been completed and is now ready for distribution, according to Jerry Stansell, manager of Talco Chamber of Commerce, which sponsored the new directory.

Officers and members of the Chamber of Commerce met Monday night at Norwood's Snack Shop and assembled the directories under the direction of Stansell.

The new directories are to be distributed free of charge. Anyone desiring a copy may obtain one at any of the following locations: Chamber of Commerce Office, Talco State Bank, Jones & Bonham, Jean's Gift Shop, Swaim's Grocery or Norwood's Grocery.

Copies of the new directory will be mailed to all members of the Chamber of Commerce.

## Trimm Is Public Relations Head Voc. Ag. Dist. 4

Morris Trimm of Bogata, was named District Public Relations Chairman at a recent meeting of Vocational Agriculture Teachers Conference at Corpus Christi. Trimm will keep the FFA official scrapbook for District 4 in Area VI.

The official scrapbook, with Roger Arnold of Sulphur Springs as chairman placed fourth this year among the ten areas in Texas. Clippings pertaining to activities of FFA Chapters and Vocational Agriculture classes, taken from newspapers in this District, appeared in the 1958-59 scrapbook.

Trimm, Voc. Ag. teacher at Bogata the past 15 years, has served as a director of Texas Vocational Agriculture Teachers organization. It has been under his guidance that numerous honors have been bestowed upon Bogata FFA.

## Bridal Shower For Martha Jane Swann

Miss Martha Jane Swann of Mt. Pleasant, bride-elect of Bobby Adams of Talco, was honored Thursday afternoon with a bridal shower at Humble Recreation Hall. In the receiving line besides the honoree were her mother, Mrs. Harold Smith, Mt. Pleasant, and Mrs. L. G. Adams, mother of the groom.

Hostesses were Meses. J. W. Via, Frank Sloan, Ardell Flanagan, Ney Blackburn, J. A. Davis, J. W. Haynes, Jack Brown, A. E. Foster, W. C. Tanner and R. R. Rothwell.

The tea table was in white, centered with a heart-shaped arrangement of white net, tied with blue ribbon and crystal bells. At each side was crystal candelabra holding tall white tapers. Wide blue satin ribbon with the names "Jane and Bobby" inscribed in silver extended the length of the table.

Mrs. Haynes and Mrs. Jimmy Sloan served white cake squares, decorated in blue rosebuds, blue and gold colored mints, nuts and gold punch.

Mrs. Frank Sloan had charge of the register on a table covered with white net over blue, holding a large crystal jar containing a miniature bridal scene. Gifts were displayed on a blue covered table.

## WILSON MUNN FUNERAL SET FOR THURSDAY

Wilson Munn of Lone Star passed away in a Dallas hospital Tuesday. Funeral services were set for Thursday afternoon at Winnsboro funeral chapel. He was a brother of Kyle Munn of Gladewater, former Talco resident.

## Trojans Open Season Friday At Quitman

Talco Trojans open the 1960 football season with the Quitman Bulldogs, Friday night, Sept. 2 in Quitman. The Trojans will be out for revenge as they fell to the Bulldogs last season 18 to 6.

Proposed starting line-up is:

LE—Jimmy Clemmons 155 Jr.  
LT—Pat Parr 170 Jr.  
LG—Handy Stansell 150 Jr.  
C—Danny Perdue 160 Sr.  
RG—Jerry Miller 145 Sr.  
RT—Lank Esterling 210 Jr.  
RE—Darl Cabell 165 Jr.  
QB—John Gable 160 Sr.  
FB—Pete Dixon 165 Jr.  
RH—James Via 150 Sr.  
LH—Virgin Jones 145 Sr.  
Others working out are:  
G—Royce Weisinger 150 Sr.  
G—Larry Slaughter 180 Soph.  
C—Shelby Johnson 140 Fresh.  
C—David Mueller 150 Jr.  
G—Steve Buchanan 170 Jr.  
T—Johnnie Mac Brown 185 Sr.  
E—Richard Parrish 155 Soph.  
B—Ronnie Webb 145 Sr.  
B—John Whitten 160 Sr.  
B—Rhodney Russell 150 Soph.  
B—Kenneth Davis 125 Jr.

## Labor Day Toll On Texas Highways Predicted at 29

Col. Homer Garrison, Jr., director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, today announced the official prediction that 29 persons will be killed next weekend in Labor Day holiday traffic in Texas.

Garrison said some 125 extra patrolmen from the department's other uniformed services will join the regular Highway Patrol force in attempting to halt traffic law violations which figure in most fatal accidents.

"We hope the driving public will help this Labor Day weekend to prove that we have over-estimated the number of traffic fatalities that will occur in the three-day period," he said.

"Department patrolmen and all other law enforcement officers in our state will do everything possible to make the streets and highways safer by removing lawless drivers—but the statistics prove the main job is up to the individual behind the wheel."

## HUSBAND OF FORMER TALCO TEACHER IS DEAD

Mrs. Rose Johnson of Commerce, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Gieger While here she received a call that her husband, Ross Johnson, was found dead in his car Wednesday afternoon between Commerce and Greenville.

Mrs. Johnson was English teacher of Talco School in 1949-52. Mrs. Nadine Caldwell, Mrs. Lucille Perkins and Mrs. Sammy Burton accompanied Mrs. Johnson to Commerce.

## TALCO PUBLIC SCHOOLS OPENED FOR 1960-61 TERM ON SEPT. 1st

Talco Public School opened the new term Thursday, Sept. 1 with registration beginning at 8:30 a. m. A slight increase in enrollment is expected over last year. There was a brief assembly program in the school auditorium at 8:45 a. m. New teachers and students were introduced and welcomed to Talco School.

