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We Are A Nation of Prize Winning "Boobs"

Not until we stop being a Nation of boobs will we see the end of depression.

Our lawmaking bodies know what to do in the way of offering some relief for the situation, but they lack the courage to do it.

Making more laws and levying more taxes will not provide the way out, but there are certain things that congress and the legislature can and should do without further piddling.

Proscrastination, uncertainly, shifty political dodging, etc., add fresh complications to our troubles with each passing day.

Lawmakers loll in their seats or make long-winded speeches and then abuse with epithet and culumny those who dare to suggest that they display little backbone and courageously tackle their problems.

The plain truth is that the people are growing very weary of the damnable nonsense of their chosen representatives, and are rapidly approaching a state of revolt.

They are sick nigh unto death with a continuance of the orgy of extravagance in high places when they are making an insistent demand for the adoption of programs of rigid economy.

Yes, we are a Nation of boobs; we are a State of boobs; but here and there a few are getting tired of being boobs. To recognize yourself as a boob is the quickest way out of a condition of boobery.

We are tired of praying for the end of depression and then lifting our eyes to see our chosen leaders, both inside and outside the halls of legislation, doing everything they can to prolong it through acts of omission and commission.

We have elected men to transact public business whom we would not for a moment think of entrusting with the transaction of our private business, and then utter loud and indignant shrieks when they fall down on the job.

We are disgusted with the bungling of domestic problems, foreign problems, business, the stock market, governmental expenditures, tariffs, taxation, war debts and a variety of other subjects that affect our well-being.

It is time to cut out the tommyrot, get rid of our emotions and operate with a little soundness and sanity.

We fuss and fiddle around about collecting $21,000,000,000 in war debts, blame Europe's dilatory tactics for all our financial ills, listen to the childish propaganda of pacifist preachers, hysterical college professors, peanut politicians, street corner economists and flannel-mouthed demagogues, while we actually lose in National prosperity many times over the actual dollars and cents involved in war debts.

Talk about Nero fiddling while Rome burned! In this country we have about 120,000,000 fiddlers, all working on different tunes, with congress and our legislative bodies alternately waving the baton.

We scream our heads off demanding that the war debts be paid, making [illegible]ible to reduce the Federal tax [illegible], and we erect higher and higher [illegible] walls to prevent their being [illegible]

[illegible] absurd system of distribution [illegible] to form bread lines for the [illegible]oyed within 20 miles of where [illegible] are burning wheat for fuel [illegible] to the hogs. Millions [illegible] through the icy blasts [illegible] while both cotton and wool [illegible] at far less than the cost of [illegible]

[illegible] this picture, please, and [illegible] are among the boobs in [illegible]

[illegible] like a negro camp meet-[illegible] extravagance of county [illegible] placidly watched [illegible]

Senator Connally To Nominate John Garner President

Austin, June 1.—It was reported here Wednesday that Tom Connally, junior United States Senator from Texas, has been elected to make the speech at the democratic convention at Chicago nominating John N. Garner for the presidency.

Mr. Connally for many years has been a close personal friend of the speaker. He served in the house with Mr. Garner before he was elected in the senate and both were members of the Texas House many years ago.

TO SPONSOR PROGRAM

The choir of the Washington Boulvard Christian chaurch is sponsoring a program of entertainment tomorrow night at 8 o'clock in the social hall of the church with Mrs. J. Edwin White directing.

Feature entertainment numbers will be a playlet "School Day a la Foolish" and the cast will include David Engman, J. W. Anderson, Mrs. C. C. Jalle, Charlie Hardy, Elmer Engman, Oscar Engman, Ellis Baker, John Paul Jones, Pauline Wilson, Crarise Saxon, Irma Jones, Mavis Saxon and Mary Brukhart. A burlesque beauty contest in which boys will impersonate girls will be given and Glenn Carnwell, Ellis Baker, Charlie Hardie and Louis George will be the contestants. Judges will be L. Busbee and R. E. Jones.

A quartet composed of Mrs. W. W. Prather, Mrs. Ray Lightsall, Mrs. Mark Magers and Mrs. John O. Banks will contribute song numbers.—Sunday Beaumont Enterprise.

PAT NEFF IN NEW POST LAST MONDAY

Austin, June 3.—Pat M. Neff, who recently resigned from membership on on the Texas Railroad Commission to become president of Baylor University at Waco, announted today he would assume his new duties Monday.

Neff wrote W. H. Jenkins, secretary of the Baylor board of trustees, that he would assume the presidency of the university Monday. He also tendered his resignation as a member of the Baylor board of trustees. Neff had been president of the board for more than 25 years. Neff likewise resigned from the executive board of the Baptist General Convention of Texas. He is a former president of the convention.

Neff's first appearance as president of Baylor University will be at Denton Monday when he delivers the commencement address at the College of Industrial Arts. Neff recalled that the first legislative bill signed by him as Speaker of the House of Representatives a number of years ago was an act creating the College of Industrial Arts.

OVERLOADED TRUCK TO BE OUTLAWED STARTING JUNE 14

If 7,000-Pound Limit exceeded Texas Highway Patrolmen Are Ready to Make Arrests.

The State Highway patrol of some 120 patrolmen and inspectors are ready to begin Tuesday in enforcing the 7,000-pound maximum truckload law as it applies to any of the 200,000 motor trucks in Texas, L. G. Phares of Austin, head of the patrol, announced here Monday.

Since the Legislature passed this law 500 injunctions were granted against its enforcement, but recent upholding of the law by the United States Supreme Court has resulted in 100 injunctions being dissolved. The Attorney General's office at Austin is seeking to have the remaining dissolved immediately.

"We will start enforcing the law against all trucks which are not yet protected by injunctions and will apply it to all trucks as soon as the injunctions are dissolved," Mr. Phares explained.

He also announced that beginning [illegible]

What Would the Kaiser Have Done With This New War Fighting Unit?

New York, May 26.—All armament is obsolete today, according to Lester P. Barlow, industrial engineer of Stamford, Conn. Natural science, he says, can now unroll to the powers puzzling over disarmament clauses blue prints to show that a nation needs only a staff of engineers operating from remote and secret bases to accomplish the complete devastation of any area within three or four minutes, destroying property on so gigantic a scale as to ruin completely the credit structure of the attacked nation.

This is the final unanswerable argument against war, according to Mr. Barlow, who is seeking governmental auspices under which to present at Geneva a military plan invented by him for large-scale and instantaneous destruction that will, he holds, persuade the nations of the futility of armament.

Mr. Barlow declared that "through the operation of devises assembled to form a highly coordinated plan" it would be possible to destroy the centers of an enemy nation 1000 miles away. This, he added, is a most conservative estimate of the range of operations, since the annihilation of Chicago would be possible under his play from a point as far away as Paris.

Mr. Barlow refused to divulge the details of his plan until they shall have been revealed at Geneva. He described the secret bases as "highly mobile," and said that one of the more important features of the plan was already developed in this country and used in commerce. The telephone, the radio, and trainloads of crude oil—the latter not for incendiary purposes—figured in the operations, he said.

Mr. Barlow estimated it would cost approximately $6,000,000,000 to establish such an offensive system, and that it would be feasible only for a nation controlling vast natural rescurces. It would take the United States a year to set it up, he added.

"Nations will stop fighting only when war is seen to affect credit so widely that they can't afford it," Mr. Barlow continued. "I want to make it common knowledge that any city—and the larger the more susceptible it is to attack—may be destroyed at any time at the whim of a group 1000 miles removed, a hazzard to all property which would prohibit investment of all sort.

"The actual knowledge that a thing of such great frightfulness is practicable must convince even the most skeptical nation of the fallacy of attempting to protect itself. Warfare has become more costly with each war—more devastating. Now we are face to face with the incontrovertible fact that the human element cannot live with it."

Mr. Barlow declared that limited armament is impossible.

"A proposal for it is in itself insincere—a sop thrown to the citizen in times of peace," he declared. "We have either to arm or disarm. Treaties are papers of convenience that do not outlast the convenience. Apply the United States' own measuring rod to this. This nation conceived and initiated the Kellogg treaty to outlaw war, but the very next year it spent $225,000,000 more than any other nation on armament. Since Jan. 1, 1920, we have spent $20,000,000 on armament, and that is at the rate of $1,000,000 every three days."

