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Dear Editor: I'm feeling lots better now that Easter is over. Guess I'll get my shotgun and keep the blackbirds out of the corn, which is coming up, while my wife plows it.

Don't know what your wife said about the Easter cold snap, but judging from what mine had to say I don't reckon old man weather will need to worry about frostbitten ears for a long time to come.

You see, she went to town and bought herself a brand new Easter rig—one of them flowered dresses and something she called a hat but which looked more like something a crow had dropped through a rainbow. She said we was coming in to town church on Easter, but when that day showed up with the wind whipping out of the northeast and the sky all cloddy with clouds she got madder than I ever saw her at one time and wouldn't move a peg. Said she was feeling bad and didn't want to get out of the house, but I knowed she just didn't want to cover up that new dress with her old coat or risk losing her hat in the wind, though I didn't tell her so. I tried to cheer her up by telling her beauty was only skin deep anyway, which I reckon I ought not have said. So we just stayed at home and swapped arguments. Guess it was good enough for her laughing at me when my pension was cut.

Wish Gov. O'Daniel could see this hill now while it is fresh and green. Maybe he would build one of them factories he promised to build on every hill in Texas. I bet he couldn't find a better hill in the state.

Yours truly,
LONESOME BILL.

First Baptist Church

J. W. HARPER, Pastor
Program for Sunday, April 7.
9:45 a. m., Sunday school—Meivn Blackburn, superintendent. All classes studying John, 7th chapter.
11:00 a. m.—Preaching by pastor.
7:00 p. m.—Baptist Training Service. Hardin Turner, general supervisor.

8:00 p. m.—Preaching by pastor.
Mid-week Services—Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock the teachers of the Sunday school meet at the church for a period of lesson study. All teachers, both regular and supply, are requested to attend this service.

8:00 o'clock prayer meeting. This is a time for prayer. Let all the members of the church come to this service.

Ladies Auxiliary—The ladies of the church meet at the church each Monday afternoon at 2:30. All ladies of the city are invited to attend this meeting for prayer and Bible study.

We invite you to attend all the services of our church.

NO COME-BACK

A well-known editor received the following letter from a not so well-known writer:

"In the future I shall have no use for you or your publication. The manuscript I submitted to you recently was sent as a test. Pages 8 and 9 were fastened together at the edges. My story was returned with these pages unopened, which proves that you didn't take the trouble to read the story through."

The editor replied:
"Dear Madam: When I am served an egg at breakfast, I do not have to eat the whole egg to find out that it is bad."

DETOUR

A minister was known by a few of his parishoners to be fond of Cherry Brandy and one of them in a mischevious frame of mind offered to present him with a bottle on condition, that it was fully acknowledged in the next issue of the church magazine. The offer was promptly accepted and in due course the notice appeared in the magazine: "The Vicar thanks Mr. McTavish for his gift of fruit and the spirit in which it was given."

DISGUSTING HABIT

Bashful Bess: "If you're so crazy about that man, why don't you marry him?"

Sleepy Sue: "Migosh. Do you think I want to hook up with a guy that snores all night?"

We will appreciate your printing orders—large or small.

ANNIVERSARY WEEK OBSERVED BY CCC CAMP

In observance of the Seventh Anniversary of the Civilian Conservation Corps, the Bogata CCC camp is holding "open house this week." The Bogata Soil Conservation Association is joining with the CCC camp in holding a field day Friday, April 5 from 10:00 to 12:00 o'clock, according to Paul Hill, president of the association.

"We hope to have as many farmers, business men and other friends as possible to inspect the camp and visit some of our farms where we may show you how we are trying to conserve our soil by using our land in accordance with its capabilities and at the same time increase the farm income," Mr. Hill stated.

"I believe that very few people realize what the CC is trying to do for our young men and I know it will be of interest to you and well worth your time to come out and see how these boys and over 2,500,000 others who have been in the CCC are and have lived during their stay in the camp.

"They have a routine of work planned for them from the time they get up at 5:30 a. m. They make up their beds, clean up their barracks, eat breakfast at 6:30 a. m., clean up the camp grounds, are turned over to the technical using agency which is the Soil Conservation Service in the Bogata camp, at 7:30 and are loaded on the work trucks and go to the field to work at least 6 hours on the job, helping the farmers put into execution the planned soil and water conservation practices on their farms. They have lunch at 12:00 o'clock, finish their day and usually arrive back in camp between 4:00 and 4:30. They then have to clean up, change to their khaki dress clothes and line up for supper at 5:00 p. m. at which time the flag is lowered. At 6:00 p. m. on four nights a week school begins and lasts until 9:00 p. m., approximately 90 per cent of the boys in the Bogata Camp study at least two subjects. A picture show is held at the camp twice a week, they have a camp library, a recreation hall and camp store where all the profits are used to buy equipment for the recreation hall and other activities of the camp boys.

"So you can see that the CCC en-

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BY TOPPS

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THE NATIONAL DEBT WAS ONLY \$37,000 IN 1867. IN THE TERM OF ANDREW JACKSON'S... LOWEST IN HISTORY...

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rolle spends his entire day doing some planned work and is kept busy. Too, there is an extra duty such as scrubbing floors, working the bower beds and many other jobs to keep those busy who may not keep their beds in good shape or fail to come up to some other rule or regulation.

"I know you can spend a very profitable day going over our farms and seeing how our CC boys live."

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KILLER DILLER

"Did you hear the one about the machine-gun?"
"It's a killer!"

Church of Christ

The Church of Christ enjoyed two splendid services Sunday, with many visitors in attendance at both the morning and evening hours. Two fine young men made the good confession at the morning hour and were baptized into Christ at the evening service. The young people of the church heard an instructive debate presented by four of the boys at their regular meeting Sunday evening.

May we again invite our religious friends and neighbors to come and let us reason together at any of our regular services.

NOTICE

If you sing, dance, or do any form of wholesome entertainment alone or in groups limited to four, you have a chance to win a nice trip. There is no age limit in this talent contest. If you are interested, contact Mrs. F. R. Jones at the Quality Food Store, or Rex Shelton at the high school.

MORRIS CHAPEL

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Elder visited Miss Anna Belle Clifton in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Clifton of Bogata, Sunday.

Miss Beatrice Holt of Soper, Ok., spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. T. S. Roach.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Barnes of Little Rock, Ark., spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Barnes of Bogata and Mr. and Mrs. John Forester of Morris Chapel. Alvin returned home Sunday. Mrs. Barnes remained for an extended visit.

R. O. Cawley made a business trip to Paris and Clarksville Monday.

Mrs. Dave Franklin and Mrs. Lucian Hancock of Bogata, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Roach Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Forester, who have been attending the bedside of his sister, Billie Mae Forester, visited her mother, Mrs. Bob Smith of Foreman, Ark., over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Townsend were in Clarksville on business Thursday.

People of this community are delighted to hear of the improved condition of Miss Billie May Forester, who has been in the Grant hospital the past four weeks.

Billie Morris and Granny Forester are ill.

GULLION-JOHNSON

Mr. Elic Gullion of Benton, La., formerly of Detroit, and Miss Elizabeth Johnson, teacher in the Cross Roads (Red River county) school, were married Nov. 25, 1939, according to the Detroit News-Herald. The groom is the son of D. F. Gullion of Detroit and the bride the niece of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Eades of Blossom.

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In Talco Three and Four Years Ago

From the Back Files of The Talco Times

Week of April 9, 1937

In a school census taken by W. A. Cloar, 839 children were registered in school.

Felix Jones had been elected to serve on the Titus county school board.

Twelve wells were either completed that week or near completion. Housh-Thompson was preparing to shoot the No. 3 Hargrove.

Christopher Pearce, oil field worker, was in a Talco hospital suffering from two broken ribs received when he fell off a derrick floor.

Construction of a new Presbyterian church in East Talco near the school building had been started on Friday.

Week of April 3, 1936

The Community Public Service Co. had been working that week increasing voltage in power lines to take care of the demand for electricity.

Thirty-seven drilling permits had been issued in the Talco field.

At a mass meeting in Talco on Friday night of that week, citizens discussed ways of getting roads and highways in this district improved.

Humble Oil and Refining Co. had completed the drilling of a water well near the Windsor No. 1 for the purpose of supplying drilling water.

Harry Hines had asked that the Highway Commission repair Highway 49 from Talco to Mt. Pleasant to improve motor transportation in and out of the field.

