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Alcorn In Favor Of Law Against Quoting Anybody Against Himself

Editor note: Achin Alcorn, philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Sulphur probably is on a cold trail this week.

Dear editor: I read something in the paper last night during a re-run that convinces me this country needs a new law regulating political statements.

Well, not regulating political statements exactly, but, well here's the situation.

According to this article, Senator Goldwater wants to debate President Johnson on television, but some newspaper has dug up a statement by the Senator made only last year saying a President shouldn't debate a candidate, in the heat of the discussion he might reveal some military secret.

This is what I'm talking about. There should be a law prohibiting anybody from quoting anybody on anything he said more than 30 days ago.

It's not just this one instance. Before the campaign is over, some of President Johnson's statements a few years ago will

be brought out and set up alongside what he says now, and this only leads to confusion.

In fact, I don't suppose there's an office-holder in the land, from bottom to top, precinct to Washington, who could stand to have everything he says today lined up against everything he's said in the past.

And this doesn't go just for office-holders alone, it goes for everybody.

I don't know how many words a human being utters in a lifetime, but it must run into the millions, maybe hundreds of millions when you average in women, too, and it's impossible to use that many words without getting on practically all sides of all questions at one time or another, especially if you need a few more votes back in that election 15 or 20 years ago.

I'm not sure this law would work, but that's no reason for not passing it. If you set up the rule a law has to work before you pass it, you'll eliminate half the lawyers in this country.

Yours faithfully, A. A.

Grant of \$80,000 For Water System 3 Communities

Machinery was moved to location the first of the week for drilling a water well at Pattonville, according to president of the Pattonville Water Corporation, Floyd Salter.

The organization has been granted an \$80,000 loan from the Federal Home and Loan Association to sink a well and provide water facilities to serve 66 subscribers in the Pattonville, Cross Roads and Milton communities. Included in the project are plans for facilities to serve as much as a 50 per cent increase in water users.

A tract on the Clarence Williams place, about a mile south of Pattonville is site for the new well. Bob Parker of Talco is the drilling contractor.

Folks at Pattonville met last October and organized to seek funds for the water project. Besides Salter, others on the committee are Harley Ray Staley, vice-president; Billie Eblevins, sec.-treas.; Reginald McDowra and Austin Sparks.

Initial plans were for a water project at Pattonville. Later folks at Cross Roads and Milton joined forces with Pattonville to secure water for the three communities from the same well.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Romus Burgin Thursday were their daughter, Mrs. Barbara Capehart and children of Mt. Pleasant, Mrs. Burgin's sister, Mrs. V. A. Sockwell and daughter, Mrs. Veneta May Smith and daughters of Dallas.

W. H. Richeson Is Buried At Talco

Funeral services were held Sunday for William H. Richeson, 72, who died at his home on Rt. 1 at 8:30 a. m. Friday.

Services were held at 2:30 p. m. in Smith-Bates Chapel with burial in Talco Cemetery. Rev. B. L. Manning was officiating minister, assisted by Rev. L. F. Hess.

He was born Nov. 23, 1891 in Alabama.

Mr. Richeson is survived by his wife, Mrs. W. H. Richeson of Mt. Pleasant; four daughters, Mrs. Lucille Maxwell of Oklahoma, Mrs. Lena Gooding of Kerrville, Mrs. Jean Adkins of Wichita Falls and Mrs. Bobby DePrang of California; three sons, Troy Richeson and L. D. Richeson of Talco and Grady Richeson of Louisiana; a step-son, J. D. Cooley of Dallas; three sisters, Mrs. Pearl Bledsoe of Kilgore, Mrs. Lottie Lambeth of Greggton, and Mrs. Norvella Hughes of Monahans; one brother, Charlie Richeson of Kilgore; and 18 grandchildren.

MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP GOES TO FERGUSON

As a memorial to W. A. Langan, deceased Pine Tree superintendent, a scholarship has been awarded to a graduating senior of Pine Tree High School. Gary Lynn Ferguson was the scholarship recipient. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Ferguson of Pine Tree, formerly of Bogata. He is the nephew of Mrs. H. A. Hoffpauir of Talco.

Ferguson, who is employed this summer in Longview, plans to attend Kilgore Junior College.

TALCO NEWS 10-20 Years Ago

Week of August 4, 1944

M. D. Taylor had been advised by the War Department that his son, Jack Taylor, had been missing in action in the Pacific area.

A son named John William, had been born to Lt. and Mrs. John W. Adams.

W. B. Alexander had received word from the War Department that his son, Pvt. William Alexander Jr., had died of injuries received in action in France.

Pvt. Russell L. Earl, 26, of Cox field and Mrs. Dwight Young, whose husband was stationed at Cox Field, had been killed in an automobile accident between Deport and Paris.