A joint resolution to set up a secret federal commission to study Mr. Barlow's military plans and data was introduced in the Congress April 4. In both houses the bill was referred to the Military Affairs Committee. Following this, he said, he was received by the President and explained his propcsal to take his plan to Geneva as the American Government's argument for disarmament. The President did not commit himself to any sponsorship of the idea, Mr. Barlow said. Later, instructed to take the matter up with the Secreary of War, Mr. Barlow refused, holding that the plan was a matter for the State Department.

Mr. Barlow said that having failed to persuade the American Government to present the plan to the League of Nations, he proposed submitting it on the authority of the Soviet Republic as the only other government that has declared for disarmament. He has had conversation with Mr. Beris Syvirsky, Soviet agent in Washington, and said Moscow is now considering his proposal.

Mr. Barlow did not disguise the fact that he was hopeful the American Government would take up his plan before these negotiations were consumated. He said he expected to be called before a congressional committee on the subject soon.

Fully convinced that he is not the only engineer in the world who has conceived such a plan, Mr. Barlow declared he had unrefutable evidence that at least one European nation has the key to it. He insisted that his only purpose in developing the plan was to demonstrate the utter fallacy of war. As the agent of the Government he would waive all rights of compensation, he added.

Mr. Barlow said he was highly trained by the Government as a military expert and was one of the first men in the naval service who put together a wireless set, going out as a wireless aide on the first ship that carried a set in the Pacific Ocean. In 1912 he became interested in aviation and in 1914 organized the first aero military squadron in the world in Mexico. He evolved the air boom out of this experience, the idea of which the American Government used in the World War.—Christian Science Monitor.

TOM LOVE URGES SUBMISSION OF PROHIBITION REFERENDUM QUESTION

Dallas, June 6.—Submission to Texas voters of the question of repeal or retention of the prohibition amendment was advocated by Thomas B. Love, Texas dry leader, here Sunday night at a conference of supporters of Governor R. S. Sterling.

The submission proposal also had the support of State Senator Walter Woodward.

Love and Woodvard advocated it in their talks and in conversation with friends Dan Moody expressed the same view.

"Aside from the Democratic doctrine of allowing the people to express them selves on public questions, the forces of responsible government in Texas are vitally interested in having every Democratic participate in the primaries, Woodward said. "If retention or repeal of the eighteenth amendment is on the ballot July 23, they will all turn out."

Love, who was instrumental in turning Texas votes to Hoover in 1928, [illegible]

"GRADUATIN'"

Well, thar she be, as sure as sin,
A-settin' on the stage.
A surprise ter me they'd let her in,
Accountin' for her age.

But Ma and me have seed her grow
Sinse che was oh! so small:
Guess that's why we don't seem to know
She's growed up, after all.

From outen books, she's larned a lot:
She's up thar graduatin'.
See how she looks? Somehow it's got
My heart a-palpitatin'.

She's gona say a speech. It's keen.
I'm nervous! (I'm her Pa).
I'm 'fraid she may blab out—
"Aan't seen"
Instead of "Haven't saw."

—W. R. Douglas in Houston Chronicle.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Prescott of Winona spent last week here with relatives. Sunday they and Miss Frankie Prescott left for summer school in Nacogdoches.

[illegible] "confidence pledge" this year, due to the Supreme Court's interpretating [illegible]

A Most Timely Article On Care and Curing Hegari

Hegari has proved to be one of the best sorghums in the Southwest for both forage and grain. The stalk contains enough sacharine of sugar to make it palatable to livestock, and the yield is good. It has the disadvantage, however, of being rather difficult to cure.

The proper time to harvest the hegari crop is when the seed is well mature but before it begins to shatter. At this stage much of the mosture has been driven out and the feed has a better chance of curing properly.

For best results hegari should be cut and dried in bundles, the size ranging from 6 to 8 inches in diameter. Larger bundles than this will result in much spoiled feed. Binder twine or any other suitable material may be used in tying the bundles.

The sorghum should be placed in shocks as soon as it is cut. Not more than 16 bundles should be placed in a shock, and the buts should extend out far enough to permit free circulation of air within the shock. A bundle placed over the top of the grain will protect it from the birds. A well built shock will shed rainfall and will not be blown over by high winds. The sorghum should be left in the shock at least 21 days, and a much longer time will be required for fall curing.

Where the feed is to be held in storage for several months it is best to store in barns; however, stacks may be resorted in for a limited time. The stacks must be well built, tramping the bundles in place, and with the top sloping from the center to the sides.

Cut heads are very difficult to cure. They may be spread on a floor protected from rain, then stored in a well ventilated bin. Even with these precautions, however, many of the heads are lost through heating and molding.

When hegari is well protected form the damp air prevailing in Southeast Texas and has been cured properly it will retain a bright green color for several months and will provide an excellent feed for livestock during the winter season.

BILLION DOLLAR TAX BILL BECOMES A LAW

Hoover's Sanction is Quickly Given—Budget Balancing Measure is Passed By Senate by Vote of 46 to 35.

Washington, June 6.—The biggest collection of taxes ever enacted in peace time became a law with a scratch of President Hoover's pen at 5 p. m. today while the senate plunged ahead with the national economy bill, needed to finish the budge belancing task.

The chief executive signed the $1,118,500,000 revenue measure less than two hours after it passed its final legislative test with senate approval of the conference report reconciling differences in the measure as passed by the senate and house.

Bill Accepted by 46 to 35 Vote

By a vote of 46 to 35, the senate accepted the bill in its form after a sharp debate in which an unsuccessful effort was made to have it sent back to conference for revision of a section imposing a 3 per cent tax on electrical energy to be paid by the consumer.

Eleven republicans, most of them members of the independent wing, voted with 23 democrats and the one farmer-labor member against adopting the conference report.

On a similar lineup a little earlier, the senate, by a vote of 42 to 33, upheld the action of Vice President Curtic in overruling a point of order made against the conference report by Senator Howell of Nebraske, independent republican.

Mrs. C. H. Kendall has been in Austin the past two weeks with her daughter, Miss Elizabeth, who is a student of the State University. They are expected here this week.

Attorney and H. B. Thomas of [illegible] attended installation of the [illegible] new officers here Tuesday [illegible]

That Shepherd Speed Trap On 35 Dangerous

Following the arrest and fining of a number of Henderson citizens for speeding at Shepherd on highway 35 between Lufkin and Houston, the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce last night recommended the efforts of the Lufkin Chamber of Commerce to have this "alleged" speed trap eliminated.

The matter will be taken up with the State Highway Commission and with the motor patrol of East Texas. The charge has been made that hundreds of citizens have fallen victims to the "alleged" speed trap operations.

The following resolution of the Lufkin Chamber of Commerce was approved by the local chamber of commence last night:

"Whereas considerable complaint is being registered by the tourist and motoring public in general regarding the Speed Trap at Shepherd, Texas, on Highway 35, and it has come to our attention that tourists have made complaint to the Motor League at Houston, Texas, and other such organizations that local officers at Shepherd are making arrests purely for the purpose of collecting fees.

"Be it resolved, that the Chamber of Commerce of Lufkin condemn this practice, which we think is not a prosecution of the law but a persecution of the citizens, and has been a means of turning the tourist travel off of Highway 35 to the other highways through this section which is very much regretted by all towns along the line and especially by the citizens of the different towns who have worked for several years to help get this highway completed.

"Be it resolved that this matter be taken up with Captain L. G. Phares Chief of the State Highway Patrol, The Motor League of South Texas and other organizations and see if this [illegible] for activity by local authorities at Sheppard cannot be remedied.

"Be it further resolved that the State Highway Commission be requested to erect a sign across the road on each side of town giving a warning of the speed trap.

"Be it further resolved that a copy of these resolutions be sent to all Chambers of Commerce, organizations along Highway 35."

NOTE—We can but wonder why the editor of the Henderson News refers to this as an "alleged" speed trap. It reminds us of the editor who always wants to be in the clear—absolutely. In writing up a funeral he ended his storiette thusly: "It is reported that the funeral will be held on Saturday afternoon."

MULE DROWNS ON FARM

A "Believe It Or Not" tale of a mule drowning on a sandy farm has been related by Grady Price, Wilbarger county deputy sheriff and brother of Claude Price on whose farm near Vernon, Texas, the incident occurred recently. Claude Price was farming about 17 miles southwest at the time it happened.

