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Titus County Asks To Be Included In Drought Area

Titus County has asked that it be included among the drought stricken counties in Texas, and that livestock and dairy producers be made eligible to participate in an emergency food program.

Members of the Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation Committee of Mt. Pleasant, W. W. Grisham, J. T. Rust, W. T. Simms, and Lewis Mullenix have written to the State ASC committee setting forth the reasons why Titus County should be included.

The livestock and milk producers are facing a shortage of grain concentrates and forage due to extended unfavorable weather conditions during the 1954 crop year.

For the first seven months of 1954 Titus County received 11.70 inches of rain less than the five year average.

Faintfall for February, March and April was 9.78 inches less than normal. Rainfall for June and July totaled 2.09 inches or 4.47 inches less than normal.

Extreme heat added to the injury of low rainfall. Due to lack of rainfall producers were prevented from getting crops planted.

Crop estimates as of August 1, 1954 show a range from 33 1-3 to 90% under normal.

Titus County cattle population is estimated at 23,100 beef cattle and 6,250 dairy cattle.

Sullivan Home is Destroyed by Fire

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sullivan was completely destroyed by fire last Friday. Only a few articles of clothing were saved. The fire originated from a kerosene refrigerator, which was being filled by Charles when the tank overflowed and caught fire.

The Talco Volunteer Fire Department has been kept rather busy this week answering grass fire calls. Most of them were set by trash burning. Everyone should be very careful in burning their garbage outside, as this is a very dangerous time of year, grass and weeds being so dry and water scarce.

Jimmie Turner and R. A. Henderson fished at Lake Bistineau, La., Tuesday and Wednesday.

Name All-Stars From Four Clubs Little League

By LON JONES

On Monday night the managers and other officials of the Paluxy Little League met and selected the All-Star team, consisting of sixteen players. The Yankees placed five men on the team, as did the Cubs, whereas, the Cardinals placed four and the Green Sox two. Unanimous choices for the All-Star squad were Philip Cox, Tony Anschutz, Vernon Smith, Donnie Screws, and Jere Parrish.

All Star Team

Pos.—Name—Team
Catcher—C. W. Frye, Cubs.
1b—Pete McGee, Yankees
2b—Philip Cox, Cubs
3b—Virgil Jones, Cardinals
ss—Billy Don Medlin, Cardinals
OF—Vernon Smith, Cubs
OF—Gerald Martin, Cardinals
OF—Don Guess, Green Sox
OF—Kelly Case, Cubs

Util Inf.—Handy Stansell, Yanks
Pitchers—Donnie Screws, Green Sox; Jere Parrish, Cardinals; Otis Harris, Yankees; Bill Brown, Yankees; Reggie Thompson, Cubs

Thursday night a game was played between an all star team from the first and fourth place teams and an all star team from the second and third place teams. The game was played too late to get the box score and story, but the write-up will be in next week's Times.

Final standings of the clubs follow:

	W	L	Pct.
Yankees	11	7	.611
Cubs	9	9	.500
Green Sox	9	9	.500
Cardinals	7	11	.389

Child Breaks Leg On Friday, 13th

Friday, the 13th, will be a day long to be remembered for three year old Ronnie Clayton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Clayton of Minter.

It was on this date last week that a cook stove toppled over on Ronnie, breaking his right leg and ankle. It was reported the child was climbing upon the stove for a piece of bread, causing the stove to fall. He was carried to a Paris hospital where the break was set and was dismissed Monday.

The child's father has been in the hospital for nearly six weeks with a back injury.

Green Sox Slip By Cubs 5 to 4 Monday's Game

By ROBERT F. PARKER, JR.

Two errors in the bottom of the sixth inning Monday allowed the Bogata Green Sox to score two runs to grab a 5 to 4 decision from the Cubs. The win allowed the Green Sox to tie the Cubs for second place in the final league standing.

Case, the losing pitcher, pitched excellent ball as he struck out thirteen men and allowed only three hits. However, nine walks and five errors, two coming in the sixth inning, proved costly to him. Screws was the winner as he struck out ten, allowed six hits and walked only three with near perfect control.

The leaders at the plate for the Cubs were Case and Buchanan. Case had a single and a home run for three tries and Buchanan had two singles for three trips to bat. For the Green Sox, Guess had two singles for three at-bats.

CUBS	AB	H	PO	A
Black, 2b	1	0	1	0
Tietz, 3b	2	0	0	0
Thompson, 3b	1	0	0	0
Smith, cf	3	0	1	0
Cox, 1b	3	0	0	0
Case, p	3	2	0	0
Wright, lf	3	1	0	0
Perdue, ss	3	1	2	0
Buchanan, rf	3	2	0	0
Fry, c	2	0	13	0
	24	6	17	0

GREEN SOX	AB	H	PO	A
Guess, lf	3	2	0	0
Castelman, 1b	3	0	5	0
D. Screws, p	2	1	2	2
Eudy, c	4	0	10	0
Watts, 2b	1	0	1	1
Whitten, cf	2	0	0	0
G. Screws, 3b	2	0	0	0
Duffee, rf	3	0	0	0
Armstrong, ss	0	0	0	0
Watters, 6th	1	0	0	0
	21	3	18	3

*Two outs in sixth when winning run scored.

R—Black, Smith, Case, Perdue, Guess, D. Screws, Watts, Whitten, Armstrong, E—Black, Perdue, Tietz, Thompson, Fry, Watts, G. Screws, Duffee 2. RBI—Case, Buchanan, Guess. 2B—Perdue. HR—Case. SB—Smith, Fry. BB—Off Case 9, Screws 3. SO—By Case 13, Screws 10. Left—Cubs 8, G. Sox 9. Winner—Screws. Loser—Case.

Mrs. L. B. Davis was admitted to a Mt. Pleasant hospital on Sunday for medical treatment.

Deputy Marshal Assigned to Paris

Earl Brown has been assigned as Deputy United States Marshal for the Paris Division, Eastern District of Texas. He replaces Adolph Fischer, who retired earlier this year.

A native of Paris and son of the late John Brown, former sheriff of Lamar County, Brown has served as a deputy marshal since January, 1941. He served first with the Beaumont Division and then with the Tyler Division.

His new assignment will place him in Paris to cover the Paris and Sherman Divisions and assist with the Texarkana and Jefferson Divisions.

F.W. Haney Named OIIC Chairman Of Public Relations

F. W. Haney, Mt. Pleasant oil man, has been named Texas Oil Industry Information Committee chairman for Franklin and Titus counties.

Haney, American Liberty Oil Co., will guide the American Petroleum Institute's public relations and service program in these two counties for the next two years.

East Texas Area OIIC Chairman A. M. Ault, Premier Oil Refining Co., Longview, announced Haney's appointment.

The objective of OIIC is to make clear how well the people of the United States are served by the oil industry and to gain support for conditions under which they can continue to be privately managed, fully competitive and financially sound.

Haney will join the ranks of some 800 volunteer oil men in Texas to tell Oil's story to the public.

Analysis Shows Butane in Fatal Delta Cistern

Analysis of samples taken from a cistern in which two Delta County persons lost their lives July 30, showed the presence of butane gas. This apparently had seeped from a four-inch split in the supply line, located near the cistern, from the storage tank to the house.

A 13-year-old girl, Carolyn McCombs, and her uncle, Elmer McCombs, 60, were overcome and died before they could be gotten out of the cistern which they were helping to clean out, in the Cam Lake community near Klondike.

A representative of the state Bureau of Mines at Austin made the tests, which showed pure butane.

Green Sox Defeat Cardinals 22-8 Thursday's Game

By ROBERT F. PARKER, JR.

The Green Sox completely out-manned the Cardinals Thursday as they won 22 to 8. In rebounding from a 13 to 0 setback last Monday by the Yankees the Sox gathered 15 hits as they sent 52 men to the plate.

Eudy was the winning pitcher as he set the Cards down on four hits with four runs and three strikeouts in the first four innings. Screws pitched the last two innings, giving up four runs on four hits while striking out four. The Cardinals used four pitchers in an effort to stop the Green Sox batters, but Jones was the only one to prove very effective. Parrish was the loser as he gave up 12 runs on five hits in pitching three innings and facing three batters in the third. Clemmons and Medlin also had a hand in pitching chores in that disastrous third inning, when the Sox sent 14 men to bat with 10 scoring.

Leading the Card hitters were Medlin and Parrish. Medlin had two singles and a double for four at-bats and Parrish had two singles for four. All the Green Sox players hit well, but Duffee and Castelman were leaders. Duffee had three singles and a double for four and Castelman had three singles for five. Screws and Cruce both homered for the Sox.

CARDINALS	AB	R	H	E
Jones, 1b-p	3	1	1	0
Clemmons, lf-p	4	1	0	2
Medlin, ss-p	4	1	3	3
Parrish, p-lf-ss-lb	4	2	2	1
Funderburk, c	3	2	1	0
Parr, cf	3	0	1	1
Case, 3b	1	0	0	1
Gordon, 3b	2	0	0	1
Russell, 2b	3	1	0	0
Cole, rf	2	0	0	0
Slaughter, rf	1	0	0	0

GREEN SOX	AB	R	H	E
Guess, lf	4	5	0	1
Armstrong, 2b	0	2	0	1
Watts, 2b	1	0	0	0
D. Screws, ss-p	4	4	2	0
Eudy, p-c	4	3	2	0
Castelman, 1b	5	2	3	1
Duffee, rf	4	2	4	0
Cruce, cf	5	2	2	0
Mauldin, c	3	1	0	0
Legate, ss	0	0	0	0
G. Screws, 3b	4	1	2	1
	34	22	15	4

RBI—Armstrong, Screws 4, Eudy 4, Castelman 2, Duffee 2, Cruce 5, Jones, Medlin 2, Funderburk 2, Parr 3, 2B—Medlin, Funderburk, Parr, Eudy, Duffee, Cruce, G. Screws. HR—D. Screws, Cruce. BB—Off Parrish 3, Medlin 2, Screws 1. SO—By Parrish 2, Medlin 1, Jones 1, Eudy 3, Screws 4.