Pvt. Durwin Cox of Talco, one of 12 men trapped behind enemy lines, had escaped an dwas recuperating at a base in England; had outlined some of the hardships and experiences behind the lines.

Week of August 6, 1954

J. O. Blakely Grocery and Filling Station on FM 71 lost more than \$30 when thieves broke into the building.

Deaths: Mrs. H. E. Winn, 82, mother of Jack Winn of Talco, at home of daughter, Mrs. M. D. Thompson in Lipan; Walter Carl Gibson, three year old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Gibson of Omaha, of polio; Mrs. Lessie Bell Master of Mt. Pleasant.

Shirley Ann Hunter and Billy Duke of Freer, were married at home of officiating minister at Alice.

Enlisting in the Air Force were Billie R. Griffin of RI, Talco, and Ray Belcher, RI, Bogata.

Donald Taylor and Veatrice Cornell were married at Uvalde.

Americans Over 65 Are Healthier

Austin. — Those golden years have the possibility of taking on more of a healthier hue now than ever before.

About 20 years ago the average American could expect to die when he reached the retirement age of 65. But today, 17,500,000 Americans are over 65, and the generation being born today may well be the one that can expect to live to be 100 years old.

But just living longer isn't enough. Extra years mean little unless they are healthy, active years. You can enjoy all the added years modern medicine has given you—you can keep young in spirit, body and mind — by practicing a little moderation and following some simple rules.

First, see your family physician regularly for a physical checkup. Today he can diagnose and treat successfully almost any disease or ailment, if he finds it early enough. He can also prevent many of the illnesses that may otherwise come your way.

As the years pass, you usually need less food, and there is some shift in nutritional requirements. You will need more protein, vitamins and fluids, but fewer fats and calories. No one can feel young and peppy when he's carrying extra weight.

Adequate rest is essential as both your mind and body need peace and quiet to recoup from the rigors of the day.

The mark of an "old" person is creaking joints, aching back and myriad other complaints. Keep all your body parts in good working order by using them.

Fill your days with productivity. The quickest way to "old age" is through boredom. So keep up your interest in your work and your surroundings.

Participate in community affairs rather than fussing and fretting about yourself at home. If you want to be among the happiest people—the doers—share your time and talents with such things as raising funds for charity, getting out the vote and participating in other civic programs.

Another shortcut to "old age" is worry—and worry, besides putting you in an unpleasant frame of mind, can sometimes lead to illness. Many worries about tomorrow can be avoided if you plan, and act, today.

(A weekly feature from the Division of Public Health Education, Texas State Department of Health.)

Paluxy League Wins First Round Playoff Games

The Paluxy League All-Stars won the first round playoff from Clarksville Wednesday night at Clarksville in the third game of a three game series by an 11 to 7 score. The Paluxy All-Stars had won the first game Monday night in Clarksville by an 8 to 3 score and Clarksville came back Tuesday night at Detroit and won the second game 6 to 4.

In winning this first round series from Clarksville it gave the Paluxy Leaguers the right to meet Cooper in a three game series starting tonight in Talco. The second game will be played at Cooper Friday night and should a third game be necessary, it will be played at Bogata Saturday night. The winner of this series will play the winner of the Honey Grove-Wolfe City series and will be played early next week.

In the first game at Clarksville Roger Weatherall of Talco went the distance on the mound for the Paluxy Leaguers. Weatherall and Dickie Eudy of Bogata had homers in that game.

Tuesday night at Detroit Dickie Eudy and Roger Elson pitched as Clarksville evened the series at one each.

Tony Collins of Talco started the final game and Weatherall came in relief in the fifth inning. Eudy hit a homer in each game for the Paluxy Leaguers.

All of the boys and their managers are to be commended for the effort being put forth in the playoffs. Manager is Bob Kimberlin of Talco and his assistant is Leonard Bond of Bogata.

Everyone is urged to attend the game tonight in Talco. Game time is 8:00 p. m.

EX-TALCOAN GOES TO NEW MEXICO MILITARY

Johnny Clemmons, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clemmons and formerly of Talco, having received his Master's degree from ETSC, Commerce, has accepted a position as Counseling Psychologist with New Mexico Military Institute in Roswell, N. M. Accompanying the position is a commission to the rank of captain in the United States Army Reserve.

Mrs. Clemmons will teach in the Roswell Public Schools.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Onyett and Eddie of Clinton-Sherman Air Force Base, Okla., spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Johnson.

Lone Star Steel Earnings Are Up

With the second quarter sales up \$4,435,267 to \$22,666,365, Lone Star Steel Company reports net income after taxes amounting to \$1,900,817, equal to 49 cents a share for the three months ended June 30, 1964. This figure brings net earnings for the first six months of 1964 to \$2,926,248, or 75 cents a share, compared with \$1,442,906 (37 cents a share) for the first six months of last year, according to President George A. Wilson.

