

From The Editors Window

BY MRS. J. S. YEAGER

The Treasury has announced that a new 50 cent piece bearing the likeness of Benjamin Franklin will be in circulation within the next two or three months.

The new coin will have the picture of a liberty bell on the other side and is said to be the first new 50 cent piece since 1916.

It was reported that over 9,000 Mexican contract workers have been returned to Mexico since Dec. 29.

The United States-Mexico contract farm labor program expired December 31, and thousands more of the contract workers have returned to Mexico since the expiration date the report stated.

This from an exchange: "You are pretty smart, but can you answer this—why is it that a black cow can eat green grass and give white milk that makes yellow butter, the price of which leaves a dark brown taste in our mouths, making us blue and so mad we see red?"

The above was entitled, The \$64 question, and we consider it well worth the price and aptly said.

Governor Beauford Jester has designated January 15 to 21 as Citrus Week in Texas and announced it would be high lighted by the Texas Citrus Fiesta at Mission January 15 to 18.

The Fiesta at Mission is an annual affair, this one being the eleventh held in succession.

The capital city of Mexico, said to be located one and one-half miles above sea level, was rocked by earthquake shocks on January 5. Three distinct shocks were said to have been felt.

The last shock was said to have caused lights to swing and tall buildings to sway but no damage of consequence was reported.

Prince Peter of Greece has arrived in this country for what he called a privately sponsored lecture tour of the United States.

The Prince said he will discuss "Greek Culture and the Trend of World Events" during his tour.

He was accompanied by his wife, a former Russian commoner.

It was lunch hour at the lime works, and Pat's two buddies, deciding to play a joke on him during his absence, drew a feature of a donkey on the back of his coat.

In due time Pat returned and reached for his coat.

"What's the trouble, Pat?" asked one casually.

"Nothing much," replied Pat, equally casual, "only I would like to know which one of you wiped your face on my coat?"

Oil has been recently struck for the first time in the areas around Moscow according to reports.

The oil said to have been discovered at a depth of around 196 feet in the Devonian layer, the age and structure of which is similar to those found in the oil producing districts of Samara in Southern Russia.

The State Department of Health has announced that the average Texan had much better health during 1947 than in 1946.

The Department said that of the major communicable diseases only influenza showed an increase.

Then, as now, the disease was most prevalent following the Xmas holidays.

Mrs. Jessie Lincoln Randolph, a grand-daughter of President Abraham Lincoln, died recently in a Vermont hospital.

Members of her family said Mrs. Randolph was the President's last surviving descendant born to the name of Lincoln. She was a daughter of Robert Todd Lincoln.

Mrs. Randolph was about 75 years of age.

Charles Quigley had the misfortune of losing two of his fingers this week. While working on his car, in some way his hand caught in the fan and cut the end off his first two fingers on his right hand. At the county hospital, one finger was replaced but he will probably lose the other.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Sunderman and baby were here over the week end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Sunderman.

Mrs. Adolph Brandon's Mother Passes Away Thursday, January 15 At Her Home In Baird

Deaths From Cancer And Heart Disease Increases Each Year

It is estimated that during 1947 there were 195,000 live births and 61,000 deaths in Texas. The number of births in 1947 far exceeds the former record of 180,000 in 1946. The excess of births over deaths last year gave Texas a natural increase in population of 134,000 people, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

It has been apparent for some time that reductions in the mortality due to preventable causes could not any longer offset the staggering increase in the number of deaths due to cancer and the various heart diseases. For this reason, it was not difficult to predict that 1947 would see the general death rate begin an upward trend.

Practically all of the increase in the mortality during the first nine months of 1947 may be attributed to the steadily mounting toll of death levied against the population by heart disease, cancer, and apoplexy.

Considerable satisfaction should come to those engaged in public health work in knowing that during the first three quarters of 1947 the lowest death rates ever recorded in Texas were reached for the following diseases: typhoid fever, diarrhea and dysentery, measles, poliomyelitis, tuberculosis, malaria, syphilis, pellagra, and typhus fever.

COUNTY BUYING SHORT WAVE RADIO EQUIPMENT FOR SHERIFF'S OFFICE

Callahan county commissioners court has authorized a short-wave police radio set to be installed for the sheriff's department. Other recent business transacted by the court was to set county's share of the salary of home demonstration agent at 1,200 beginning Jan. 1, this year.

It ordered paid \$15,000 for motor graders and other equipment. In the item was \$3,750 to McClure Co., Abilene, for a motor grader.

It was voted that all county officers be kept on a fee system of compensation for 1948.

M. R. Surles was in from his Dothan dairy Wednesday morning and reported everything in his community in pretty good shape.

However, he said the winter grass was not of much benefit since it was too short.

Callahan Farm Property Now Worth Twelve Million Dollars

Only 8 Days Left To Pay Poll Tax For '48

Despite the fact that poll tax payments are running far ahead of last year, indications are that hundreds of voters will be disfranchised as this year's elections unless payments are made within the next eight days.