A LETTER FROM HOME

Welcome GIFT to the Former Resident

IN THIS NEWSPAPER

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF THE LIBERTY NATIONAL BANK IN PARIS, TEXAS

at the Close of Business March 26, 1940

ASSETS	
Loans and Discounts	\$574,400.81
Banking House	75,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	10,000.00
Bonds & Securities	\$ 247,495.32
C C Cotton Loans	127,115.63
Cotton Advances	2,685.32
Cash & Due from Banks	1,053,415.98
	\$1,430,712.25 1,430,712.25
TOTALS	\$2,090,113.06
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Reserve for Contingencies	5,000.00
Undivided Profits	18,622.70
Deposits	1,916,490.36
	\$2,090,113.06

The above statement is correct,
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Touring for Cotton



Mary Nell Porter of Memphis, Tenn., 1940 Maid of Cotton, poses in one of the exclusive new cotton evening dresses she will wear in style shows in 28 major cities during her tour of the nation as King Cotton's good will ambassador. Miss Porter made the initial appearance of her 12,000-mile aid tour at a fashion show at Miami on March 17.

Cunningham to Get \$18,000 Gymnasium

Contract has been let for a new \$18,000 gymnasium at the Cunningham High School. The building will be designed on modern lines, will include the vocational agriculture and home economics departments. In addition, it will house a stage and 82 feet of floor space for playing.

Construction job has been accepted by Earl Brannon, Dallas architect, and present plans are to begin construction in June, so that the building may be completed by next October.

Crook Re-Elected as Mayor of Paris

J. Morgan Crook, who has served seven terms as mayor of the city of Paris, was re-elected Tuesday by a substantial majority vote. Aldermen elected were: David Robinson, T. C. (Tode) Hodges, E. A. (Ed) Welch, Lee Yancey and Joe Hillhouse. A total of 4,706 votes were polled, largest in the history of the city.

April Proclaimed Bluebonnet Month

Governor O'Daniel has proclaimed the month of April "Bluebonnet Month in Texas." The Governor's proclamation invited and encouraged the citizens of Texas "to further cultivate and preserve" the beauty of the bluebonnets "to add further to the recognition of this official state flower."

U. S. FARMERS ARE WORLD'S GREATEST PRODUCERS

The 32 million farmers in America are only 2 per cent of the world's farm population, but they have made the United States the world's greatest producer of agricultural products.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, July 27, 1940:

For Congress, First District—
R. G. WATERS
of Bowie County

For State Senator, 1st Dist.—
C. T. NEUGENT
Of Titus County
E. HAROLD BECK
Of Bowie County

For Judge 76th Judicial District—
R. T. WILKINSON JR.

For Representative, 35th Dist.—
G. C. LUNSFORD
T. J. (Tom) BARRIER
L. F. BENSON
P. D. THORTON JR.

For County Judge—
ED DICKSON
J. T. CAMERON
JACK CROSS
BEN L. PATRICK

For County Attorney—
BIRD OLD, Jr.
TRAYLOR RUSSELL

For County Treasurer—
D. C. MORGAN
(Re-election)

For County Clerk—
FLOYD KEITH

For Assessor-Collector—
P. O. WILHITE
(Re-election)

For Sheriff—
GROVER ARD
(Re-election)

AUBREY REDFEARN
EARL ALBRIGHT
COY M. COKER

For County Surveyor—
DON G. NOLTE

For Commissioner, Precinct 3—
ED NUGENT
R. R. (RAYMOND) CAMERON
MORRIS BLALOCK
E. V. DUKE
ERNEST BROWN

For Justice, Precinct 3—
J. W. EDWARDS
G. R. (Roy) FRY

For Constable, Precinct 3—
LOYD GRAF
JOHN J. BAINE

For Weigher, Precinct 3—
LEO WILSON

For Your Jewelry Business
J. W. Caruthers, Mt. Pleasant

Fire Destroys Barn on Joe Jones Farm

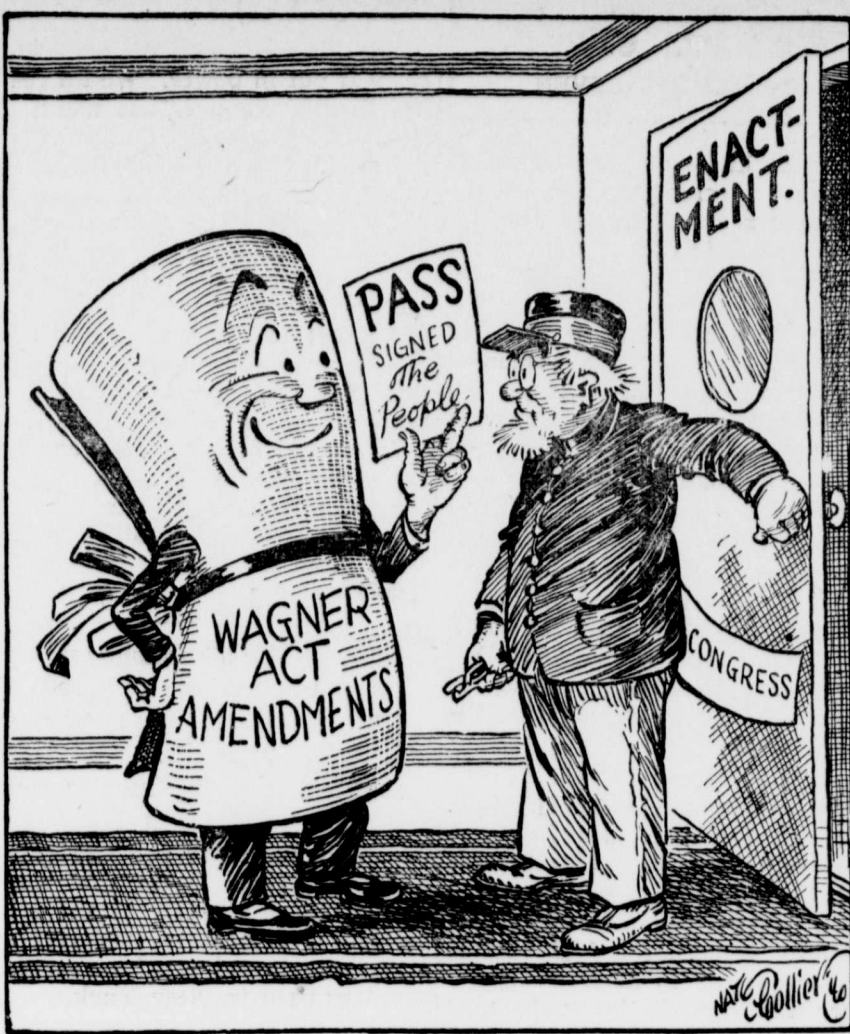
Fire Monday night destroyed a large barn on the farm of Joe J. Jones at Rugby. Some feedstuff and a Ford car belonging to Jones were also burned. Several hogs in a shed attached to the barn were driven out of the fire and saved. Origin of the blaze was not determined.

Reports also say a barn on the Buddy Kerbow place near Fulsbright burned Monday night.

JUST ONE

He: "There are a thousand reasons why I love you."
She: "My goodness!"
He: "That's one of them."

LET HIM IN!



Texas Cotton Seed May be Graded for 1940 Crop

COLLEGE STATION. — Governmental supervision of cottonseed grading and sampling—on a voluntary basis—which has been used in the Mississippi Valley for the past three seasons, may be extended to Texas and Oklahoma during the 1940 season.

This announcement was received from the USDA Agricultural Marketing Service by F. E. Lichte, cotton gin specialist of the Texas A. and M. Extension Service. The service will be placed in effect in Texas if ginners and crushers offer cooperation.

Under such a program the mills will buy seed on grade with premiums for all seed that grades above the average and discounts for inferior seed.

The grading service would be supplemented with publication of a weekly cottonseed review which would give full information as to the grades of seed sold, prices paid for wagon lots and for large lots, and current quotations on cottonseed products.

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SHORT TENURE OF SERVICE

Mistress (after giving orders for half an hour): Now are there any questions you would like to ask?
New Maid: Yessum, can I use your phone to call the depot and tell them to keep my trunk there?

M. D. Honaker, division manager of the Community Public Service Company, was in town Wednesday on business.

Deport Doctor is Burned by Alcohol

Dr. A. G. Elder yelled for a doctor Tuesday morning when a pan of alcohol overturned in his eyes. He was assisting in an operation on Mart Edwards at the Grant hospital, his foot slipped and he fell when he stepped on a slippery spot on the floor made by some spilled alcohol. A pan of alcohol overturned in his face and he suffered severe burns about the face and left eye. He is under the care of a Paris specialist.