He was planting cotton with six mules to a two-row lister when the mules started bogging in a stretch of sand. The plot had just been planted and Price was circling the mules over the place when five of them sank in the supposedly dry sand. The mules piled up in the sand and before Price could release them from the harness, water three feet in depth had risen through the sand. When the mules were finally extricated, the one at the bottom of the heap had been drowned by the sudden rising of the water.

The water is still standing on the place where only dry sand was in evidence before the mules bogged.—Lufkin Daily News.

OUR ROVING CONGRESS

Congress met in nine different cities between December 20, 1776 and June, 1790. Frequent changes were necessary during the Revolution because of the proximity of British troops. Congress met successively in Baltimore, Philadelphia, Lancaster, York, Princeton, Annapolis, Trenton, New York and Washington. Many think [illegible]

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Editorial Notes

THE COUNTY at large is now approaching the National Independence day--the Fourth of July. Some one wanted to know if Woodville expects to do anything out of the ordinary in the way of celebrating the grand historical day. This is just a reminded that there are yet left on this publication day, June 9, twenty-five day in which to make up our indivdual corporate and otherwise minds. Do we celebrate this year?

REMEMBER WAY back yonder in the days of Jessie James, the Younger and others of their kind, and how they performed in the matter of bank holdups? History is again repeating itself. This time in Hatch, New Mexico, for on June 1: an American cow boy, all by his lonesome, held up the First National Bank of that city, procured some $2,000, and escaped on a running horse. This little act was unique, anyway, and most all of America is wondering if he not only made a successful escape, but if he will ever be captured.

WHO OF us is contented with the life he is living, with the day's work with the thoughts entertained each day all day of the progress, materially or spiritually? Those who are contented have lost something--ambition, to and [illegible] some place either [illegible] of the home, of a higher place [illegible] thoughts of his fellowman [illegible] of recognition up yonder by the Heavenly Father. When ambition [illegible] lost all is lost. When contentment reign [illegible] there is no opportunity for ambition.

BRUCE BARTON says: "Sentence 2,150 American Workers to Hard Labor for 40 years. Suppose any court in the United States were to order the arrest of 2,150 American workers and sentence them to hard labor for 40 years. What a terrific outcry that action would provoke. Yet, here is something that nobody cries about. If 2,150 workers were to be forced to labor for 40 years at an annual wage of $2,500 each, their combined earnings would pay the total cost of the WORLD WAR FOR JUST ONE DAY."

THE "STOP Roosevelt" clan[illegible] put up, decorated, replaced, moved here, there and yonder, reworded, revamped and renewed that are cicated to the goals of [illegible] administered [illegible] Al Smith, Jack Barton [illegible] to be [illegible] America will have nothing [illegible] Smith [illegible] got caught in the recent stock market [illegible] contingent [illegible] John Garner and wondering what's wrong with him if anything. The game of politics is a great stuff, but unlike foot ball base ball, hide and seek, etc., there seems to be no set of rules for the standpatters, the honestly conscientious, or, even the irreconcilables to follow. Playing the game, therefore, in politics must be an absolutely unknown quantity. They have not stopped Roosevelt, and as we view the propesition Franklin Roosevelt's only dangerous opponent is John Garner. Of course, that's only our prediction, but, just for fun, let's see how far wrong shall be The Booster's guess.

DO NOT those modern ads in the modern (?), up-to-now magazines give you a pain? Let's see! Have you a pink tooth brush? Do you inhale? Probably you reach for a Lucky--yes? Have you been ostracised because of B. O., O. K. or A. W. O. L.? It is possible for you to sleep on your left side because you have been negligent about taking Lydia's Compound, or some other famous (?) proprietory dope? Are the only successful business men in the world that way because they spend an hour a day soliciting subscriptions to the Ladies Home Journal. Can you not suceed if you do not take some prescribed memory course, or, possibly, a "recognized" correspondence course? Honest-to-goodness, don't you think there "outer be a law "franinst" such like? Doesn't some of this gush give you the well known pain experienced in early days when mother used the slipper while fondly declaring that this was going to hurt her more than it did you?

IT SEEMS as though somebody is not on the job in aiding and working up the shipping of whole milk to the cities from Tyler County. The organization of such a route will sooner or later become a reality, and it would seem that now is the time to be not asleep on the job. Some of the several angles resulting from a good milk route should not be overlooked in this connection, and perhaps one of the best is the fact that when the operation of a successful milk route is a reality, the dairymen will all be in possession of year-round pastures. It has been proven that year round pastures are not impracticable in Tyler County, but, in fact, quite the contrary. Good pastures are necessary to a good paying milk route. And, in addition, the grade of milk cows for the county would be bound to improve. A good milk route will be a decided advantage as farm owners will improve their holdings. An improved, highly cultivated farm is of greater value than just a fenced-in acreage.

Voice of the Press

We still ladle out $25,000,000 a year to a neat little bureau named the Indian Bureau. Practically all the Indians are against the parental interference with their lives--and for a good reason. More than half the money spent by the bureau goes, not to the Indians, but to white bureaucrats. There are nearly 10,000 employes on the rolls, mainly in Washington, D. C. One "commissioner" of the bureau gets $9,500 a year for making treaties with the Indians. Why it is still necessary to make treaties years after the Indian wars closed, no one knows. But it provides good soft jobs at public expense.--Dallas Dispatch.

'Ma Ferguson--bless her heart!--says this: "If I can't handle the governor's job, I will disappoint myself and the people, too!" Now, isn't that a disappointment, though? Those of us who are entitled to our own ideas and opinions may not feel so free in the presence of our superiors to discuss these same ideas, but there's one great big huge idea that threatens to pop out! And that one big idea here 'tis--is that if Ma Ferguson fails to gain the governorship of Texas, no one but herself will suffer from disappointment. Meow! (Now, Ye Rambler wants your honest opinion--is that too catty?) Nellie McCarley in Ramblings in the Lufkin Daily News.

Everbear of the cornborer? There was a terrific hullabaloo about him a few years ago. Corn crop was going to be ruined unless he was exterminated. So Congress forked over $18,750,000 for the extermination. Results to date: Employment of 1,700 men at $4.56 a day to search automobiles for corn, and then search the corn for borers. Number of borers found in more than 16,000,000 cars; 730. Cost of each borer to taxpayers, $25,685. Testimony of every scientist who has investigated the borer: It has done no commercial damage of any importance in the United States. It cannot be stopped by stopping cars, because the parent fly merely flits with her eggs [illegible] the heads of the patrols. [illegible] year despite these facts Congress [illegible] away $734,000 more on the [illegible] campaign against a bug that is not commercially dangerous. Grand total, $19,484,300, and every cent wasted. Dallas Dispatch.

Jarvis Christian College is an institution for negroes, makes little noise and demands little money of the public, yet it can boast of a record which ought to be envied by every educational institution in all of Texas--or in the South, for that matter. Item 1 in that record is no graduate in the history of the school has ever been found guilty of crime. Item 2 is when the year is brought to a close with all debts are paid on the running expenses of the college and on improvements of buildings and grounds. Item 3 is that the per capita expense for food not raised on the farm of the college is $1.40 per month. The News knows of no white school in Texas that can match the record. Perhaps there is one, and if there is, it should be suitably acknowledged. But, in any case, the achievement of Jarvis Christian College deserves the heartiest praise. The best negroes want not privilege but a chance. Given that, they can work wonders.--Dallas News.

[illegible] by the depressed financial situation of the country that should be handled with exceeding care, and that is that corporations are experiencing the same financial difficulties that are experienced by individuals, and receiverships may be numerous this year. The courts of the State, in handling such cases, should realize that people have money invested in every corporation, and that the most capable person that can be selected should be put in charge of these properties, with a view of saving as much money as possible for those who have interests in them. Political debts and favoritism should not have any place in such matters. We commend the platform of Worth S. Ray, candidate for the legislature from Dallas County, as one of the most practical we have seen and it should be enacted into law. He says: "If elected to the legislature from Dallas County I pledge myself to vote and fight for the following: Oppose all bond issues. Lower taxes by reducing expenses. Abolishment of duplicating and useless county and State departments and offices, Consolidation of many state and county offices. To cut out swapping appointments of kinfolks. To limit county salaries to $5,000 and no more, with some salaries much lower. To cut out $1,500 extra pay to Dallas County Judges. To abolish fee system, fix straight salaries. Make highway commissioners elective. Take transportation companies off highways, or make them pay in full for wearing them out. Give property owners foreclosed on two years in which to redeem from sale. Pay county highway bonds out of state highway funds.--Texas Tax Journal.