Tax Collector M. H. (Bob) Joy announced this week that on Jan. 15, paid poll taxes for 1948 totaled 1,542 as compared with 1,259 for the same period in 1947 which was not an election year.

Hundreds of ex-servicemen who voted in 1946 and 1947 on 18 month exemptions must pay this year if they expect to participate in elections, it was pointed out.

Only 14 exemption certificates had been issued by the tax office through January 15. All persons becoming 21 years of age after January first are entitled to a free vote if the certificate is obtained from the tax collector, the Review was told.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Baldere, Jr. spent the past week end visiting with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. H. N. Baldere, Sr.

Miss Eva Moore, city secretary, made a business trip to Cisco Tuesday afternoon.

Save Time And Effort In BANKING BY MAIL First National Bank In Cisco Member F.D.I.C.

Mrs. Adolph Brandon was in the News office Tuesday afternoon and stated that her mother, Mrs. Odie Connel Simmons, 67, had died last Thursday at her home in Baird. She had been in bad health for several weeks prior to her death.

Funeral services were conducted at 2:30 p.m. Friday at the Clyde Baptist church with the Rev. Mac Richardson and the Rev. Joe R. Mayes, both of Abilene, officiating. Burial was made in the Clyde cemetery under direction of the Wylie Funeral Home of Baird and Putnam.

Mrs. Simmons was born January 8, 1881 in Collin county and was married to W. M. Connel on July 23, 1898 and the couple came to Callahan county in 1904. He died on December 16, 1931. She was married to J. M. Simmons on Dec. 21, 1932.

The couple lived South of Clyde for a number of years before moving to Baird three years ago. She was a member of the Clyde Baptist church.

Survivors are the husband; six sons, H. M., W. C., and R. W. Connel, all of Abilene, J. O. and W. E. Connel, both of Denton, and E. A. Connel at Clyde; four daughters, Mrs. Adolph Brandon, Putnam, Mrs. Wilburn Williams of Potosi, Mrs. Scott Bryant and Mrs. Bettie Gobie of Baird; three brothers, George Offutt of Plano, Phil Offutt of Garland and Wolford Offutt of Sherman; 20 grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

Woodley Purchases Lease North Of Cisco

It was reported in Cisco Saturday that the Woodley Petroleum Company, who is drilling an offset to the Sam Hart well on the George Fee land, about five or six miles North of Cisco, have re-leased about 1,600 more of the 2,300 acres of the C. H. Fee estate for oil drilling purposes.

The Woodley Company has already under lease about 600 acres of the Fee ranch and this latter lease will give them a block of acreage worth while for extensive oil drilling operation.

The writer did not learn what the price was for the lease but it was reported to have been at the prevailing prices of leases in this territory.

Woody Thompson was looking after business interests in Putnam Tuesday and meeting and shaking hands with old friends.

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Farm property in Callahan county is now worth more than \$12,191,000, and rural homes here and throughout the state are in the best condition in history, according to a report just released by the Title Council of America.

More than 75 per cent of farm dwellings in Texas and the South are in excellent condition or need only such minor repairs as painting or general maintenance, the report revealed. Only 6.1 per cent were in good repair in 1940. The report was based on Bureau of the Census surveys.

"The rise in farm incomes and property values since 1940 has been accompanied by a great increase in the number of rural homes equipped with such modern conveniences as electric lights, tiled baths and showers and running water," said F. B. Ortman, chairman of the Council's residential construction committee.

Electricity, for instance, has gone into hundreds of thousands of the nation's rural dwellings since 1940, Ortman noted. More than 59 per cent of all farm homes now have electric lights, in contrast to 31.3 per cent in 1940.

More than 92 per cent of rural dwellings in the United States today have running water, and 20.1 per cent have private baths, according to the Title Council report. In 1940, 17.7 per cent had running water and only 10.6 per cent private baths.

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NOTICE

If you are a veteran of World War II and drawing disability payments and farming, or intend to farm this year, contact County Service Officer Billy Mac Jobe not later than Feb. 1.

Joe Glover, Of Baird, Dies Sunday Evening

Joe Glover, a well known ranchman and dairyman of Baird, about 73, a resident of Baird for the past 40 years died at his home about three miles South of Baird at 4 p.m. Sunday afternoon. Mr. Glover ran a dairy at his place for several years and sold it a few years ago and retired.

Mr. Glover was born July 28, 1874 in Union City, Tennessee, and was a member of the Methodist church.

The Rev. Hamilton Wright, former pastor of the Baird Methodist church, officiated at the services at the church Monday afternoon. Burial was made in the Ross cemetery.