School Election

The Talco Times is authorized to announce the following for school trustees of the Talco Independent School District, (two to be elected) subject to the will of the voters at the election on April 6, 1940:

- GUY DUNN
- W. E. KIRKHAM
- ROY MOORE
- GUY BLACKBURN

Four car loads of pine logs were shipped last week from Camp county to Louisiana to be made into paper.

FELT LIKE IT
The portly man was trying to get to his seat at the circus.
"Pardon me," he said to the woman, "did I step on your foot?"
"I imagine so," she said, after glancing at the ring; "all the elephants seem to be in the ring."

A son was born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hawkins of John-town.

SPECIALS PERMANENT WAVES



5.00 French Oil or Oil of Rose Permanent Waves, \$3.00—2 for \$5.00
\$4.00 NuArt Permanent Waves—\$2.50—2 for \$4.00
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\$1.98 to \$6.50

Print House Dresses

\$1.00 to \$1.98

Ladies Slips—

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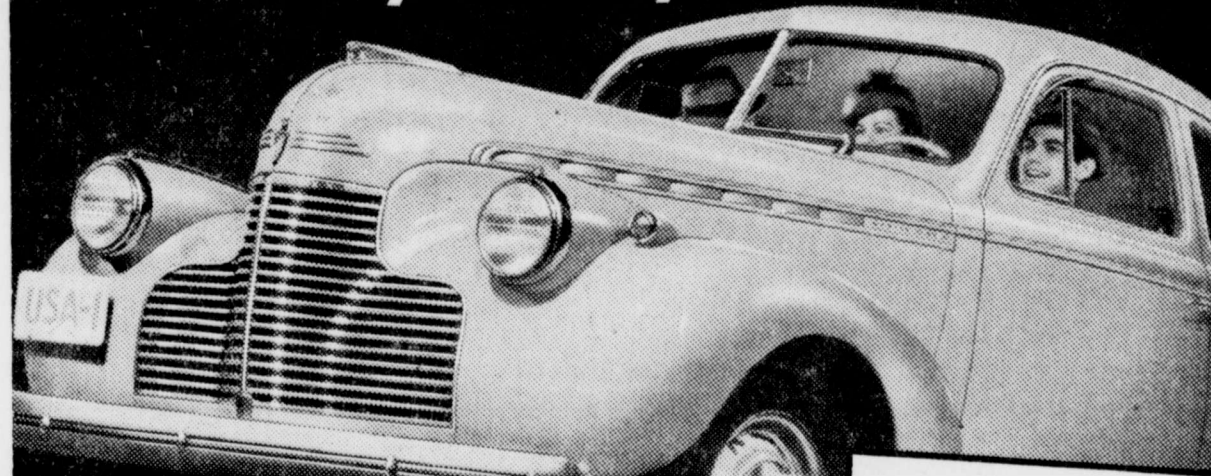
Men's Wear

Slack Suits \$2.50 to \$4.95
Shoes \$1.98-\$5.95 Hats, \$1.98-\$7.50

C. E. JONES

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IT HOLDS FIRST PLACE in Pep, Power and Pick-up among all low-priced cars!



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You drive the leader when you drive a Chevrolet for '40—the leader in pep, power and pick-up—and the leader in style, stamina and sales!

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Signed:

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INVARIABLY IN ADVANCE

Entered as second class matter March 20, 1936, at the postoffice at Talco, Texas, under Act of March 3, 1879. Absorbed The Talco News on May 1, 1938.

No charge is made for publication of notices of church services or other public gatherings where no admission is charged. Where admission is charged or where goods or wares of any kind are offered for sale the regular advertising rates will be applied.

FRIDAY, APRIL 5, 1940

HOMETOWN PRIDE

Wherever you live you should be proud of your town. Not so blindly dotting that you can't see its faults, but with complete confidence in the ability of its citizenship to correct these faults and the enthusiasm to work continually to this end. Don't let other people do all the boosting. Think of the reasons you like to live in the town. If this don't call to mind some of the many attractions, then you wouldn't be satisfied anywhere in the world. Above all things, don't depend on your newspaper to do all the boosting. Work up a little enthusiasm and do some of the telling yourself. What does it avail for the newspaper to work and plead for new citizens and increased trade territory when only a few stores back up its words with advertisements of their wares? The out-of-town person who picks up the local paper considers the establishments who are advertised as all the town possesses and he is not going to make a trip to the town to see if there are more. Even home citizens can wonder what there is to a business that is not proud enough to advertise its wares.

CATS AND DOGS

Talco Times: Snowball, a white 8-year-old tomcat belonging to W. C. Hancock of Rugby, died Sunday and his master buried him near his home on Monday. Snowball was a faithful friend and more than paid for his keep by slaying rats, according to Mr. Hancock, who says the cat was a constant companion around the house and will be greatly missed.

State Press in Dallas News: As a rule, no feline funeral is very sad. It is canine obsequies that draw the weeps. Just why it is that a cat seldom twines itself around the heart of a household, while a dog often does, has never been explained by the professional zoologists. Every beloved dog is said by its master to have "almost human intelligence." That assurance is intended as complimentary to the dog, not to the human. Yet a cat is as intelligent as a dog. The difference is that the dog is sociable. It is fond of congenial company, and when permitted follows its master around from place to place in the hope that the master will meet somebody worth while. Usually that is not the case, but the dog never complains. It accepts pot luck in its social relations. The cat, on the other hand, is a great lover of comfort but not of exercise. It prefers to purr at the hearthside rather than rove around seeking a change of scene or an uplift in society. The cat is believed to go out at night to some extent but it seems to go no farther than the back fence. Yet a cat can become very much beloved by its owner. This is especially true of the owner is inclined toward isolation. Such a one may come to the place where the cat is preferred company. We are sure this wasn't the case with Mr. Hancock. He had a strong regard for his feline friend but he was never disposed to make his home a hermitage for his cat and himself.

At a congregational meeting of the Deport Presbyterian Church on Sunday morning, Carter McKemy, student at the Presbyterian Theological Seminary in San Anselmo, Calif., was called to pastor the church.

Ain't that Sump'n

By NUMBER SEVEN

Now we know why tobacco chewing never became popular with the weaker sex. It is because women are too weak in the jaws to bite off a comforting cud from an ordinary plug. It is estimated that the biting pressure of a man is 60 to 65 pounds, while that of a woman is only 25 to 30 pounds. It is also estimated that a 60-pound biting pressure is required to sink the teeth through a tough beefsteak.

Maybe the difference in jaw-pressure accounts for Eve passing the apple to Adam and man's ability to keep a secret longer than a woman, though it must be admitted that alcohol has a decided tendency to weaken the pressure and open the vocal valves.

Women should not despair, however, for their tongues are certainly more limber and elastic than those of men. They will be reaping a victory for themselves and rendering humanity a high service if they succeed in determining the exact difference in tongue-tonnage of the male and female.

Looks like Papa O'Daniel has met his match in Ma Ferguson. Ma says she is ready to run if sufficient letters come in from the people endorsing her candidacy. Isn't that exactly what Pappa is doing? So, folks, it's time to sharpen your pencils and send those two aspirants a line, telling them to come on out or go jump in the creek—which-ever medium you consider they deserve.

Thing to do is get 'em both in the race, for then we can be sure Texas will put on the biggest show of the year. Think of Pappa out there flooding the country with mountainous music from atop his quaking pension platform, and Ma, with hubby Farmer Jim furnishing yokel color, preaching the benefits of a broader pardon program. It would be a show-down for pensions and pardons, with plenty of both probably promised by each candidate.

Heard a good, level-headed democrat say that he hoped the coming

gubernatorial election would result in a landslide victory for the ultra-conservatives, regardless of which party it put in power. We all realize, though we may not admit it, that it is high time for a change in political policy if we are to retain a decent representative form of government. If the present policy of selling the power of the people to a small minority is continued, you and I may live to see our constitutional rights swept away and one man rule this country according to the dictates of a powerful pressure group. Two things that talk loudest in any man's country are money and armaments. Separate the people from money and they turn to armaments; separate them from both and they become helpless slaves.

A New York publisher named Henry Luce, was arrested in Texas last week for squandering Life, Time and Fortune. Joking aside, Mr. Luce is publisher of those magazines and came to Texas to see the great East Texas oil field. Mr. Luce is a brother to Mrs. Maurice T. Moore, wife of a former Deport boy, now member of a prominent law firm in New York.

