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Should the Load Limit Of Trucks Be Raised?

This is a mooted question before the people of Texas today and one which few of us wish to handle with tongs. But the question is up before the legislature to raise the load limit of trucks traveling Texas highways from 7000 pounds to near double that amount. This week, a representative of the railroad was among the business men, and he stated to us that while some showed sympathy, they backed off from taking a stand like they would from a case of smallpox.

Here's the dope: No one wants to see the railroads ruined. We cannot feature such a calamity as the tracks of the Santa Fe, branch line though it is, being torn up from here to Lubbock, or any other sizable amount of trackage. This would put us at the mercy of one feature freight hauling just like the railroads had us before trucks, except the railroads were regulated as best a railroad commission could do it. There is no question that railroads are more accommodating since the advent of trucks.

But, while the truckers are demanding a larger load, the rail-

roads say regulate the trucks like they are regulated, as they are public carriers, instead of increasing the load. Another thing, the railroads use their own tracks, yet pay big taxes in each county, school district and city. On the other hand, the truck men spend most of their money in their home towns, pay taxes on their property, and help the town in many ways. So, there are two sides to this question, and few men in business wish to take sides. But, one man did; Mr. Percy Ralls, of Ralls, Texas, which appeared in the last issue of the Ralls Banner. We are reproducing it below. If truckers wish to use same amount of space in defense, our columns will be open to them. The article follows:

"Ralls and other South Plains towns of comparable size are doomed if truck load limits are raised by the legislature, says Percy Ralls, one of the founders of the town, and a pioneer in the upbuilding of West Texas.

"Mr. Ralls, president now and for many years past the South Plains Highway association, director in Texas Good Roads association, and also a director in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, makes this prediction as consideration of a new bill to raise truck load limits above the present figure of 7000 pounds is scheduled to come up within the next few days in the legislature at Austin.

"Trucks are moving cotton and wheat out of here all the time, he says. 'This won't do our highways any good, because they weren't built for that sort of traffic. Those big overloaded trucks make it unsafe for any smaller car to drive on the road. But the most serious consideration for towns on branch line railroads is that if our big crops go out by truck, we'll lose our railroads.

"The railroads pay taxes to the

city of Ralls, to the schools, and to the county. The trucks pay practically nothing—but they travel the highways unregulated, and at a heavy cost to taxpayers. Once the railroad is put out of the running here, it will be an easy step to reduce this town to nothing."

Besides his wide experience in road affairs, in which he has been a leader of successful campaigns to get good highways all over this area of which he is one of the best known residents, Mr. Ralls has had damaging experience with trucking in the Magic Valley, where he owns a citrus farm. Down there, he has observed in the last year or so, fruit and vegetables are loaded up and carried out of the valley and distributed at a disadvantage to the grower.

"One of those trucks will come out here on the plains," he says, "sell part of the fruit to the grocery stores and then dump the balance of the load on the market at any price, demoralizing the market for the next man who has fruit to sell. Where is this kind of activity going to get the dealer who is trying to carry on a legitimate business and the grower trying to get a reasonable price for his crop?"

"If trucks are not kept at the 7000 pound limit and strictly regulated, they're going to demoralize business all over the state."

TRYING TO CONTROL FUMES OF DIESELS

AUSTIN—Use of Diesel engines can be expanded greatly if their exhaust fumes can be rid of objectionable odors, it is believed and a University of Texas engineering student has undertaken to do the job.

Rudolph Bodemuller, young graduate student from Nederland, is conducting tests in the University's engineering laboratories to determine what mixtures and treatment Diesel fuel must undergo to allow and odorless exhaust gas. Because of fumes from the exhaust, current laws prohibit use of the engines within many city limits and inside of funnels.