Administrative and teaching assignments for the year are as follows: A. C. Newsome, superintendent; H. L. Shoffner, high school principal; Robert Giddens, elementary principal; Mrs. Thelma Jones, 1st grade; Mrs. Vivian Westbrook, 2nd grade; Mrs. Lois Hopper, 3rd grade; Miss Alice Ruth Tidwell, 4th grade; Mrs. Elma Chaloner, 5th grade; Miss Elizabeth Allums and J. M. Chism, 6th grade; Mrs. Loreta Foster, Jack Wright and Bobby Staten, 7th grade; Mrs. Verda Duncan and Billy Vickers, 8th grade.

In high school M. L. Barron, science; Mrs. Merl Burton, business administration; Mrs. Nadine Caldwell, English; Bobby Cox, industrial arts; Mrs. Bonnye Gage, vocational homemaking; Joe Johnson, band; Mrs. Barbara Johnson, choir and public school music; Mrs. Gladys Branch, library and speech; Mrs. Sara Nola Parish, social science; Mrs. Lucille Perkins, Spanish and English; Bobby Staten, basketball coach; Jack Wright, football coach; Billy Vickers, assistant football coach; J. M. Chism, supervisor; David Whitaker, math. Mrs. Frances Lewis will teach grades 1-5 in the Colored Elementary School.

Lunches were served in the School Cafeteria on Thursday as students completed registration and other duties until the regular dismissal time.

Everyone is extended a cordial invitation to visit your school any time during the year.

## New Oil Well In Red River County

A new Woodbine Zone discovery in southern Red River County, has been reported by Trice Production Company. Trice's No. B-1 Coline encountered approximately 10 net feet of oil pay sand at intervals of 3,307 to 3,380 feet. The well, located in the John H. Traylor survey, is some two miles west of the Trice-Liz Field which produces from multiple zones in the Woodbine formation.

Trice will continue drilling to 5,000 feet and test for possible production from the Biloxi sand. The well is about one mile east of the Christmas Day Field and about one and one-half miles north of Talco Field, both of which have Biloxi production.

Hastings Moore, Trice's exploration manager and district manager of the company's home office in Longview, expects to reach 5,000 feet by September 4.

Trice has already staked location for a confirmation well in the area. Company officials reported that most of the acreage in the vicinity is held by major companies, but Trice is negotiating farmout contracts to continue operating there.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Jones was their daughter, Nelda of Dallas and her fiancé, James C. Kelsoe of Ft. Worth, Thursday and Friday. They also had Mr. and Mrs. Lon Jones, Debbie and Stan of Cisco. Lon attended the Bible chair lectureship, which was held at Tyler the first of the week. They returned to Cisco Friday.

## OIL NEWS

Titus County.—Trix-Liz (Woodbine) field: Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 3 A. C. Hoffman Jr., 4,100-foot test seven miles east of Talco, 1,260 from northerly south line and 330 from easterly east line of T. E. Geer survey and on 357-acre tract.

Application to drill — East Trix-Liz Field, Titus County. Sunray Mid-Continent Oil Co., operators; Alvin Blalock Well No. 2, Samuel A. Boase survey A-56. Regular permit.

Titus County. — Sunray Mid-Continent Oil Company and British-American Oil Producing Company are starting a second test in the area nine miles east of Talco and a mile east of the Trix-Liz field, where they are completing an extension-discovery. It is No. 2 Alvin Blalock, a 3,900-foot Woodbine hole 986 from the north and 330 from the west lines of Samuel A. Boase survey and a 160-acre tract. This would make it northwest of No. 1 Blalock, a dual Woodbine pay well awaiting final gauging.

John G. Voight, Tyler, has filed No. 1 C. M. Mayes as a 4,200-foot Woodbine test three miles east and south of Sulphur Bluff and some two miles northeast of the Sulphur Bluff field. Location is 1,600 from the south and 1,310 from the west lines of a 300-acre lease in Jasper CSL survey, A-509.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Glenn Gieger of Ft. Worth, spent the week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Gieger, while he was holding a meeting at the Church of Christ in Hagansport.

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### INVIARIBLY IN ADVANCE

### FRIENDSHIP CLASS WITH MRS. ROGERS

Friendship Class of Calvary  
Baptist Church had a business  
meeting and social at Mrs. Ivan  
Rogers Friday evening with Mrs.  
Johnny Weatherall as co-hostess.  
After a short business meeting,  
the group sang hymns, with Mrs.  
Ivan Rogers at the piano. Each  
member of the class quoted their  
favorite Bible scripture. Re-  
freshments were served to Mes-  
srs. J. A. Haley, D. R. Harton, W. V.  
McConnell, J. F. Cook, J. W. Via,  
Ivan Rogers and Johnny Weather-  
all.

### BOOK CLUB OPENS SEASON ON SEPT. 9

Book Club will have its first  
meeting this fall on Sept. 9 at  
the home of Mrs. Ed Neugent.  
Mrs. R. R. Kelley is program  
chairman and will present a pro-  
gram on Backward Glances. This  
should be very interesting as the  
club is 26 years old. A few of  
the charter members are still  
active in the club. Roll call will  
be answered with "the program  
I enjoyed most since I have been  
a member."

## Pleasant Drive-In Theatre

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### FRIDAY - SATURDAY Double Feature

"The Hound of the  
Baskervilles"

plus

"Guns, Girls and  
Gangsters"

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### SUNDAY - MONDAY TUESDAY

"Cast a Long  
Shadow"

Audie Murphy  
Terry Moore

Plus

"The Hunters"

Robert Mitchum  
Robert Wagner

### WEDNESDAY - THURSDAY

"The High and  
the Mighty"

John Wayne - Robert Stack  
Claire Trevor - Loraine Day  
Jan Sterling

## WILKINSON

By MRS. MORRIS BLALOCK  
Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Blalock re-  
turned home Thursday after a  
two weeks visit with their daugh-  
ter, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Stone of  
Wichita Falls.

Sunday visitors in the A. T.  
Blalock home were Mr. and Mrs.  
Grant McNally of Mt. Pleasant.  
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Blalock and  
family of Marshall, spent the  
week end with his parents and  
visited other relatives.