In his letter to stockholders as a part of the interim statement, President Wilson said that "The improvement in earnings was achieved despite a decline in average prices per ton of some of our products, and without any price increase for any major product."

The interim report revealed that Lone Star's earnings for the second quarter were the highest for any corresponding period since 1959, and that the combined tonnage of iron and steel produced was the largest during any quarter in the company's history.

Hearron-Stephens Vows Exchanged

Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Hearron announce the marriage of their daughter, Wanda Dianne, to Loren Stephens of Wichita, Kans., son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Carl Stephens of Wichita. The couple were married Monday morn, July 27 in Memphis, Tenn., in a double ring ceremony. They made their wedding trip touring Memphis and Arkansas.

Both are graduates of Paris Junior College and will make their home in Paris, and plan later to attend East Texas State College.

The Real McCoy's

By FELIX JONES



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Ransom At Paris' Campbell Soup

Campbell Soup Company has announced the appointment of Hal C. Ransom as Manager of Procurement for its plant at Paris. He formerly was Purchasing Agent at the company's Camden, N. J. plant.

Ransom joined Campbell in 1943 as Assistant to Purchasing Agent at the Chicago, Ill., plant and was promoted to Assistant Purchasing Agent in 1945.

Mr. Ransom attended Iowa State Teachers College and Iowa State College and has participated in the Program for Senior Executives at Massachusetts Institute of Technology. He and his wife and three children will make their home in the Paris area.

Chas. Blackburn Hurt In Wreck

Charles Blackburn was injured in an accident near Sulphur Springs Saturday evening. Mr. Blackburn was driving to Talco from Fort Worth to spend the week end with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Blackburn and Mrs. Charles Blackburn, who was visiting in Talco.

Two cars were involved in the wreck, however particulars of the accident were not reported.

Mr. Blackburn, who received facial lacerations and a head injury, was carried to a Sulphur Springs Hospital and transferred to Talco Hospital and Clinic in Talco, Sunday. He was reported resting well Monday afternoon.

Lowry-Suel Rites In Dallas July 27

Miss Elizabeth Lowry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Lowry of Bogata, and John Wayne Suel, son of Mrs. Rosie Suel of Talco, were married July 27 in Dallas.

The groom, a '64 graduate of Talco High School, and the bride, a '64 graduate of Bogata High School, will make their home in Dallas, where he is employed as a welder.

TALCO YOUTH HURT IN FALL FROM BIKE

Mike Sloan, 10 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sloan, was injured Sunday afternoon while riding a bicycle.

It was reported that he lost control of the bike when he attempted to stop at the corner of Fifth and Broad Street. He fell and hit his head on the pavement, and was unconscious for some time. He received lacerations about the head and abrasions to his face, arms and side.

He was reported resting well Monday afternoon at Talco Hospital and Clinic.

Clarence Beville, who is stationed at Portland, Ore., with the U. S. Navy, visited Mrs. Nadine Caldwell, Mrs. Bob McClung and other friends here Thursday. Mrs. Beville is a former resident of Maple Springs.

Austin. — State Supreme Court took a recess last week after handing down a heavy volume of new rulings including one which in effect upheld the 1959 open beaches law.

High court declined to hear arguments attacking the law guaranteeing free access to the beaches and oceans. It left standing a Houston Court of Civil Appeals decision stating the public is entitled to use Gulf Coast beaches from the water to the vegetation line.

In other cases, the court:

Permitted Texas Liquor Control Board to continue regulation of liquor exporters along the Mexican border during court attack on a law authorizing such control;

Set down arguments by State Board of Optometry Examiners to force Judge Dallas Blankenship of Dallas to rule on Dr. Ellis Carp's suit challenging its ethical practices order of 1959;

Overturned a contempt judgment against the city manager and mayor of Hurst, Tarrant County, in connection with a condemnation case involving land for drainage easements;

Agreed to review an Austin district court decision denying a state savings and loan charter to Metropolitan Savings Association of Houston;

Refused a state AFL-CIO lawsuit in Hutchinson County brought by union members who claimed they were fired for following orders of their officials in a 1958 strike at Phillips Petroleum Company plants in the Texas Panhandle;

Refused a state AFL-CUO request to enjoin alleged "pro-employment lobbying" by Texas Employment Commission, leaving in effect lower court opinions.

Third Court of Civil Appeals overturned a district court ruling blocking Upshur Rural Electric Co-Op from building a \$9,000,000 power plant near Ore City. However, it held the co-op cannot sell power to non-members.

SCHOOL TRANSFER UPHELD —Hockley County school board's approval of the transfer of 25 students from Witharral Independent School District to schools in Levelland, Littlefield and An-

ton was upheld by Education Commissioner J. W. Edgar.

Witharral authorities asked the commission to prohibit the transfer which had been requested by parents of the children.