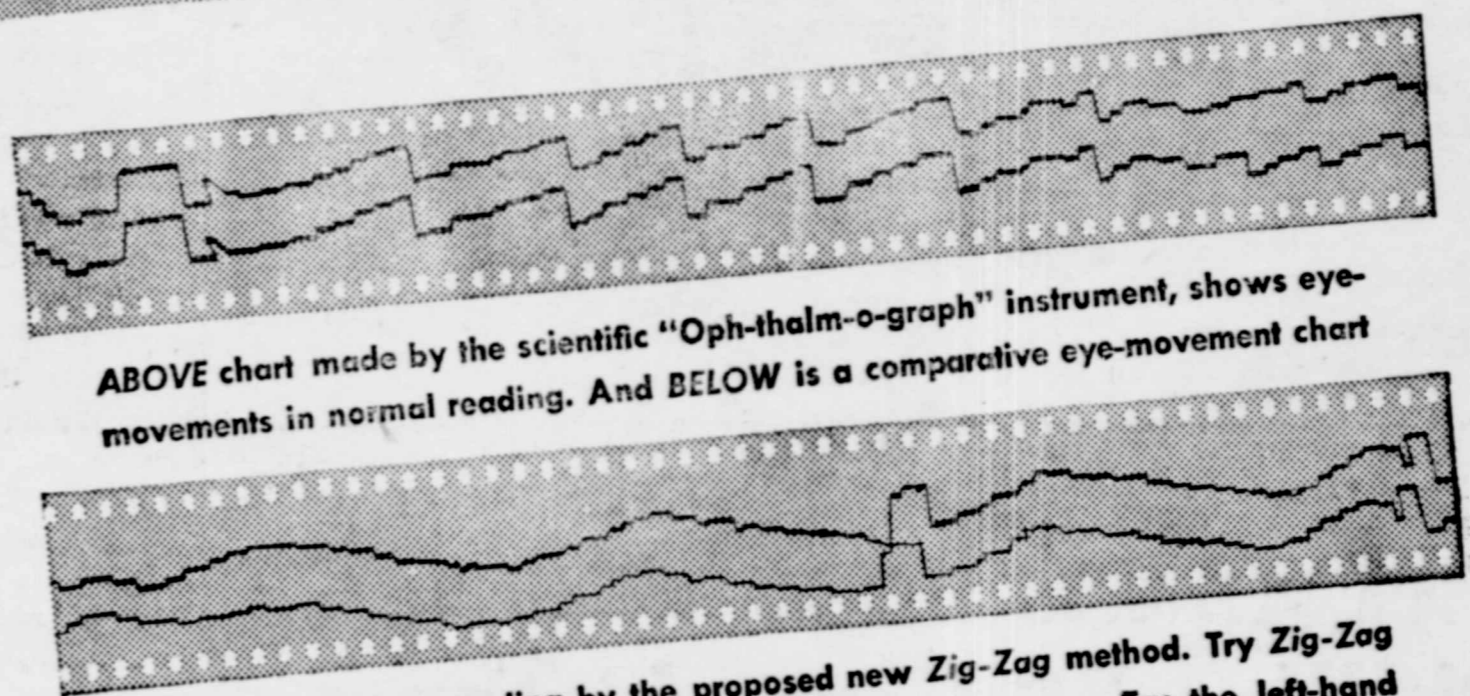
Young Bodemuller ridiculed the popular notion that the Diesel loses an exhaust gas containing carbon monoxide gas, a poison. If successful, his experiments might lead to popular use of the oil-burning engine in automobiles, he believed.

C. L. Collins was in the extreme dry belt of Terry county last year, and he made a very short crop, but he wanted the Herald and Farm News to keep coming, so he brought us enough good old country cured ham to pay for them another year. And such ham! A slab of that meat, and the streaked gravy on a biscuit of morning puts real tone in a man for a day's work. Thanks C. L.

Mrs. Daugherty of the Gomez section was in town this week.