MAY PRORATION HEARING SCHEDULED APRIL 18

The Railroad Commission Wednesday announced a state-wide oil proration hearing in Austin, April 18.

Evidence taken at the hearing will be considered in setting a state production order for May.

PENSIONS TO AVERAGE \$9.69 FOR APRIL

Old-age pension checks, to be mailed about mid-April, will average \$9.69, an increase of 29c over March. With a decline of 39c over March, 119,349 checks aggregating \$1,156,634 will be issued this month.

TRY IT SOMETIME!

Old Fashion Miss: "I wouldn't take a back seat for any man."
Modern Miss: "Then you don't know the fun you're missing."

EDITORIALLY SPEAKING

BURT LOCKHART
in Pittsburg Gazette

Every time Italy thinks of the coal deal England has given her she gets hot under the collar.

A million Texas voters are wondering if the next campaign will be of the ballyhoo, hillbilly band type.

Those on the way up meet so many on the way down they wonder if the trip is really worth the climb.

After hearing both sides of a question you often wonder how a fellow could be expected to believe either.

It was Poor Richard who said that you can't fly with the owls at night and keep up with the eagles in the daytime.

England has called for more expensive money to carry on the war. This time she wants \$2,800,000,000. The people pay.

Even an ex-ruler is not to be pitied. There is Kaiser Bill who owns a hundred dollars worth of property and it is tax-free.

It is no trouble to find a man who will run on the democratic ticket. The trouble lies in keeping him democratic after he gets in office.

Japan is mad again. This time because the United States loaned China twenty million dollars. And just think! Last year we sold Japan \$35,000,000 worth of scrap iron with which to make shells to kill Chinamen!

A man should not kid himself into believing that because he has no property he is paying no taxes. The Taxpayer's Digest has discovered that a man who earns eighteen dollars a week and owns no taxable property pays an average of one hundred and twelve dollars a year in taxes.

Poultry is Worth \$45,000,000 to Texas Farmers

COLLEGE STATION. — Poultry production in Texas is a \$45,000,000 industry.

A check-up of figures from the USDA of agricultural economics and the bureau of census shows that poultry ranks fourth as a source of agricultural income in Texas. Behind cotton, beef cattle and dairying, but ahead of hogs, horses, mules, sheep and goats, wheat, oats, grain sorghum, rice, peanuts, potatoes, onions, pecans and citrus.

Cotton brings in around \$125,000,000, beef cattle \$100,000,000, dairy products \$80,000,000, hogs \$30,000,000, sheep, both wool and lambs \$30,000,000, goats \$7,000,000, mules \$6,500,000 and horses \$4,000,000.

Texas ranks first in the United States in turkey production and fifth in chicken production, including eggs.

We certainly would feel sorry for the meek if they should inherit the earth. It would take just about all of it to pay income taxes and war debts.

Airplanes that can make round trips from Europe to the United States on bombing expeditions are said to be in the making. But don't get excited at this news. No airplane is so good but that American inventors can make better ones.

SEND CHANGES OF ADDRESS PROMPTLY

Times subscribers are asked to notify the subscription department promptly of any changes in their addresses. Under the new postal laws, newspapers and periodicals must pay postage due for notices of any changes in address furnished by the postoffice. In addition, there is also the problem of delay in delivery or failure to get the paper. The best plan is to send the change of address in advance.

A SIGN... Worth Your Attention

In very small type at the bottom of a piece of printing, you very frequently see the words, Talco Times—Print.

These words mean the printing was done in the plant of The Talco Times. But they mean more than that. They mean that the buyer of the printing contributed toward the genuine business life of Talco. When you buy printing from The Talco Times you patronize a business which is sincerely working in behalf of Talco and Titus county. You patronize a business whose employes and owner spend more than \$300 a month right here in Talco.

When you buy printing from The Talco Times, you put money in circulation in Talco. But more than that, you assist a newspaper which is trying to be an asset to this area, which is constantly improving itself in the interest of its readers and its patronizers, which is never too tired to champion any worthwhile project for Talco and Titus county.

Moreover, you assist a newspaper which believes it has the ability and the effectiveness to be of genuine service to Talco, if it is given a chance to grow and expand.

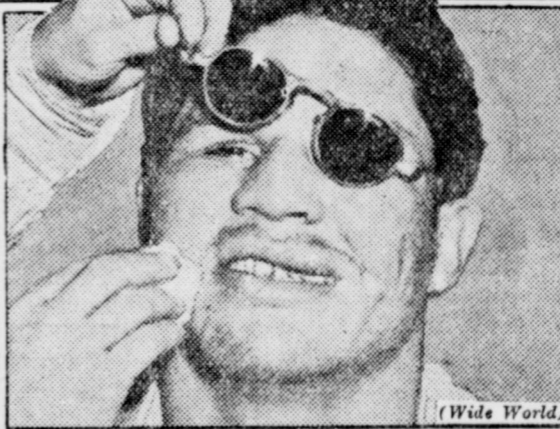
For these reasons, we believe we are entitled to say that those who are interested in the future of Talco will recognize the value of buying printing bearing the sign:—

Talco Times—Print

People and Spots in the Late News



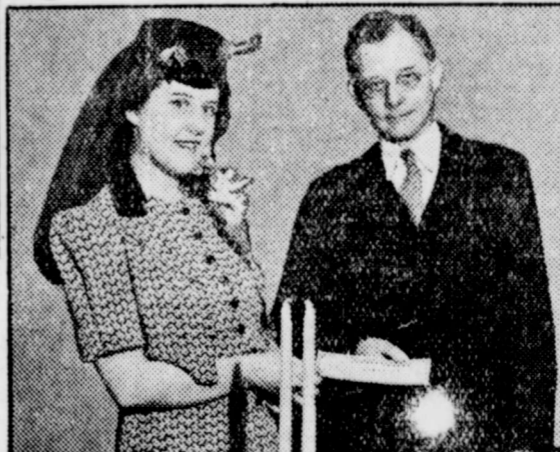
TRENCH COAT . . . Influence of white robings of Europe's snow soldiers is being felt in U. S. women's fashions, with this white gabardine trench coat, modeled by film actress Isa Miranda, as brilliant example. White leather buttons, antelope gloves and beret, gauzy scarf complete ensemble.



GLAD GLADIATOR . . . Though it took a good bit of swabbing to soothe his battered face, Arturo Godoy, Chilean heavyweight, looked at the world through rose-colored glasses, literally and figuratively, after amazing performance of going 15 rounds with Champion Joe Louis without getting knocked off his feet, even getting vote of one judge.



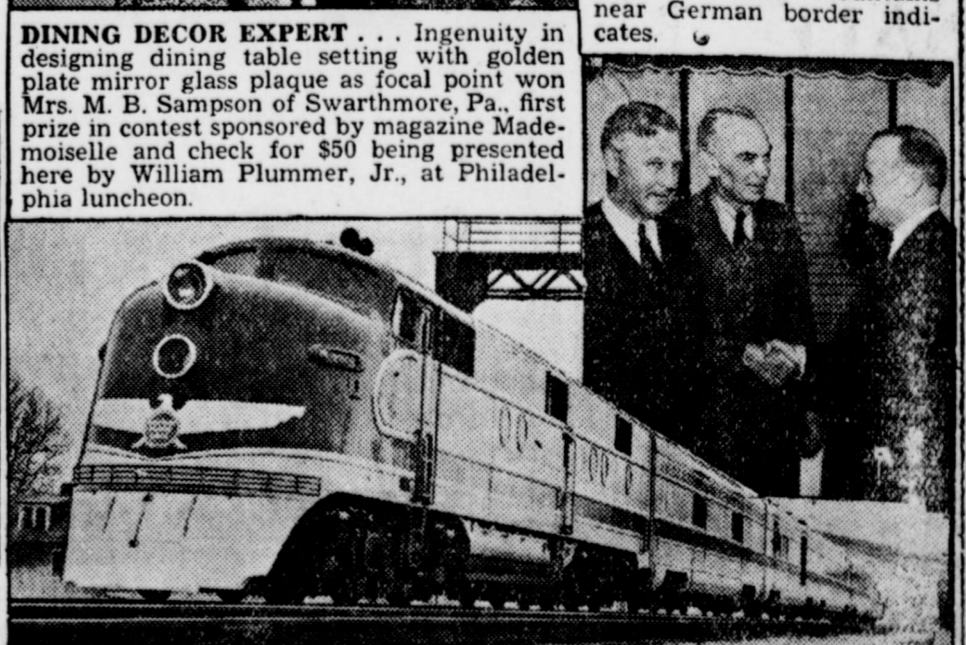
SKI-DEVIL . . . Not all French soldiers are underground in the Maginot line, as this shot of picturesque, double-goated member of ski brigade of famed "Blue Devils" on patrol duty in snow-covered mountains near German border indicates.