Second Producer Seen in Hopkins

Second completion was in sight Tuesday for the new faultline Paluxy sand pool three miles east of Birthright in Hopkins County opened by F. R. Jackson, Longview, and associates.

The operators' No. 2 Pearl Spencer, G. Linceum survey, northeast offset to the No. 1 discovery, was being rigged to pump after being swabbed at the rate of ten barrels of oil an hour from 4,760-62 feet. This would indicate production about like the discovery, good for 125 barrels per day.

In South Central Hopkins, W. L. Greer, Tyler, has leased 1,330 acres just west of Reilly Springs. Leases are for three years and were taken at \$5 to \$10 an acre. Tracts are in the Benjamin Merrill, J. S. Matthews, Helen Nelson, Thomas Norris, A. P. Thrasher, G. Jones and John Jordan

Shower in Honor Mrs. Earlene Miller

Mrs. Earlene Miller was honored with a pink and blue shower Friday at the city hall. She was presented a corsage of pink satin ribbon covered with tiny gold safety pins.

Pink fruit punch and cake squares were served from the serving table which was covered with a white cloth, centered with blue candles and pink and white garden flowers, surrounded with a variety of baby toys.

Fifteen guests registered and were served by the hostesses, Mmes. Jim Morris, Gene Smith, Boyd Horton, Buster Medlin and Nadine Caldwell.

Drouth Conditions Continue Here

Drouth conditions still prevail in this section as little rain has fallen in the last three months. Most pastures and grasslands have baked and burned to a golden brown under the hot sun and lack of moisture.

The cotton crop has been cut by the reduction of acres and the drouth. The high temperatures have caused bolls to open and the cotton harvest is expected to be in full swing in a short time.

One of the hottest summers on record has been experienced this year with the mercury registering 100 degrees or higher most of the time for the past several weeks. Monday's high at Cox Field, official weather station, was 102 degrees.

A good general rain is needed badly. Water supply in rural areas for home consumption and livestock is short, with some already hauling water for use.

Three Injured at E. Lamar School

Max Ballard is in a Paris hospital as a result of an accident at East Lamar School. While the agriculture teacher, Lee McEwin, and a group of boys were cleaning around the school ground, Max was burned on both arms.

Mr. McEwin, in trying to reach the boy and put out the flame, fell and broke his right arm. They were immediately rushed to a Paris hospital for first aid and treatment. Donald Wadley was also burned and carried to the hospital. All are out and about except Max, who is reported recovering nicely.

Comic Strips and Radio Gags



Although comic papers and near-comedians work overtime on crude, alleged jokes about drug stores selling everything but drugs, the chief interest of every pharmacist worthy of the name is the prolongation of life and the alleviation of suffering.

If we had to part with every department in our store but one, the one we would keep would be the prescription department. It is here that we are privileged to co-operate with your doctor in relieving your ills, in restoring health to you and the members of your family. This brings to us far more satisfaction than we could hope to enjoy from any other department of the store. Consider us your prescriptionists.

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In Washington

Things have been popping in Washington this week. A statement from President Eisenhower says Chinese Communists will have to run over the Seventh fleet if they try to invade Formosa. We doubt if they will try unless egged on by Russia.

Both Houses voted to make it a crime to be a communist. We should have had that law 20 years ago and our country would not now be honey-combed with them, some in high government jobs and many college instructors.

The House passed 208 to 47, a bill which permits Benson to set price supports anywhere from 82½ to 90 per cent on five basic crops—cotton, corn, wheat, rice and peanuts. Farmers are not going to like that and the president may lose his Republican congress in the November elections. Something had to be done about the great agricultural surpluses that have been piling up since price supports were inaugurated during the world-wide depression in the '30's.

Titus and Franklin counties have filed applications to be included in the drought relief for stockmen. Stockmen in Lamar and Red River are asking why such relief does not include these two counties.

Political Boss George Parr's income tax file now goes to a Federal grand jury. His Duval county in July voted 3,016 for Yarborough and 1,368 for Shivers. The governor, aided by Attorney General Ben Sheppard, have been trying to clean up rottenness in Duval since January. George Parr's henchmen don't like Shivers.

A letter from Col. B. Conn Anderson, U. S. A. retired, of Auburn, Ala., formerly of Deport, says he was very surprised and disappointed that a majority vote went against Gov. Shivers in Lamar and Red River counties in July. He should win on Aug. 28, he added. He says they have a terrible drought there—worse in 50 years and that most of Alabama is burned up so far as crops are concerned.

Another very substantial reason why this newspaper is supporting Allan Shivers for governor in the second primary, as we did in the first, is that a man's neighbors know him better than others. In the first primary Shivers carried his own voting box at Port Arthur 5 to 1 and his old family home box in Tyler county 11 to 1. He carried Travis county and the City of Austin, and carried Precinct 229—his opponent's home box—3 to 1. Yarborough has lived in Austin for many years while Shivers has spent parts of 5½ years at Austin. Yes, homefolks know much about a man, and that is the way they voted.

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EDITORIALLY SPEAKING

BURT LOCKHART
in Pittsburg Gazette

A lot of people wear out a heap of shoe leather standing up for their rights.

If you want a place in the sun, Bud, we know where you can get it—just step outside.

How many of the present generation ever saw a side saddle, buggy whip or an oil lamp?

Political honors do not always go to those who deserve them, but to those who can pay for them.

It takes something more than an argument to convince a man with a good case of neuritis that whatever happens is for the best.

A burglar entered a Tyler grocery store last week and got away with twenty-four boxes of black pepper. He believed in having plenty of "pep."

If it costs half a million dollars to elect a governor for Texas, as is indicated from estimates already in, who is paying for the job and what do they expect in return?

When we were young, birthdays didn't come along fast enough, but as we grow older we hate to see them come. Still we'd hate like the mischief for them to stop.

Many a man has been a target for criticism for no other reason than that he had made a success. The question arises, when did it become a sin to be a success? Maybe the politicians who are criticizing Allan Shivers because he made a successful real estate deal can throw some light on the subject.

This hot dry weather has caused some of the older folks to recall the time many years ago when a meeting was held at Si-loam Church to pray for rain when it was desperately needed, says the Dahlonaga (Ga.) Nugget.

The brethren gathered at the church and had prayer, but nothing was said about rain.

After services, while those attending were standing around outside the church, one curious fellow asked the prayer reader why nothing was said about rain. "Wind was out of the north," he replied.

Milk is Powerful Sustaining Food

Milk is a powerful food. An 8-ounce glass gives you 167 calories. If America's 100 million adults were to drink a glass with breakfast tomorrow morning, human energy for the day would be enhanced by enough 'zip' to drive the Twentieth Century Limited from New York to Chicago 132 times.

This was the gist of a talk before leading milk distributors of New York City by Milton Hult, president of the National Dairy Council, Chicago.

Hult said reports coming into his office from across the country indicate pronounced increases

in milk drinking. This trend may be partially in response to the coffee situation, he said. "People will be healthier and human activities enriched by added energy if adults will consistently follow the 'milk with breakfast' practice," Hult stated. Milk is an important source of protein, calcium, phosphorus, riboflavin, and other life-supporting nutrients.

IN HOMETOWN AMERICA



THAT GOOD OLD AMERICAN
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WILKINSON

By MARCIA BLALOCK
Miss Darlene Blalock of Princeton, La., returned to her home after a two weeks' visit with Miss Marcia Blalock.

Miss Mavis Dyke of Dallas, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dyke and children.

Albert and Jerry Riddle of Dallas, visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock, last week end. Jerry remained for a longer visit.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Blalock and sons of Mt. Pleasant, Martha, Charles, Jerry and Albert Riddle of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Clark and sons of Talco.

Mr. and Mrs. Devon Floyd and sons of Longview, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dee Floyd.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock attended the Gibson-Hodge wedding at Talco, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Newel Landrum of Mt. Pleasant, visited Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Dyke, Sunday.

Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock were Mr. and Mrs. Remus Burgin of Talco and Mrs. Dee Floyd.

Charles and Martha Riddle of Dallas, returned home after a four weeks' visit with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Blalock.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Huddleston and sons of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Brownlee and son, Danny,

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Shipp Jr. and sons of Mt. Pleasant and A-C and Mrs. Vernon Riddle of San Antonio, Mrs. R. E. Huddleston and Johnny Huddleston of Texarkana, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Harris.

Miss Marcia Blalock is spending two weeks with Miss Darlene Blalock in Princeton, La.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Blalock and daughters Sunday were Miss Darlene Blalock of Princeton, La., Martha Riddle of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Bankhead of Mt. Vernon, Jackie and Richard Haren.

Week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Jones were Mr. and Mrs. Vince Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Wilson and daughter of Argo, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Jones, Talco; Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Roberts of Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Jones of Palestine, spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Baxley of Mt. Pleasant, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Jones.

Miss Marcia Blalock accompanied by her guest, Miss Darlene Blalock, visited Mrs. Charlie Blalock and sons of Mt. Pleasant, Thursday.