Survivors include the widow; seven daughters, Mrs. Christine Monzelo of McAlister, Okla., Mrs. W. C. Edwards, Mrs. Glenn Irwin, Ida Mae Glover, and Hope Glover all of Baird, Mrs. W. B. Wilson, of San Angelo and Mrs. V. C. Stephenson of Enla; four sons, Archie with the U. S. Army in Germany, Joe Jr. of Victoria, Ben and Tom Glover of Baird, and a sister, Mrs. Ben Glover of Abilene.

Pall bearers were Hugh Ross, Herman Park, Loyd Hughes, Curtis Sutphen, A. F. Dyer and J. V. Smith.

March Of Dimes Is Underway In County

Annual March of Dimes campaign to raise funds for a nationwide fight on infantile paralysis is underway in Callahan County. Acting as County Chairman is A. H. Pritchard, superintendent of Baird schools.

As has been the custom in the past one half of all monies raised in this county will remain here for local use in caring for victims of the dreaded malady. During 1947 polio sufferers in this county received \$430 in financial aid from the local funds and it is pointed out that demands are rising each year.

The March of Dimes campaign is conducted simultaneously throughout the nation is pursuing a plan instituted by the late President Franklin D. Roosevelt, who was himself a sufferer from the crippling effects of polio.

At Clyde, Homer E. Swofford will spearhead the drive; Cross Plains will be directed by G. T. Owen; Denton by Morton Whitley; Putnam by J. B. Shannon; Oplin by Lewis Johnson; Cottonwood, H. S. Varner; Bayou, J. B. Gamble; Eula, Newell O'Dell. Each of these directors is calling on others to assist in their various communities.

Last year the county raised \$885 and this year the goal has been set for not less than \$1,000, Pritchard said.

Hit 12 Million Feet Of Gas In Anzac Test

Anzac Oil Company topped the Cross Plains sand uncovering an estimated 12 million cubic feet of gas Saturday in the number one W. O. Spencer, a direct offset to recently-found Ellenburger production on the Outbirth ranch, 10 miles West of Cross Plains.

The gas was so strong that further drilling was impossible and an oil well servicing firm had to be called in to kill the gas in order for operations to be continued. The gas was topped at 1,900 feet.

The test on the Spencer is one of two now drilling as offsets to the Outbirth strike. Other well is on the W. P. Brightwell acreage and is at a lesser depth. Both holes are being drilled with cable tools.

Oliver Culwell and Joe Coleman have moved their garage from the building on the East side of the square into the back of the tile building where Fred Cook has an auto parts store which opened up a short while ago.

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Atomic Angle To Future Warfare To Be Laid Before Texas People January 16th.

AUSTIN, Texas.—The atomic angle to future warfare and national defense will be laid before the people of Texas the afternoon of January 19th when Sumner Pike, one of the four members of the National Atomic Commission, will make an address in Austin under auspices of the Texas Department of the American Legion.

Harley Sadler In Race For Senator

Harley Sadler of Sweetwater, representative from that district in the legislature for the past two terms announces this week that he will be a candidate for State senator from the 24th senatorial district. Senator Bullock announced several days ago that he would be a candidate to succeed himself. Representative Sadler will oppose Bullock in the coming Democratic primaries.

County Library Now Has 2,775 Volumes

Callahan county library in the basement of the courthouse at Baird which is now rounding out its tenth year, now has 2,775 volumes, according to recent inventories.

The library is operated in connection with the Callahan County Museum which contains artifacts, pioneer relics, old documents, books and whatnot.

The library is free for use of Callahan County readers.

From Cisco Daily Press: "Benny Burns Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Williams, 1506 N. Ave., has just finished his work at Howard Payne College in Brownwood where he received his BA degree. Following his graduation he was elected as teacher in the college. He will teach mathematics and government. Mr. Williams is a young man with a splendid record in Cisco high school and with the U. S. Marine forces, having served with the 4th Marine division overseas for more than a year at Iwo Jima and other points. Benny Burns formerly lived with his parents in Putnam before moving to Cisco."

Homer Boatright was in from his ranch about five miles West of town on Maxia creek and Highway 80. He said everything was getting pretty dry out his way.

West Texas Chamber Of Commerce Sets Up Soil Conservation Commission In West Texas

ABILENE, Texas.—The most ambitious program ever offered by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce affecting the economy and social welfare of more than one hundred counties making up the area, has just been announced by President C. P. Dodson, in releasing the 1948 work program of the organization.

This program worked out by the officers committee following the adoption of the general outline at the November referendum meeting, calls for increased activities in fields vitally affecting conservation and social relations.

Two of the projects, for which commissions have been set up in the organization, have to do with soil and water.

First is the conservation commission, which is charged with the immediate task of studying the proposed diversion of the state's general revenue ad valorem tax to soil conservation and farm to market road purposes, and to draft a proposed enabling act assuring the expenditure of soil conservation funds so as to supplement and augment the programs of other state and federal agencies.