Tuesday visitors in the A. T.  
Blalock home were Mr. and Mrs.  
Remus Burgin of Talco and Mr.  
and Mrs. Romus Burgin of Mt.  
Pleasant.

Visitors of the C. B. Harris  
Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Gay-  
lon Riddle and son of Marshall  
and Mrs. Dean Brownlee and sons  
of Mt. Pleasant. Recent visitors  
were Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Hud-  
leston and son of Dallas and Mr.  
and Mrs. Vernon Riddle and girls  
of Mt. Pleasant.

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

Miss Mary John Wilson spent  
Saturday night and Sunday with  
her aunt, Mrs. Emma Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Jones visited  
her brother and wife, Mr. and  
Mrs. Hugh Wilson, Wednesday.  
Rev. Alvin Blalock is ill in  
Talco Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelton Smith and  
children of Kilgore, visited Mr.  
and Mrs. Jake Smith and other  
relatives here over the week end.

Charles Vernon Phillips and  
Miss Barbara McKelvey were un-  
ited in marriage Friday after-  
noon at the home of the bride's  
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Mc-  
Kelvey in the Mt. Sylvia com-  
munity. Rev. Alvin Blalock per-  
formed the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Robinson  
of Mt. Pleasant, were Sunday  
guests of Mrs. Robinson's parents,  
Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Dyke.

Rev. and Mrs. Leo Massie and  
children of Henderson, were Sun-  
day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wes-  
ley Blalock.

Butch and Margaret Blalock of  
Corley, visited their grandpar-  
ents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock,  
Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Blalock  
and children returned Saturday  
from an extended visit with her  
brother's family, R. J. Winkle  
of Mesquite, the Mutt Riddles, Dor-  
othy and Marcia Blalock of Dal-  
las and the Homer Durans of  
Pine Hill.

Sunday visitors in the A. T.  
Blalock home were Mr. and Mrs.  
M. D. Bell and daughter, Mrs. Al  
Sonnier, Mr. and Mrs. Remus  
Burgin of Mt. Pleasant.

Jess Jones left for Lubbock  
Friday to be in a family reu-  
nion over the week end.

### Party Welcomes New Talco Resident

Mrs. Bob Staten, new-comer to  
Talco, formerly of Stephens,  
Ark., was honored with a Coke  
party Wednesday morning at 9:00  
a. m. in the home of Mrs. W. V.  
McConnell.

Those attending were Mrs. Bob  
Staten and Amy, Mrs. Ardell  
Flanagan, Mrs. D. R. Harton, Mrs.  
Lee McAfee, Mrs. Ivan Rogers,  
Mrs. J. H. Weatherall, Mrs. Robert  
Giddens, Mrs. J. F. Cook, Mrs.  
A. C. Newsome, Mrs. J. W. Via,  
Mrs. Eugene Hargrove, Mrs.  
Gladys Branch, Mrs. B. M. Wald-  
ing and daughter, Sharon, Mrs.  
J. A. Haley. Mrs. Newsome and  
Mrs. McAfee assisted the hostess,  
Mrs. McConnell, in serving drinks  
and cookies to guests.

The present investigation of  
racketeers reminds one of the  
bank cashier who ran off with  
\$50,000, stole his best friend's  
girl -- and the only concern the  
people had was over who was  
going to teach his Sunday school  
class.

## TEN AND TWENTY YEARS AGO

Condensed from Back Files of The Talco Times for Dates Indicated

### September 1, 1950

Mrs. O. D. McFerrin had died  
of a heart ailment at the home of  
her daughter, Mrs. Alvin Arnold  
of the Greenhill community.

Pvt. Billy M. Irby of Mt. Pleas-  
ant, son of G. R. and Mrs. Eva  
M. Irby, had been listed as the  
first Titus County casualty in the  
Korean War.

A daughter, born to Mr. and  
Mrs. Jess Morris of Jolntown,  
had died and was buried at Bo-  
gata.

Memorial services were held  
at Mt. Pleasant for Lt. (jg) Elmer  
Daffer, who lost his life on Aug.  
17 when his training plane crash-  
ed into the Pacific Ocean.

### Martha Easterling Weds W. C. Walls

Wedding vows were exchanged  
at 6:30 p. m. Friday at the Cal-  
vary Baptist Church by Miss Mar-  
tha Easterling of Talco and Wil-  
liam Charles Walls of Mt. Pleas-  
ant. Rev. J. A. Haley, pastor,  
performed the double ring cere-  
mony before an improvised altar  
of large arch centered atop with  
white wedding bells and flanked  
with candelabra, green fern trees,  
and baskets of white gladioli on  
each side. Traditional wedding  
music was played throughout the  
ceremony by Mrs. Vernon Mar-  
tin, at the organ. Jerry Smith of  
Mt. Pleasant, sang "Because" and  
"The Lord's Prayer." The cand-  
les were lighted by Lank Easter-  
ling Jr., brother of the bride  
and Billy Hightower of Dallas.

The bride is the daughter of  
Mr. and Mrs. Lank Easterling of  
Talco and the groom is the son  
of Mrs. W. C. Walls of Mt. Pleas-  
ant.

The bride, given in marriage  
by her father, wore a floor-  
length gown of white embroide-  
red crystalline. Inverted pleats  
formed a panel down the front  
of the full skirt. The fitted bod-  
ice was fashioned with a scoop  
neckline and short sleeves, white  
lace mitts were worn. Her shoul-  
der tip veil of illusion was at-  
tached to a pearl encrusted  
tiara. A single strand of pearls  
was her only jewelry and she  
carried a bouquet of white car-  
nations centered with a single  
orchid.

Attending the bride, as matron  
of honor was her sister, Mrs. Ray  
Kelley of Garland. Her gown of  
blue crystalline was fashioned  
with a fitted bodice, scoop neck-  
line and full skirt. Her half-hat  
was of blue silk net, fashioned  
into a bow across her head. She  
wore a single strand of pearls and  
her bouquet was of white carna-  
tions.