REDISTRICTING "WORST YET" — Sen. George Moffett of Chillicothe believes redrawing of state congressional districts is the hardest job ever to face the Texas Legislature. Moffett is chairman of a special committee studying the problem.

Moffett, who holds the all-time record for continuous service in the Legislature (34 years), spoke out on the eve of his committee's fourth hearing in San Antonio.

Committee waded through five new redistricting plans at the Bexar County hearing. Fifth hearing will be held in Lubbock on August 20.

Sen. Louis Crump of San Saba meanwhile announced he has called on Texas congressmen to support federal legislation authorizing states to retain full authority over both congressional and legislative apportionment.

BURIAL ASSOCIATION RATES TO RISE — State Board of Insurance has issued a notice to statewide and local associations and burial associations that they must adopt, by November 1, rates which will produce enough income to build their mortuary funds to the point where they can back up all benefits promised policy holders.

This action followed a hearing by the State Burial Association Rate Board at which State Insurance Department actuaries expressed alarm that many small local mutual and burial associations were not collecting large enough premiums to pay all potential claims.

Many associations already have voted to increase rates and two have obtained board approval.

Under the order, each of the 528 associations must appear before the Insurance Board between now and July 1, 1965, and prove they have rates in effect which will bring mortuary funds up to the reserves required by law.

ALAMO HIGHWAY — State

Highway Commission heard requests from a group of Texans representing cities from Texarkana to Round Rock. They asked that a route through their area be called "the Alamo Highway" and sought recommendations on ways to bring it to top condition by 1968.

Alamo Highway Association is made up of prominent boosters from cities and villages along U. S. 59 from Texarkana to Marshall; S. H. 43 from Marshall to Henderson; U. S. 79 from Henderson to Round Rock, and I. H. 35 from Round Rock to San Antonio.

F. B. Elliott of Jacksonville, president of the association, said "1968 will be a banner year in which to attract people from all over the east and the north to follow the Alamo route to the HemisFair in San Antonio and to the Olympics in Mexico City."

Highway Commission did not grant the request immediately. But its members, Herb Petry of Carrizo Springs, Hal Woodward of Coleman and Jack Kultgen of Waco, expressed interest in the tourist attraction idea.

CONDEMNATION CASE CLINIC SET — Atty. Gen. Waggoner Carr's department will sponsor a three-day seminar on the trial of condemnation cases Nov. 5-7. Carr is extending invitations to district, county and city attorneys, district and county judges and all attorneys who represent condemning authorities.

Among the speakers will be State Highway Engineer DeWitt C. Greer, former Atty. Gen. John Ben Shepperd, Supreme Court Justice James R. Norvell, George Thompson of Sweetwater and Carr.

EXTRADITION HEARING HELD — Secretary of State Crawford Cartin will recommend to Gov. Connally whether the governor should grant extradition of Melvin Lane Powers to Florida to face murder charges.

Martin conducted an extensive hearing on the request of Florida Gov. Farris Bryant to extradite Powers, 27, who is charged with the stab-killing of his wealthy uncle-by-marriage Jacques Mossles, 69. Defense Counsel Percy Foreman fought the request.



The Alamo

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WILKINSON

By MRS MORRIS BLALOCK
 Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs.
 E. M. Bragg were Mr. Bragg's
 sister, Mrs. Bill Doerr of Albion,
 Okla., Mrs. Morris Deaton of Mt.
 Pleasant and Mrs. Josie Crooks
 and son, Dickey of Midway com-
 munity.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and
 Mrs. C. G. Phillips last week
 were Mrs. Felix Jones of Talco,
 Mrs. Jess Blalock of Mt. Pleas-
 ant, Mrs. James Burgin and chil-
 dren of Gladewater community.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Haren
 and children of Dallas, spent a
 few days last week with his par-
 ents, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Haren.
 Lydon Haren accompanied them
 home for a few days visit in
 Dallas.

Mrs. W. L. Robertson and Mrs.
 Mary Lou Tutt and daughter,
 Lou Ann of Mt. Pleasant, visited
 Mrs. Robertson's sister, Mrs.
 Morris Blalock, Tuesday. They
 also visited in the home of Mr.
 and Mrs. A. T. Blalock.

Mrs. A. T. Blalock was honor-
 ed with a birthday dinner Sun-
 day at her home. Those present
 were Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Bla-
 lock and children, Mr. and Mrs.
 Morris Blalock, Mrs. Zelle Bla-
 lock, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cass and
 son, John and S/Sgt. and Mrs.
 C. D. Blalock and children of
 Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Holcomb
 and children of Eufaula, Okla.,
 spent the week end with her par-
 ents, Rev. and Mrs. Alvin Bla-
 lock.

Week end visitors of Mr. and
 Mrs. Moody Belcher were their
 daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle
 Price and children of Denton.
 Mr. and Mrs. Dock Griffin of
 New Boston, visited his brother,
 Mr. and Mrs. Paul Griffin, Sun-
 day.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Dyke and
 children visited in the home of
 Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Dyke, Sun-
 day.