Charles C. Thompson of Colorado City, is chairman of this committee, with Sterling Williams, Snyder, vice chairman; W. R. Cusenbary, Sonora; J. G. Nisbett, Dunas and Walter E. Humphrey, Fort Worth.

Next is the winter resource development commission which is

Pike's address will be the culmination and highlight of Post Officers' Conference which will bring several hundred American Legion leaders to Austin for a two day meeting January 18 and 19. George Berry of Lubbock, Department Commander, will preside at the Conference while his expected to have representatives from most

PERSONAL INCOME HIGHER THAN 1946

According to reports from Washington personal income of Americans rose in November to an annual rate of \$204 billion compared with \$204 billion in October, the Commerce Department reported.

That lifted the average level for the first eleven months of 1947 to a record annual rate of \$196 billion, 20 per cent above 1946.

The increase was attributed to higher wage and salary receipts. The department said there were declines in farm income, terminal leave bond cashing and unemployment insurance payments.

Wage and salary payments were reported at an annual rate of \$127,500,000,000 in October.

Putnam Vicinity Gets Commercial Gas Well

Completion was in progress late last week on a second shallow gas well for Callahan county, three miles Northwest of Putnam, the B. F. Phillips No. 1 E. L. Finley, 150 feet from the North and East lines of section 13 D&DA survey.

The well topped the gas sand at 575 feet and was drilled through the pay and bottomed at 820 feet. Initial plans to deepen for test of possible oil zones was abandoned because of trouble with the gas and casing was cemented at 576 feet for the gas completion.

The well is an offset to the Phillips No. 1 Williams, 150 feet from the North and West lines of Section 139 University Lands survey, which gauged 8,600,000 cubic feet per day with 206 pounds pressure from 568-75 feet. The well has been shut-in since completion waiting on installation of pump into the Lone Star line.

Miss Tassie Jackson of Clyde was down Wednesday afternoon looking after business interests here.

Roy G. Thomas of Abilene was in Putnam Wednesday afternoon looking after business interest. See his ad which appears on another page of this paper.

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charged with the responsibility of studying the conservation and maximum utilization of both surface and underground water, such studies to be conducted with the aid of professional engineers, and in cooperation with other agencies, with findings and recommendations to be reported to the Board of directors.

Heading this committee is Winfield Holbrook of Plainview, with James N. Allison, Midland, vice-chairman; W. O. Fortenberry, Lubbock; Charles L. South, Coleman and C. E. Coombs, Stamford.

Affecting the social life of West Texas is the West Texas Spanish-American relations commission, charged with fostering projects common to both West Texas and Mexico, developing good will and working for maximum trade relations with Mexico.

Heading this commission is C. W. Meadows, San Angelo; Tim B. Cobb, Del Rio, vice-chairman; L. D. Aston, Cleburne; Ed Nunnally, Bronte and Charles Stuckey, Jenabans.

In addition various other commissions, which already have done some work, will continue to function, according to General Manager, D. A. Bandeen. Their program was worked out by the officers' committee, composed of Dodson as president with vice presidents John D. Mitchell, Odessa; J. M. Willson, Floydada and B. P. Blundworth, Brownwood and Malcolm M. Meek, Treasurer, Abilene.

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of the 650 Texas American Legion Posts.

A state defense conference will be held Monday afternoon presided over by Herman G. Nami of San Antonio, Past Department Legion Commander and State chairman of the Legion's National Defense Committee.

Governor Beauford Jester will welcome the Legion leaders to the Post Officers' Conference.

Among other speakers at the Conference will be Lieut. Gen. Walton H. Walker, Commander of the Fifth Army, Chicago; S. Perry Brown, Beaumont, National Chairman of the American Legion Security Commission and Lynn W. Brundon, Washington, D. C., National Veterans' Employment Representative.

Soil Conservation District News

Madrid sweet clover planting time is here. Technicians of the Soil Conservation Service recommend that Madrid clover be planted early in the season beginning the later part of January and continuing until May. Early planting have been much successful than have late plantings. Seed should be properly inoculated before planting.

Love grass should be planted, beginning the first week in February, technicians said, and all planting should be complete by mid-April for best results.

It is also time to do several other conservation jobs such as constructing diversion terraces, constructing terraces, sodding terrace outlets, tank spill ways, and stock tank dams.

Buffalo grass seed should be planted not later than January or early February.

A good firm seed bed is the first essential in getting satisfactory results from any type of planting. Without proper preparation most planting of clovers and grasses will be a failure.

Rowden Farms Get 6 Miles Of Terracing

Terraces have been recently constructed just South of Rowden on the farms of Olin J. English, Clifford Taylor and J. A. Sikes. These land owners are cooperating with the Central Colorado Soil Conservation District in a coordinated soil and water conservation program. A total of 6.67 miles of terraces were constructed on the three farms with a whirl wind terracer.