Serving the bridegroom as best  
man was Billy Gene Lyles of Mt.  
Pleasant. Donald Easterling of  
Dallas and Bill Brown of Mt.  
Pleasant, served as ushers. David  
Kelley of Garland, nephew of the  
bride, was ringbearer and Patty  
Lyles, cousin of the groom, flower  
girl.

The bride is a 1959 graduate of  
Talco High School and is a sopho-  
more at ETSC, Commerce. She  
is a member of the Sigma Phi  
Epsilon frat.

Following the wedding cere-  
mony a reception was given in  
the church dining hall. Guests  
were registered by Miss Shirley  
Whitney.

### August 30, 1940

The following Talco Boy Scouts  
had gone to Camp Clark  
near Paris for a four-day camp-  
ing trip: Oscar and Jack Medlin,  
W. C. Blackwell, Jerry and John  
Paul Jones, Leon Lindsey, John  
E. and Clyde Lee Hahn, Jewel  
Smith, Billie Dunagan and Rich-  
ard West.

A son had been born to Mr. and  
Mrs. J. Caund at El Paso; grand-  
parents were Mr. and Mrs. John  
Northam.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cates had  
entertained the following with a  
chicken dinner: Mr. and Mrs. B.  
E. Dunagan, Mrs. W. M. Dunagan  
of Austin, Hugh Dunagan and  
Wick Malphurus of Austin.

The refreshment table was cov-  
ered with a white net cloth over  
blue and centered with an ar-  
rangement of white carnations  
and stock. Miss Barbara Davis,  
served the white three-tiered  
wedding cake which was topped  
with a miniature bride and  
groom. Misses Tommie Jean  
Calloway and Barbara Jean Man-  
kins served punch.

For a short wedding trip the  
bride wore a two-piece suit of  
mocha beige shantung, with  
frosted brown accessories, a cor-  
sage from her bride bouquet.

The couple will reside in Com-  
merce, where both will continue  
their studies at ETSC.

Out of town guests included  
Mrs. W. C. Walls, Mr. and Mrs.  
Billy Lyles and girls, Mrs. Frank  
Comings, Mr. and Mrs. Bill  
Scott, Miss Bessie Scott, Mr. and  
Mrs. Ray Scott, Mrs. Sarah Phin-  
ney, Mrs. Essie Scott, Grover  
Scott, Watson Andrews, Mrs. Mary  
Phinney, Mr. and Mrs. W. H.  
Blythe and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry  
Smith, all of Mt. Pleasant, Mrs.  
Flora D. Lake of Kilgore, Mr. and  
Mrs. Ray Welley and children of  
Garland, Donald Easterling of  
Dallas, Mrs. James Wood of Al-  
bany, Larry and Felix Easterling  
of Mesquite and Billy Hightower  
of Dallas.

Talco P-TA First  
Meeting Sept. 8

Talco Parent-Teachers Associ-  
ation will hold its first regular  
meeting Thursday evening, Sept.  
8 at 7:30 p. m. in the school au-  
ditorium. All parents and teach-  
ers are urged to attend. The pro-  
gram will be "Getting to know  
our school and faculty." There  
will be babysitters for the con-  
venience of parents who have  
small children.

"Do Not Pick the Flowers" is  
a common sign in America's  
parks. But in Ireland they read  
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these flowers that they died with  
their roots on."

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tures. See Mrs. Rose Gart-  
man. t-29p

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cars; used tires. I buy anything  
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ry, seen on TV Queen for a Day,  
on display at the home of Mrs.  
John Gartman Aug. 26-27th, 9 a.  
m. to 9 p. m. Refreshments. t29p

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## CLARK FAMILY REUNION HELD SATURDAY

The Clark family reunion was  
held at Delwood Park in Mount  
Pleasant, Saturday night. A  
bountiful picnic lunch was serv-  
ed. Those enjoying the occasion  
were: Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Clark  
and son, Billy, Mr. and Mrs.  
James Clark and children, Mr.  
and Mrs. Buck Clark, Warren  
and Otis, Mr. and Mrs. Manuel  
Driggers, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis  
Wilson of Mt. Pleasant, Tilman  
Clark of Wichita Falls, Mr. and  
Mrs. Cliff Franklin and son of  
Naples, Mr. and Mrs. Howard  
Morris of Talco, Mr. and Mrs. J.  
D. Braggs, Mr. and Mrs. B. F.  
Morris and children, all of Gar-  
land, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. McMil-  
lin, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Owens  
and children of Grant Prairie.  
The Clark families attended  
the Gauntt reunion Sunday at the  
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James Grant

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said anything in 25 words or less.

### NOTICE MASONS

A regular meeting of Talco  
Lodge 1134 A. F. & A. M., will  
be held Monday night, Sept. 5,  
at 7:30 p. m. for any business to  
come before the lodge. Members  
are asked to be present and visit-  
ing Masons welcome.  
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FRIDAY - SATURDAY

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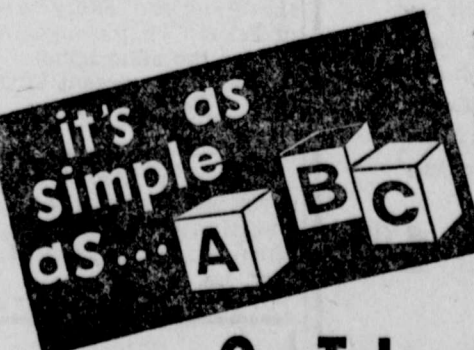
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## LOCAL NEWS

**MRS. NORA WILLIAMS**  
Local Reporter  
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Joe Kirl entered Memorial Hospital Wednesday.

Mrs. Bill Hill of Clarksville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Butler, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Horn of Atlanta, visited their son and family, Friday.

Judy McConnell of Talco, spent Sunday thru Tuesday with Margie Moore in Bogata.