POLITICAL POSTMASTERS IN SHOW ME STATE

Springfield, Mo., May 14.--"You are a part of this Administration. It is best for us to get out on the firing line (in support of the candidacy of Herbert Hoover). I shall be back in Washington Monday and I will be glad to take the resignation of any of you postmasters who do not want to do it."--W. Irving Glover, Second Assistant Postmaster-General to the Missouri Postmasters' Association.

Mr. Hoover's Political Postmasters

Serving the public by handling the mails is only part of the Postmaster's duties; he is also expected--nay, required--to electioneer for the administration. That is the message given to the convention of Missouri Postmasters by W. Irving Glover, Second Assistant Postmaster-General . . . . The National Civil Service Reform League recently referred to these office holders as "plainly the local political representatives of the administration in power." Of such presidential Postmasters, who receive more than $33,000,000 from the Postoffice payroll annually, the league said:

A large percentage of these are mere supernumeraries. Probably half of them could be dispensed with and the work performed through the consolidation and better use of Assistant Postmasters and other subordinate posts. In the case of the latter half the salaries, we believe, are considerably out of proportion to the services rendered.--St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Fun From the Press

Famous jockey says a horse indicates his displeasure by snorting. In other words, his nose noes.--Atlanta Constitution.

We know why there are so many pins in a shirt when they come back from the laundry. They are put there to keep the shirt from falling apart. Life.

A conservative estimate is that the mud slinging during a political campaign gathered together makes a number of mountains out of a mole hill.--Life.

We're fed up on reading about so many national questions. What we want now is some of the answers.--Atlanta Constitution.

The new law exempts from taxation yachts costing less than $15,000. Who says Congress isn't looking out for the poor man's interests?--Judge.

The Government will issue a special quarter to celebrate the Washington bicentennial. Who would have ever thought that this country would reach the point where it could celebrate anything with a quarter?--Atlanta Constitution.

Alimony is another war debt a lot of ex-husbands would like to see canceled.--Florence (Ala.) Herald.

Solomon must have been listening to a popular song when he said there's nothing new under the sun.--Louisville Times.

"Hoover favors vacations without pay." Come on, Democrats, let's give him one!--Atlanta Constitution.

We always get our early morning exercise from the radio. Somebody turns it on and we have to get up and turn it off.--Judge.

The 100th anniversary of the making of the first lawn-mower was cele[illegible]

An official of the Anti-Saloon League says that Prohibition is suffering from growing-pains.--In the joints?--Atlanta Constitution.

There are a lot of Kansas politicians who wouldn't subscribe to the doctrine of Prohibition if they didn't also subscribe to The Literary Digest.--Welt County (Colo.) News.

A scientist says a mosquito can fly fourteen hours without alighting. But it seldom does.--Florence Herald.

Sops Battle Communists.--Headline. What can you expect when you wave a red flag at a bull?--Syracuse Post-Standard.

Now come the days when the world makes a beaten path to the door of the neighbor who owns a better lawn mower.--Arkansas Gazette.

Ford's plan for factory hands to grow garden truck savors of unfair competition. Truck gardeners can not grow Ford plants.--Weston (Ore.) Leader.

You might be puzzled as to how those Tammany boys get all their money, but if you follow the testimony carefully, you see at once it's just a little gift.--Boston Herald.

When the key is hung outside a door in Sweden, says a travel writer, it is a sign that the family is out. If ever attempted in this country it would be the same.--Detroit News.

A proposed 10 per cent tax on electricity used in the home has been reduced to 7 per cent. This is what is known in Washington as saving the taxpayer money.--Life.

Modern giants of industry and finance will join the Federal Reserve in showing up what pikers the ancient alchemists were by transmuting $300,000,000 of idle reserves into $3,000,000 of credit.--Washington Post.

PRICE OF PRINTING RAISED IN HOUSTON

Six major companies boost letter heads to $8.25.

For the second time in the past month prices of letter heads in Houston were increased Tuesday when Magnolia Printing Company indicated an increase of 50 cents per thousand, and Texas Printing Company, Gulf Printing Company, Sinclair Printing Company, Consolidated Printing Company met the raise. Humble Printing Company will meet the increase Wednesday, it was announced by officials.

Printers and a lot of other business men don't do those kind of things, of course, but the possibilities are there just the same. What's "sauce" for the oil companies, may be "gravy" for the little fellow.--Reprinted in a lot of papers in the state and credited to "Exchange."

It seems that at a banquet held not long since in Amerillo, one of the hungry fellows was looking at a newspaper when he saw the notice of the hike in gas. He reached for his pencil and made a few notations with the above results. Well, why not? Is there any reason why groceries, shoes, dry goods, printing products should not do the same? Of course, it can't be done, because there are always a lot of fellows who do not know the first thing of what a job of printing costs. Then there are the off grade print shops who will bid in a job from $7 to $11 dollars less than the job is actually worth. It all simmers down to organization and the dry goods merchant, the shoe man, the printer, etc., etc., have not properly organized.

TEN MILLION GET FLOUR FROM FREE RED CROSS WHEAT

Washington.--Flour from free government distributed by the Red Cross to meet the needs of 10,011,000 persons.

It has approved applications for 1,702,813 barrels to help 2,224,701 families in 2,672 chapter districts. Red Cross officials said yesterday more than three-fourths of the nation's counties have requested the flour.

In addition 218,000 tons of wheat have been approved for feeding live stock in western drough states.

The total amount requisitioned from the 40,000,000 bushels donated by congress from farm board stocks is 23,718,177 bushels John Barton Payne, chairman, told President Hoover several days ago more would be needed if distribution is continued next winter. Two resolutions for 40,000,000 bushels additional now are before congress.

AN ESSAY ON FROGS

A young school boy was instructed to write a paper describing a frog. Here's what the teacher read: "What a wonderful bird the frog are! When he stand he sit, almost! When he hops he fly, almost! He ain't got no tail hardly, either. When he sit he set on what he ain't got, almost."--Published by some fellow who would [illegible]

[illegible] The singing [illegible] very well attended [illegible] weather and the roads being [illegible]

Mrs. Carl Yawn and Vercie Holland [illegible] days visit before starting back to school for the summer course.

Among those who attended singing Wednesday night at Shilo were Mr. and and Mrs. Willie Holland, Misses Frances Bell, Vercie Holland, Cardie Spurlock, Nanette Holland, Mr. J. Spurlock, Abner Bell, Bob Allen and Jim Smith.

Mrs. Cain Yawn and Vercie Holland were business visitors in Spurger last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen of Beaumont were visitors at the home of Mrs. Ella Allen Monday and Tuesday of this week.

A good many of the Fred folks attended the singnig convention at Silsbee last Saturday night and Sunday. All report a nice time.

Mrs. Ellen Richardson of Pineville visited Mrs. W. R. Gregory Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Davis and family of Moss Bluff and Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Shartmere were visitors in the home of L. A. Holland Sunday.

NEW ORDER ISSUED BY HIGHWAY COMMISSION PREVENTS "FARMING AFTER JUNE MEET

Order Will Force Each Contractor's Crew to Perform At Least One Major Item in Each Contract Let.

Austin, June 4.--The State Highway Commission issued an order against "farming" of highway contracts by general contractors. The order will be effective on contracts awarded on June 10 at a meeting of the commission.

Under the order, all bidders must be equipped to and actually perform with their own forces a major item in the contract, but contractors may sublet one item in a contract involving two major items.

Contractors will be required to maintain a superintendent on each project awarded.