BAIRD METHODISTS GET \$2,200. HAMMOND ORGAN

First pipe organ for a Callahan county church is being installed by members of the First Methodist church at Baird. The instrument which was purchased at a cost of \$2,200 is only one of many improvements made by the congregation in a \$6,000 building and enlargement campaign.

H. D. AGENTS ITENARY FOR WEEK JANUARY 26 THRU 31

Monday, Jan. 26 - Demonstration plans.

Tuesday, Jan. 27 - Oplin H. D. Club.

Wednesday, Jan. 28 - Dudley H. D. Club.

Thursday, Jan. 29 - Demonstration plans.

Friday, Jan. 30 - Monthly reports.

Saturday, Jan. 31 - Monthly reports.

Mrs. Virgil Pinnell of Sweetwater was in Putnam Sunday afternoon and called at the News office. She had been to Moran where she had been spending the week end visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Olin Elliott. While here she ordered the paper sent to her for another year.

Rev. and Mrs. Orville Richardson were visiting with Rev. and Mrs. H. N. Baldere the past week end. Rev. Richardson preached at the Baptist church Sunday evening.

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Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation that may appear in the columns of The Putnam News will be gladly and fully corrected if brought to the attention of the editor.

Miss Fay Coleman is visiting her friends, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson, and daughter in Long Beach, Calif. She will probably be there sometime before returning to Putnam. The Jacksons' are former residents here.

The News is in receipt of a letter from our good friend, R. L. Mann of Cisco containing the price of two years subscriptions to this newspaper. Thanks, Mann, that's what it takes to keep a paper going.

## H. D. Agent Column

### Review of Home Demonstration Work in 1947

At this the beginning of a new year, everyone should take an inventory of the work done last year

### CLASSIFIED ADS

**FOR SALE:** The Commissioners Court of Callahan County will accept bids January 26 for the sale of one brick building 60x60 ft. now occupied by Mrs. F. P. Shackelford, in the town of Putnam. To move off of new highway right-of-way. The court will receive all bids at 10 A.M. but it is understood they have a right to reject any and all bids. For further information call or write. J. L. Farmer, Baird, Texas.

**NOTICE:** Will who ever borrowed two axes from my place South of town please return them as I need them. Tom Ramsay.

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**WE HAVE** an excellent listing of small farms with cultivated and grass land, city property, and a few nice ranches. If you are in the market call on us, we office in the building just across from the Ford Motor Co. in Baird. **Sammons & Robinson**, Baird, Texas.

**GOLDEN BUFF MINORCAS** — Beautiful golden colored, heavier than Leghorns, good layers and fine fryers. Chicks \$10 and \$12 per 100. Pullets \$22. **Star Hatchery**, Baird, Texas.

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and plan for ways to do better work this year. The following report covers the Extension work done in Callahan County from December 1, 1946 to December 1, 1947 with the women.

As most of you know Miss Loreta Allen was agent in this county until January 31, 1947 when she was transferred to Jones county. This county was without a home demonstration agent until the appointment of Miss Evelyn Wieland on June 9, 1947.

The home demonstration agent visited in 128 homes, had 150 office calls, 54 telephone calls, had 92 news stories published, distributed 404 bulletins, gave 74 demonstrations, had two training meetings, attended 4 district meetings and one state meeting. She traveled 5,074 miles.

There are eight Home Demonstration Clubs and eight 4-H Clubs. The Home Demonstration Clubs were represented at the district and state Home Demonstration Association meetings.

The 4-H girls were represented at a district camp at Christoval by Doris McClain, Bayou; Elizabeth Ann Burleson, Denton; and Betty Louise Smith, Eula; and at the 4-H Roundup at College Station by Doris McClain, Bayou; Mary Ruth Johnson, Oplis; and Maxine Tarrant, Eula. The girls also had their annual camp at Denton with about 45 girls, leaders, and visitors attending.

All of the clubs were quite weak when I arrived in June, but with the starting of school we have had good enrollment throughout the county and good 4-H leaders to help the girls. The girls are working on clothing and dairy demonstrations.

The women are working on landscaping and dairy demonstrations. Due to the drouth last year many women had their grass, shrubs and cuttings die. We are carrying these demonstrations again this year and hope we will have a successful

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year ahead. We hope to organize new home demonstration and 4-H Clubs where there are none and where there is sufficient interest to carry on a club.

### Odd Jobs

Sadie Hatfield, extension specialist in landscape gardening for Texas A. & M. College, says there are several "odd jobs" that can be done during January that will make your landscaping work easier the rest of the year.

For instance, she says, look your yard over with an eye toward saving steps and improving design. Often the removal of curbing, trellises or old stumps will add to the beauty of the yard. Get rid of loose sticks and stones, to cut down on moving troubles later on. Cover trash burners with wire mesh, to eliminate fire hazards. Fill in low spots . . . level out rough land.