THE GAME-OF-THE-MINUTE

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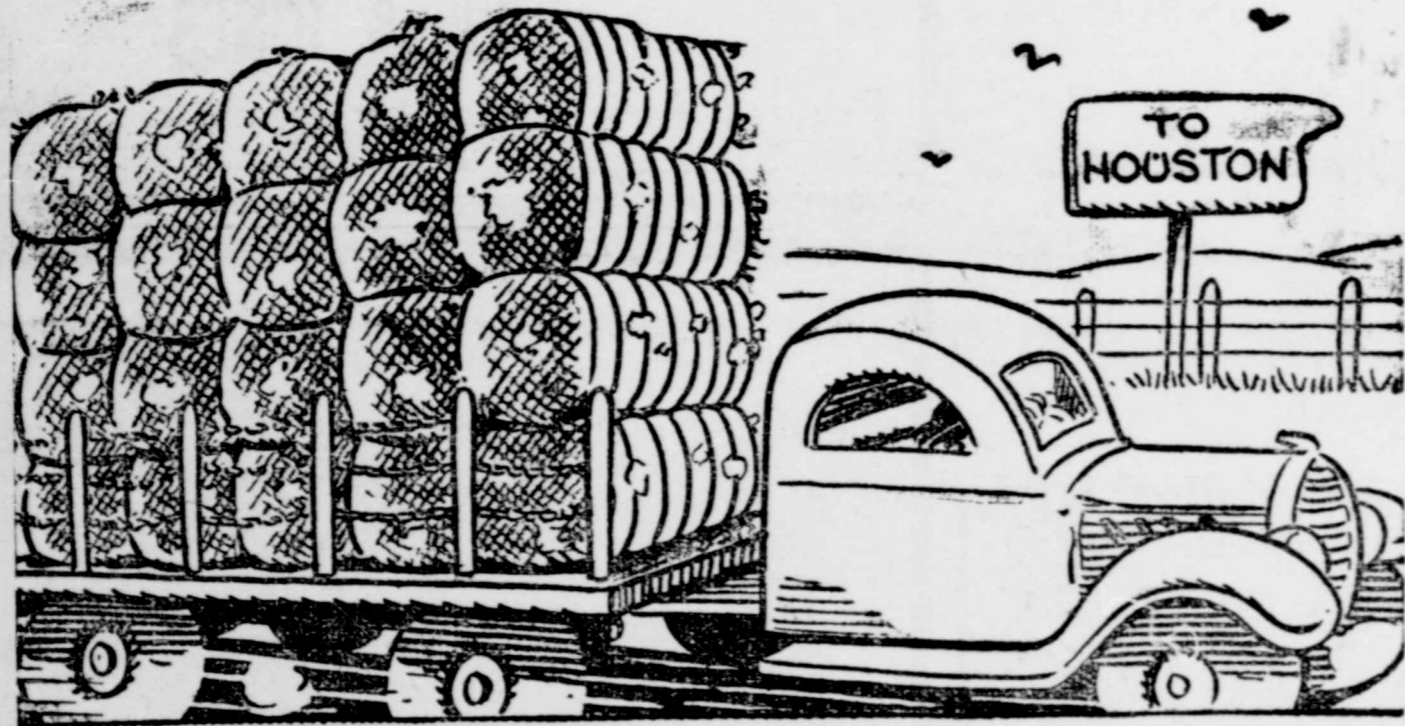
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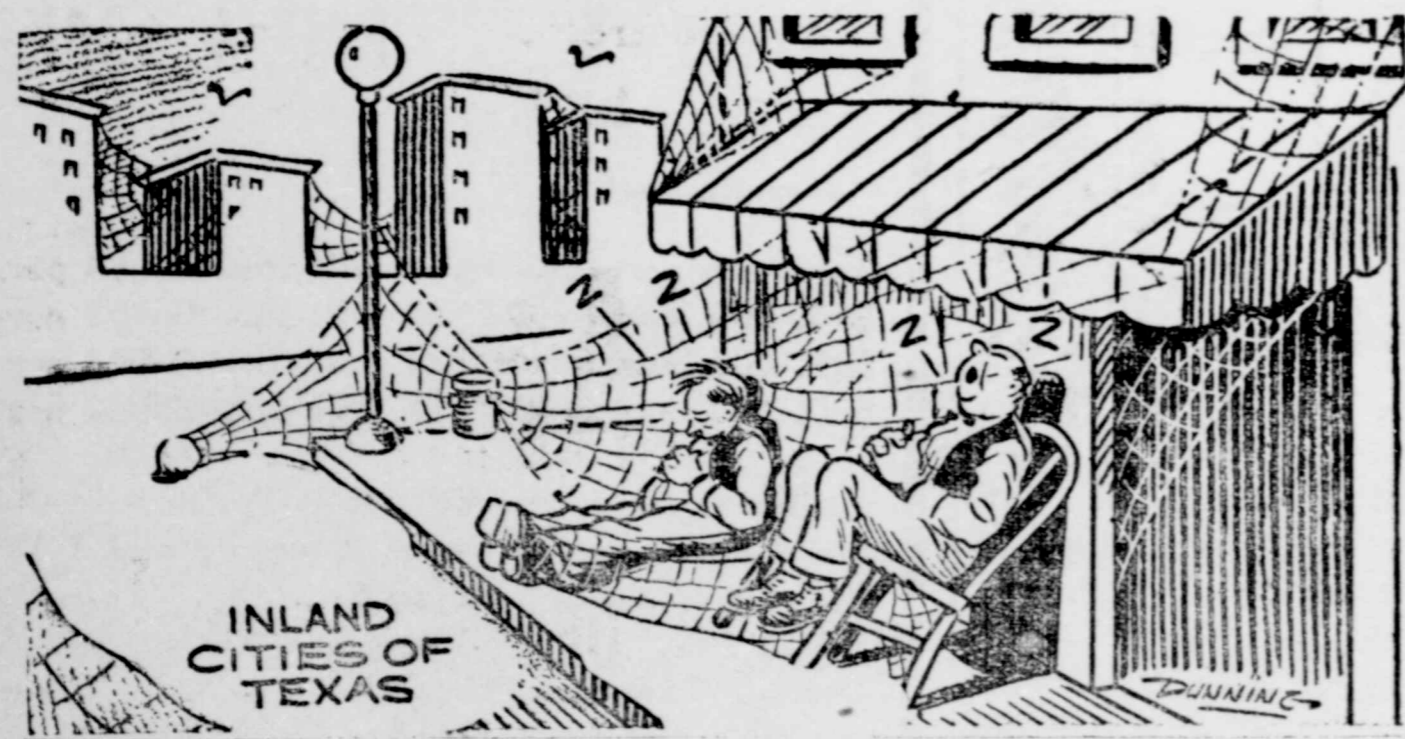
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Many tears have been shed, figuratively speaking, about "of all sad words of tongue or pen, the saddest are these, It might have been." But Grantland Rice, the sports writer-poet, has a new slant:

Here's to 'the days that might have been';
Here's to 'the life I might have led';
The fame I might have gathered in—
The glory ways I might have sped.
Great 'Might Have Been,' I drink to you
Upon a throne where thousands hail—
And then there looms another view—

I also 'might have been' in jail. "There's nothing new under the sun," the philosopher of old declared. But Jerry Sadler, member of the State Railroad Commission since Jan. 1, has proved that there is. He made history, when 10 days ago, he held an oil hearing in an oil field. The hearing, concerning the new Avoca townsite field in Jones County, began in Austin. "Where are the landowners who own the royalty?" Sadler inquired. "Many of them couldn't spare the money to come all the way to Austin," someone explained. "Then we'll take the hearing to them," the Railroad Commissioner declared.

And so the hearing was conducted in the Avoca schoolhouse. Two hundred and fifty persons—cowboy boots and ten-gallon hats, in evidence—attended. Many owned only one or two lots in the townsite. Everybody was extended a chance to give his views and as much time a she wanted in

order that the wishes of plain citizens as well as experts and oil companies could be heard. And everybody seemed to like Sadler's idea of taking the government to the people.

Probably you've seen that sketch entitled "Isms" that Mr. Anonymous wrote:

"Socialism—If you own two cows, you give one to your neighbor. Communism—You give both cows to the government and the government gives you back some of the milk. Fascism—You keep both cows but give the milk to the government, which sells some of the milk back to you. New Dealism—You shoot one cow, milk the other and then pour the milk down the sink." To which has been added: "Texasism—You give both cows to the government, which in turn uses the milk to make biscuits; the government then sells the biscuits to you, charging a 1.6 transaction tax."

The taxation shoe is pinching the feet of the members of the Texas Shoe Retailers Association who at a recent convention asserted that taxes now take a toll "of more than 25 per cent of our gross income" and are "the largest item entering into the cost of operating business." Vigorous opposition to "further increases in taxation of any kind or nature or the levying of any new tax" was expressed.

Entry in "oldest joke" contest: A white man presented a negro with a bottle of whiskey and, a few days later, he asked how the whiskey was.

"Just right, boss," the darkey replied.

"What do you mean—just calico dresses and overalls much right?" the white man asked. "Ef it had been any better, ed only one or two lots in the you'd a-kept it yourself and ef it had been any worse, I couldn't have drunk it." Then there was the man who

said, "I wasn't acquainted with the deceased but I'll go to the cemetery for the sake of the ride."

Best wisecrack on the transaction tax is that of Jack Hawkins in the Grosebeck Journal who said that last summer W. Lee O'Daniel was raising thunder because the government made a man pay \$1.75 to vote but now Governor O'Daniel wants a law to tax a man 8 per cent before he can eat—And, after all, nobody has figured out a way of doing without eating whereas a fellow could get along somehow without voting—Mr. O'Daniel did for several years.

With Texas newspapermen: Mrs. Mary Whatley Dunbar has sold the famous and historic Palo Pinto Star to become associated with Naylor's in San Antonio, book and magazine publisher. Charles F. Johnston, former editor of the Mineral Wells Index, was among the many here Monday new owner of the Star, which day.

is set by hand and printed on a hand press, 100 years old. The five Perry brothers are Texas editors: J. S. edits the Polytechnic Herald, Fort Worth; Francis, Dublin Progress; Coy, Bowie News; F. L. Nocona News, and Luther, Arlington Journal... N. H. Pierce, publisher of the Menard News, has invented a handy garget, a car-key ring with a small cylinder that you can put your drivers' license in... Joe Thomas Cook, perennial winner in best newspaper contest, recently issued a splendid 60-page sixth annual Texas Citrus Fiesta edition of his Mission Times.

Mrs. Jess Blair of Pleasant Valley was in Monday. Mr. Blair is a teacher in the Pleasant Valley school.