Misses Dorothy, Darlene, Marcia and Alva Blalock, Jackie Haren and Lanetta Gentry combined a business and pleasure trip to Mt. Pleasant Tuesday.

Miss Wilma Counts of Argo, visited Miss Alva Blalock recently.

REMEMBERED

Sandy was feeling ill—very ill. He staggered off to find a doctor. At last a sign caught his eye—"J. M. Jones, M. D." And below it was the legend "first visit \$5.00—subsequent visits \$3.00." Into the office went Sandy, and with out-stretched hand moaned, "Well, well, Doctor Jones—here I am again."

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YOUR HOME TOWN NEWSPAPER

Shower in Honor Nelda Martin

A miscellaneous shower was given Monday at Humble recreation hall for Miss Nelda Martin, bride-elect of Ken Williams of Sulphur Springs.

The following were hostesses: Mrs. Nadine Cadwell, W. A. Thurman, Leoma Barton, Riley Gibson, Drue Matlock and Miss Marie Reed, who presented the bride-elect with an electric percolator. The refreshment table was pink, overlaid with a lace table cloth, centered with a pink gladioli spray. Pink angel food squares, decorated with white rosebuds, and punch were served to Mmes. E. W. Burks, Bob McClung, J. M. Martin, A. E. Foster, Ed Nugent, C. H. Dickinson, Jim Morris, Milton Bolin, Frank Sloan, Lyndon Reed, M. J. Spruill, L. L. Reed, J. E. Cox, T. G. Temples Jr., Verna Blalock, Richard Miller, Sallie Gage, Miss Betty Thurman and Nelda Jones.

Those who sent gifts were Mmes. Donal Berry, Frances Blalock, Mary Madden, J. P. Parrish, Harold Trimble, W. E. Welch, J. R. Sloan and Wanda, Lucille Perkins, Ida Welch, Lorena McFerrin, S. A. Tidwell, Ernest Watson, Jim Nelson, Harold Bonham and Georgia Jones, A. C. Waddell, R. R. Kelley, Roy Farrar, Carolyn Hale, Clarence Smith and Monie, Sammie Burton, Alice Teague, Tilda McAfee, P. P. Hendrix, Wanda Vickers, L. B. Davis, Glen Gauden, Hilda Norwood, Mary Kelley, F. J. Wright, Tex Lee and Earlene, Rosland Hopwood, F. A. Jones, J. O. Blakely, Jean Loftin, Jack Winn and Jackie, Charley Worden and Bonny, A. T. Biles, Marvin Owings, Felix Jones, J. A. Davis, Troy Lewis, H. M. McMasters, A. F. Bowman, Charles Busselle, Jerry Jones, Shirley Frugia, R. J. Rosson, P. O. Wilhite, James Gray, T. T. Kinsey, Fred Whitten Jr., J. Lee Smith, Byron Williams, Miss Jimmie Lou Smith, Sally Dale, W. A. Thurman, George Barber and L. B. Davis.

I am a driver, so are you; you be careful and I will too.

Announcements

Second Primary, August 28, 1954:

For Sheriff—
AUBREY REDFEARN
PAUL D. BROWN

NOT AN APPEAL

The pastor of an impoverished parish in the hills wrote often to his bishop for aid, until the bishop demanded an end to such appeals. For a time, there was no correspondence, and then one day the bishop received a letter, saying:

"This is a report, not an appeal. I have no pants."

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH BROTHERHOOD MEETS

Brotherhood of the Calvary Baptist Church met Friday night with 10 present. V. L. Taylor, Brotherhood president, expressed his desire for other church members to be present for fellowship, interesting programs and prayer. The coming election for new officers of the Royal Ambassadors was discussed and passed upon. R. T. Fuller, program chairman, brought an interesting discussion on "Marks of a Good Church Member." Scripture reading and devotional brought by Rev. Joe Denton. Others having parts were C. H. Parsons, W. S. Welborn, Chas. Russell and P. A. Miller. Dismissed with prayer by Chas. Russell.

CHANGE IN BUS SCHEDULE

Effective: August 1, 1954.

PARIS — MT. PLEASANT

Read Down	P. M. A. M.	Read Up	A. M. P. M.
1:45	7:30 Lv.	Paris, Texas	Ar. 11:35 4:35
2:00	7:45	Pattonville	11:20 4:20
2:10	7:55	Deport	11:10 4:10
2:15	8:00	Rugby	11:03 4:05
2:22	8:07	Bogata	10:55 3:58
2:29	8:14	Johnstown	10:45 3:51
2:38	8:23	Talco	10:35 3:42
3:05	8:50 Ar.	Mt. Pleasant	Lv. 10:15 3:15

Leaving Deport 7:55 a. m. and 2:10 p. m. direct connection at Mt. Pleasant with Longview, Tyler, Lufkin, Beaumont, Houston.

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Sport Model Wire		
Wheels, 53-54 Models	\$79.50	\$47.50
Chrome Wheel Discs, 53-54 Models	\$19.75	\$10.95
Tail Pipe Extensions, All Models	\$ 3.25	\$ 2.00
Chrome Front Fender, Grille Guard And Rear		
Fender Guard (Set) 54 Models	\$52.50	\$26.25
Chrome Front Grille Guard, 53 Models	\$13.50	\$ 4.95
Cigarette Lighters, 53-54 Models	\$ 2.95	\$ 1.75
Chrome Outside Mirrors, All Models	\$ 3.15	\$ 1.85
Non-Glare Rear View		
Mirror, 53-54 Models	\$ 3.95	\$ 2.35
Hood Ornaments, 53 Models	\$ 7.50	\$ 3.75
Rear Fender Skirts, 53-54 Models	\$16.00	\$ 9.50
Ash Receivers, 53-54 Models	\$ 2.00	\$ 1.00
Chrome Front Fender		
Shields, 53-54 Models	\$ 6.75	\$ 4.00
Right Hand Sunvisors, 53-54 Models	\$ 5.50	\$ 3.00
Outside Sunvisors, 53-54 Models	\$22.00	\$12.50
Matching Horn, Pick-ups and Trucks	\$ 6.25	\$ 3.25
Spotlight & Mirror, 53-54 Models	\$21.95	\$12.95
Windshield Washer, Pick-ups - Trucks	\$ 7.25	\$ 4.00

53 and 54 Model Seat Covers, 2-Door and 4-Door

Plastic	\$38.75	\$19.50
Fiber	\$27.50	\$13.50

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TEXAS FARMERS' INCOME RUNS AHEAD OF RECEIPTS IN 1953

Austin.—Texas farmers' cash income pushed ahead during January-to-June of this year over a like period a year ago despite declining crop prices.

That was the summary Saturday by the Bureau of Business Research at the University of Texas of the current Texas farm income situation.

Reports to the bureau indicated that during the first six months of this year farm income was 9 per cent ahead of the same six months last year. Income totaled more than \$703,500,000, a gain of \$58,129,000 over last year.

Increased revenues from cotton and cattle were primarily responsible for the over-all increase. Income from cotton was up 35 per cent to \$150,800,000, while cattle income gained 22 per cent to \$196,700,000.

Some other commodities had higher percentage gains, such as 115 per cent from peanuts and 42 per cent for grain sorghum.

Several declined. Only cottonseed, down 39 per cent, had more than a 20 per cent loss. Income from fruit and vegetables was off 20 per cent, and milk products 1 per cent.

Prices received by Texas farmers during June dropped 6 per cent below May, and for the six months were down an average of 3 per cent from a year before.

Crop prices were down 4 per cent with the largest decline being 25 per cent in vegetables. Other decreases also included 12

per cent for food grains, 8 per cent for feed grains and 3 per cent for potatoes and sweet potatoes. No change was noted in the prices for cotton and fruit.

Prices paid for meat animals in June were down 7 per cent from May but still 3 per cent above June, 1953. Virtually all of the month-to-month change resulted from a 12 per cent decline in prices paid for meat animals.

Except for some areas receiving heavy June rains, the livestock situation got worse as range and livestock feed deteriorated drastically in parts of Texas during May.

Marketing was heavy and livestock prices dropped significantly, said the bureau, "and some fear was expressed that continued heavy marketing would drop values to the low levels of a year ago."

Of all Texas crops, the bureau reported cotton withstood the adverse weather conditions best. Growth was most favorable in North and Northwest Texas. Growth of cotton in the dry lands of Central Texas reached a standstill and heavy shedding was reported.

During June, the bureau reported, the outlook for the 1954 vegetable output dropped below previous estimates. But the total estimated production of all crops remained about 16 per cent above the 1953 total and 26 per cent above the average of recent years.

The George West, Texas, courthouse lawn holds a mounted Longhorn in a glass case. It is the last Longhorn steer of the great West herd.

It is easy sometimes to get people to listen to you. Pull yourself up to their ear and whisper.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 14 proposing an amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto a new section, to be known as Section 52-b, prohibiting the Legislature from ever lending the credit of the State, or granting any public money, or in debt, or otherwise, to any individual, person, firm, partnership, association, corporation, or agency, or political subdivision of the State, now authorized, or which may be authorized to construct, maintain, or operate toll roads, or turnpikes within this State; and providing for the submission of the amendment to the voters of this State.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new section, to be known as Section 52-b, which shall read as follows:

"Section 52-b. The Legislature shall have no power or authority to in any manner lend the credit of the State or grant any public money to, or assume any indebtedness, present or future, bonded or otherwise, of any individual, person, firm, partnership, association, corporation, public corporation, public agency, or political subdivision of the State, or anyone else, which is now or hereafter authorized to construct, maintain or operate toll roads or turnpikes within this State."