Guests Saturday night of Mr.
 and Mrs. E. W. Dyke were their
 daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Royce
 Robertson and boys of Mt. Pleas-
 ant.

Saturday visitors of Mr. and
 Mrs. C. B. Harris were Gaylon
 Riddle and son, Dane and Thom-
 as Chao of Marshall. Sunday
 visitors were Mr. and Mrs. M. H.
 Huddleston, Caryll and Cindy
 Milburn of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs.
 Vernon Riddle and daughters,
 Mr. and Mrs. Danny Brownlee,
 Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Shipp and
 son, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Brown-
 lee, all of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and
 Mrs. Cecil Shipp Sr. of Green-
 ville.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Harris
 made a business trip to Oklaho-
 ma Monday.

Recent visitors in the home of
 Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Elder were

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CUNNINGHAM

By MRS. IRA TAYLOR
 Mrs. Allie Rees visited her
 daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald
 Kelsoe and family at Avery from
 Monday until Wednesday.

Rev. Wilbur Radcliff filled his
 regular appointment at the Bap-
 tist Church Sunday. He was a
 dinner guest in the home of Mr.
 and Mrs. Neal Yancey.

Mrs. Ila Taylor is recuperating
 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira
 Taylor after a two weeks stay in
 St. Joseph's Hospital in Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrell Wyatt
 came Friday night from LaPorte
 to bring Mrs. Bernice Wyatt
 home, after a week's visit in the
 homes of Mr. and Mrs. Graydon
 Wyatt and Carol and Mr. and
 Mrs. Harrell Wyatt.

Mr. and Mrs. Conway Phillips
 of Paris, were Monday night vis-
 itors of his sister, Mr. and Mrs.
 Eb Bledsoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy J. Oats, Mr.
 and Mrs. Cecil Oats, Mr. and
 Mrs. Galen Oats and son, Mr. and
 Mrs. E. R. Bledsoe, Mr. and Mrs.
 Joe B. Williams attended the
 homecoming at Charleston Sun-
 day. They reported a hot, but
 very enjoyable day of visiting
 and renewing acquaintances of
 old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Pynes
 visited in the home of Mrs.
 Pynes' mother, Mrs. Cassie Bled-
 soe at Cooper on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Taylor
 have returned from a visit with
 relatives in Wichita Falls and
 Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Smith
 were with Rev. Gary Chapman
 Tuesday night for the revival at
 Monkstown. They furnished
 special music at the service. Sun-
 day they were visitors of Mr. and
 Mrs. Roy Weaver of Paris. Thurs-
 day night little Miss Donna
 Smith of McCrury, was a visitor
 of Mona Smith. Miss Lynn Con-
 natser of Allen, came on Sunday
 for a week's visit with Miss Jen-
 ita Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Whitney
 and daughters entertained with
 a family supper on Saturday
 night at their home honoring Mr.
 and Mrs. Steve Womack and
 daughters of Rantoul, Wis., who
 are returning to their home after
 a visit with relatives here. Others
 present for the supper were Mr.
 and Mrs. Billy J. Norwood and
 family, Dick Taylor of Paris and
 Mr. and Mrs. Jack Norwood.

Attending a watermelon sup-
 per at the Minter Community
 Center Saturday night were Mr.
 and Mrs. C. E. Cooper, Mr. and

Rev. and Mrs. Paul Hensley of
 Tulsa, Ok.

Mrs. B. E. Criswell and chil-
 dren, Lawana and Larry, return-
 ed home yesterday from a week
 in youth camp at Camp Mohawk.
 Two car loads went to Galveston
 Bay and spent the week end, af-
 ter the camp ended Friday night.

Visiting in the home of E. C.
 Elder Sunday were Rev. Ray
 Jobe and son of Mt. Pleasant and
 Mr. and Mrs. Don Sessions of
 Dallas.

Mrs. Zelle Blalock returned
 home Thursday after a few days
 visit with her sister, Mr. and
 Mrs. Roy Hood and family of
 Dallas.

Ratheda Logan has returned
 home from a visit with her sister,
 Mrs. Jommy Hensley, who re-
 cently undergone major surgery.
 They live in Ada, Okla.

Rev. Arthur is ill in the Talco
 Clinic.

Mrs. Cleo Dyke returned home
 Thursday after being ill in the
 Talco hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Haren vis-
 ited their children in Dallas, Sat-
 urday.

Elizabeth Blalock spent Sun-
 day night with Sue Wright of
 Talco.

WILLIE WATER COMES OF AGE

**Famed Water Symbol on 21st Birthday
 Illustrates Need For Adequate Water Supply**

WILLIE WATER—symbol of America's ability to provide fresh, pure water at the turn of a tap—came of age this month in a flurry of activities staged at the New York World's Fair. Countless children, like those pictured above, toasted Willie by appropriate means: Sparkling cool glasses of water. Host for the 21st birthday celebration was the American Water Works Association, made up chiefly of municipal water officials, which created Willie to make the American public conscious of the nation's great water facilities and the need for preserving this heritage.