Miss Oleta Leach of Gomez was among the many here Monday.

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**INTEREST HIGH IN CHEM-
URGY DURING 1938**

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Jan. 31.—The National Farm Chemurgic Council Sunday reported that the chemurgic movement to increase the industrial use of farm products made its greatest progress during 1938 and that the future was decidedly encouraging for further advance in the new science to balance agriculture with industry.

Among chemurgic triumphs of the year, the council pointed out, two stood out as indicative of the progress—the new \$6,000,000 newsprint mill to be built at Lufkin, Texas, first of its kind to use Southern pine as raw material, and creation of four federal research laboratories which will develop new uses for surplus farm crops.

Throughout 1938 headquarters here were in constant receipt of requests for information, many of which were from students in high schools and colleges who were eager to keep abreast of the times.

From a practical standpoint, chemurgists are pointing to the State of North Carolina, which during the past year witnessed beginning of ninety-two new industries and fifty-three plant additions, representing an investment of \$10,000,000 and creating hundreds of new jobs as well a

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providing new markets for farm products in a section where farm income is much lower than the national average.

**Thanks! Readers—
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Since last report the following have renewed and each has our sincere thanks: J. L. Langford, J. E. Harred, G. W. Luker, H. E. Huddleston, W. P. Brigance, J. D. Williamson, C. L. Collins, A. C. Holcombe, J. O. Wheatley, Mrs. W. D. Winn, R. N. McClain, Clyde C. Coleman, Jack Bailey, Buck Andress, city and routes. Mrs. Claude Merritt, Tokio; W. A. Hinson and S. W. White, Meadow. New Readers are E. Dickenson and C. L. Lincoln, both of this city.

REWARD IS OFFERED

LAMESA, Feb. 4 Sheriff A. M. (Buck) Bennett has announced a reward of \$25 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons found guilty of stealing maize, cotton corn or other feed stuff, or cattle and hog thefts, in the amount of more than \$10.

Sheriff Bennett said that he had received numerous complaints recently of thefts. C. M. Burton reported two or three loads of maize were taken from his place.

Mrs. W. E. Lyle and Mrs. Irene Duke were callers in the A. J. Stricklin home last Sunday afternoon.

Sawyer Graham was a Lubbock visitor Wednesday.

Midland Girl Honor Guest at Fat Stock Show



Miss Walter Fay Cowden of Midland who will be one of the eight ranch-girl honor guests at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show, March 10-19. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Cowden. Each of the eight girls will represent a section of the Southwestern cattle country, being chosen by her

**ROPSVILLE COMMITTEE
NAMED TO FILE PROTEST
ON MOVE**

Ropesville, Feb. 4. — Business men here, as soon as it was learned the Ropesville project of the Farm Security administration would have its office moved to Lubbock, met and named a committee to file a protest.

Lanan Bassett, J. C. Lucas and J. W. Berry were named.

W. H. Collins left this week for the Dallas markets to buy spring and summer goods for Collins Dry Goods. New goods will begin arriving this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Greathous were visitors and shoppers in the city Saturday. They are Pleasant Valleyans.

**TEXAS PLANNING BOARD
HAS HUGE TASK**

What will the population of Texas be in 1960? And where will that population be concentrated? Why isn't Texas produced wool scoured in Texas? What new markets can be found for Texas' agricultural products? What new uses can be found for Texas farm and ranch products? What are our mineral and marine resources?

All of these questions, and countless more just like them, can be answered by the Texas Planning Board, one of the State's youngest, but busiest agencies.

There is very little the Texas Planning Board doesn't know about the natural resources of the State. It is their job to know. The law which created the Planning Board in 1935 specifically said the Planning Board should survey the natural resources of the State and prepare a long-range program for their conservation and orderly development.

This mandate of the 45th Legislature cannot be carried out in one year, two years or even 20 years. The State of Texas is a vast empire. Within its far flung borders can be found almost every known mineral. The five hundred and more soil types which are found in the State can raise any and every known crop. The climate of the State ranges from sub-zero in the Texas Panhandle to the sub-tropical temperatures of the Lower Rio Grande Valley. Along the eastern border of the State approximately 54 inches of rain falls every year while less than 12 inches falls in the extreme western portion of the State. Eight major rivers have their origin in Texas and traverse the State on their way to the Gulf of Mexico. Less than three-fifths of the State has been accurately mapped. These are just a few of the

numerous reasons why the mandate of the 45th Legislature cannot be carried out in the span of life allotted to the Board—four years—because an intelligent plan for the social and economic development of the State cannot be put together until every resource has been carefully studied and weighed as an integral segment of a state-wide plan.