Section 2. The foregoing amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on November 2, 1954, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon, or in counties using voting machines such machines shall provide for the following: "FOR THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT proposing the Legislature from lending the credit of the State or granting public money to, or assuming any indebtedness of, any one authorized to construct, maintain, or operate toll roads or turnpikes in this State."

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment prohibiting the Legislature from lending the credit of the State or granting public money to, or assuming any indebtedness of, any one authorized to construct, maintain, or operate toll roads or turnpikes in this State."

Each voter shall mark out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment; and if it shall appear from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast are in favor of said amendment, the same shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Section 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 37 proposing an amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto another Section to be designated Section 51g, providing that the Legislature shall have the power to pass such laws as may be necessary to enable the State to enter into agreements with the Federal Government to obtain for proprietary employees of its political subdivisions coverage under the old-age and survivors insurance provisions of Title II of the Federal Social Security Act as amended; providing that the Legislature may appropriate funds for the purpose of carrying out such agreements and may authorize the necessary provisions to obtain such coverage; prescribing the form of the ballot; providing for the proclamation and publication thereof.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be and the same is hereby amended by adding another Section thereto following Section 51f, to be designated Section 51g, to read as follows:

"Section 51g. The Legislature shall have the power to pass such laws as may be necessary to enable the State to enter into agreements with the Federal Government to obtain for proprietary employees of its political subdivisions coverage under the old-age and survivors insurance provisions of Title II of the Federal Social Security Act as amended. The Legislature shall have the power to make appropriations and authorize all obligations necessary to the establishment of such Social Security coverage program."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1954, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"FOR the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to provide for agreements between the State of Texas and the Federal Government to obtain Federal Social Security coverage for proprietary employees of its political subdivisions."

"AGAINST the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the Legislature to provide for agreements between the State of Texas and the Federal Government to obtain Federal Social Security coverage for proprietary employees of its political subdivisions."

Each voter shall scratch out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed Amendment. In counties or other subdivisions using voting machines, the above provisions for voting for and against this Constitutional Amendment shall be placed on said machine and each voter shall vote on such machine for or against the Constitutional Amendment.

Section 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Rodgers and Monty went to Gilmer Monday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Smart.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tietz and Sidney returned last week from vacationing in Houston and Baton Rouge, La.

Mr. and Mrs. Hosea Elkins of Fayetteville, Ark., are here this week visiting their son, Lew Elkins and family.

T. J. Strickland, formerly of Cisco, has come to make his home here with his niece, Mrs. M. J. Pendleton and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nelson and Ronnie and Mrs. W. W. Taylor toured southeast Oklahoma on Friday, Madill and Lake Texoma.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kinnington of Gilmer, spent Tuesday and Wednesday with their daughter, Mrs. Raymond Martin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stewart and daughter, Genevieve, went to Gladewater Friday to visit his brother, M. H. Stewart and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tietz, Sidney and Mrs. G. N. Anderson went to Athens, Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McNeill.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Rhoads and girls of Winnsboro, were in camp Monday to visit the G. M. Burnhams and other former neighbors.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Orr and girls, Gay and Lydia, went to Henderson for the week end to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Orr.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Hendrix and daughter, Mrs. Verna Mae Blalock, went to Valley Mills and Waco Sunday to visit relatives and friends.

Gale Burnham and daughter, Bobby Gail, went to Homer, La., on Friday to visit his mother, Mrs. C. C. Burnham. Bobby Gail remained for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Loftin had as their guests on Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bradshaw and Mrs. Berta Wade of Gilmer and Charley Leak of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Mitchell and Dianna Beth accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Harley Mitchell of Gladewater, spent the week end at Narrows Dam in Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Nelson of Picton, came Friday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nelson and to carry the men's mother, Mrs. W. D. Taylor of Kerens, who has been visiting here, home with them for a visit.

W. B. Taylor of Hosston, La., came on Friday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Trimble. They all went to Daingerfield on Sunday afternoon to visit Mr. and Mrs. Marion Trimble, Phil and Monty.

Visiting in the J. D. Funderburk home this week are Mrs. Funderburk's uncles, A. S. Williams of Bastrop, La., and Mr.

and Mrs. C. W. Collins of Kilgore. The Collins also visited Mr. and Mrs. Luther LeMay.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Dickerson and Stan went to Big Sandy on Sunday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Dickerson. His mother was in Big Sandy hospital, following surgery on Saturday, but is reported doing fine.

The Little League Cardinal baseball club was entertained on Thursday night with an ice cream and cake party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lew Elkins with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Funderburk and Mr. Mrs. Charley Russell as co-sponsors.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Cain, Douglas and Judy returned on Monday from two weeks of vacation, visiting in Winters, Midland and also went thru Carlsbad Caverns, sightseeing in the Davis Mountains and San Antonio, and visited relatives in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Hooks had as their guests from Sunday thru Thursday, their nieces and nephews, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Birdwell and son, James of Silsby and Mrs. Harold Leigh of Cleveland, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Thornton and Nancy and Mr. Thornton's mother, Mrs. Ed Thornton of Beaumont.

Mr. and Mrs. Odie Gibson and Don returned on Sunday from vacationing with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gibson in Henderson, his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. Holt in Jena, La., fishing on Cross lake and a visit with Mrs. Gibson's father, J. E. Nevelle and other relatives in Big Sandy.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Pendleton had as their guests over the week end their children and their families, Mr. and Mrs. David Pendleton of Gonzales, Mr. and Mrs. Muri Pendleton, Gladewater, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Jones and two sons of Longview and Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Poarch and two girls of Mt. Vernon. Other guests were Bro. and Mrs. Joe McAfee of Troy.

Guests in the Riley Gibson home over the week end to attend their daughter, Helen Ruth's wedding to Larry Hodges of Dallas, were Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hodges, Miss Mary Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. George Beckham of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Knight, and Donna Sue of Ft. Worth, Bill Hodges of Los Angeles, Calif., and Mrs. Gibson's mother, Mrs. J. S. Holcomb of Mt. Vernon. Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hodges entertained the families with a wedding rehearsal dinner at the Alps Cafe in Mt. Pleasant on Friday night.

Fix your eyes on just one spot and you will wind up where you're not.

If you just can't wait and must pass on a hill—at least take time to make a will!

Martha King Will Marry Glenn Seitz



Postmaster and Mrs. Walter King of Bogata, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Martha King, 3508 Throckmorton, Dallas, to Glenn Seitz, 3307 Douglas, also of Dallas.

Mr. Seitz is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Seitz, Mobeetie.

The wedding will take place in Dallas on Sept. 25.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Paris Junior College and Baylor University and is a member of Epsilon Sigma Alpha and the Realtors' Secretaries of Dallas.

Mr. Seitz is a graduate of Oklahoma A&M College.

THAT SOFT SPOT

She: "I'll always have a soft spot in my heart for you."

He: "Then let's get married."

She: "I said a soft spot in my heart—not my head."

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 16 proposing an Amendment to Section 19 of Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas to provide that the qualifications for service on grand and petit juries shall not be denied or abridged by reason of sex; providing for an election and the issuance of a proclamation therefor.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Section 19 of Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as hereinafter to read as follows:

"Section 19. The Legislature shall prescribe by law the qualifications of grand and petit jurors; provided that neither the right nor the duty to serve on grand and petit juries shall be denied or abridged by reason of sex. Whenever in the Constitution the term 'men' is used in reference to grand or petit juries, such term shall include persons of the female as well as the male sex."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1954, at which election all ballots shall have written or printed thereon, or in counties using voting machines, such machines shall provide for the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment to require women to serve on juries."

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment to require women to serve on juries."

Each voter shall cast his vote for or against such Constitutional Amendment either by marking out one of said clauses on the ballot and leaving the one expressing his vote, on the proposed Amendment, or by placing an "X" in an appropriate blank by the side of the clause on the ballot expressing his vote; this latter method to be used in all instances where voting machines are used; and if it shall appear from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast are in favor of said Amendment, the same shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Section 3. The Governor of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and shall have notice of same published in the manner and for the length of time as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

Boil and bubble — wreck and rubble—he didn't see—the tracks were double.

To drive home takes skill—both in baseball and an automobile.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 5 proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas permitting the Legislature to fix the salary of the Governor, Attorney General, Comptroller of Public Accounts, Treasurer, Commissioner of the General Land Office and Secretary of State; providing that such salary shall not be fixed in an amount less than that provided in the Constitution on January 1, 1953; fixing the per diem of the members of the Legislature at \$25.00 per day for 120 days only; providing for the submission of this Resolution to a vote of the people; and directing the Governor to issue the necessary proclamation.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Section 5 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as hereinafter read as follows:

"Section 5. The Governor shall, at stated times, receive as compensation for his services an annual salary in an amount to be fixed by the Legislature, and shall have the use and occupation of the Governor's Mansion, fixtures and furniture."

Section 2. That Section 22 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as hereinafter read as follows:

"Section 22. The Attorney General shall hold office for two years and until his successor is duly qualified. He shall represent the State in all suits and pleas in the Supreme Court of the State in which the State may be a party, and shall especially inquire into the charter rights of all private corporations and from time to time in the name of the State, take such action in the courts as may be proper and necessary to prevent any private corporation from exercising any power or demanding or collecting any species of taxes, tolls, freight or wharfage not authorized by law. He shall, whenever sufficient cause exists, seek a judicial forfeiture of such charters, unless otherwise expressly directed by law, and give legal advice in writing to the Governor and other executive officers, when requested by them, and perform such other duties as may be required by law. He shall reside at the seat of government during his continuance in office. He shall receive for his services an annual salary in an amount to be fixed by the Legislature."