DINING DECOR EXPERT . . . Ingenuity in designing dining table setting with golden plate mirror glass plaque as focal point won Mrs. M. B. Sampson of Swarthmore, Pa., first prize in contest sponsored by magazine Made-moiselle and check for \$50 being presented here by William Plummer, Jr., at Philadelphia luncheon.



'HEIL BUTCH' . . . They used to call this kind of upper-lip coloration a Charley Chaplin, but nowadays the odd little mustache of "Butch," pet cat of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Henley of Boston is regarded more as an animated caricature of Fuehrer Hitler.



NATION'S NEWEST . . . streamlined train, Missouri Pacific's aluminum alloy "Eagle," was pronounced ready to enter high-speed service, with its twin, between St. Louis, Kansas City and Omaha on March 10. Inset, left to right: P. J. Neff, road's traffic head; John W. Lawler of American Car and Foundry, builder, and Roy A. Hunt, president of Aluminum Company of America, supplier of materials.

LOCAL NEWS
PHONE 101
MAMIE HARDIN, Reporter

Dan Hazelwood is employed in Sherman this week.

Mrs. W. H. Crawford visited friends in Paris Monday.

J. E. Croley made a business trip to Gladewater on Monday.

Mrs. J. R. Lee and son, J. B. were in Paris Friday on business.

Ernest Smith attended motorcycle races in Shreveport, La., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Morgan visited relatives in Gladewater on Monday.

Otto Holland attended a refrigerator school in Paris on Tuesday.

Jack Caruthers of Mt. Pleasant, made a business trip to Talco on Tuesday.

Bill Walker motored to Dallas on Wednesday to buy new spring merchandise.

R. R. Kelley made a trip to Paris Tuesday afternoon for medical examination.

Luther Gieger of Mt. Vernon, was in Talco Thursday visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Canterberry of Longview, were in Talco Tuesday visiting friends.

Mrs. H. F. Teague has returned home from a Paris hospital, after a major operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brown visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Welch.

Mrs. Ann Stewart has moved here from Dallas to make her home with her son, Ray Stewart.

Mrs. C. M. Williams was carried to Paris for hospital and surgical treatment this week.

Ralph Gannaway, son of Mrs. Marie Gannaway, has enlisted in the U. S. Army at Dallas.

Mrs. L. O. Holloway and Mrs. W. D. Ward made a business trip to Gladewater on Monday.

Mrs. Oscar McFerrin spent the week in Mt. Pleasant, visiting her son, Jimmie and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Buchanan of Mt. Pleasant, visited Mr. Buchanan's father here Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Spruill visited in Mt. Pleasant Tuesday with her grandmother, Mrs. C. G. Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Neely of Tulsa, Okla., spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Wheeler and Miss Mary Ganaway transacted business in Greenville Thursday.

Mrs. Chester Finley spent the week end in Bonham with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Cline.

Percie Griffin left Saturday for KMA, where he will be in charge of the Decker Supply Co. store.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Greathouse of Dallas, are visiting in the home of Mrs. W. T. Edwards this week.

A. W. Slaid of Matador, visited Sunday with his daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Croley.

Mrs. B. W. Simmons has returned home from a Paris hospital with her infant daughter, Frances Geraldine.

D. W. Cornelius of Shreveport, La., is visiting in the home of his brother, Edward Cornelius and wife this week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Spruill visited friends and relatives in Shreveport, La., Sunday.

H. H. Holmes and family of Paris, visited Sunday and Monday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hazelwood.

A son was born Monday night to Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Miller of the Lavada community. The baby weighed 8 3/4 pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. John Northam spent Sunday afternoon in Naples visiting Mrs. Northam's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Kin Thigpen.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Powell of Longview, were guests Sunday in the home of her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Gilbreath.

An eight-pound son, who has been named Robert Jackson, was born Saturday in a Paris hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Carter and daughter, Christine, spent the week end in Dallas with their son and brother, Truett Carter and wife.

Mrs. Ted Taylor, who underwent an operation in a Texarkana hospital last week, is improving and will be brought to her home Sunday.

Mrs. W. T. Sullivan, Mrs. Pat Davis and Mrs. Minnie Davis motored to Paris on Friday, where Mrs. Minnie Davis received medical treatment.

Twenty-six marriage licenses were reported in Red River county in March, eleven more than reported for the corresponding month last year and eight above the February total.

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WILKINSON
By MRS. F. T. WARD

Grandpa Pleas Elder, who has been visiting his granddaughter, Mrs. A. T. Blalock, returned to his home at Pine Hill Sunday. He was accompanied by A. T. Blalock and son, Wesley, who came back Sunday.

Thomas and Abb Smith Jr. of Mt. Pleasant, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abb Smith.

Mrs. Price and son, Louis, went to Winfield Monday.

Mrs. Elinor Horn spent Monday in Mt. Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Ward visited in Winfield and Mt. Pleasant Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Abb Smith went to New Hope Monday to visit her parents for a few days.

There were 84 at Sunday school and 70 at BTU Sunday.

The WMS observed last Tuesday as Visitation Day, the members calling on the sick.

We have been asked to announce a sing-song at this place on the afternoon of the second Sunday in April. All singers are cordially invited.

The basketball boys sponsored a pie supper Thursday night and netted a nice sum to be used in buying jackets for the players. Members of the Talco High School Band rendered a very appropriate concert, which was enjoyed very much.

Mrs. Winnie Bragg, Mrs. Grace Riddle and little daughter, Sammie, visited the former's daughter, Mrs. Hughey Crooks, at Midway on Monday.

WANT ADS

Rates: 2 cents per word first insertion; 1 cent per word each additional insertion. No ad accepted for less than 25 cents.

FOR SALE—Blackland hay. First year Hurley Rowden cotton seed. Delivered. Fred Swint, Deport. tf-c

HEAVY blackland corn and prairie hay for sale. Jess Gifford, at silo, two miles east Deport on Jno. G. Wright farm. tf-c

FREE—We will give absolutely free a copy of the Special School and Oil Edition with each yearly subscription to The Talco Times.

FOR SALE—Used Farmall F-14 new motor, \$450.00. Used D-35 International truck. Runs and looks good. For horses and mules, see us. Daffer Truck & Implement Company, Mt. Pleasant, Texas, Ph. 417.

IN AND ABOUT YOUR HOME you probably have a variety of articles such as: Furniture, garden tools, ice box, baby carriage, musical instruments, electrical appliances, and numerous other odds and ends. We know that there is a market for these things and offer to turn them into cash.

YOUNG PEOPLE TO HAVE OUTING AT PARK

The Young People's Class, which meets on Sunday afternoon at the Church of Christ, will assemble on Friday evening at 7:00 o'clock at the church for an outing at the city park. Each member of the class will bring necessary supplies for the members of his group.

The Liberty Bell was cracked on July 8, 1835, while tolling during the funeral of John Marshall, chief justice of the United States, who died in Philadelphia.

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Joel MacCrea, Nancy Kelly in "HE MARRIED HIS WIFE" plus Oregon Trail, Ray Whitley in "Bandits & Ballads"

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Official Statement of Financial Condition of
The Talco State Bank

At Talco, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 26th day of March, 1940, published in The Talco Times, a newspaper printed and published at Talco, State of Texas, on the 5th day of April, 1940.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts, on personal or collateral security	\$59,730.34
Loans secured by real estate	1,375.00
Overdrafts	117.29
Securities of U. S., any State or political subdivision thereof	8,297.82
Other bonds and stocks owned	28,839.33
Customers' bonds held for safekeeping	9,100.00
Banking House	2,100.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1,300.00
Real Estate owned, other than banking house	4.00
Cash and due from approved reserve agents	63,410.32
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check on demand	392.23
Other Resources (Itemize)	1.00
TOTAL	\$174,667.33

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$20,000.00
Income Debentures sold	\$10,000.00
Total Capital Structure	\$ 30,000.00
Surplus Fund	5,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	5,278.53
Reserve for Debentures	2,000.00
Individual Deposits subject to check, including time deposits due in 30 days	108,751.82
State Funds on Deposit	13,825.65
Cashier's Checks Outstanding	711.33
Customers' bonds deposited for safekeeping	9,100.00
TOTAL	\$174,667.33

STATE OF TEXAS, }
County of Titus } We, E. S. Lilienstern, as President, and Dick Rodgers, as Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.
E. S. LILIENSTERN, President
DICK RODGERS, Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of April, A. D. 1940.
E. UNSSELL,
Notary Public, Titus County, Texas.