Although the job given to the Planning Board is one of the biggest ever to be given to any state agency, the Board is one of the smallest in personnel in the state government. Excluding the members of the Board, who are appointed for varying terms by the Governor and who serve during their tenure of office without compensation of any kind, except the satisfaction of knowing they have contributed something to the development of their native state, the Planning Board staff consists of a director, two engineering statisticians, a draftsman, a chief clerk, two secretaries, one stenographer and an assistant to the director.

Upon the shoulders of this small but highly specialized staff, falls the task of studying the resources of the State and then formulating plans for their conservation and

orderly development so that the generations yet unborn may receive their share of benefits from a heritage which has been considerably abused through wanton waste. This waste has been due, in a large part, to the mistaken idea that the natural resources of Texas are inexhaustible. Intelligent planning will conserve the State's natural resources and at the same time will permit them to yield a social and economic return to the State.

Virgil Bynum, of Kerrville, Texas, who had been attending the bedside of his injured brother, Arnett of Odessa, came up here and spent Monday night with relatives and friends. Shag says good rains have already started enough weeds for sheep and goats in his section, but cattle are still on feed.

Orin Dennis, teacher in the Littlefield schools at present, and former teacher here, was here Saturday on business.

Frosty Ellington was in from the Harris section Saturday, blankety blank. In other words, no news.

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**COTTON IMPROVEMENT
SHOWS BOOST IN 1938**

College Station, Feb. 1. — Only 8.5 per cent of the 1938 Texas cotton crop (up to December 1) was under 7-8 inch in staple length in 1937; 65 per cent of the length as compared with 16.7 per cent graded white middling or better in 1938 and 53 per cent in 1937; and the average staple length increased by 1-32 inch.

Progress in the move to improve the quality of Texas cotton was seen in these USDA Bureau of Agricultural Economics figures by F. E. Lichte, cotton gin specialist of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service.

Lichte has long contended that improvements in gin equipment cannot take care of sloven harvesting practices, and his annual report shows that there was a 10 per cent increase in the amount of cotton picked and a corresponding drop in percentages snapped, sledged, and gathered as bollies.

His figures show 71.7 per cent picked, 24.4 snapped, .3 per cent sledged, and 3.6 gathered as bollies in 1938 as contrasted with 61.3 picked, 30.5 snapped, .5 per cent sledged, and 7.5 per cent gathered as bollies in the preceding year.

The specialist said that most ginners were cooperating to the best of their ability in the move to improve the quality of Texas cotton, and noted that 18 seed cotton driers were added in 1938 to bring the total number in gins up to 285. Many ginners, too, slowed down their gins and ran on a loose roll, and that resulted in increased value of the cotton.

**FORMER ODESSA MAN HAS
OPENED A GENERAL STORE
AT SLIGO**

SEAGRAVES, Jan. 28. — G. E. Iangley, formerly of Odessa, has moved to Sligo, a town in Yoakum county, 12 miles northwest of here where he has opened a general store. He also has a filling station.

It is located across the road from the new Sligo school building, being erected by Ramey Bros. Construction Co., of Amarillo. The school is of brick and tile, 5x142 feet and will cost \$39,600. WA is assisting in financing the project.

Homer Winston is all swelled up at us because we failed to mention that he helped to pull the old G. Wash. hand press in our writeup of our 30th anniversary a few weeks ago, making his four bits a day. Well, Homer, we did not mention Dube Pyeatt, Bayne Price, Clay and White Hughes, and possibly others. Homer says he got a kick out of the article anyway, and he also possibly got a "pull" out of the old press.

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NOBODY'S BUSINESS

By Julian Capers, Jr.

AUSTIN — The issue between a sales tax and increased levies on natural resources was clearly drawn this week, as the House taxation and revenue committee began preliminary arrangements to start hearings on various tax bills.

Overplayed Their Hand

The big interests which want a sales tax overplayed their hand

considerably. The transaction tax proposal stirred up the people to such an extent that they began to examine into the effects not only of a transactions tax, but also a sales tax.

Exposure of the process by which the sales tax unloads the burden upon the merchant and the consumers has spread like wildfire, through newspapers and by word of mouth, and reports here of an aroused populace have the sales taxers so worried that at the week end their leaders were extremely dubious about submitting the measure to the people at any near date.

Meanwhile, those forces in the House who do not believe that the "littles" people should shoulder the burden of a \$30,000,000 or \$40,000,000 additional tax load to pay pensions or for any other purpose, popped three bills into the House hopper. Two of them propose hikes in the natural resources tax rates, including oil gas and sulphur.

It would take 100 votes to submit a constitutional amendment calling for a sales tax. This indicates that at least 45 House members prefer to tax the interests before resorting to a tax on poverty.