Section 3. That Section 23 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as hereinafter read as follows:

"Section 23. The Comptroller of Public Accounts, the Treasurer, and the Commissioner of the General Land Office shall each hold office for the term of two years and until his successor is qualified; receive an annual salary in an amount to be fixed by the Legislature; reside at the seat of government during his continuance in office, and perform such duties as are or may be required by law. They and the Secretary of State shall not receive for their own use any fees, costs or perquisites of office. All fees that may be payable by law for services performed by any officer specified in this section or in his office, shall be paid, when received, into the State Treasury."

Section 4. That Section 21 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as hereinafter read as follows:

"Section 21. There shall be a Secretary of State, who shall be appointed by the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, and who shall continue in office during the term of service of the Governor."

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Holloway Opposes One of World's Richest Men Over Stolen Diamond

W. L. Moody Jr. of Galveston, is dead at 89 years. He amassed a fortune of 400 millions. His will bequeathed a quarter million to each of two daughters and he disinherited a son, leaving him a dollar. Most of his great fortune went into a foundation for a charitable, philanthropic and educational trust.

This editor had some business dealings with the man 22 years ago. Now that he is dead, we will tell the story. A diamond ring that cost \$500 was stolen from the editor's lock box at the Buccaneer Hotel at Galveston while he went swimming. Moody owned the hotel.

The hotel manager would give the newspaper man no satisfaction. He went to see Sheron Moody, another son, who has since died, and got no satisfaction.

He went to see his friend Louis C. Elbert, who later followed this writer as president of the Texas Press Association. Elbert managed the two daily newspapers in Galveston, but they were owned by Moody.

"The law firm that represents this newspaper also represents the hotel," Louis told us, "but I will be glad to tell Mr. Moody y are an honest, honorable man whose word is as good as your bond," he added.

This editor then spent eight days looking for a reputable law firm that would sue Moody for the value of the ring. Every one of them represented some Moody interest and would not take the case. Moody appeared to own and control nearly all of Galveston island.

Finally we found a law firm that would take the case. A lot of their business appeared to be opposing Moody, but they wanted to be sure they had a case, and that we had a reputation that would help them win it.

In inquiring about people we knew, he wanted to know if we were acquainted with Rufus Scott Jr. of Paris, now deceased.

There is a framed Certificate of Distinguished Citizenship, awarded by the Warren Teague Post of the American Legion of Deport for outstanding community service now hanging in our newspaper office and it is signed by my friend, Rufus Scott Jr., state commander of the American Legion, Department of Texas. Call him and let him tell you about me, we told the Galveston attorney.

"That is sufficient; we will take the case. I was a classmate of Rufus Scott at Austin. But settle it out of court if you can. Otherwise it will be repeatedly put off, causing several trips down here," he added.

We had often heard of the power of great wealth, but this was the first time for us to meet it face to face and head-on.

W. L. Moody Jr. would not see us to discuss the theft of the ring, so we returned home and started writing letters to friends who in turn wrote to him about us.

Finally he sent an investigator to Deport to check on us. We told Moody we didn't want money, but did want the ring replaced.

Finally a Dallas jeweler called us and said he had been instructed to send us a diamond ring. He did, but it did not have half the value of the one stolen. We wrote to that effect and refused to accept.

Two weeks later another arrived that was acceptable. That was four months after the ring had been stolen. But this shows how rich, powerful, influential men operate.

This story has a brighter ending. Two years later Moody interests were begging us to use our influence as president of the Texas Press Association to have the Association come to Galveston for its annual convention with headquarters at the Buccaneer. We first laughed at them, remembering the misery they had caused.

They promised to make up for the vacation they had ruined for us two years previous. Assured us they expected all along to replace the ring, but just wanted to be sure one was stolen.

We relented and they made good their promise. Gave us the finest suite in the hotel, with candy, fruit and flowers, and when we went to check out and pay our bill there wasn't any.

Meeting Moody in the lobby of the hotel during the convention he said:

"Holloway if you will sell your newspaper and come with us we will pay you a lot more money than you are now making. Frankly, you are the most persistent man I have encountered in a long time. We need men like you in our organization."

And he meant every word he said. Saturday morning he had Louis Elbert call us and invite us to his luxurious hunting and fishing lodge down the island for the week end, where we could get acquainted and talk things over.

The yacht trip down to his lodge and return and the entertainment and fishing would have been splendid and to learn something of the personality of one of the world's richest men would have been something, but we turned down both the offer of a job and the pleasure trip.

Elbert was aghast that we would refuse. To be offered a job and invited to Moody's retreat for the week end was something that just was not done.

We did maybe foolishly, but we are still a country editor who thinks and writes as his conscience dictates and we "yes" no man—never have and never will.

We have known for many years there was much more in life than the accumulation of money, and we were not going to give up our liberty of thought and expression to write for a man whose obsession was the accumulation of wealth.

in action in France, according to the War Department.

Earl M. Lide, chairman of the Titus County War Finance Committee, had given final figures for War Loan drive showing an overall purchase amounting to \$540,545.50, with the quota being only \$490,000.

Miss Dorothy Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson and Pvt. M. L. Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tillman Brown, had been married; Miss Evelyn Whitney and Miss Gylene Pinkston had married J. E. Hall and Duard Hall in a double ceremony in Mt. Pleasant.

Mrs. Bob Miller, 72, had died following a short illness; Sonya Nell, one-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Kennedy, had died; Mrs. A. L. McCormick had died, with burial at Greenville.

A daughter, weighing 8½ pounds had been born to Mrs.

WANT ADS

Rates: 3 cents per word first insertion; 2 cents per word each additional insertion. No ad accepted for less than 50 cents per issue. Terms cash unless you are a regular advertiser in this newspaper.

FOR SALE—Thirty second-hand doors. L. S. Peaden, Bogata, dbt

PLUMBING Supplies, bathroom fixtures. L. S. Peaden, Plumber, Bogata, dbt

FOR SALE—1941 Ford in good condition, \$175.00. Jimmy Gullion, Bogata, 127b43

FOR SALE—Set good used bath room fixtures. L. S. Peaden, Bogata, dbt

1950 FORD Custom 2-door. Completely reconditioned. Glenn Clayton Motors, Deport, db-tfc

STRAYED—Small white faced bull calf from my pasture southwest of Pattonville, S.C. Short, 29c

FOR SALE—Business house and lot, east side street at Bogata. Dave Puckett, Bogata, 30-dbt-p

FOR SALE—Hollywood half bed, complete, also new 25 gallon Butan bottle. See Mrs. Autrey Sikes, 28-p

WHEN you think of photography, think of Bob Mucklow. The Mart Home Furnishings, Clarksville, Texas, d29b44t28

FOR SALE—My home in Talco. See F. J. Wright at Wright Cleaners on Broad street, Talco, Truman Wright, t-fc

1951 Chevrolet 2-door Fleetline. Sparkling black color; runs good. Excellent condition. Kelsey Motor Co., Deport, dbt-tfc

IT'S A BEAUTY—1 practically new 4-piece poster bedroom suite, \$10 down, \$5 month. The Mart, Clarksville, d29b44t28

SEE James Grant for granite or marble stones. Guaranteed workmanship and quality. Priced from \$45.00, including erection of stone, t-fc

WE have installed a new Folley automatic saw sharpener. It files a saw perfectly. J. P. Parrish, Phone 23F-3, FM Highway 71, Talco, 28-dbt

FOR SALE—Aluminum broiler house to be moved or with large lot. Sewerage, water, lights available. Dave Puckett, Bogata, 30-dbt-p

1950 Chevrolet 4-door Fleetline; radio, heater, seat covers. Nice appearance. Good condition. Priced right. Kelsey Motor Co., Deport, dbt-tfc

FOR SALE—1951 Chevrolet 2-door Deluxe. Nice appearance; good motor and tires. Priced right. A nice car to own. Kelsey Motor Co., Deport, dbt-tfc

HELP WANTED—The Deport Times has an opening for veteran to learn the printer's trade and newspaper business. He can get excellent training on the job for five years and good salary for that length of time in co-operation with the government and The Deport Times. If interested, apply immediately in person. The Deport Times, dbt

Estell Gaddis and had been named Barbara Ann.

Raymond Lewis, weight 10 pounds, had arrived at the Ralph Smith home; a daughter had arrived at the H. E. Worsham home at Athens. She had been named Melba Jane.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones had been notified that their son, Pvt. Bobby Jones, was missing in action.

Mrs. Gertie Morris and David Baxter had been married by Rev. Pruitt in Talco.

Miss Geneva Teague and T-Sgt. Joda Nelson had been married in the chapel at Camp Grant, Ill.

Pfc. Bobby D. Jones of Bogata, was reported missing in action in France.

Births: Son to Mr. and Mrs. Eual Wickersham of Deport; son

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 19 proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas by repealing Section 2a of Article VI and by amending Sections 1 and 2 of Article VI so as to confer the privilege to vote upon members of the regular establishment of the United States Army, Navy, Marine Corps, or Air Force, or component branches thereof who are otherwise qualified electors, and so as to limit voting by persons in the military service of the United States to the county in which the voter resided at the time of entering such service; providing for submission of the proposed amendment to the qualified electors; providing for proclamation and publication by the Governor.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 2a of Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be repealed and that Sections 1 and 2 of Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

"Section 1. The following classes of persons shall not be allowed to vote in this State, to wit:

"First: Persons under twenty-one (21) years of age.