HE POKES FUN AT "BEER PROSPERITY"

The editor of the Baldwin, Kansas Ledger, gets a bit sarcastic in discussing the bringing back of prosperity by the beer route. Hear him:

Repeal the Eighteenth Amendment, elect Al Capone president of the United States, soak the country in beer and other alcoholic drinks and the long sought economic hog-heaven millenium will be at hand. 'Sfunny that we have just found out that the way to bring back prosperity, balance the budget, cure unemployment and raise the prices of farm products is through the stomachs of the American people. Pour gallons of [illegible]

Tell your friends about the Booster

POLITICAL Announcements

Subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries, Saturday, July 23, 1932, the following citizens of the County of Tyler hereby make their announcements in the Tyler County Booster:

FOR REPRESENTATIVE 12th DISTRICT--
JOHN W. LAIRD
(Re-election)

FOR REPRESENTATIVE--12TH LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT--
J. E. STURROCK

FOR SENATOR 3RD DISTRICT--
JOHN S. REDDITT

FOR COUNTY JUDGE--
M. C. TATUM

FOR SHERIFF--
W. A. FERGUSON
(Re-election)

FOR COUNTY CLERK--
MRS. BERTHA PRESCOTT

FOR DISTRICT CLERK--
JOHN R. HUNTER

ED. POPE

FOR COUNTY TREASURER--
SUE MASTERSON

FOR TAX ASSESSOR--
J. R. WALLACE

FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT No. 1--
MARTIN (M. F.) NELLIUS

J. W. GETSINGER

FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT No. 3--
[illegible]

Want Ads

The advertising rate [illegible] is 2 cents a word. No [illegible] two or more issues of the [illegible] vertisement. Just count the [illegible] including all figures, and send [illegible] with the order for insertion.

FOR SALE--HOUSE, FIRE [illegible] Common Brick steel storage [illegible] Cypress tanks and other [illegible] at Hillister turpentine camp. [illegible] M. J. Bethune, Leesville, La.

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B. C. FULLE[illegible]
ATTORNEY AND [illegible]
ABSTRACTOR
WOODVILLE, TEX[illegible]

D. P. R[illegible]
Real Est[illegible]

[illegible] night enjoyed [illegible] with neighbors, but feeling [illegible] asked his wife to help [illegible] from the front porch to his bed. [illegible] time after he passed quietly [illegible]

[illegible] Young, son of Maclin and [illegible] Young, was born August 15, [illegible] Youngsville, North Carolina. As a lad his ambition was to go west, but his parents would not and did not give their consent until he was nearly twenty years of age, then he and a brother, Henry, headed toward the land of their dreams and located in Houston County, Texas.

Later he came to Tyler County on business and liked it well enough to make it his headquarters.

A salesman for a time, later going into the mercantile business in Woodville.

On August 4, 1880, he was married to Miss Lelia Hyde, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hyde, of Tyler County, and as the years rolled by, four children came to this home. The oldest boy and girl preceeded the father in death, but two daughters, Mrs. H. B. Moss and Mrs. Willie Dismukes with the mother are left to grieve over his going.

About seventeen years ago Mr. Young took a stand for christianity and Rev. Jeff Rhodes baptized him, and last Thursday Bro. Rhodes could bring a message of hope and comfort to the sorrowing, as he conducted the funeral service, assisted by Rev.s L. E. Gower and W. F. Nash.

Besides the immediate family, two brothers, Thomas and James, who are still back in the old home country in North Carolina, survive him.

A host of friends and neighbors are sorrowing with the family in their bereavement, realizing that only a few months ago the shadow of death darkened their lives, and makes this doubly hard to bear.

Reports to the contrary, Uncle Syd Young was not a veteran of the Confederacy.

MRS. BORDAGES' FUNERAL HELD SATURDAY

Funeral rites for Mrs. Cora Wooten Bordages, 62, prominent Beaumont resident for many years, who died yesterday morning at 7:30 o'clock in a Houston hospital was held Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the Roberts Undertaking company parlors. A Christian Science reader officiated, and burial was in Magnolia cemetery.

Mrs. Bordages, wife of I. R. Bordages and resident of 2290 North street, had been in a critical condition in Houston for several days, during which time many Beaumont friends visited her there.

She was born in Woodville and moved to Beaumont at the age of 19. She was married shortly afterwards to I. R. Bordages of Beaumont.

Her education was in the public schools of Woodville and Beaumont.

For the last few years she had spent much of her time traveling in Europe and in eastern cities.

Surviving besides her husband, who was president of the City National [illegible] [illegible] Lake and two nieces, Mrs. W. H. Masterson and Mrs. W. H. Alexander, Jr., who for many years made their home with Mrs. Bordages.--Beaumont Enterprise.

ANOTHER EARLY SETTLER GONE

Sunday morning at 10 o'clock a large crowd of friends and neighbors gathered at the Mount Pisgah cemetery as R. J. Tolar was lovingly and gently laid by the side of loved ones gone before. Mr. Tolar was born December 27, 1848, and would have been 84 years old had he lived until the coming Christmas time.

Son of John P. and Kanzetta Tolar, he was born in Timpson County, Mississippi. When he was eleven years of age the family came to Texas, settling on a grant of land in Tyler County and helped lay the foundation of a future, that the Tyler County people are now enjoying.

In the early days his father hauled freight to and from Beaumont and Mr. Tolar helped him, carrying on this work for many years. In 1871 he married Miss Vercie Durham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Durham and nine children were born into this home, two dying in childhood and the seven survive the parents.

In 1909 the wife and mother passed on, but the home was kept intact, and with the help of his children he carried on. Some ten years ago his health and mind gave way, but because he had meant so much to his children they gave of their all and loyally stayed by, lovingly caring for him, and shielding him. Some ten months ago he became bed ridden and perfectly hepless.

About ten days ago they realized that death was near. Friday about 9:30 o'clock he quietly passed on, and the funeral was held Sunday at 10 o'clock a. m., in charge of Rev. R. L. Pope of Hillister, who was not merely a minister who was summoned to bring comfort to those who grieved but a man who had known and loved Mr. Tolar since he (Bro. Pope) was a boy. Many times at the mill, when Mr. Tolar brought corn to be ground, he would send the boy off to play and he would do his work.

Brother Pope could tell of the years when Mr. Tolar was a man who loved boys, would laugh with them and they loved to be with him and no doubt he was the ideal of many a youngster in those days who loved bigness, strength and good nature.

J. P., the Misses Bettie and Sarah, W. C. and C. M., who have so generously given of theirselves the past ten years, keeping the home together and caring for the father, will miss him, indeed, but can well feel that they have done their best. The other children have had a share in the care, but they have had their own homes to care for, M. L. Tolar of Warren and Mrs. Ben Best of Woodville.

Out of his father's family of 11 children, now only two remain, two sisters, Mrs. M. L. Waters of Knight, Polk County and Mrs. Jim Finley of Warren. Mrs. Waters attended her brother's funeral, but Mrs. Findley was physically unable to be present. A [illegible]

[illegible] We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their loving sympathy and help during the illness of our father, R. J. Tollar, and for the beautiful floral offerings.

HIS CHILDREN

Hectic Days-Sleepless Nights

TOO MUCH work, too much mental strain, too much worry . . . then "NERVES". How they torture you, tire you, keep you awake nights!

"NERVES" make you irritable, restless; give you Headache, Indigestion. . . "NERVES" make you look and feel old. . . weaken resistance and pave the way for serious nervous or organic trouble.

[illegible] a druggist, suffered tortures from Over-wrought [illegible] dozens of so-called "Nerve Remedies" in his [illegible] them without relief until. . . But let [illegible] in his own words.

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On Texas Farms

In a Wilbarger county contest 10 home demonstration clubs report the installation of 85 sanitary pit toilets.

At least 95% of Williamson county farms have home gardens this year, the home demonstration agent reports.

Since December 1, 384 farm wives in Sollin county have been helped in some tangible way such as canning or gardening by the members of 21 home demonstration clubs.

If the 79 canning budget cards turned in by 4-H pantry demonstrators may be taken as a guide, Dickens county will double its canning over last year when 279,000 quarts of food were put up.

From a garden 300 feet long and 150 feet wide, Ruth Guttery, a 4-H club girl of Jim Wells county sold 318 pounds of cabbage in a recent two-week period, and a bit earlier sold off 1,050 tomato plants.

Forty-one home demonstration club members in Deaf Smith county recently re-modelled dresses at costs ranging from 5 to 50 cents each. The total estimated saving in one month from this sort of work was $121.20.

An improved bedroom for $3.15 is the accomplishment of Mrs. J. C. Gill, bedroom demonstrator in Hopkins county. Among her improvements are a dressing table made from crates, draperies of theartical gauze, two home-made rugs, and a refinished chair.