Of course the biggest job during the winter months is the transplanting or setting out of trees and shrubs. Crowded shrubbery can be thinned out . . . and the extra plants set around the garage, smoke-house or windmill . . . the shrubs will look better and do better and there's no reason why the out-buildings around the farm or ranch should stick out like a sore thumb when a few trees, shrubs and flowers will 'beautify' them.

Rose gardens and bulb beds are other winter activities that will pay dividends in the spring and summer. If your rose bushes are scattered over the yard, put them all in one bed . . . cut down on the work and adds to the looks of the landscape.

A beautiful yard is the result of year-round work, Miss Hatfield says . . . ask any serious gardener. The jobs to be done vary from season to season . . .

Beginning with January, the County Agent's office is without the services of a secretary so all farmers are requested to call on the agent on Mondays and Fridays for business. Other days will be spent in the field. Mondays and Fridays are set aside for office days.

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The growth and development of a business enterprise may be likened to the growth of a child. One step at a time characterizes the progress of each and wise counsel in the early stages, determines the course of human conduct and the guiding principles of the business enterprise.

The small business unit of today, may, provided it receives courteous counsel and constructive credit, be a large and important enterprise a decade hence. Thus, as we review the hopes and plans of those who seek to establish a business, we shall be ever conscious of the fact that "little men grow tall."

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**Maytag Company Sets Washer Production Record**



When the 54-year-old Maytag Company of Newton, Iowa, produced its five millionth washer recently, the occasion was marked by a special ceremony. Iowa Governor Robert F. Blue and leaders in business, industrial, labor and civic organizations gathered to celebrate the event which set a new record in washer production history.

Tom Smith, head of the research division, which developed the modern Maytag, is shown upper left, autographing the one-piece aluminum tub which has had a large share in building Maytag popularity. Assembly workers are shown below lowering the tub into its enameled steel jacket. At right, Miss Rosanne Morgan, 1947 Maytag Queen, is christening the machine with a bottle of milk. Looking on, nearest the camera from left, are: W. I. Sparks, secretary of the Maytag Company who has been with the firm forty-nine years; Letha Trent, Miss Morgan's predecessor as Maytag Queen; Roy Braut, Maytag vice-president in charge of sales and advertising and president of The American Washer and Ironer Association; Verne R. Martin, Maytag sales manager; Fred Maytag II, Iowa State Senator and third generation president of the washer company; and Iowa Governor Blue.

The Maytag Company made its first washer in 1907 and its millionth machine in 1947. Between the four millionth Maytag in 1941 and the five millionth machine, Maytag took three years time out from peacetime production to engage in war work. The five millionth washer is being retained by Maytag as a souvenir.

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PUTNAM, TEXAS

**R. E. GRANTHAM**  
Attorney-at-Law  
Practice in all Courts  
Cisco, Texas

T. Baulch, assistant tax assessor and collector, and Tom Barton of Baird were in Putnam Saturday looking after business interests.

Trade at Home

**Cottonwood News**

By Hazel Respass

Mrs. C. R. Myrick is spending the week in Brownwood with her daughter, Mrs. Albert Hughes, while she is having some dental work done.

Miss Lessie Jo Wood was in San Angelo last of the week for medical test from there she will go to Missouri for a six weeks course and be subject to an appointment with the Telegraph Company.

Mrs. J. R. Ramey and son, Edwin, went to Abilene Friday where Edwin received minor surgery for the removal of a cyst from his neck.

Miss Eunice Hembree visited here Saturday.

Brother Myrick filled Brother Davis' pulpit at Baird Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Maddox of Leuders visited their daughter, Mrs. Gertrude Garrett, and son, Joe, Saturday.

Richard Purvis of Bryan spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Mitchell spent the week end in Baird visiting with his parents, Judge and Mrs. Felix Mitchell.

**HER FOUR CHILDREN**

Down in Florida a Negro woman applied for relief during the cold spell of last winter. She reported she had four children.

She didn't remember, perhaps even know, the precise age, but on being pressed for more exact information, she told the investigator:

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**Veterans' News**

More veterans reinstated lapsed National Service Life Insurance during December than in any month since August, Veterans Administration announced recently.

VA said 103,688 veterans in Dec. reinstated lapsed insurance with a total value of \$671,518,000. During the last eleven months of 1947, a total of 1,106,919 veterans renewed lapsed policies worth nearly \$6,790,600,000.

VA last month extended to July 31, 1948, the period during which veterans with lapsed insurance may apply for reinstatement of their term policies by merely filling out a simple form and paying two monthly premiums. Ordinarily, no physical examination is required if the veteran certifies that his health is as good as it was when the policy lapsed.

No penalty or fee of any sort is paid by a veteran who reinstates his term insurance, VA emphasized. Of the two monthly premiums submitted with the reinstatement application, one covers the 31-day grace period for which his insurance was continued in force without payment of premium; the other is payment for the current month of reinstatement.