Mrs. O. F. Stevenson honored Mr. Stevenson on his 74th birthday with a supper recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smith visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Austin at Bonham, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley A. Guinn of Lubbock, visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kirl, Marilyn and Jan, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam McConnell and children of Snyder, visited in the W. V. McConnell home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Lewis and Brenda spent the week end with her father, George Rogers of Maud.

Miss Louella Clay underwent surgery at a Dallas hospital the past week. She is reported improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Williams visited Mr. and Mrs. Hobby Johnson of Texarkana, Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Kaylor accompanied Mae Kaylor to Waco Friday, where she will attend a beauty school.

Mr. and Mrs. George Keeling spent Thursday with Mrs. Georgia Sullivan and other relatives in Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Butler and Mr. and Mrs. W. V. McConnell visited Mr. Butler's father in Clarksville, Sunday.

Mrs. M. R. Vowell and son, James of Waco, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Watson and Joe Riley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stewart and Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Hendrix visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Lightsey and children, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. White, Lucy, Billy and Elnor at Houston the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Showes, Howard and Paul of Odett, visited Mr. and Mrs. Dave Neely Wednesday till Friday.

L. B. Kaylor visited J. T. Goodroe in Pittsburg hospital, Sunday. Mr. Goodroe underwent surgery the past week.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Watson and Barbara Davidson were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Davidson Jr. of Deport.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kent of Corsicana, spent the week end with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Carroll.

Robert McConnell of Seymour, spent last Wednesday night with W. V. McConnell on his way to college at Oxford, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill D. Williams and Debra of Mt. Pleasant, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Worthington, Tuesday.

Mrs. Ed Paxton and her mother-in-law of Henderson, spent Saturday with Mrs. Paxton's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Tapp.

Mrs. C. B. Presley, Patsy, Ronnie and Cecil spent Tuesday and Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. C. W. Hedges of Kilgore.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Gandy spent the week with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Robinson, Linda and Gary at Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Weatherall and son, Jay, Robby Rogers visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Maywold of Gilmer, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Whitten and children of Dallas, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Whitten and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Jones, Mrs. Lucy Walls and Mrs. Gene Smith attended services at the Hagansport Church of Christ the past week.

Mrs. Jerry Ray Hood and son, Scott of Andrews, visited Mr. Hood's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hood and Janie, the past week.

Mrs. Fred Sapp and son, Fred of Start, La., spent the week with Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Brock and boys. They returned to Louisiana, Sunday.

Mrs. J. O. Merritt spent the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Biles. Mr. and Mrs. Merritt returned to Australia the first of October.

Mrs. O. F. Stevenson and son, Robert, spent the week end with Mrs. Stevenson's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Pierce at Warren, Ark.

Miss Ermadine Walls visited relatives and friends in Naples Thursday till Monday. Mrs. E. J. Lewis of Naples visited Miss Walls Tuesday.

Miss Ermadine Walls is in Houston to be with her mother, who entered a sanitarium there three weeks ago. Miss Walls will return home Friday.

Mrs. J. A. Haley, Miss Evelyn McDonough and Mrs. D. J. Smelley attended WMU House Party Monday till Thursday at Baylor University at Waco.

Mrs. Elizabeth Tapp returned Sunday to Edcouch, where she will teach in the 1960-61 school term, after spending the summer months at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Westbrook of Clarksville, Mrs. Jessie Davis and Miss Elizabeth Allums of Bogata, visited Mrs. Inez Tidwell and Miss Alice Ruth, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Lewis and Mike moved to Atlanta the past week. Talco regrets to lose these good people. They have lived in the Gieger apartment 16 years.

Mrs. Jo White of Shreveport, La., spent the week with her father, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Dickerson. Mrs. White left Monday for Amarillo in the interest of a school.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Martin spent Monday till Wednesday with relatives at Henryetta, Ok. Danny Martin returned home with them after spending three weeks in Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Pinkston and daughter visited W. V. McConnell at Talco Saturday. Saturday night visitors were Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Harville and Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Moore of Bogata.

Mrs. Herbert Kelley and Mrs. Mattie Eberts were called to attend their mother, Mrs. Nan Neugent at Rufe, Okla., Thursday. They brought their mother back to Talco Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Watson of Tunica, Miss., Mr. and Mrs. Fred Watson and daughter, Dorothy of Yerington, Nev., visited Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Watson and Joe Riley, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Bertis Yates of Baton Rouge, La., spent the week end with his father, J. A. Yates and his sister, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Kaylor. Mr. Yates returned to Baton Rouge with his son for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cogburn visited their son, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cogburn and girls of Magnolia, Ark., Sunday. Sandra and Donna returned home with their grandparents for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Zack Henley and sons of Dallas, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Henley. Carol and Gail returned home after spending two weeks with their brother and family.

Elton Welch visited his brother, Orvis Welch, who is seriously ill in a hospital in Ft. Worth, Friday till Sunday. His son, Duane Welch of Daingerfield, accompanied his father home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thornton of Artesia, Calif., announce the arrival of a daughter August 31, weighing 7 lbs. 14 ozs. Grandparents are Mrs. Myrtis Thornton of Bogata and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Smith of Talco.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Bennett Jr., Jerry, Ricky and Ronnie of Pasadena, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bennett. Mr. and Mrs. Troy Bennett of Overton, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bennett, Sunday.

Mrs. R. T. Fuller and daughter, Mrs. Bill Miller and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gray of Greggton, Monday. Billy Terry accompanied them home after spending the week here with Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Fuller.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Mathews and sons, Stevie and Ricky of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Burns, Ricky and Elaine of Irving and Charles Sullivan of Mt. Pleasant, visited Mr. and Mrs. George Keeling, Sunday.