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Reader Interest

The Times is ordered (and paid for) and is not an unwelcome intruder on the premises or in the mail box. It is eagerly awaited by the reader who desires to keep abreast of the happenings in the community—including news concerning merchandise . . . prices and services offered by stores and firms. Nothing else can take its place as an advertising medium and business getter for local merchants. Nothing else can compare with the moderate cost of coverage or in satisfactory results obtained. The Times has reader interest, prestige, confidence of its readers . . . all essentials in an advertising medium. Advertising, to be effective, must have QUALITY as well as quantity.

The Talco Times
Advertising—Commercial Printing

NOBODY'S BUSINESS

By JULIAN CAPERS, JR.

AUSTIN.—Speaking from Mexican radio station, "where there ain't no Ten Commandments," and no libel laws, either, Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel announced this week that in addition to the 800 newspapers in Texas, which all along have been unfair to him, the radio stations now are unfair, too. So he is going to launch the O'Daniel News, a weekly with no advertisements, so he can get his message over to the people, at 25 cents for a four months' subscription. Do you remember the World War story about the mother who was watching a regiment in which her son was a rookie, march by? She remarked: "Look, they're all out of step but Bill." Could Lee O' maybe be out of step?

Gubernatorial Candidate Jerry Sadler isn't the kind of candidate who would try to improve on a system that works. His opening radio campaign "program," including speaking by Jerry, a Hill-Billy band, and his cousin, Harley Sadler, a professional tent showman as master of ceremonies, will go on the air this week. The same trappings worked for Jerry two years ago, when he dined the veteran C. V. Terrell, and they also worked for Lee O. So Jerry plans to let well-enough alone.

Albert Derden's press agent stirred up feeble publicity this week, when he staged an acrimonious newspaper debate between Albert and H. L. McKee, Port Arthur legislator, over Derden's right to use McKee's "copyrighted" plan for paying pensions by repealing the gasoline tax, and enacting a 1-cent tax on all gasoline refined in Texas. McKee, running for State Treasurer, claims the plan is his. Derden says you can't copyright an idea, and anyway, he claims McKee didn't originate it.

Ernest Thompson, unannounced candidate for Governor, invited folks to send him post cards expressing their opinions on his platform plan to tax oil a "nickel for Grandma" to pay pensions. Ernest also cracked the newspaper headlines a couple of other times, once when Secretary Harold Ickes declined to be introduced by him at Ickes' Kilgore speech, and once when he talked to Baylor University's red-head club.

Workers Protest WPA Waste

Because sponsors of many WPA jobs throughout Texas and the nation are effecting impressive savings to taxpayers and protecting for regular workers their jobs by contracting their relief projects, there seems to be reason to expect the new WPA-Relief bill in Congress will further restrict some wasteful phases of the WPA administration. Laborers and leaders of the construction alike are protesting the excessive and costly invasion of private industry in the name of relief. The Texas Highway Department leads the nation's roll of sponsors who have taken much of the needless waste out of WPA relief. Many Texas cities have done likewise. Workers, union and unorganized, who have had their jobs taken away by WPA invasion of regular construction fields, are besieging Congress for reform under the new relief bill.

When the county road bond assumption bill, passed at the last session, was being lobbied through, its advocates said it would relieve counties of the heavy road bond obligation. As finally passed, it gave the counties the option of spending the money on county roads, or paying it on their county road debt. So far, 40 counties have exercised their option. Four of them elected to pay it on their debt, and relieve county taxpayers. The others decided to spend it on county roads, giving lots of jobs to voters during the campaign year, and phooey on the taxpayers! Lots of county commissioners' courts haven't decided yet what they will do with theirs; if you want to know how much your county has coming, and whether your court has decided to pay debts or gravel the roads with it, a post card to the Board of County Road Bond Indebtedness at Austin, will bring the answer.

Congressman Wright Patman of Texarkana, the man who is sponsoring a Federal law to destroy chain stores by confiscatory taxes, ran into trouble on two fronts this week. First, a subcommittee of the House Ways and Means committee reported his chain-store destruction bill is unconstitutional. Second, in his home district, Dick Waters, State Insurance Commissioner, who as a member of Jimmie Allred's official family, helped enact a state chain-store bill that brings the state a nice crop of golden eggs annually, but doesn't kill the chain-store goose, is waging a red-hot campaign in the No. 1 district for Patman's Congressional seat. Waters' activity in the district promises no rest for Patman during the hot weather.

AUSTIN.—Although Albert Derden, Marlin legislator who led the fight against SJR 12 (the sales tax amendment O'Daniel supported) in the last legislature, raised the curtain on the gubernatorial race last week, with his opening address at Washington-on-the-Brazos, there was every indication this will be a short, intensive campaign.

Derden is an able, serious, intelligent young lawyer, well versed in legislative procedure, taxation and with considerable natural talent for leadership. He enjoys the high regard of his fellow citizens in Falls county, and the respect of his legislative colleagues and Texas could go far and do worse in selecting a governor. Derden's publicity during the tax fight was helpful, but he faces a rather large handicap, as a

14-100ths of an Ounce



Oscar Johnston of Scott, Miss., president of the National Cotton Council, points out that an increase of 14/100ths of an ounce of cotton per capita per day in the United States would increase domestic consumption 750,000 bales. The Cotton Council, now launching its 1940 domestic consumption program, is seeking to reach that goal as the

first step would represent a ten per cent increase and would come within a few hundred bales of reaching the all-time high. Mr. Johnston predicts that as a result of activities planned by the raw cotton industry through the Council, domestic consumption of cotton will reach ten million bales within the next few years.

little-known candidate making his first state race.

Col. E. O. Thompson has indicated he will announce, but will delay his start until late April or May. Nothing further has been heard from Jerry Sadler since he told reporters he would run. Harry Hines is still making Chamber of Commerce speeches around the state, but has scheduled no campaign talks since his announcement. The dogwood is blooming in East Texas.

Sensible Talk

Bernard J. Smith, research engineer of Fort Worth, speaking to a regional conference on citizenship in Dallas last week, said:

"We can't be national democrats and local panhandlers. Government is the sum total of democratic processes in the towns. Government cannot be wet nurse to us for every conceivable phase of our existence. That is what we have been demanding. We invited paternalism and if entrenched bureaucracy results, ours is the blame. When we take the incubus of wet nursing our social habits, our economic existence, off the shoulders of Uncle Sam in Washington, then that gentleman will be in far better shape to attend to the business we have delegated to the Federal government."

Some of these days, somebody is going to take the time and trouble to find out what it would actually cost to build a new city hall, or swimming pool, or pave its streets, if the city paid the cost, advertised for bids, let a contract to a private contractor who could do the job efficiently without red tape and sil-

ly rules emanating from a Washington Bureau. Then that cost is going to be compared with what it costs the other way, and these 40 and 50 and 60 per cent Federal "grants," that "cost nothing," are going to be revealed in their true light. For 2,000 years, people have been getting about what they paid for in this world, and the rules haven't been changed, not even by the WPA. You can't get something for nothing honestly, no matter who says you can.

Farley Comes to Texas

The announcement by James A. Farley, postmaster general, Democratic national chairman and Roosevelt's political brains, that he (Farley) is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for president, lends added interest to Farley's forthcoming visit to Texas, where he will attend the postal convention at Marshall, visit Dallas, Hillsboro, College Station, Longview, Tyler and Marlin.

The political wiseacres here hold the following opinions, which may or may not be right: The announcement proves Roosevelt will not accept a third term nomination; there is no "break" between the President and Farley; Farley will not join us, as predicted with the Garner movement; that the rumors that he will, because he is being entertained in Texas by Gene Germany, State Democratic chairman, and Garner sponsor, are silly, because the state chairman is the only logical host for the National Chairman on a visit to Texas.

Pattonville Man Dies Tuesday

G. D. Castleberry, 61, died at his residence one mile north of Pattonville Tuesday at 5:30 p. m. Born Dec. 4, 1879, in Anniston, Ala., he was married Nov. 7, 1910, to Miss Lillie Blackmon. He is survived by his wife and one son, Robert Castleberry; two sisters, Mrs. W. F. Shotts of Tipton, Okla., and Mrs. Fannie Ford of Blossom; one brother, Harve Castleberry of Blossom.