After July 31, 1948, veterans whose policies have been lapsed for three months or more will be required if the veteran certifies that he is fit to take a physical examina-

tion and qualify as insurable risks in order to reinstate, VA said.

Applications for total disability income riders on National Service Life Insurance policies increased steadily throughout the year, reaching 18,000 by the end of Sept., Veterans Administration said.

About 300,000 veterans requested changes in their National Service Life Insurance contracts during the third quarter of 1947 ending September 30, Veterans Administration said.

Veterans' applications for converting term National Service Life Insurance to any of the half-dozen available permanent forms numbered 162,000 for the third quarter of 1947 ending September 30, compared with an all-time high of 240,000 applications for the quarter ending June 30, Veterans Administration said.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Shirley are the parents of a baby boy born at the county hospital on January 10, weighing nine pounds and two ounces. Both mother and child are doing nicely.

The thermometer registered the lowest of the season last Friday morning when it was down to 18 about seven in the morning.

Scott Finch of the Admiral community was in Putnam looking after business Saturday morning.

John Cook, assistant tax assessor for Bob Joy, states he is about through, having already turned in 246 assessments. He thinks there are probably 15 or 20 more.

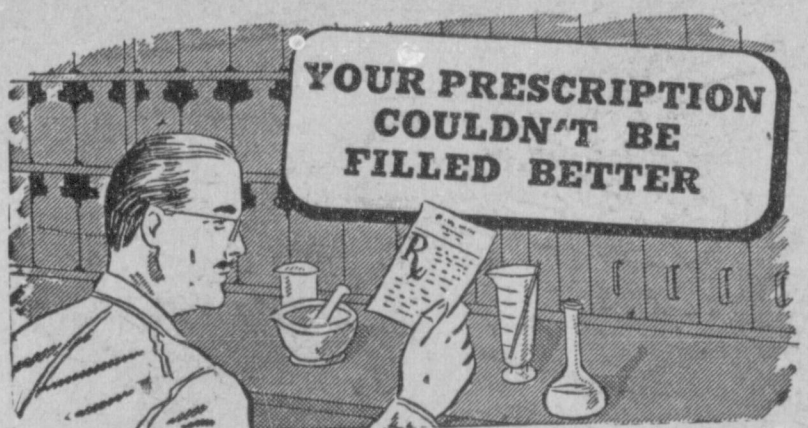
Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Buchanan were shopping and looking after business interests and visiting with relatives in Cisco the past week end.

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## Atwell News

By Mrs. Ben Riffe

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hutchins spent from Thursday until Monday with his mother, Mrs. Minnie Hutchins, and other relatives. They spent Saturday with Mrs. Hutchins grandmother in Gorman. Jim is being transferred from Alpine to Lubbock but they will live in Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Brashear and Reba visited Mrs. Annie Brashear and Linnie in Rising Star Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Foster and Mack spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Foster in Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Tingley Maddux and daughter and Mrs. Henry Cook and daughter of Fort Worth visited relatives here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones and Cross Plains Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Wrinkle of Cross Plains and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Hughes of Baird spent Sunday in the Tipton Wrinkle home.

Those enjoying the musical in the Ebb Rouse home Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. Truett Holley and Mrs. A. A. Holley and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Stansbury and baby of Cross Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morgan and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Goble.

Those attending the worker's conference in Cross Plains Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tatum, Roy Tatom, Mesdames Sam Jones, Clint Brashear, Ben Riffe

and R. W. Purvis and Diane.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morgan and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Goble and children visited Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Matthews at Putnam Monday night of last week.

Mrs. Gus Brandon was returned Saturday from the Baird hospital where she had been confined two weeks from an attack of pneumonia.

Alligator snapping turtles reach weights of more than 200 pounds.

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF CALLAHAN

TO Harry T. Burke, Mrs. Jessie Stephan and L. W. Dorbandt, defendants, and each of you:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the County Court of Callahan County, Texas, to be held at the Court house of said County in the City of Baird, Callahan County, Texas, at or before 1:30 o'clock p.m., of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance hereof; that is to say, at or before 1:30 o'clock, p.m., of Monday, the 1st day of March, A. D., 1948, and answer the petition of plaintiff, The Texas and Pacific Railway Company, in cause No. 1345, which suit was filed in said court on the 13th day of January, A. D., 1948, and the nature of which said suit is, as follows:

The Texas and Pacific Railway Company, plaintiff, brings this action to condemn, within terms of law, and take over and use the Block 30, in Putnam, Texas, Callahan County, to be used by plaintiff for the location and building thereon of said plaintiff's section house and barracks, in Putnam, Texas, Callahan County; the defendant, Harry T. Burke, being the alleged owner of said Lot 1; Mrs. Jessie Stephan being the alleged owner of lots 5 and 6, and L. W. Dorbandt being the alleged owner of Lot 7; and the residence and whereabouts of each and all of said defendants is unknown.