"Second: Idiots and lunatics.

"Third: All paupers supported by any county.

"Fourth: All persons convicted of any felony, except such exceptions as the Legislature may make.

"Section 2. Every person subject to none of the foregoing disqualifications who shall have attained the age of twenty-one (21) years and who shall be a citizen of the United States and who shall have resided in this State one (1) year next preceding an election and the last six (6) months within the district of county in which such person offers to vote, shall be deemed a qualified elector; and provided further, that any voter who is subject to a poll tax under the laws of the State of Texas shall have paid said tax before offering to vote at any election in this State and hold a receipt showing that said poll tax was paid before the first day of February next preceding such election. Or if said voter shall have lost or misplaced said tax receipt, he or she, as the case may be, shall be entitled to vote upon making affidavit before any officer authorized to administer oaths that such tax receipt has been lost. Such affidavit shall be made in writing

and left with the judge of the election. The husband may pay the poll tax of his wife and receive the receipt therefor. In like manner, the wife may pay the poll tax of her husband and receive the receipt therefor. The Legislature may authorize absentee voting. And this provision of the Constitution shall be self-enacting thereof, or in the military service of the United States, may vote only in the county in which he or she resided at the time of entering such service so long as he or she is a member of the Armed Forces."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendments shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at the General Election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1954, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the amendment of Sections 1 and 2 of Article VI of the Constitution of Texas so as to confer the privilege to vote upon members of the regular establishment of the United States Army, Navy, Marine Corps, or Air Force, or component branches thereof, who are otherwise qualified electors; and so as to limit voting by persons in the military service of the United States to the county in which the voter resided at the time of entering such service; and for the repeal of Section 2a of Article VI of the Constitution, which now permits qualified electors in military service to vote without payment of a poll tax in time of war."

"AGAINST the amendment of Sections 1 and 2 of Article VI of the Constitution of Texas so as to confer the privilege to vote upon members of the regular establishment of the United States Army, Navy, Marine Corps, or Air Force, or component branches thereof, who are otherwise qualified electors; and so as to limit voting by persons in the military service of the United States to the county in which the voter resided at the time of entering such service; and for the repeal of Section 2a of Article VI of the Constitution, which now permits qualified electors in military service to vote without payment of a poll tax in time of war."

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

HIS HANDICAP Little Bobbie: "Aw, I could walk that tight rope as well as the girl in the circus if it wasn't for one thing."

Little Jimmie: "What's that?" Little Bobbie: "I'd fall off."

to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Frye of Talco.

Second Democratic primary was scheduled that week and run-off candidates were making last appeals to voters thru this newspaper.

Shanghai Pierce, a giant Texas cattleman known for his unusually loud voice, could stand on the front porch and below orders to the men at work at the cattle pens, a mile away.

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Mrs. H. D. Roach Buried Monday

Mrs. H. D. Roach, 65, widow of a Bogata physician, died Sunday at 7 a. m. in Red River County Hospital in Clarksville. She had been ill about three weeks.

The funeral was held at 4 p. m. Monday at Menely Memorial Presbyterian Church in Bogata, conducted by the pastor, Rev. Joe Everheart. Interment was in Bogata Cemetery. Raymond Judd Jr., ministerial student, assisted in the services.

Named pallbearers were these nephews: Paul Wood, Carl Wood, Lawrence Wood, Russell Grant, Frank Griffin, Hugh Griffin, Aleck Griffin and Earl Grogan.

Mrs. Roach leaves a daughter, Mrs. William Rozell, Bogata; three grandchildren, and two sisters, Mrs. May Bell, Bogata, and Mrs. Emma Wood, Rugby. She was a niece of James W. Grant of Hugo, Okla.

Formerly Miss Fannie Florence Grant, daughter of the late George W. and Frances Ellen (Scarf) Grant, she was born at Rugby, July 22, 1889. She attended school there and also Trinity University, then at Waxahachie. She was married to Dr. Harley D. Roach at Rugby, April 17, 1913, and had lived since then in Bogata. She was a member of the Presbyterian Church and Presbyterian Woman's Council.

A son, 1st Lt. Donald Roach, was killed during World War II in 1943. Another son died in infancy.

Among out of town people attending the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cawthon, Mrs. Eva Nance, Mr. and Mrs. Seaman Roach, Tom Roach of Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bishop and daughter, Penne of Grand Prairie, Mrs. Dave McConnell and children, Patty and Johnnie of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Carlton of Cleburne, Mrs. Harold Robinson, Denton; Mrs. Loyd Combs, Whitesboro; Frank Roach, Austin; Gaylord McCluer, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Harvey, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Dunn and daughter, Sara, Roston; Mrs. Iva Jeffus, Mrs. John Roach, Mrs. Glenn Clayton of Deport; Mrs. Paul Griffin and daughter, Anne of Dallas;

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 10 proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas creating the State Building Commission and determining the membership thereof; creating the State Building Fund; providing for the surplus in the Confederate Pension Fund to be transferred annually to the State Building Fund; providing for the expenditure of such fund under the direction of the Legislature; providing for the expenditure of a limited amount of the building fund for the erection of memorials under certain conditions and limitations; providing for an election thereon, the proclamation of such election, and the form of ballot.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas shall be hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 61-b and reading as follows:

"Section 61-b. (a) The State Building Commission is hereby created. Its membership shall consist of the Governor, the Attorney General and the Chairman of the Board of Control. The Legislature may provide by law for some other State official to be a member of this Commission in lieu of the Chairman of the Board of Control, and the Governor shall be confirmed by the Senate as such State official he shall be so confirmed as a member of the State Building Commission in the same manner that other State officials are confirmed.

"(b) The State Building Fund is hereby created. On or before the first day of January following the adoption of this amendment, and each year thereafter, the Controller of Public Accounts shall certify to the State Treasurer the amount of money necessary to pay Confederate pensions for the ensuing calendar year as provided by the constitution and laws of this State. Thereupon each year the State Treasurer shall transfer forthwith from the Confederate Pension Fund to the State Building Fund all money except that needed to pay the Confederate pensions as certified by the Controller. This provision is self-enacting. The State Building Fund shall be used for the purposes and purposes set forth in subdivision (c) hereof.

"(c) Under such terms and conditions as are now or may be hereafter provided by law, the Commission may acquire necessary real and personal property, survey and dispose of property unsuitable for State purposes, modernize, remodel, build and equip buildings for State purposes, and negotiate and make contracts necessary to carry out and effectuate the purposes herein mentioned.

"The first major structure erected from the State Building Fund shall be known and designated as a memorial to the Texas soldiers who served in the Armed Forces of the Confederate States of America, and shall be devoted to the use and occupancy of the Supreme Court and such other courts and State agencies as may be provided by law. The second major structure erected from the State Building Fund shall be a State office building and shall be used by whatever State agencies as may be provided by law.

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"Under such terms and conditions as are now or may be hereafter permitted law, the State Building Commission expend not exceeding thirty (30%) percent of the monies available to it in any year, for the purpose of erecting memorials to the Texas who served in the Armed Forces of the Confederate States of America. Said memorials may be battlefields or other suitable places or without the boundaries of this State. The authorization for expenditures for memorials herein mentioned shall cease December 31, 1955.

"Under such terms and conditions as are now or may be here

LOCAL NEWS

By MRS. O. B. HOPWOOD
PHONE 1608 or 79

W. T. Lewis has been admitted to a Paris hospital.

Miss Pat Adams of Emery, is visiting Miss Barnell Stevens.

Mrs. Billy Joe Vickers, school secretary, is taking a week's vacation.

Mrs. J. L. Gandy entered a Paris hospital the first of the week.

Lank Easterling Jr. was admitted to a Mt. Vernon hospital on Wednesday for medical treatment.

Oscar Milton Elliott, 7 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Elliott, has been dismissed from a Paris hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bonham and Mrs. C. E. Jones were in Dallas Monday buying merchandise for the store.

The Talco Easter Star chapel observed Robert Morris day with a family style picnic at the Humble lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Autrey Sikes have moved into their home in East Talco. He has been employed in Longview.

Don Spruill and Miss Erwylen Brown of Freer, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Spruill.

Mr. and Mrs. Cline Oakleaf of Longview, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tension, Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dickinson and son of Naples, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Dickinson, on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Wright and children of Kilgore, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wright.

Mrs. Lillie Campbell of Houston and Mrs. Fannie Williams of Daingerfield, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Harris, Sunday.

Jack Lynn is the name given to the 4 lb. and 8 oz. boy born to Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Verble at a hospital in Mt. Pleasant on August 16.

Chief Petty Officer Ezra Clark, Mrs. Clark and two children of Rhode Island, visited his brother, R. L. Clark and family the week end.

Mrs. E. O. Frye, Mrs. Roy Primm, Mrs. Nora Williams and Wanda spent Thursday in Longview with Mr. and Mrs. James Cain.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Frye Jr. returned to El Paso on Saturday, after a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Frye Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Frye Sr., accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Frye Jr. of El Paso, visited Mr. Frye's father, W. A. Frye and family in Wister, Okla., on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Drue Matlock left Tuesday for California to visit their daughter, Mrs. C. W. Perry and Mr. Perry and to get acquainted with their new twin grand babies.