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would also kick the cigaret tax up a penny a pack, from 4 to 5 cents.

The transaction tax, as such, is apparently dead beyond recall. Despite the plea of the governor for help from the "plain common citizens" on the radio Sunday, when he urged them to write the representatives in favor of his bill, the massed opposition of consumers, merchants, farmers, labor, and virtually every business interest in Texas—including those large interests who dictated the writing of O'Daniel's bill—is much too strong.

Meanwhile, there were indications that the great volume of talk about economy might be productive of results. The Legislature ducked the problem of deciding whether Elster M. Haille lives in Texas or Kansas, by abolishing the office of State Tax Commissioner to which O'Daniel had nominated him, at a saving of \$50,000 a year.

Austin Notes Prompt Senate action on a bill passed by the House as an emergency, to permit the borrowing of \$900,000 to prevent cutting pensions payments next month, was expected.

Austin and conferred with the regents. Through this column, he thanked thousands of Texans who have written him congratulations and best wishes on his new job. Strong opposition to the plan of some Texas county judges to raid the County Road Bond Indebtedness Fund for nearly \$200,000,000 by having the board take over retirement county bonds used to build lateral roads, followed the statement of Lowry Martin, Corsicana publisher, and president of the Texas Good Roads Assn., condemning the measure.

TEXAS HAS 816 CRIPPLED CHILDREN ON WAITING LIST

DALLAS, Jan. 24. — Texas has hundreds of little children, victims of infantile paralysis, knocking on hospital doors for treatment. This fact was revealed here today in a letter to George Waverly Briggs, state vice chairman for the Celebration of the President's Birthday, Jan. 30, from J. Brown, director vocational rehabilitation, Austin.

The actual count shown in the summary of all counties shows that the state has a listed total of victims seeking treatment of 816 children. Seventy-one counties out of the total of 254 of the state report no hospital cases.

Counties with ten or more waiting patients are: Pell, 10; Cass, 11; Fannin, 12; Harris, 15; Jefferson, 28; Limestone, 11; Lubbock, 11; McLennan, 24; Navarro, 19; Nueces, 10; Tarrant, 17; and Travis, 11.

"This table should prove to Texans how necessary their support is to relieve suffering," Mr. Briggs said. Then quoting from the Brown letter, he read: "The attached list gives you by county the number of children on the waiting list ready to be sent to the hospital, but no money is available to send them. This statement by Mr. Brown shows conclusively how essential this drive for funds is, and I consider it a challenge to every Texan."

Mrs. Robert Chambliss was among the shoppers Monday.

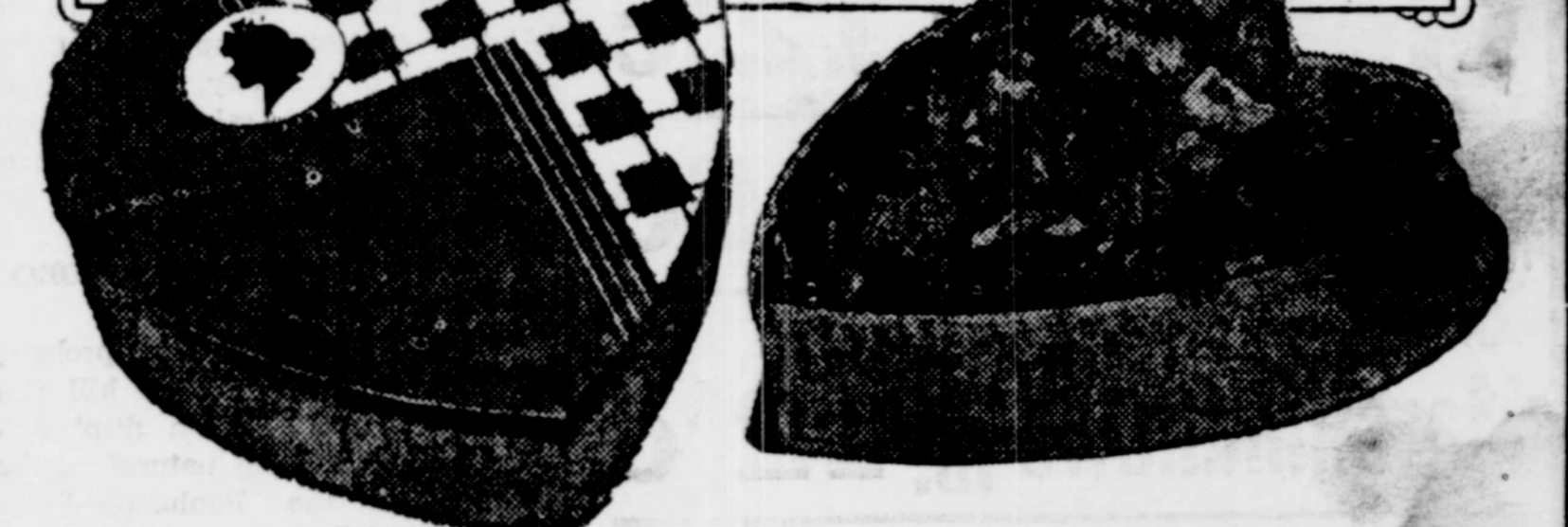
The Guide—Yes, it must be over a thousand years old. You can take it from me they don't build such ancient castles nowadays.