Time was when 49-cent corn was held in contempt, but A. L. Miller, a Jackson county cattle feeding demonstration who got that price by feeding corn to 22 plain bred calves is a satisfied 'county agent customer.' "The steers made a market, too, for a lot of cheap roughage otherwise not salable," he says.

William Vanstory has convinced his dad that the self-feeder is a better way to feed hogs than doling out the grain by hand. William is a Lubbock county 4-H Club boy who has made his pigs gain 2.1 pounds per day for 89 days. His father was so well pleased he bought some pigs to feed on a feeder himself."

In these days of restricted farm income the fine points of the game become prime news. Two Rockwell county poultry demonstration flocks getting skim milk averaged for the month an egg apiece more per hen than two demonstration flocks without skim milk and produced eggs for two cents less per dozen. The four flock owners averaged a profit of 9½ cents per hen in March.

"Terraces had as much to do with our good crops last year as the season, because what water fell did not run off but benefitted the crops," says E. L. Jones who was helped by the Kaufman county agent to terrace a 95-acre field last year. The year before the tract produced only four bales of cotton and very little feed. Last year 22 bales of cotton were gathered, 700 bushels of oats, 300 bushels of corn, and 7 tons of sorghum hay.

Control of the intestinal worms of poultry and of coccidiosis in chicks has become almost universal on Texas farms as a result of thousands of demonstrations, the extension poultry husbandman believes. He bases it on reports from county and home demonstration agents, on common observation, and on the fact that the volume of inquiries on these subjects has steadily decreased for the last five years. 'Worms used to cut production 25% or more,' he says.

"Plan, Plant, Preserve and Prosper" is the slogan of Bowie County Home Demonstration Club women, says Miss Bulah Blackwell, county home demonstration agent. According to reports 312 club women of the county have an average of of 12 vegetables planted, and the 309 club girls' gardens average 10 varieties. To date 1,568 strawberry and grape vines and 76 fruit trees have been planted, and reports show that turnips, mustard, tendergreens, lettuce, onions, spinach, radishes, celery, pork salad, [illegible] being served [illegible]

[illegible] not small as scrons as the kind I used to get," she complained.

"Well, ma'am," drawled the proprietor, "it's hard to distinguish the odor nowadays with business so rotten!"--A. O. U. W. Bulletin.

DOUCETTE

Miss Johnnie May Aull of Beaumont is visiting in the home of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hopson.

Mrs. Jessie Wells left for Houston Sunday where she will make her home.

Marjorie Lind Beck of Cushing visited with her friends, Nell Whitman, last week.

Mrs. W. E. Ogden and children, Francis Ray and Louis Edgar, returned from a week's visit in Houston Saturday. They were accompanied home by her daughter, Dorcus Lillian, who has been attending school at the Incarnate Word.

Miss Grace Willis left Sunday for Austin where she will attend the Texas University.

John L. and Willie Lee Russell left Saturday for an extended visit with with relatives in Beaumont.

Mrs. Pick Lacy and Buel Allen Bankston motored to Lufkin Saturday to get the daughters, Hal and Mrs. Jim Perry and children, who spent Sunday here.

Bill Russell and D. H. Davis made a business trip to Beaumont Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hooper have as their guest their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frazier of Jackson, La.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie King and daughters, Earline and Christine, spent Sunday in Voth with the mother, Mrs. Moon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ray announce the arrival of a fine baby girl Sunday, May 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Paschall and two children, Dorothy Faye and Thomas [illegible]

Legal News

No. 723

IN COUNTY COURT OF TYLER COUNTY, TEXAS.

In Re Guardianship of the Person and Estate of Mrs. Mabel Inez Sheffield, A Person of Unsound Mind.

NOTICE is hereby given that I, J. C. Sheffield, guardian of the person and estate of Mrs. Mabel Inez Sheffield, a person of unsound mind, have this day filed my application in the above entitled and numbered cause for an order of the County Judge of Tyler County, Texas, authorizing me as the guardian of the person and estate of said ward to make a mineral lease upon such terms as the court may order and direct, of the following real estate belonging to the estate of said ward, to-wit:

77¼ acres a part of the John H. Mayo survey, Abstract No. 735, in Tyler County, Texas.

Beginning at the Northeast corner of the John H. Mayo survey on the East line of the J. E. Thompson survey, being also the Southwest corner of the A. Byerly survey.

Thence south along the Mayo West line (being also the Thompson East line) 593 varas to the Southwest corner of the John H. Mayo survey, being also the Northwest corner of the E. Mayo survey;

Thence East along the E. Mayo North line (being also the J. H. Mayo South line) 744 varas to a stake for corner;

Thence North at 154 varas the Southwest corner of the E. Bright survey, being also an interior corner of the John H. Mayo survey and continuing North along the West line of the Bright (being also the East line of the John H. Mayo survey) 593 varas in all to the Northeast corner of the John H. Mayo survey on the South line of the A. Byerly survey (being also the Northwest corner of the E. Bright survey.)

Thence West along the A. Byerly South line 744 varas to the place of beginning. Containing 78¼ acres more or less, save and except one acre heretofore conveyed to T. D. Phillips by W. A. Phillips by deed recorded in Vol. 53, page 102, Deed of Records, Tyler County.

And being all of the interest of said ward in said land.

Said application will be heard by the County Judge at the courthouse in the City of Woodville, Texas, on the 11th day of June A. D. 1932.

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[illegible] College.

Rusty Roberts attended court in Kountze Monday of last week.

Guests in the A. Hopson home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Marshall and two children and Coy and Stacy Caldwell of Zavalla.

Mrs. J. C. Miller and daughter, Edith Joan spent Saturday and Sunday in De Ridder, La.

Mrs. Harry Johnson and children of Jacksonville are spending a few days in the home of her mother, Mrs. Texana Cobb.

Mrs. Victory of Timpson is now depot agent, relieving J. B. Hill of Rockland.

WARREN

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Hatton and daughter, Nelda Jean and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hatton, were visitors in Burkeville Sunday.

Mrs. Carl Hickman and daughter, Ruth of Nacogdoches, were guests at the T. B. Bevil home last week.

Mrs. Carl Goolsbee visited relatives at Conroe last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ray of Vinton, La., left for home Saturday, after a week's visit here with relatives.

Mrs. Nelva Block spent Friday at Hul.

CHEROKEE

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Dean and family were visitors at Cherokee singing Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Chambless are the proud parents of a fine baby boy who arrived Thursday, June 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Cruse visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bostick.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Belt and family with Evy Jewel Bostick and Maryell Cruse, attended church at Stegerville last Saturday night.

A large crowd from Shiloh attended singing at Cherokee Sunday night.

Miss Zelma Fortenberry and Gladyne are on the sick list this week.

Mrs. J. M. Bingham and daughter, Agnes, spent Monday afternoon in the Herman Pool home.

Rex Cruse made a business trip to Colmesneil Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Webb Sheffield and daughter, Billie Grace, and Mrs. Ben Justice and Luicle Justice spent Saturday night and Sunday in the Ray Sturrock home.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Pool and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Pool. Mrs. Pool remained until Monday afternoon, returning home with her grandchild, Joe Cruse Pool.

Ma[illegible] Cruse, Cleo Belt and Lillie Pearl [illegible] spent Saturday night with Evy Je[illegible] Bostick.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Belt spent Sunday in the C. C. Knight home.

Mr. and Mrs. Vestal Fortenberry, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Platt.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Durham were [illegible]

[illegible] visitors of Misses Novelle [illegible] and Agnes Bingham Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Cruse spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Knight.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hanks of Doucette, spent Sunday with Mrs. Hanks' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Oates.

Woodville Locals

The Men's Bible class which meets each Sunday at the court house, dismissed Sunday morning to attend the funeral of R. J. Tolar.

Prof. and Mrs. Monroe Tolar left Sunday to attend summer school at Nacogdoches. They will be gone until about August 27th.

Miss Anna Frances Lowe left Sunday for Nacogdoches to attend summer school.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Kelley drove to Denton the last of the week to be present at the graduation of the daughter, Miss Louise, on Monday night. They returned to Woodville yesterday.

Mesdames B. B. Martin and Nellena Kirkland and little daughter spent Sunday night with Livingston relatives.

Mrs. Syd Young returned to Houston Sunday with Mrs Willie Dismukes and children. They expect to return here today to spend the summer.