Mrs. Bill Watkins of White Oak, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Neely. David and Donald Watkins returned home with their mother after spending the week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Neely.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Neely visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Simpson, Stevie and Glenda at their home in Longview, Sunday. They report Stevie doing fine. He was brought home from Galveston hospital Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Smith and son, Jessie, returned home Tuesday after spending a month with their daughters, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Jones, Sharon and Ronnie, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thornton and Terry of Norwalk and Artesia, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Frye left Friday to spend a week's vacation at Texarkana Lake at the Kelley Creek landing, and report a large catch of bass. Relatives at a fish fry Sunday at the lake were Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Lewis and Mike of Atlanta, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Lilly of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Lewis and Brenda, Mrs. Ray Taylor, Dorothy and Tommy of Redwater, and George Rogers of Maud.

The home of Virgil Savage (colored) and all contents were destroyed by fire Friday at 1 p. m. The Talco Fire Department was called, but the flames had gained too much headway to save anything. The fire caught from an oil stove.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rhodes announce the arrival of a son, Sunday, Aug. 28 at the Lebonman Hospital in Commerce. He weighed 9 lbs. 5 ozs. and as named Michael Jay. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bennett of Talco, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Rhodes of Royce City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Welch and Adele Hanson of Tyler, honored their daughter-in-law and daughter, Mrs. Duane Welch and Mr. Welch and children with a birthday dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Welch, Sunday. Other guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Welch were Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Redfearn, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bradley and Betty Pearl, all of Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Brown and children of Hooks, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Evans of Tyler, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Goss of Mt. Pleasant and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sanders, son and daughter of Tyler, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Brown, over the week end. They also attended the 89th birthday of their grandmother, Mrs. Nora Brown at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Brown, Sunday.

Mrs. H. F. Teague accompanied her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joda Nelson, Neva Jo and Debra, home to Nashville, Ark., and spent the week end. Saturday they all drove to Little Rock and attended the pro football game between the Dallas Texans and the Denver Roosters. The Scrapper Bells of Nashville, Ark., of which Neva Jo Nelson is a member, performed at the half time.

Times Want Ads Pay.

## Shrine Convention At Texarkana

A long and colorful street parade, initiation of novices, entertainment for the ladies, and a big dance will highlight the Shrine's ceremonial Saturday at Texarkana.

Shriners from Arkansas and Northeast Texas will start converging Friday for the spectacular ceremonial and initiation set for all day Saturday. Heading the delegation from Talco is Dr. Ellis L. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Brock and boys have returned home from a three weeks' vacation visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Marshall of Jackson, Miss., and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brock of Kilgore, and relatives in Monroe, La. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dick and son of Delhi, La.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Stewart and Shannon visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Farris Brown, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stewart over the week end. They were en route to Canton, Miss., to visit a friend, Ted Gowdy. Shannon is spending the week with the Browns and Stewarts.

The fellow who plays second fiddle usually has to listen to a lot of chin music.

## My Neighbors



"If anybody calls regarding broken windows, Pop, I'm taking the Fifth."

## Hanson-Hardeman Rites Read Friday

Roger D. Hanson of Bogata and Miss Mary Jo Hardeman of Annona, were united in marriage in a ceremony Friday at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. Hoyt Brinlee of Saltillo.

Attending the couple were Mrs. Frank Tyer, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Roberts. A reception was held at the Roberts home following the rites, with refreshments served to the wedding party.

Mrs. Hanson is a teacher in Queen City school, and will spend her week ends at Bogata, where the couple will make their home.

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## Alcorn Figures Way to Prove Nobody Knows What's Going On in Congo

Editor's note: Achin Alcorn, philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Sulphur tries to prove a point about foreign affairs this week, and he may have succeeded.

Dear Editor: More and more, it's getting clear that an ignorant man hasn't got a chance to keep up with what's going on in the world, and sometimes I have my doubts about the educated ones.

For example, day after day lately there's been a lot of news out of the Congo, but my opinion is that the news is being received in newspaper offices by men who don't know what it is, dressed up with headlines by other men who don't know what it is, and printed and passed on to readers who don't know what it is.

Take this headline I read in a newspaper last night: "UN Entry Okayed by Tschombe. Lumumba Move Is Opposed by Kantanga Chief." The article underneath went on to talk about Premier Moise Tschombe, Premier Patrice Lumumba, Prime Minister Gaston Eyskens the mid-African Ruanda Urundi trusteeship, Kamira military base, the fighting in Kari and on the western shore of Lake Tanganyika.

It also mentioned dissatisfaction among the Kynacke tribes,

an appeal to the U. N. by Premier Jynkasi in the Congolese province of Leonitus, etc.

All right, you get the idea. Now I'd like to make a test. I'll bet a subscription to this newspaper against a subscription to the New York Times, a fairly even bet, that if you take this letter to any high school or college teacher you can find, he can't correctly identify all these names and places listed above in connection with the Congo.

If he can't, how's an ordinary newspaper read like me going to get to first base with it? What base did you get to?

And also, if you want to stretch the fun out, after this educated person has riddled with these names awhile, let him in on the fact all the names mentioned in the fourth paragraph of this letter are made up out of thin air. There ain't no such names or places. The names in the other paragraphs are genuine, taken right out of a news article, but I just made the others up. Yet I still bet some perverse editor could insert them in a news dispatch out of the Congo and not over fifteen people in the world, outside of the Congo, would ever catch on. This includes Congressmen, Senators, Cabinet members, and probably some Presidential candidates.

Yours faithfully, A. A.

## Hospital Cuts Prices. For "Do-It-Yourself"

Summit, N.J.—Patients get cut-rate hospital charges when they check into the do-it-yourself wing of Overlook Hospital.

They wear street clothes, eat meals in the cafeteria and pick up their own medicine at nurses' stations. Such self-help makes it possible to reduce to two—from five—the number of nurses on duty. The patients' daily room rates are reduced by 50 per cent.

### THUMB FUN

"What's that piece of cord tied around your finger for?"

"My wife put it there to remind me to post a letter."

"And did you post it?"

"No, she forgot to give it to me."

Some old-fashioned mothers who can remember their husband's first kiss now have daughters who can't remember their first husbands.