SOME DISTRIBUTION !

From the Western Newspaper Union offices in Chicago comes a story about setting type out of a barrel. The story was reported in the Mulberry (Ind.) News by Donald Clark, who with Ray Clark, editor, and son Robert heard it in Chicago. It was told that:

"A tramp printer wandered into a small country town down south one day and was amazed to find a young man laboriously setting type out of a barrel. He poked around into the barrel, half full of type, until he found each letter wanted, and placed it in the proper position in his typesetting stick. After watching for some time, the tramp printer exclaimed: "By gum, I've been in just about every country-newspaper office in this country, but this is the first time I ever saw anybody set type out of a barrel. Isn't it pretty slow going—take you a long time to get the paper out?"

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Mrs. G. G. Gore of Johnson was here Monday visiting and shopping.

PAPER MILL MAY RAISE SOUTHERN STANDARDS

At Lufkin, located in the center of 3,500,000 acres of pine forests, a \$6,000,000 newsprint paper plant will be established next year by Southland Paper Mills, Inc., bringing to realization a dream of the late Dr. Charles Holmes Herty, famous Savannah chemist.

Dr. Herty saw in the vast pine forests of the South the basis of great industrial activity which would raise the living standard of thousands of rural families. In

his laboratories he made, among other things, thousands of tons of fine newsprint which was used successfully by various newspapers.

Last week, E. L. Kurth, president of the Southland Paper Mills, announced financing of the proposed newsprint plant was complete, contracts would soon be let. Within a year the mills will be converting Southern pine into 50,000 tons of newsprint annually, he said.

The new industry is being made possible through a \$3,425,000 RFC loan (to be repaid in 10 years) and stock subscriptions by southern newspaper publishers who have agreed to take the plant's entire output for five years at prices paid Canadian mills, now the principal source of American newsprint.

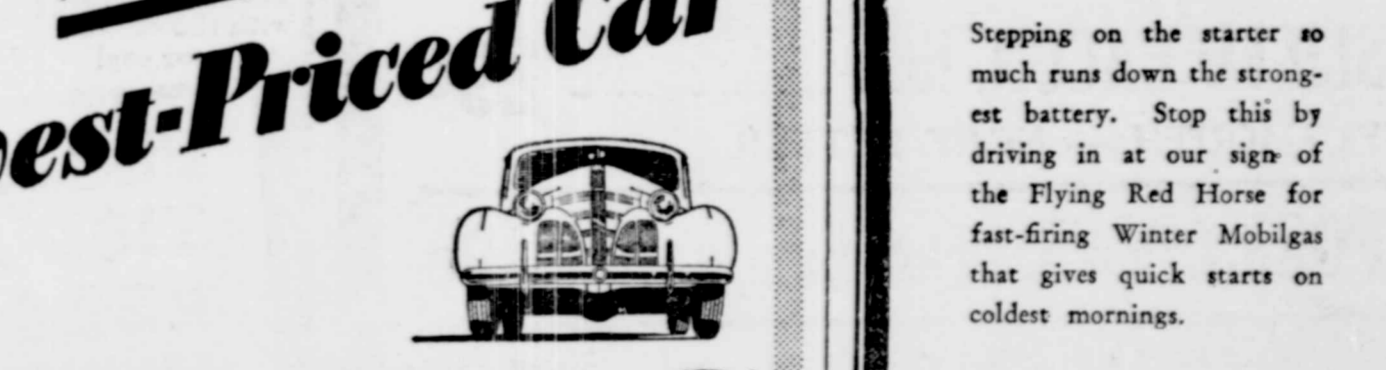
Cheaper raw products and lower freight rates will enable the Texas plant to sell for less, but publishers will pay as much to insure the plant's profitable operation.

Experience is not what happens to a man. It is what man does with what happens to him.

Mr. C. H. Collins and E. B. Pruitt of Big Spring were business visitors in town in the interest of Texas Highway Department.

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