Using the World's Fair as a backdrop for the festivities was fittingly appropriate. That clear, cooling drink for the weary visitor, the beautiful fountains and the sanitation facilities all play a vital role in the design and operation of the Fair.

The National Water Institute joins in celebrating Willie's birthday and emphasizes the need for proper water facilities everywhere, not only in fairs

but in housing and industry. The nation's growing economy has resulted in sprawling suburbs and expanding industries. This rapid growth has placed increasing strains on existing facilities for water processing and supply. Many parts of the country have found it difficult to keep pace with these developments. Although this nation has an abundance of water four times its actual needs, many areas will suffer this year from acute water shortages.

A major portion of this problem is public apathy. The NWI urges all Americans to contact their local officials to inquire whether the supply of their municipal water systems is equal to the demands placed upon it. Where these facilities prove inadequate to the needs, public action should be taken to assure a proper and continued flow.

Only by taking immediate action now, can we avert possible water shortages in our communities and avoid the annoying alternative of water rationing.

James D. Hinson Dies Tuesday

James Dewey Hinson of John-
 town died Tuesday in DePort
 Nursing Home. Services were set
 for 2:30 p. m. Thursday at John-
 town Baptist Church, with Rev.
 Garnett Walker officiating. In-
 terment was made in Smith Cem-
 etery at Rosalie by Bogata Fu-
 neral Home.

Pallbearers were G. A. Vau-
 ghan, Gus Ward, Burl Duffee, J.
 O. Cooper Jr., Wilford Lowry,
 Tom Patterson.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Hin-
 son the deceased was born at
 Johnstown on July 25, 1898. He
 is survived by two sisters, Mrs.
 Fannie Rhodes of Johnstown, and
 Mrs. Dessie Huddleston of Long
 Beach, Calif., and one brother, R.
 C. Hinson of Johnstown.

Will Williams of Mineola, came
 for a visit with his sister, Mrs.
 Page and Mr. Page.

Mr. Foster of Maud, visited
 Mr. and Mrs. John Lewis, Mr.
 and Mrs. J. R. Lewis, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby R. Ken-
 nedy and son were week end vis-
 itors of his brother, Mr. and Mrs.
 Shelton Kennedy and family of
 Duncanville.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence O Neal
 of Andrews, came Sunday to
 visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C.
 C. O Neal.

Mrs. Pat Norwood entertained
 her young sons, Tracy and Rod-
 ney, with a birthday party Wed-
 nesday. Thirty youngsters were
 served refreshments of cake and
 punch.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Zeb
 Page this week are their grand-
 sons, Lester Frank Sloan and
 Jerry Sloan of Dumas. Over the
 week end Mrs. Lester Sloan,
 Barbara and Peggy of Dumas,
 were visitors in the Page home,
 also on Monday Mr. and Mrs.

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**BOGATA NEWS
 10-20 Years Ago****Week of August 4, 1944**

Pvt. Bob Fleming had arrived
 in France.

Pfc. J. B. Bowie Jr., had been
 killed in action in France.

Marlin Humphreys, 19, had
 been killed in action in France.

Cpl. N. A. Bryson, veteran of
 African, Sicilian and Italian cam-
 paigns, was a member of the Or-
 der of the Purple Heart.

The War Department had noti-
 fied Mr. and Mrs. Roe Brown of
 Fulbright that their son Pvt. J.
 Brown was missing in action in
 Italy.

C. L. Calloway, 13, of Bovina,
 had been killed while operating
 a tractor. His parents, Mr. and
 Mrs. Charlie Calloway, were
 reared in Bogata.

Sgt. Vernon Theford, station-
 ed on Saipan, had been wounded
 in action in the Pacific.

Week of August 6, 1954

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Smith
 announced engagement of their
 daughter, Jimmie Louise, to Jack
 G. Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. A.

**Mother Bogata
 Man Is Dead**

Mrs. Alice Mason, 86, of Tex-
 arkana, died at 4:55 a. m. Friday
 at her home. Funeral services
 were at 4 p. m. Saturday at the
 Waterall Christian Church with
 Rev. Royce Wood officiating, as-
 sisted by Rev. Robert Wilmount
 and Rev. J. Davis Berry. Burial
 was in Memorial Gardens.

She was born March 12, 1873,
 in New Mexico, and was a mem-
 ber of the Waterall Christian
 Church.

Survivors include her husband,
 Jesse A. Mason; one son, P. M.
 Gold of Bogata; three daughters,
 Miss Jewell Mason of Texarkana,
 Mrs. Milton Morris of Tulsa, Ok.,
 and Mrs. H. T. Johnson of Or-
 ange; one brother, Frank Rey-
 nolds of Big Spring, five grand-
 children and seven great-grand-
 children.