## CAMP FORD HELD YANKEE PRISONERS

In northeast Texas, near Tyler in Smith County, you can see the site of an old Confederate Prison Camp Ford, where 2,000 to 6,000 Federal prisoners were held from 1862 to 1865. Major General Richard Taylor and his Confederate troops attacked the invading Federal forces of General Banks and imprisoned thousands at Camp Ford. This battle ended all Federal attempts to invade Texas.

### A FOUR-LETTER WORD

A professor at a Western college always introduces his course in Shakespeare with these words: In this class, ladies and gentlemen, you will meet with some earthy four-letter words regarded as not quiet proper in mixed groups. One of these words you must learn to accept and live without embarrassment. I refer to the good old Anglo-Saxon word, w-o-r-k.

## JOHNTOWN

By MRS. G. A. VAUGHAN

Miss Billie Ruth Bain, visiting her sister, Mrs. John Wayne Horn and Mr. Horn in Dallas the past week, returned home Thursday.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Burl Duffie and Jean, Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Potter and daughter of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. "Boots" Roberts of Johnstown, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Burns and children of Bogata.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dodd and children, who have been in Ashdown, Ark., all summer on a timber job, moved to their home here Friday to enter the children in school Sept. 1. Mr. Dodd will continue the job in Ashdown, spending week ends with his family.

Francis Foster has been employed on a carpenter's job in Wilkinson community the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Thomas and children of Ardmore, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Vaughan and children of Angleton, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Vaughan and Mary Ann. Sunday visitors included Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Vaughan and children of Tyler and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bell and children of Rosalie.

Mrs. Burl Duffie and Mrs. Jim Hervey were business visitors in Clarksville, Saturday.

Mrs. Irene Pew, accompanied Mrs. John Hervey to Talco, Monday for medical attention. While there they visited Mrs. T. W. Smith and Mrs. Vivian Westbrook.

Born to Mrs. Jacky Watson, Saturday, Aug. 27, a daughter who was named Virginia Loydean, weighing 6½ lbs., in a Mt. Pleasant hospital.

John Wayne Horn and Charles Sport of Dallas, visited relatives here Saturday.

Mrs. T. B. Boyd and Billy, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Loyce Boyd and children in Dallas this summer, returned to their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Allums and daughter of Mesquite, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Watts and Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Vaughan and children of Angleton, visited her grandmother, Mrs. J. A. Watts, Monday, before leaving for their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jones and children of Bogata, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Black, during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lowry and Janie visited the C. J. Pratts at

## Unidentified Girl Buried at Prescott

Prescott, Ariz.—A community that knew her only in death sorrowfully buried an unidentified little girl last week.

In a voice choked with emotion, Dr. Charles Franklin Parker of the Congregational Church told more than 70 residents attending the service:

"Somewhere, someone is watching to learn what happened to a little girl left on the desert. If there has been a misdeed, probably a quitted conscience will go on and on."

The tot was found half buried in the Arizona Desert south of Prescott July 31. She is believed to have been between 6 and 8 years old, but her identity and cause of death remain a mystery.

A campaign for funds to provide a decent burial was spearheaded by Dave Palladin, an announcer at Prescott radio station KYCA, and the girl became known as "Little Miss Nobody."

But a card on her small casket bore this inscription:

"God's little child, date of birth unknown, date of death unknown."

Grapevine from Wednesday until Sunday.

Mrs. D. A. Baxter visited her sister, Mrs. T. W. Smith and daughter at Talco Tuesday and Wednesday.

Jimmie Bruce of Abernathy, visited his cousin, Jim Pirtle and Mrs. Pirtle, Thursday, en route to Mena, Ark., to visit his mother, Mrs. Mattie Neal, ill at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Dodd and daughter, formerly employed in Ashdown, Ark., returned to their home here Friday.

Mrs. W. L. Wicks reports last news from her son-in-law, Jimmie Nored of Graham, a patient in a hospital there after suffering a heart attack, was some improved. Three small children of the Noreds are here with their grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Williams and children and Mrs. D. A. Baxter visited in the C. V. Morris home in Daphny, Sunday.

Mrs. T. W. Smith and daughter, Mrs. Vivian Westbrook of Telco, visited Mrs. D. A. Baxter, Saturday.

Isn't it peculiar that the human brain begins to function from the moment you are born, improves as you grow older, then stops completely when you stand up to talk?

## Paris Jr. College Opens Sept. 8th For Fall Term

Paris Junior College will open its doors to students for the thirty-seventh year on September 8. Pre-registration has been underway since August 22 and will continue until September 8. On September 8, all new students are required to be at the college at 9 a. m. for a full day's orientation. Night classes at the college will hold registration Monday evening, September 12 at 7 p. m.

College officials are preparing for a large increase in enrollment this year. All indications point in that direction. Last year's enrollment was 567 students from eight states and 35 counties.

The physical plant of the college has had a thorough going-over this summer. Many repairs and a great amount of painting has been done. The painting of the main building is underway at the present date.

The physical plant is in tip-top condition to accept both new and former students. The total acreage of the campus and the college farm has increased to 347 acres.

Primary purpose of the school is to give two years of college training to students who plan to continue their work for academic professional degrees in institutions of higher learning.

PJC's secondary purpose is accomplished by providing courses for those who want training in professional fields such as watch making, watch repair, jewelrycraft, upholstery, shop mechanics and vocational and practical agriculture.

Paris Junior College attributes its success to two things—small well-supervised classes, and it modern, and completely equipped one and one-half million dollar plant.

Scholarship credits at PJC are accepted in any college or university in the United States. The college is a member in good standing of the Texas Education Agency, the Texas Association of Colleges and Universities, and

the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools, the highest affiliation possible for a junior college.

Headed by Dr. J. R. McLemore, who is serving his 33rd year as administrative head of the college boasts a large and well qualified faculty.