Mrs. J. C. Griffin of Doucette spent Sunday in the D. P. Rock home with her sister, Miss Willie Lindsey.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Crumpler of Hillister returned home Saturday from a ten-day visit with their daughter, Mrs. Elmer Wallace of Gilmer. Enroute up they attended and enjoyed a Sacred Harp singing convention at Wells.

Mrs. J. H. Willard made a trip Monday to Jasper, Kirbyville, Buna, Silsbee and Kountze. While in Jasper she spent a short time with Mrs. Richard Bumstead. Mr. Bumstead and the baby were over Sunday to be with Mrs. Bumstead for a few hours.

Mrs. Horace Balch is enjoying a visit from her husband who is having a week's shore leave from his boat in port at Galveston.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Black of Port Arthur and brother, William Hodnett of Long Station spent part of last week with the Joe Shillings and C. Miss Lola Brown returned to her home in Houston last week for the summer vacation.

Norman Swearing[illegible] planning on staying and tak[illegible] summer course at the State University.

Miss Julia Belle Cruse is spending part of this week in Lufkin with her sister, Mrs. Y. L. Hinson.

Mrs. Jack Wheeler returned home Friday from a visit in Central Texas with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Tubb, Dr. and Mrs. F. V. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Davis, Attorney and Mrs. J. E. Wheat drove to Lake Mitigwa Sunday after the Boy Scouts, coming back to Honey Island for a picnic dinner.

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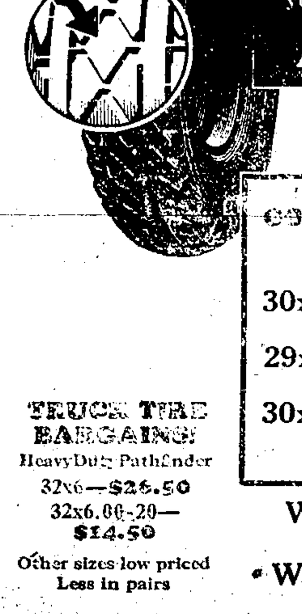

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our lawmakers to reduce the number of counties. Oh, no, we mustn't do anything like that! It would cause some small-fry politicians to lose their jobs.

We complain about our city tax bills, yet year after year we have been asking the municipal authorities to spend money for auditoriums, parks, playgrounds, paved streets, airports, club buildings, public amusements, etc., and approving bond issues for that purpose. We are the smallest city in the United States to maintain a public zoo, when our curiosity to see monkeys could be appeased by simply looking in the mirror.

We storm and jeer when congress proposes a plan of balancing the budget, which is voted down with hoodlum tactics, and then view with complacency the framing of a hodge-podge system of raising revenue that will make the tax burden far heavier than under the original plan.

We jump with glee at the prospect of placing surtaxes of 50 and 60 per cent on the incomes of the rich who no longer have incomes, and therefore will not pay anything into the treasury.

We do our utmost to force the rich man's money out of business through punitive legislation, forcing withdrawal of capital from the industries on which the poor depend, and cause the capitalist to put his money into tax-exempt securities.

We know the fee system is pernicious, taking money that should be spent for useful purposes, but we do not make an instant demand on our lawmakers to abolish it.

We decry the rule of banditry and gangdom, and perpetuate the reign of the racketeer by allowing him to go scot-free in the courts.

We toss a few negroes into jail now and then for bootlegging and imagine we are enforcing the prohibition law.

We hurl money to the winds in profligate government expenditures and then we weep because we no longer have any credit in the money markets.

We take our money by the hundreds of millions out of the banks because we lose confidence in the bankers, and then we cuss because they will no longer make loans while the bankers cuss us for hoarding our money.

We refuse to buy the goods of other men which we actually need and are able to pay for, and then wonder why other men do not buy our goods.

We buy securities of any and every [illegible] that prints [illegible] on linen paper, [illegible] their price, and then [illegible] when the bottom [illegible] of the market.

[illegible] 1932 [illegible]

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We actually pass up government [illegible] below par, when, if there is anything on God's green earth that ought to be worth 100 cents on the dollar, it is a government bond.

We hail every demagogue and rabble-rouser with glad acclaim and jeer at every man who tries to pour a little common sense in our ears.

At the height of a boom we could not see a depression, and at the bottom of the depression and see no more booms. We are sure the whole world is going to hell a-whooping.

Are we a Nation of Boobs? By all the nine great gods that roost on high Olmypus, let us tell the whole cockeyed world we are!

It's "America first' in everything—even Boobery.—Jackson Daily News.

Woodville Locals

Henry Allen Coe and Lee Wheeler of Kountze are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wheeler.

The C. M. Davis family were in Beaumont Tuesday and Wednesday nights. Miss Marguerite Davis was in the musical recital given by Miss Harned on Tuesday night and in the dance recital Wednesday night given by the Misses Ann and Judith Sproule.

Miss Diddie Lewis of Houston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lewis, formerly of Woodville, is visiting in the Hugh Davis home and with other friends. Some time ago we noticed that Mrs. Lewis sent in a "Believe It Or Not" to the Houston Post, that in Woodville the Adams and Hayes lived with two flocks of the [illegible]

The Misses Pauline, Lucille, Mat[illegible] Lee, Lorene Richardson and [illegible] spent Sunday in Luf[illegible]

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Society

O. C. Forbes and daughter, Miss Jettie of Palestine spent Sunday with the daughters and sister, Mrs. Jeff Reagin and Ethel Forbes. Miss Ethel returned home with them for a vacation visit.

Mrs. R. A. Brown returned Sunday from a visit at New Willard with her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Williams. Mrs. Williams brought her home.

Miss Ruth Evans was home for a few days visit but returned to her school work at Stephen F. Austin College Sunday.

The Thursday Bridge Club did not meet on Thursday last week because of the death of Uncle Syd Young, but met on Saturday with Mrs. T. C. Rock. As the guests arrived the hostess presided over the punch bowl, and the cooling drink with the pleasant location of the sun porch, furnished an atmosphere *entirely different from* the hot June afternoon. Mrs. Johnie Wakefield held honors for high score and Miss Eloise Reid cut. Delicious refreshments of salad, cake and iced tea were served.

Mrs C W Richards entertained the Junior Bridge Club Tuesday morning from 9:30 until 1 o'clock p. m. at five tables. Meeting at her home they drove six miles out on the Chester road and under the shade of huge beech trees the guests enjoyed six games of bridge. About 12:30 a huge container of spring water and ice was made into lemonade, each guest given a gay paper cup, plate, fork and napkin and invited to help themselves to sandwiches, salad, pickles, olives and deviled eggs. Mrs. Wallace Sholars received guest prize for high score, Miss Eloise Reid high score for club member and Mrs. Carlton Young received cut.

On Tuesday night the local Chapter of O. E. S. installed officers for the ensuing year. Four members of the Warren chapter, Mesdames W. M. Maddox, James Swearingen, Charles Kelly and Miss Willie Mae Allison, were present from out of town. Attorney J. E. Wheat, was installing officer, as the District Worthy Matron, Mrs. Kilpatrick of Lufkin, failed to get here. Mr. Wheat appointed Mrs. T. C. Rock as installing marshal, Mrs. D. P. Rock as chaplain and Mrs. J. H. Willard to preside at the piano. As the Marshall escorted each of the new officers to the altar, and Mr. Wheat gave them instructions, impressing the great responsibility they were taking upon themselves authorizing the marshall to give the emblem of their office and lead them to their chair in the chapter room, the [illegible] was beautiful and [illegible] those [illegible] took time to [illegible] that being a member of the Eastern Star means something to members individually and collectively. The charter [illegible] presented the Worthy Matron, Mrs. W. B. Thomas and she used [illegible] the first time to seat the chapter and gave the members and visitors an opportunity to speak. Mr. Thomas, Attorney C. E. Smith and Mrs. Maddox spoke, the new officers, upon the honor the chapter had shown them, and pledging their best the coming year and Mrs. Maddox highly complimented the presiding officers of the evening, especially the Marshall upon her beautiful work and the ease with which she did it. A happy social hour was enjoyed which was brought to a close in the community hall when the hostesses, J. R. McCombs, Mrs. F. J. Barclay, Mattie Hewitt, Miles Jordon and J. E. Wheat served ice cream and cake.

Woodville Locals

Miss Bessie Risinger of Warren will attend school in Nacogdoches this summer.