Out of town visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Morgan last week were Mr. and Mrs. Smiley Morgan, Willie and Eunice Skidmore, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Deuvall, Mr. and Mrs. Parker, all of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clemmons and four sons visited Mrs. Clemmons' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bradley and her sister, Mrs. Johnny Whitten and family in Bridgeport, Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Gieger left Monday with their son, L. L. Gieger and family of Tyler, for a week in Colorado. They visited their daughter, Mrs. Ray Mathery and family of Burkburnett enroute.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Miller and children, Linda and Ray, returned Sunday from a week spent on the coast with Mrs. Miller's brother, R. T. Fuller Jr., and wife at LaMarque, Galveston and Houston.

Dr. Wilbur Crenwelge, senior student at Galveston Medical Center, was a recent guest in the Craddock home. Dr. Crenwelge has been connected with the staff at Mt. Vernon hospital through the summer.

On the move this week: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lindsey moved into the house vacated by P. C. McPherson, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Shoffner moved into the house vacated by Robert Giddens, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Newsome are in the house formerly occupied by Coach McGill, Mr. and Mrs. William Upchurch have moved into the Newsome house.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Farris left Saturday on a three weeks' vacation. They will attend a Farris reunion at Alva, Okla., during the week end and then on to Colorado. They were accompanied by Miss Joan Smith.

P. A. Miller and son, Jerry Ray, went to Henderson on Wednesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Claude King. Mrs. Miller and son, Billy, who had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. King for several days, returned home with them.

Vickey Gene Rollins of Longview, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rollins, for a few days. Miss Shirley Ann Harris, a senior in Baylor University School of Nursing in Waco, is home for a four weeks' vacation.

Miss Marie Reed, Mrs. John D. Wright and Jeep Hargrove left Friday for New York to meet Miss Mary Ann Hargrove, who has been touring Europe this summer. She will arrive in New York on Aug. 17 aboard the Queen Elizabeth.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Miller had as guests last week end her brother, Lee Williams and family of Jones, La. Mrs. Miller and son, Billy, accompanied them to Henderson, where they visited their sister, Mrs. Claude King and Mr. King. Mrs. Miller remained for a few days.

Hollis Lindsey of Mathis, arrived Thursday of last week to visit his grandfather, Tom Cunningham and children. Wednesday, Mrs. V. L. Taylor had Hollis, his brothers and Janice for the day. Thursday all the Lindsey boys went to Gilmer to the home of Pete Taylor for the day with Mikie Lindsey.

J. T. Rollins and son, Jimmy of Big Spring, and V. G. Rollins and daughter, Vickie Gene of Longview, visited their grandfather and great-grandfather of Minden, La., John I. Rollins. It was a special occasion for Jimmy and his great-grandfather as they met for the first time. They were also visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rollins, their parents and grandparents, recently.

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LOCAL NEWS ABOUT BOGATA

Paul Dill spent Tuesday in Dallas, buying merchandise for the store.

Mrs. W. D. Harvey of Dallas, is spending several days at her home here.

Opal Bryant was able to return home from the Red River hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lee visited last week at Merkel with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Lee.

Mrs. John Roach is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kirby at Sulphur Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Choate of Mineola, visited his brother, Joe Choate, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Reed of Talco, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gus Wimmis.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Legate of Fulbright, visited his brother, O. L. Legate, Sunday.

Mrs. Johnny Blankenship of Mt. Pleasant, spent Thursday in the Will Thompson home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Andress of Gilmer, visited Mr. and Mrs. Britt Lassiter, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Simpson of Houston, were guests Thursday of Miss Jimmie Lou Smith.

Mrs. Homer Hobbs underwent surgery at a Clarksville hospital on Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Ike Fennell is recuperating at home following surgery at Red River hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wells of Dallas, visited Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wimmis over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Simpson of Houston, visited Bob Damron on Thursday in a Paris hospital.

M-Sgt. Dick O. Ray, Ben Ray and Mrs. Britt Lassiter made a business trip to Tyler Friday.

Mrs. Charlie Summers is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Stogner and family in Odessa.

Mrs. L. R. Wright of Fulbright, visited her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. K. R. Wright of Houston, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Dye of Clarksville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Britt Lassiter Saturday night.

Mrs. W. L. Cone of Winnsboro, is the guest of Mrs. Verna Beaton, Joe Choate and Deresa Joe.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Byers and daughter, Jane, spent the week end in Nashville with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Varner of Garland, are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Ballard.

Sherrill King of Bogata, visited her aunt, Mrs. Raymond Nixon at Deport over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Craven visited Mrs. Thelma McAllister in Irving and Mrs. Ila Bolin in Dallas.

Mrs. L. G. Farris and children of Gilmer, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wilkinson.

Mrs. Vollie Monroe has returned home after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Thames, in Ft. Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Weakley of Texarkana, spent the week end with his sister, Mrs. I. J. Collins, and Mr. Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hazelwood and Cheryl Ann of Terrell, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Nora Allums.

Visiting Mrs. John Roach at Joliet were her children, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gibbs and Mrs. Nathan York of Amarillo.

Mike and Eddie Clifton of Deport, were guests Thursday night of their grandmother, Mrs. W. W. King and aunt, Ruth King.

Mr. and Mrs. John Van Coats and children, Kay, Ken and Shelia of Arlington, visited relatives and friends over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jones and family of Sonora, visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jones in Bogata and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Black.

Bill Chatman of the Chatman Ranch, visited Rev. Raymond Judd Jr., at Bogata last week end in the home of Mrs. H. C. McCluer.

Mrs. Joe McCarver and daughter, Mrs. I. R. Awfricht of Rusk, are visiting Miss Tom Underwood and Mrs. C. C. DeBerry in Bogata and friends in Annona and Paris.

Mrs. C. G. McMinn of Paris and Mrs. Gene McFall and children of Ft. Worth, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russ Ward, Saturday.

Mrs. Jaurez Jordan and Mrs. Hester Roberts attended their niece, Maxine Landrum, seriously ill in a hospital in Texarkana, Sunday.

Max Farris returned to his home in Gilmer Sunday after spending several days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wilkinson.

Mrs. Anna Gifford and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Gray were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Gray and Mrs. Mattie Gray in Valliant, Ok., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bishop and daughter of Grand Prairie, spent the week end with their mothers, Mrs. Virginia Bishop and Mrs. Ola Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. Noel Myers and daughter, Jackie, returned to their home in Austin Friday after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Drew Hancock. Mrs. Hancock accompanied them home, but will return to Bogata Sept. 1, Sept. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Lowry and Janie of Boxelder, and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. DeBerry spent several days at Beavere Bend, Okla., on an outing.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Childers and daughter, Melba, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bell and son, Leon, visited Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Jackson at New Boston, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilson and son, Mike of Sherman, were guests last week end of Mr. and Mrs. Denton Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Williams.

Mrs. Raymond Fennell left Sunday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Billy Skidmore and family in Odessa and to make the acquaintance of a new granddaughter.

Mrs. Neva Weete returned to her home in Dallas after spending two weeks in Bogata, visiting her brother and sister, Gordon Allen and Mrs. Roy Gullion and families.

Mrs. Linda Hancock left Thursday for an extended stay in Orange with her son, Kenneth Hancock and family. Kenneth came up Thursday to accompany his mother to Orange.



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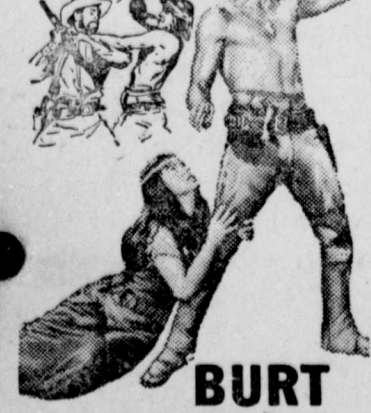
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Alcorn Wants Chance to Accept Plea Of Government for New Inventions

Editor's note: Achin Alcorn, philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Sulphur, is being swept off his feet by a news article, his letter this week reveals. Probably doesn't like to stay on his feet anyway.

Dear Editor: One of the best pieces of news I've ever read turned up out here yesterday in a copy of a newspaper which I had used to spread out on the ground under my tractor while I was working on it. I was tinkering with the crankcase when I glanced down and saw the headline on this article and since it was fairly shady where I was I just stayed stretched out under the tractor and read it, knowing there wasn't any danger of oil droppin on me as the crankcase has been empty since week before last when I drained it to get enough oil to drive my car to town, and in case I ever need to use the tractor, I'll switch it back. Never did believe in hoardin oil.

Accordin to this article, the government needs about 200 inventions to improve different phases of the armed services, and has sent out an emergency appeal to the American public, asking us to get busy.

That's just the kind of a job I've been lookin for, and I will accept.

With the government shy on inventions for the army and long on agricultural products, I can't see any sense in farmin in August, pilin up more surpluses and gettin the price support program so flexible it's limber-legged, and will get to work on this new assignment immediately.

I don't know what I can invent, but the hours and the workin conditions suit me fine and I got confidence the government will

treat me right in the way of a salary.

Workin with your brain beats workin with a tractor all to pieces. Doesn't take any lubricatin oil, no sharp turns at the fence row, ain't stirrin up any dust, ain't addin to the surplus, and you can do it stretched out under a tree in the shade.

Up to now, I've had difficulty convincin some people I wasn't loafin when I was out here on my farm hunched over in deep thought, recognizin that unless we solve the world problems there may not be too much point to farmin anyway, but with this new job of inventin, a whole lot less naggin ought to take place. If there's one thing an inventor needs, it's peace and quiet.

Yours faithfully, A. A.

THESE FUNNY PEOPLE

To a man with thinning hair who wanted it cut, the barber suggested a singe, at double the price. "Each hair is a tiny tube," he explained, "so that it sort of bleeds at the cut end, and it gets weaker every time your hair is cut. But singeing seals the end and the hair keeps its vigor."