Funeral services, under the direction of J. M. Grant Funeral Home, were held at 2 p. m. Wednesday at the grave in Blossom, conducted by Rev. B. F. Leneer of Blossom. Pallbearers were Jimmie Smith, Ernest Smith, Arthur Woodall, Earl Mazy, Houston Steel and Charlie Day.

Finland's trouble was due to the fact that she could not coin the world's sympathy into bullets.

REGULAR GUEST
Sergeant (at police station):
"What! You back again?"
Prisoner: "Yes, sir. Any letters?"



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TALCO, TEXAS
at Close of Business, March 26th, 1940

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$ 61,105.34
Overdrafts	117.29
Banking House	2,100.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1,300.00
Other Real Estate	4.00
Customers Bonds Held for Safe-keeping	9,100.00
AVAILABLE CASH	
Cash and Exchange	\$63,803.55
Bonds and Warrants	37,137.15— 100,940.70
TOTAL	\$174,667.33
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$20,000.00
Debentures	10,000.00— 30,000.00
Surplus and Profits	12,278.53
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DEPOSITS	123,288.80
TOTAL	\$174,667.33

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Hines Would Re-Establish Relations With The Press

NAPLES.—Harry Hines of Wichita Falls, Highway Commissioner and candidate for Governor of Texas, declared here Tuesday night he would, as Governor, "maintain an open door policy to newspaper correspondents and editors since they have been, and are the informers of the people as to what is being done by the chief executive and other state departments."

Hines, as the speaker at a meeting of the Morris County Posts of the American Legion, talked on "Liberty and its two chief allies—Freedom of Speech and Freedom of the Press."

"Condemning attempts on the part of anyone 'to abuse or discredit the press in an effort to shake the faith of the public in their long established knowledge that the newspapers are their means of definite information,'" Hines, who is completing his six year appointive term as State Highway Commissioner, said:

"We should get back to the good method of co-operation between the Governor's office, not only with the Legislature and State administrative departments, but with the press and newspaper correspondents as well, for after all they are the public's means of daily learning accurately what is being done, or taking place in Austin, the State capital."

"As Governor," continued Hines, "one of the first things I would do would be to re-establish the custom of holding press conferences with the correspondents stationed in Austin for the purpose of sending accurate dispatches and reports to the newspapers in every city and county of our vast state. Also, I would be glad to confer with any newspaper correspondent or the editor of any daily or weekly newspaper at other times relative to any special inquiry they might have."

"The press conference custom is followed in Washington by the President and other high government officials and also in most all state capitals. It should be gotten back to in Texas as well. It is an essential part of our modern day life. The need is plain."

"The newspaper correspondents at the state capital representing the three principal press or news associations and the various newspapers are veterans of much experience in covering the state departments and sending their papers, for the people of Texas and the nation to read and be appraised of, reports of actions by officials, State Boards, Commissions and Courts."

Newspaper correspondents and editors throughout the state see governors and other officials of different administrations come and go as the years pass. They are not particularly interested in any of them as individuals, but merely chronicle their acts and official performances so that the people may definitely be informed of what their public servants are doing.

"How long, gentlemen, have you been a subscriber to your local newspaper? There are men in this audience who for 15 years or more have paid their money for their subscription to their home town paper, to receive it day by day, or week by week. And, after all, people don't spend their money except for buying what they want."

"I take it you gentlemen, as all other citizens, purchase and subscribe to newspapers to keep abreast of the times and for educational and informative information, since newspapers are a popular source of information."

"News relative to international affairs, current events, national, state and local happenings, markets, commerce, industry, agriculture and

social and spiritual enlightenment are found in their columns."

"And that is why the Texas and other American newspapers are subscribed to by the average individual. So, it follows, the people must believe in the American press."

"The press of Texas is manned by editors who are ruggedly independent and stand for a democratic government strictly limited to its sphere, a government to be respected and honored because of its competency and readiness to protect the rights and guard the interests of its citizenship. If such is the case, and I am sure it is, God forgive those who would lead us into a wilderness of economic thought."

"We have only to look to warring Europe and the dictators over there to see what happens to liberty when freedom of the press and speech is throttled. Those millions of people in the dictator states have been deprived of liberty and are regimented, herded about and thrown into war to die only because the rulers control the press and let the people read only what they want them to know."

"Perhaps some state or other public officials over here might like to see the same system prevail here to further promote their ends. Perhaps there are those who would like to have the public read or hear only what they wanted them to know. Such people approve and welcome subservient newspapers that only praise such an official's conduct in office and never dare to print even constructive criticism."

"That, however, is not my conception of what our forefathers fought for more than 100 years ago to bring freedom to Texas, or the American revolutionists battled for to establish this great nation of liberty, with freedom of speech and the press its two cardinal principles, or you veterans went to France during the World War to preserve."

"For almost six years as State Highway Commissioner I have noted that the press of Texas has been very fair in its criticism of the Highway Department. Also, its suggestions and constructive criticism, when made, have been very valuable. The confidence the press has expressed in our department and our official conduct as Highway Commissioner has spurred us on to do the very best job we could. This should always be the case, from the smallest public office on through the governorship."

"Thus, the press of Texas is not only the means of accurately keeping the people informed, but our newspapers also help give us good government."

"As a young man I was secretary to a gentleman whose years as a newspaperman prepared him to give a very definite contribution to the public, and from those days down to now, I have recognized in our press a medium of education and an information factor not otherwise available to the general public."

"The millions of people of our state and nation get their definite information, in black and white, as mentioned before, on important political, social, economic, domestic, industrial and financial subjects from the newspapers, uncensored."

"So it is that the newspaper men and women and the editors of today throughout Texas and the rest of our nation are carrying on the campaign you veterans went across the Atlantic to fight for—the campaign to keep freedom of speech and freedom of the press the bulwarks of liberty in this greatest of all states and countries."

"As your governor I would ever

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HALESBORO

The WHD Club met Tuesday, March 26 in the home of Mrs. Horace Jeffus. A program on improving your English was carried out. Those present were Mmes. M. E. Jeffus, J. C. Davis, Floyd Chesshire, Maurice Hobbs, Horace Jeffus and Philip Hobbs. The next meeting will be with Mrs. J. C. Davis on April 9.

Mrs. John Franks and children of Deport, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Buster Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Quinton and Raymond Wright were visitors in the Tucker Quinton home at Bogata Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wells Johnson and daughter of Reno, visited her mother, Mrs. W. B. Allen, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hobbs and children of Bogata, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Hobbs.

E. E. Woodall and Horace Jeffus were in Commerce Saturday on business.

The heaviest rain of the season fell here Friday. It was of benefit to crops and gardens.

The school enjoyed a picnic on April 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hobbs and son, Connie Mac, and Mr. and Mrs. Lum Fennell were Paris visitors Monday.

Floyd Chesshir has been attending the bedside of Mart Edwards of Lone Oak, who is seriously ill.

RED RIVER CO. HOSPITAL SUPERINTENDENT RESIGNS

Resignation of Mrs. C. A. Barney, superintendent of the Red River county hospital during its three years of operation has been tendered to the board of directors. She has assumed a position as head of a private hospital at Natchitoches, La.

my part to help keep these sterling principles alive and functioning freely."

CUNNINGHAM

Rev. David Biddle, pastor of the Pentecostal church, has resigned and he and Mrs. Biddle will leave this week for Gilmer, where he will be pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Joe Fowler and daughter, Barbara Nell, spent Saturday and Sunday in the home of her mother, Mrs. John Allen.

Rev. Leonard Coker of Paris, filled his appointment at the Church of Christ Sunday.

Rev. Curtis Hoover will preach at the Baptist church Sunday. Everyone is invited to hear him.

Joe Bell of Hutsonville, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Bell.

Lyle Dorries and Graydon Wyatt, who are attending school in Commerce, spent the week end with their parents here.

Fifteen schools were invited to attend the ball meet at Cunningham Monday.

A play titled "Home Sweet Home," will be presented at the assembly program by the 9th grade Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Temple were Saturday and Sunday guests of her brother, Fred Allen and family at Hutsonville.

Mr and Mrs. Raymond Roach and children of Pattonville, spent Saturday and Sunday in the Lee Roach home.

Almer Norwood and family spent the week end in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Norwood of Independence.

LARGE PERCENT COLLEGE STUDENTS WERE FORMER 4-H CLUB MEMBERS

Thirty-six per cent of the students of home economics and agriculture at state agricultural colleges are former 4-H Club members, statistics in a national club magazine reveal. Of 1,000 former 4-H Club boys studied, 65 per cent are in agriculture and in teaching.