Pallbearers were Kelsie Hol-
 land, Roy Seagraves, Wilbur Os-
 burne, Lyle Clapsaddle, Earnest
 Sherrer and Woodrow Bowers.

Additional Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jones and
 family visited Mr. and Mrs. Gene
 Gandy in Daingerfield during the
 week end. Mr. Jones and Mr.
 Gandy played in the Pittsburg
 annual golf tournament.

Guests in the home of Mr. and
 Mrs. Romus Burgin during the
 week end were Mr. and Mrs. A.
 T. Blalock of Wilkinson, Mr. and
 Mrs. Bernard Capehart and chil-
 dren of Mt. Pleasant and Mr. and
 Mrs. Remus Burgin.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Frye
 have returned home from Idabel,
 Ok. They visited Mr. and Mrs.
 Robert Frye and children in Ar-
 lington, Wednesday and Thurs-
 day. Kelley and Kasey Frye re-
 turned home with them for a
 visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bramlett of
 New Diana, announce the arrival
 of an eight lb. daughter. She was
 born July 24 and named Barbara.
 She is the granddaughter of Mr.
 and Mrs. H. E. Easterling of Tal-
 co and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bram-
 lett of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Johnson
 and Miss Delora Parker spent
 the week end with Mr. and Mrs.
 R. V. Parker and Mike. Rev.
 Glenn Mangrum of Dallas, came
 Friday night for a visit with the
 Parkers. Mrs. Mangrum and
 Karl Glenn, who had been visit-
 ing here, returned to Dallas with
 him Saturday.

J. Jones of Birmingham, Ala.
 July temperatures for half cen-
 tury were broken with mercury
 ranging from 100 to 108 degrees
 for 21 days during the month.

A daughter was born to the
 William D. Alexanders at Lub-
 bock.

Charles Ned Rhodes of John-
 town, reported at Fort Bliss for
 military duty.

Cpl. Billy Davenport would re-
 turn to the States in December
 from Germany, where he was on
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Mark Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Harris, is ill.

O. E. Jones is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Vince Jones in Wortham.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Swope returned from a visit in Abilene.

Eddie Parr of Longview, is visiting Dennis Parr this week.

Dick Davis is a patient at the Talco Hospital and Clinic.

Gayla Easterling had a cyst removed from her face last week.

Mrs. Joe Kirl went to Dallas for medical treatment, Wednesday.

Mike Lewis of Gainesville, is visiting relatives in Talco this week.

Mrs. Howard Morris is a patient at the Talco Hospital and Clinic.

Pat Crabtree has been dismissed from the Talco Hospital and Clinic.

Mrs. Romus Burgin was in Texarkana Tuesday for a medical checkup.

Miss Cathy Burleson of Grand Prairie, is visiting Miss Carolyn Gauntt, this week.

Dr. Leon Kelley of Paris, visited his mother, Mrs. R. R. Kelley, Monday.

Morris Bolin of Dallas, visited Mr. and Mrs. Milton Bolin during the week end.

Debbie and Pam Russell of Ft. Worth, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ney Blackburn.

Mrs. James Sulivant of Jefferson, visited her aunt, Mrs. L. R. LeMay last week.

Mrs. W. M. Allin left Friday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Fitch and Cliff in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Justiss of Daingerfield, spent Thursday with her son, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Webb and girls.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Bean visited Mr. and Mrs. David Teague in Austin the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Brown have moved into the Weldon Brown house on 6th Street.

Jack Thomas of Kilgore, was a recent visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Thomas.

Mrs. Carlton Shipper and sons of Mr. Pleasant, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lewis, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Webb of Dallas, visited Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Parker, Thursday night and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Williams and children of Arlington are visiting Mrs. Nora Williams this week.

Mrs. W. H. Crawford, Mrs. Edgar Bradshaw and Miss Jennifer Hall were in Mt. Pleasant Monday.

Mrs. John David Wright had surgery Thursday in a Texarkana hospital. She returned home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Stockton and Glenda have returned home from a vacation trip to West Texas.

Cindy Gilliam returned to her home in Odessa Saturday after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Taylor.

J. L. LeMay had surgery in a New Orleans, La., hospital last week and is reported to be resting well.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Jones spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Dallas with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jones and Brian.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Jones and family of Winnsboro, visited Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Jones, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. James Mills and daughter of Mt. Pleasant, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mills and Randy, Sunday.

Mrs. Lorene McFerrin returned home Monday after a vacation trip to Oklahoma, New Mexico and Arizona.

Deniece Gentry of Diana, visited Gayla Easterling last week and Gayla accompanied her to Mt. Pleasant to visit their uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Easterling.