Are you planning on attending the revival at the Baptist church? Why not arrange your visits, work and home duties so you can attend every service. Ten days or two weeks is surely not much time to give to the Lord's work during the year. Did you ever stop to think that if we church members really lived the Christ life there would be no need of revivals? How about it?

Joe Wickline is in Dallas this week suffering the experience of having his tonsils removed.

The R. L. Carlton family returned Sunday from a visit and enforced vacation to West Texas. Mr. Carlton is rather discouraged over his health, as he feels he is not improving very rapidly.

P. J. Hayes of Texas City was in town Monday to see Mr. Carlton and Carroll Cole went on with him to Arcadia, La., to visit his grandfather, J. P. Stewart. Another Texas Power Company representative, Chas. Rogers of Texas City, is here this week.

Frank [illegible] of Kountze is visiting [illegible]

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THEFT OF ELECTRIC CURRENT WITH "METER JUMPER" DEVICE CHARGED IN 27 CASES HERE

A petty household "economy" racket becoming widespread in Beaumont was revealed yesterday when 27 cases were filed by the county attorney in the county court at law, charging local householders with theft of electricity by diverting electric current from the meters of the Gulf States Utilities company.

Prevalence of electric current theft in the city is evidenced by the fact that the persons charged live in dwellings and apartment houses on 14 separate streets.

Capiases for the arrest of the individuals charged were issued yesterday by the county clerk's office, after George Stovall, assistant county attorney, drew up the formal charges. All complaints were signed by E. R. Rollins, official of the meter department of the utility company.

The cases against the 27 individuals were based on first-hand evidence turned over to the county attorney's office by the electric company following over a period of several weeks. Officials indicated more charges will be filed.

Most of those charged were caught using meter "jumpers," a wire connection by which current was diverted around the meter to one or more electrical appliances in the house or apartments of the offender. At a result, the light company lost several dollars worth of current each month on each meter.

In some instances, investigators found "jumper" devices which apparently had been manufactured by some concern for the nefarious purpose for which they were being used. In other violations, particularly at several negro houses, the current "saver" was not so expertly fixed.

Bond Set at $200

Under state law, all such offenders are charged with a misdemeanor and their bond is set by law at $200 in each case, Judge W. S. Nichols of the county court at law, said.

The statute under which all were charged sets out that discovery of any device or contrivance for diverting current from a meter or a person's residence constitutes prima facie evidence of the householder's knowledge of its existence.

Violators are subject to a fine of from $25 to $200.—Beaumont Enterprise.

Meter Tampering

Mr. Stover reported he also had evidence of meter tampering. In such cases the revolving disc inside the meter had been tampered with so that it was practically stopped or slowed down to such an extent it failed to record accurately the supply of current being used through the meter. Some of the meter jobs were done crudely and others were fixed more expertly, Mr. Stovall said.

NOTICE TO PRECINCT CHAIRMEN

To the Precinct Chairmen of the Democratic Executive Committee of Tyler County, Texas.

You are requested to be present at a meeting of the Democratic Executive Committee of Tyler county, to be held in Woodville, Texas, on June 20, 1932, at the court house at 1 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of transacting such business as may come before said committee.

Yours truly,
D. P. ROCK,
Chairman Dem. Ex. Com. Tyler County, Texas.

Woodville Locals

Mrs. A. W. Harrison and children and Mrs. J. B. Best and children drove to Lufkin Sunday where they were met by relatives from Livingston, Alto and Henterson for a love fest and dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Reid, Jr., are looking for the son John, wife and baby of College Station this week.

C. P. Rainey came up from Beaumont the last of the week and with Mr. and Mrs. Leffie Rainey and Miss Marguerite Rainey is visiting in Sweetwater.

Prof. Elmer Tubb left Saturday for Austin to attend State University through the summer. Mr. Tubb will teach next year at Warren.

L. H. Jennings of Chester was a business visitor at the County Seat Tuesday. His little niece, Miss Jean David of Silsbee was with him.

J. E. Wiggins of Village Mills was in Woodville Tuesday.

Mrs. Ezra Hayes, daughter and son, Miss Ida Mae and Charles, returned early this week from [illegible] with relatives [illegible]

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The [illegible] of [illegible] week with [illegible] Virginia will attend school at Stephen F. Austin college this summer.

Mrs. W. W. Greer is enjoying a visit from her daughter, Mrs. F. B. Labat and small daughter of Southern Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. Y. L. Hinson of Lufkin spent last week here with the parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Cruse.

Mrs. Gordon Anderson spent a few days with her father, T. C. Hicks at Town Bluff while her mother made a trip to Port Arthur.

Sunday visitors in the Frank Baskin home in Doucette were, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Doss and children of Highland and Mrs. Jim Glover, son and daughter of New Willard.

Little Miss Bettie Masterson returned to her home in Voth Sunday after a happy visit with her grandmother, Mrs. S. E. Masterson.

Mrs. Dave Mann was in Colmesneil Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Ernest Willford of Beaumont spent Sunday with Mrs. Dallas Young.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Ogden of Kauffman are visiting the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Ogden at Town Bluff. Miss Ivie Ogden is also at home for the vacation from her school work at Stowell.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Young left Saturday after a visit with the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Young. They will visit in Dallas and Eastland enroute to their home in El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. Grimes and children from Louisiana spent part of last week with the latter's sister, Mrs. Sam McAllister. Their mother, Mrs. Ella Freeman of Hallsville was also here. On Sunday a brother, Frank Freeman and family of Port Arthur arrived for a visit.

B. B. Martin, Jr., who has been enjoying a vacation with Livingston relatives is again "back on the job" in Henderson.

Last Friday Mesdames T. C. Rock, C. E. Smith, Frank Fain and Miss Mary Martin motored to Corrigan as geusts of Mrs. C. C. Pool at a bridge club. Mr. and Mrs. Fain went from there to Oakwood to spend the week end.

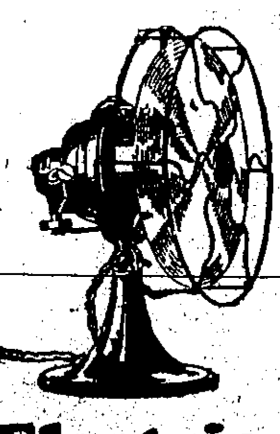
Mr. and Mrs. Johnie Wakefield were Beaumont visitors Monday.

Mrs. McColl of Sweetwater with Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Reid, Jr., of Lufkin spent Saturday here in the Sam Reid home.

Mesdames G. C. Lowe and Carlton Young were Colmesneil visitors Monday.

Mrs. Marguerite Morris and two sons left last week to visit her sister on a ranch near Brady.

Keep Cool!



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Jack Rotan and Quincy Wise returned Monday from a trip to the Conroe oil fields.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Masterson of Beaumont spent Saturday night here with the mother, Mrs. S. E. Masterson.

Mrs. John C. Davis and children spent Saturday in Beaumont.

Miss Louise Sutton of Shreveport expects to enter the J. E. Wheat office this week as assistant stenographer.

Herbert Sutton was in Conroe Monday looking over the oil situation.

Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. William Prafka of Port Arthur are expected the last of the week for a vacation visit in the Dallas Young home.

Mrs. George E. Neel and children, Mrs. C. B. Neel and Mrs. Roy Blackshear of Larado are expected here the last of the week to visit relatives and friends, here and in Colmesneil and Jasper.

Attorney J. E. Wheat is expecting his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Crawford of Breese, Ill., today for a visit.

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The Esca Walker family spent Sunday at Town Bluff.

Mrs. R. L. Boynton and son [illegible] Lufkin are visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Hawkins.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Neese and children of Beaumont are visiting in the J. E. Rotan home. Tuesday Mrs. Rotan with them drove to Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hopson and daughter, Miss Georgia Lelia of Mexia are visiting friends and relatives in Woodville and Colmesneil this week.

Carl Liem spent the week end at College Station.

Mrs. Nettie Walker is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. O. C. Hicks at Spurger.

Mrs. Frank Lindsey of Jasper is visiting the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brown. Every one will be sincerely sorry to learn that her brother Leon Brown is again in the Beaumont General hospital.

D. F. Munsell spent Sunday with his family in Jasper. He hopes and expects to get moved to Woodville next week. Mrs. Jesse Feagin and children are moving to Colmesneil.

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