McCRURY

J. N. Roddy of Taylortown, is making preparations to move his saw mill here. It will be located at the road approach near the Ringo crossing on Sulphur river. They have the corrals and mill shack finished and are getting logs ready to be sawed. Mr. Roddy has been ill, which has delayed moving of the mill.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Abernathy, Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Hammett and children, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Burns and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Emmons Abernathy surprised Will Abernathy of Mabry with a dinner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Brymer had as guests over the week end Mr. and Mrs. Ocie Mauldin and son of Jolntown.

Harvey Dee Brown and Floyd McCrury visited Eunice and Lewis Brown, Hugh Riley Forester and Miss Clifford McCrury in Commerce over the week end.

A school picnic with lunch was enjoyed by parents and students April 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Evans have been entertaining a daughter since March 15.

Cecil Blasingame of Ft. Worth, visited his wife, who teaches at Mt. Livingston, and they spent the week end with her father, C. P. Tuck.

Mrs. Irene Woodle visited in Paris on Tuesday and Wednesday of last week. A great aunt, Mrs. R. F. Stevenson of Paris, returned with her for a visit. R. F. Stevenson and Mr. and Mrs. Neal Breakfield of Fought, spent Sunday with them, and accompanied her home.

A truck belonging to Buster Gifford of Bogata, burned on the highway here Saturday night. The cause of the blaze was not learned.

Miss Wilma Meacham is ill with ulcerated throat.

The WHD Club met with Mrs. Wilburn Keith on Tuesday afternoon. Refreshments of cookies and hot chocolate were served to members: Mmes. J. A. Johnson, C. E. Cathcart, J. N. Cooper, H. Hammett, H. L. Anderson, J. L. Woodle, Roy Leftwich, G. C. Keith, H. B. Burns, Emmons Abernathy, Miss Christine Webster and two visitors, Mrs. D. M. Anderson and Miss Ellen Bartlett.

John Tate is Sold to Seattle Rainers

John Tate, 23-year-old right-handed rookie hurler of the Detroit Tigers, was sold to the Seattle Rainers Tuesday night for \$1,500.

Tate, previously with Beaumont of the Texas League, will join the Seattle team at its training camp in San Francisco. Tried for the past few seasons by the Tigers, Tate was found in need of more minor league seasoning.

Tate is the son of Dr. and Mrs. R. A. Tate, former Talco residents.

NOT A FLAT

Dad: "You were out very late with this car last night. Did you have a flat tire?"

Son: "No, I'd have been home real early if she had been."

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HUMBLE CAMP NEWS

NEVA SLAID, Reporter

Mrs. J. W. Gibson of Overton, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Floyd Parish.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McNair and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Willis were shopping in Mt. Pleasant Friday.

Mrs. W. W. Kendrick entertained the Thursday Bridge Club this week. Guests were: Mmes. V. A. Dean, L. O. Holloway, L. J. Marsalis, Charles Russell, Roberts, Little and A. R. Slaughter. Mrs. Roberts won high. Refreshments consisted of ginger bread with whipped cream and Coca-Cola.

Robert Miller Kendrick and Tommy Rhodes are ill at their homes. We wish both a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Sockwell returned Thursday from Dallas, where they visited their son, who is stationed at Love Field in the air corps.

Mrs. W. E. Chapman and children visited Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Stuart and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Haines in London Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Foster and sons, Gerald and Murry, visited Mrs. Foster's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Morgan, at Maud, Sunday.

A. W. Slaid of Matador, visited his family over the week end.

Mrs. Clarence Donahue and son, LaVerne Taylor, visited his sister, Miss Bernice Taylor at Winthrop, Ark., recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Richeson and daughter, Joyce Ann, are visiting relatives and shopping in Fort Worth.

Mrs. W. E. Chapman and children shopped in Mt. Pleasant Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Ray and daughter, Bonnie Nell, visited Mr. and Mrs. Cletes Tolar at London Sunday.

T. V. Clark is making his home with his nephew, John D. Clark. Mr. Clark is a former New London resident.

Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Roberts visited Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Holley in Overton over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith and daughter, Jerry Lynn, visited Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. Kimball at Lake Charles, La., over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Upton Henderson and daughter, Vera, shopped in Mt. Pleasant Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Slaughter and Mr. and Mrs. V. P. Adkins shopped in Paris Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Johnson and daughter, Mary Helen, visited Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Johnson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Phillips honored their daughter, Ruth Ann, on her sixteenth birthday with a surprise birthday party. Present were: Lois Jean Kirkham, Ouida Slaid, Mary Helen Johnson, Shirley Henderson, Bessie Fay Kelley, Mary Louise Kelley, Zenith Steele, Vera Henderson, Martha Lee Fuller, Rhunette Fuller and the honoree, Ruth Ann. A Chinese checker game was played in which the winner of the evening, Ouida Slaid, was presented with a prize. Coconut cake and hot chocolate were served.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Ray entertained Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Hensley and son, Raymond Jr., with a ride to Mt. Pleasant in their new Packard car Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Slaughter visited in Mt. Pleasant Sunday.

S. W. Frugia is ill at his home. His friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Nance Farrell visited Mr. Farrell's father, H. G. Farrell in Tyler Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Cowan are entertaining Miss Marion Kirk of Sadler, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Weatherall spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Maywald in Gladewater.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Cowan visited relatives in Sherman and Sadler recently.

Johnny Weatherall has returned to work after two weeks' illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sweeden and son, Sherrill, visited in Texarkana Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hoffpaur and daughter, Clara Ruth, visited Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Ferguson at Bogata Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Leache and daughter, Martha Evelyn, visited in Bogata Sunday.

Mrs. King Ramsey and Mrs. Raymond Doherty shopped in Paris Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nolley and Mr. and Mrs. John Burns shopped in Paris Thursday.

Blackie Hamilton visited his wife in Neches over the week end.

Sam Morton visited his wife and son, Jimmy at Gladewater, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Manes visited Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Brooks of Rodessa, La., over the week end.

4 STEEL FACTS in one minute



Before the Days of Electric Lights
Steel plants used to be lighted by flaming oil torches suspended by chains from the roof.

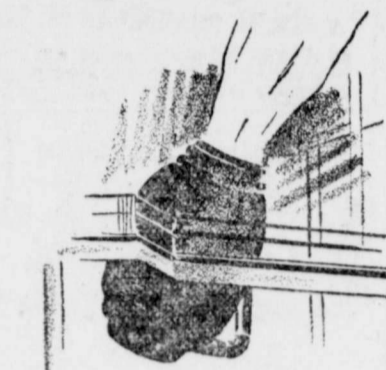
2,800 Pounds of Iron and Steel in an Auto

For the 2,800 pounds of iron and steel used in a typical small sedan, automobile manufacturers pay less than \$80, which is about 10 per cent of the average delivered price of the car.



College Men Pick "Overalls" Jobs

About 85 per cent of the college men hired by one steel company in recent years chose "overalls" jobs in operating departments rather than white-collar office jobs.



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Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Currey and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Albert Currey at Tyler Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burns visited Mr. and Mrs. Luke Cash in Mineola Monday.

Robert Thomas of Baton Rouge, La., is visiting his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dickerson and son, Billy Ray, and Mrs. Willie Gibson visited Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Dickerson in Falfuras over the week end.

Mrs. Pete Condra of McCamey, visited friends in the Humble Camp Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Husbands and daughter, Melinda, visited Mrs. Husbands' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Milan at Clarksville over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Loggins and children were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Cantor in Mt. Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Meyers visited Mrs. Meyers' parents in London over the week end.

Mrs. Van Winkle and children attended the Christ Ambassador Rally in Commerce Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Anderson were in Sherman on business Friday.

Mrs. M. D. Vansau and her father, W. J. Jordan, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bradford, Saturday.

Mrs. Bill Thiebaud of London, visited Mrs. V. D. Vausau Monday.

Mrs. M. C. Dickerson and daughter, Janice, were in Mt. Pleasant Tuesday.

Mrs. H. B. Hays visited Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Leatherwood of Dublin, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gartman and children have returned from a visit to Waco, where they visited Mrs. Gartman's father, W. C. McMullen, over the week end.

The current hobby of all the Humble employees is croquet. There are two courts belonging to Mr. and Mrs. Blackie Dyson and Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Thomas. It provides a very pleasant recreation for all who play. Even the superintendent, L. O. Holloway, is a fan, and it's reported from good authority that he's about to replace the present champion, Floyd Parish.

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