The Casualty Count by Jerry Marcus



Driver error caused more than 3,000,000 casualties in 1963.

Mrs. Edward Frye, Kelley and Kasey visited Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Shipper and sons in Mt. Pleasant, Tuesday.

Mrs. Finis Franklin of Texas City and Mrs. Callie Payne of Hagansport, visited Mrs. Wilton Kelley, Thursday.

A number of Talco residents enjoyed outings at Lone Star Lake and Lake O' the Pines during the week end.

Mrs. Flora Taylor of Gilmer, has been visiting her sons, Buford Taylor and Shorty Taylor and their families.

Jack Allen, Larry Tucker and Billy Joe Vickers are attending the 32nd annual coaching clinic in Ft. Worth this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lewis, Mike and Shana Lynn of Gainesville, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lewis and other relatives.

Mrs. Tommie Smithson and Donnie of Denison, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Taylor and her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Rodgers moved Monday from the Eugene Hargrove property to the Farris Brown property on 5th Street.

Mrs. Nora Williams and Mrs. Florene Miller visited Mrs. Margie Primm and Miss Wanda Williams, in Longview last week.

Mrs. Jack Funderburk visited her uncle, John Collins in Kilgore last week. Mr. Collins is convalescing from recent surgery.

Ronny and Nancy Teague have returned to Austin after visiting here with Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Bean and Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Teague.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buford Taylor last week were her sister and her two daughters, Dorothy and Becky Conell.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Bob McClung and Mrs. Nadine Caldwell Friday were Mr. and Mrs. Barney Compston and daughters, Nellie and Linda of Rosemeade, Ore. The Compstons lived in Talco in 1930-40.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pavlat and children of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pavlat Sr. of Holland, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown.

Mrs. Larry Armstrong of Talco, was a Monday visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilson. Mr. Armstrong is working in Pattonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Haywood Iglehart and their daughter and family of Colorado City, visited his sister, Mrs. Tip Hanks and Mr. Hanks last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Burleson and children of Grand Prairie, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Buck Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Gauntt.

Guests in the Jerry Jones home Monday were her mother, Mrs. Earl Shaddix and Mr. and Mrs. Gaylon Johnson, who were enroute to Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Cato returned to their home in Black Oak, Ark., Tuesday after visiting Mrs. O. B. Hopwood, Mrs. B. L. Gieger and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cato.

Mrs. V. L. Taylor is a patient at Talco Hospital and Clinic. Mrs. Taylor is reported to have suffered a heart attack at her home about 6 o'clock Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Blackburn returned home Saturday from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blackburn in Fort Worth. Mrs. Charles Blackburn accompanied them here.

Visitors over the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Newsome of Deport, were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Crane of Bogata, Mrs. A. G. Norwood of Talco and Dan Johnson, Phyllis and Lesa of Detroit.

Mrs. Loyd Gauntt and Mrs. Carolyn Moss were in Kerrville Friday and Saturday. They were accompanied home by Miss Carolyn Gauntt, who has been attending the Lions Camp.

William Lee Harris was in Ft. Worth Wednesday for treatment for an injured knee. He is scheduled for surgery Wednesday, Aug. 12 at St. Joseph's Hospital in Ft. Worth.

Mrs. Lessie Duckworth of Dallas, Mrs. Annie Howard of Midland, sisters of Mrs. H. E. Easterling, and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Beatrice Hawk of Mt. Pleasant, visited in the Easterling home, Saturday.

Pvt. Windle L. Anschutz, 22, son of Pleas A. Anschutz, Rt. 4, Mt. Pleasant, completed advanced training as a cannoner at the Army Artillery and Missile Center, Fort Sill, Okla., July 30. Anschutz was trained as a member of artillery gun or howitzer crews. He entered the Army last February and completed basic training at Fort Polk, La. He is a 1961 graduate of Talco High School.

Airman 1C Ronald W. Webb, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Webb of Talco, is a member of the Air Force Communications Service's (AFCS) newly-activated 4th Mobile Communications Group at Hunter AFB, Ga. The group is part of AFCS's mobile facility for maintaining communications for control of global Air Force operations. The airman, a radio operator, recently returned from an assignment in Germany. He is a graduate of Talco High School. His wife, Nancy, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Buchanan of Mt. Pleasant.

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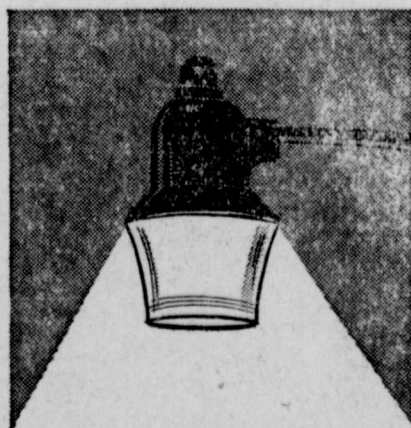
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