Faculty members elected to teach this coming year are: Jack Bankhead, Business Administration; Mrs. Minor Reavis, Business Administration; Mrs. Earl Bethel, Physical Education; John Max Brown, Physics and Mathematics; Boyd Converse, Physical Education; Mrs. Dean Fuller, English; Rev. L. J. Dobish, Bible; Harold Gore, Music; Frank Grimes, Chemistry; Mrs. Charles Hickman, History; James Jeter, Engineering and Industrial Education; Mrs. Bill Jones, Home Economics; Hugh King, Social Science; Miss Mary McCrary, Biology; Dr. J. R. McLemore, French; Dean Burton Mason, Education; Wilson Norris, Business Administration; Miss Marijo Oliver, Speech; James Self, Physical Education; Miss Rena Smith, Mathematics; John Starks, Agriculture; Mrs. Charles Thielman, Librarian; Ralph Webb, Journalism; Mrs. Louis Williams, English; Mrs. Max Williams, Spanish; and Mrs. Alan Wise, English.

Mrs. Francis Jennings of Avery, is the new Kendall Hall girls' dormitory, supervisor. Mrs. L. C. Johnson is assistant to the Dean-Registrar and Mrs. Harry Griffin is assistant to the Business Manager.

### COMPARISON

The two tramps were stretched out on the green grass. Above them was warm sun, beside them was a babbling brook. It was a quiet, restful, peaceful scene.

"Boy," mused the first tramp contentedly, "right now I wouldn't change places with a guy who owns a million bucks!"

"How about five million?" asked his companion.

"Not even for five million," drawled the first tramp.

"Well," persisted his pal, "how about ten million bucks?"

"The first tramp sat up. "That's different," he admitted, "Now you're talking real dough!"

At today's prices women's hats are no longer a laughing matter.

## BUFFALO TRACKS AT COLORADO, TEXAS

"Seven Wells" was the last watering hole for the buffalo and their tracks still are imprinted in the sandstone rock. This old watering hole is known for its scenic beauty and its seven natural unfailing fresh water wells. It used to be an old Indian camp but now is a popular picnic ground. The "Seven Wells" are located 7 miles southeast of Colorado in North West Texas' Mitchell County.

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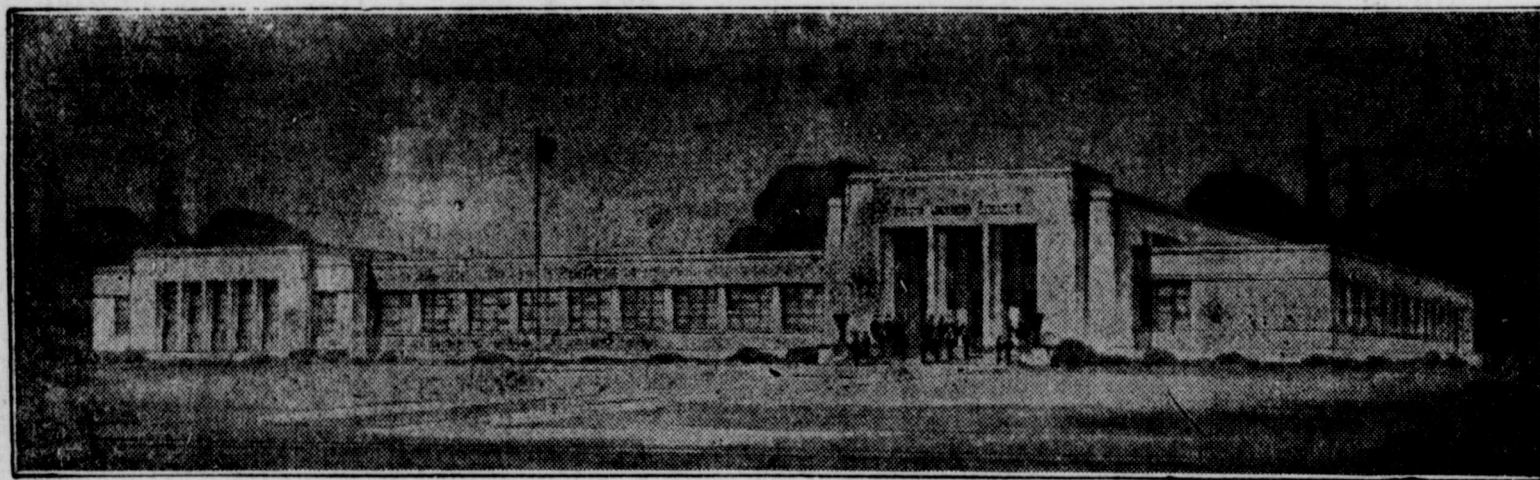


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|------------------------------------------------------|----------|------------------------------------------------------|----------|
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| Text Books (approximately)                           | \$20.00  | Text Books (approximately)                           | \$15.00  |
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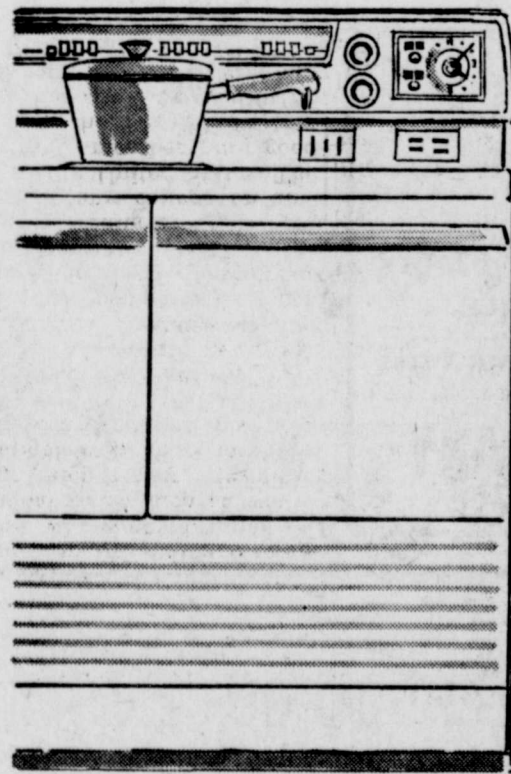
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