#### WITNESSES:

B. L. Russell, Jr.  
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Mr. and Mrs. Truett Little were here over the week end visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Little. He is coach at the Throckmorton high school.

Pneumatism is one of the most crippling of diseases but is rarely fatal in itself.

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Kelley Damon of Lawn was home over the week end to spend a few days visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Damon.

Roland Nichols was in from the ranch Wednesday morning and while here set his subscription up for another year.

## JIMMY SETTLE TO ENTER BAND IN STATE CONTEST

Jimmy Settle, director of the Baird high school band, has announced that he will enter his organization in the State band contest scheduled in April.

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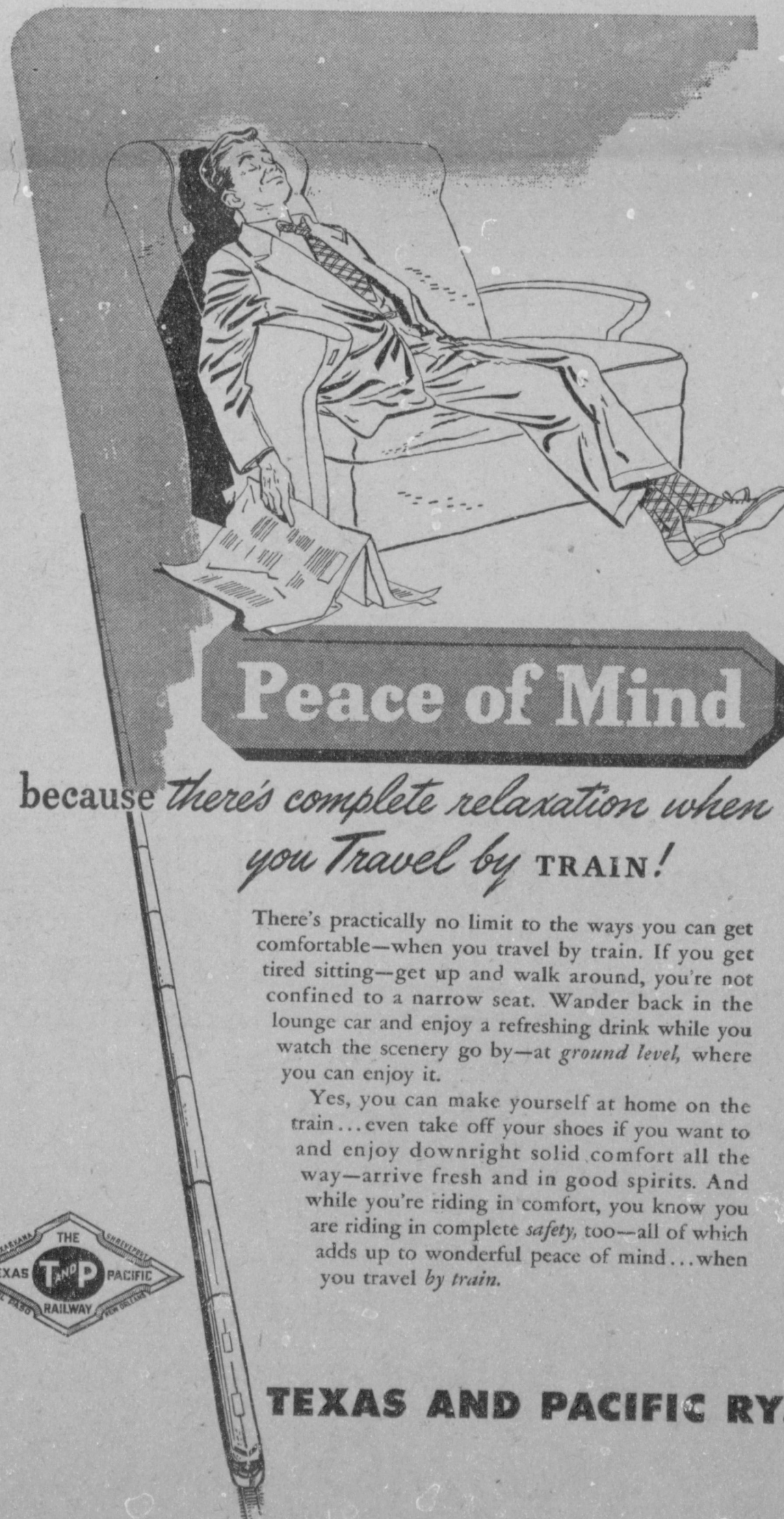
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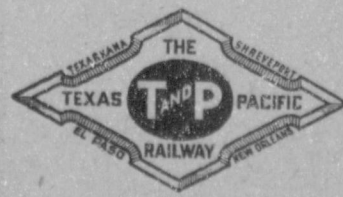


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