"Then," asked the man, "can you explain why the hair on my chin is growing stronger all the time, although each hair has been cut off every morning for 2 years?"

"No trouble at all," said the barber. "You just ain't the kind of feller that story was made up to tell to."

TWO CHOICES

Two fleas went to the theatre one night and a rain storm came up while they were inside. When they got out, one flea said to the other, "Think we should call a taxi, or catch a dog?"

JOHNTOWN

By MRS. G. A. VAUGHAN

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hendrix Jr. of Washington, D. C., stopped over night with his grandmother, Mrs. T. H. Baxter and Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Baxter, Wednesday.

Mrs. D. A. Baxter left Sunday to accompany her son, C. V. Morris, Mrs. Dorothy Wood and two children to points in Colorado on a two weeks vacation.

Miss Eleanor Vaughan, who underwent corrective eye surgery Wednesday of last week, a patient at St. Joseph's Hospital three days, was brought to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Vaughan, Friday by her aunt, Mrs. F. M. Pew and Mrs. Robbie McCuller.

Miss Nelda Dodd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dodd, is spending the week with Nona Hawkins of Longview at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hawkins.

Linda Jo Dodd is spending the week with Bonnie Horn of Mineola at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Horn.

Rev. Henry Martin of Winnsboro, temporary pastor at the Baptist church the past month, resigned Sunday.

Glenn Arnold, who has spent the summer vacation with his father, Elmer Arnold and family, returned to Houston Sunday to the home of his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Pirtle, Myra and Vance, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hawkins, Doug, Nona and Cheryl, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Dryden and Charles of Longview, spent the week end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Baxter, who have visited two weeks at Corpus Christi, returned home Friday, accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. H. E. Hawkins, Mr. Hawkins, Kay and Roger, who left Sunday on the return trip home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Vaughan of Bogata, spent Sunday with his brother, G. A. Vaughan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ward and son, Sammy Joe, visited Sunday in the G. A. Vaughan home.

Mrs. T. W. Smith and Mrs. Elbert Westbrook were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Vaughan of Bogata Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hall and two daughters and Mrs. Marvin Garen of Dallas, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Vaughan, Saturday night and Sunday.

Lucian Humphrey was here Monday in the interest of his candidacy for commissioner.

John Wesley White and children of Ft. Worth, visited Mr. and

Mrs. E. V. Pirtle and other relatives here over the week end.

Visitors Sunday of Eleanor Vaughan included Mmes. W. J. Hawkins, Frank M. Pew, Francis Foster, Johntown, Mrs. M. H. Dryden of Longview, Wayne Blanton of Bagwell and James Thomas of Bogata.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rhodes over the week end were Mrs. Emma Upchurch of Houma, La., and Barney Summers of Paris.

Janice Carol, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Rhodes, was bitten and scratched by a stray kitten at her home the past week and the animal was killed and sent off for an examination for rabies. The report came back negative.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gibbs of Kress and Mrs. Nathan York of Amarillo, are visiting Mrs. John Roach. They all visited Mrs. Jim Kirby and family at Sulphur Springs, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pirtle and Fredrika visited Mr. and Mrs. Claud Kennedy and boys at Cunningham Sunday and enjoyed a deep sea fish dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy had just returned from a vacation trip to Houston and Freeport.

Mrs. John Parker, who has been visiting relatives in Goldenale, Wash., two months, returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Williams have torn their house down in preparation of building a new home on their lot north of town on U. S. Highway 271.

Wendell Hervey, in the U. S. Army and in Korea two years, has returned to the States and called his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hervey, Saturday night from El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Black Jr. of Ft. Worth, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wicks and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Black over the week end. He returned home Sunday. She remained for the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jones and son of Sonora, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Black this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Shoffner and daughter of Talco and Mrs. Kibb Lowry of Bogata, visited Mrs. T. W. Smith and Mrs. Elbert Westbrook, Monday.

Mrs. John Hervey left Friday for Houston to visit her daughter, Mrs. Connie Broch and family two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pope of Talco and Rev. Henry Martin of Winnsboro, were dinner guests of Mrs. Elbert Westbrook, Sunday.

Lives there a man with head so hard—he won't stop driving when he's tard.

Legate Dry Goods Observes Second Business Birthday

Legate Dry Goods store in Bogata is observing its second business birthday this week. Announcement of the event will be found in this newspaper.

Oscar R. Legate, owner and operator of the store, thanks friends and customers for the fine patronage it has enjoyed during its two years of business life and offers some outstanding values in honor of the birthday.

Stock of the new store has grown monthly and shelves and counters are loaded with standard brand merchandise for which there is a demand in the trade area.

Mr. and Mrs. Legate and Ruth Wood and Lucy Brown invite you to come in for a visit and see the new fall merchandise.

WHO WANTS WATER?

Many years ago a traveler pulled into a little western cow town and after he had registered at the local hotel, asked a native standing nearby about the liquor situation thereabouts.

"Liquor situation?" questioned the native. "I dunno what you mean."

"I mean, is there much liquor around these parts?" explained the traveler. "Is it easy to get? Do people around here drink much?"

"Waal, stranger," drawled the native, "all I can tell you is this—a little while ago they turned off the water for a week—and nobody found it out until Dave Castle's barn caught on fire."

GOOD PARKING PLACE

They now tell of the man who walked into the Cadillac showroom, picked out a snappy tan model, and plunked down the cash.

Salesman: "Shall we deliver the car, or would you like to drive it out now?"

Customer: "Oh, just leave it there. I'll never find as good a parking place again."

CHANGING TIMES

One day in algebra class the teacher added a minus 8 and a plus 10 and explained that it equaled a plus 2. One boy spoke up and said, "That's not right."

"It was when I went to school," replied the teacher with emphasis. "Yes, but the Republicans have changed everything," answered the boy.

Wildcat Scheduled South of Bagwell

Buzbee Lumber Company has scheduled an 1,850-foot Paluxy test a mile south of Bagwell in Red River County, having filed location for No. 2 Sam Buzbee as 100 feet from the west line and 330 from the south line of the tract in the B. Gooch survey.

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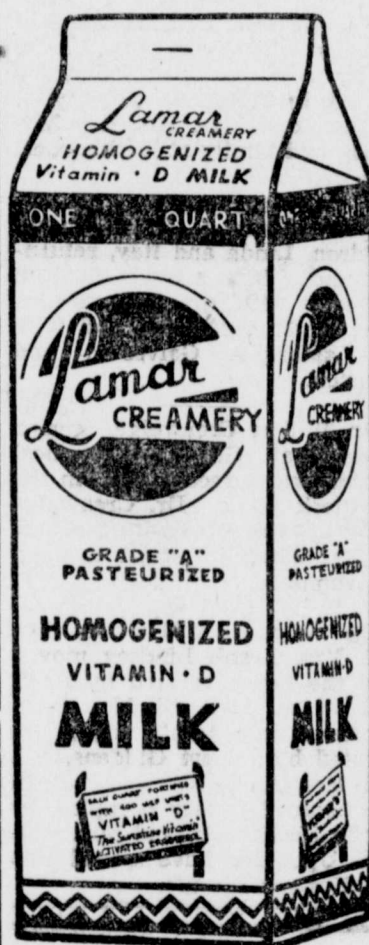
A script was submitted to a producer. The movie boss took one quick look at the title and handed it back to the author with a sorrowful smile. The author was puzzled. He hadn't been in Hollywood very long. "But you didn't read it," he said.

The big boss was impatient. "The title, phoney. You call it 'The Optimist! Me and you know what it means, sure, sure, but how many of them thick skulls out in front will know that it's an eye doctor?'"

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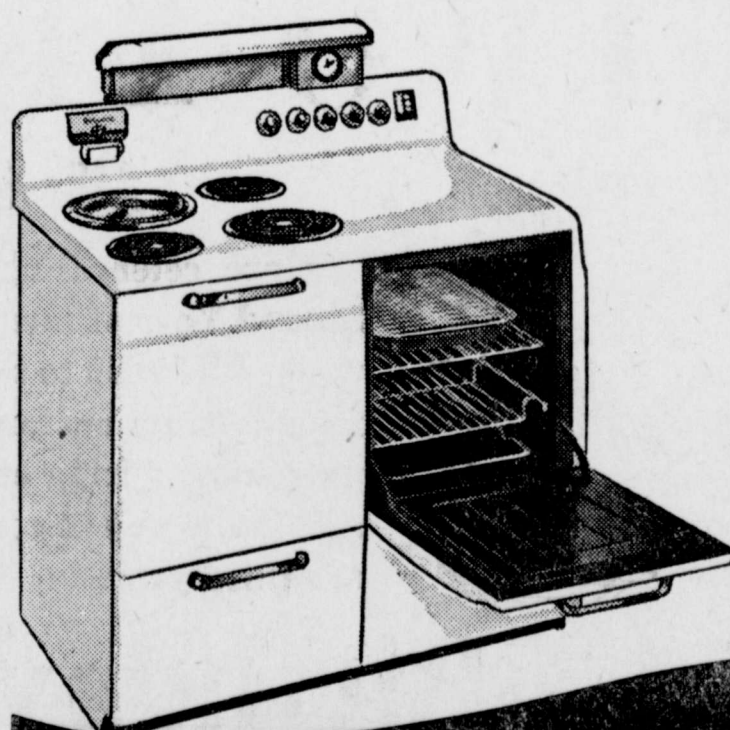
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