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[Co]nnally Boosts For Texas

The recently enacted farm bill provides for the establishment of [f]our regional research agricul[tur]al laboratories. The function [of] such laboratories is to con[du]ct research into and to de[velo]p new scientific chemical and [tech]nical uses and new and ex[tende]d markets and outlets for [illegible] commodities and products [and b]y-products thereof. One of [these l]aboratories is to be locat[ed in] the cotton region. A fed[eral a]ppropriation of one million dollars is authorized for the establishment of each laboratory.

Texas, by all means, should be the site of the cotton research laboratory. However, other cotton states will, no doubt, make a determined fight for its location.

While the act does not require any financial participation by the state in which located, the act does provide that the Secretary of agriculture is authorized to acquire land and interests therein to account in the name of the United States donations of any property, real and personal, to any laboratory established pursuant to the act and to utilize voluntary uncompensated services at such laboratories.

There is a wide-spread interest throughout Texas in behalf of the location of such laboratory in our state. Cotton producers and the cotton industry generally have, for a considerable period, indicated a vital interest in this project. Texas is the largest cotton producing state. It is more directly interested in cotton exports than any other state since 90% of the cotton produced in Texas is normally exported. The establishment of such a laboratory in Texas would be of immeasurable benefit to all the people and industries of the entire state. Co-operation with the Agricultural and Mechanical College and other institutions devoted to agriculture would insure outstanding service to the people of the entire United States through the agency of such a laboratory.

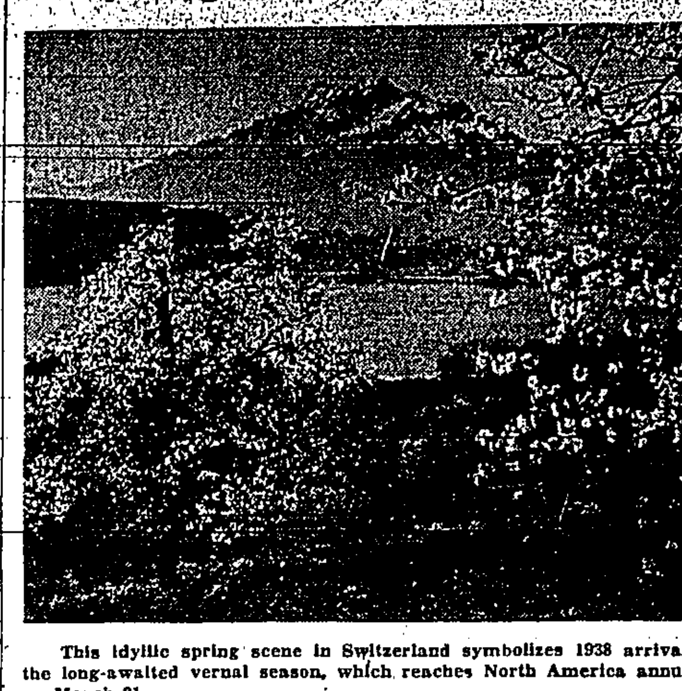
I desire to urge that organization in Texas, Chambers of Commerce, the Agricultural and Mechanical College, and farm as[so]ciations co-operate activity [wi]th each other in a movement to [br]ing the location of the cotton research laboratory to Texas. Pertinent data, the proposal of a site or location, and all related matters will be of tremendous value in presenting this matter to the Secretary of Agriculture. Steps have already been taken to advise the Secretary of Agriculture that Texas expects and desires the location of the laboratory in our state. The Texas delagation in Congress will actively and aggressively press the matter before the Secretary. It is hoped that their efforts will receive the hearty support of Texans.

HEART ATTACK KILLS VETERAN SHOWMAN

San Angelo, Mar. 3.—Life's drama, stages of which he portrayed for more than 33 years in a tent theatre, ended here Thursday for J. Doug Morgan, 55, widely known showman. He died of a heart attack in his trailer house.

The Morgans, accompanied by Clifford Bass, former chauffeur for Jimmie Rogers, who had joined them in Tucson, Ariz., were enroute to Jacksonville, Texas, from Long Beach, Cal, and had stopped here to visit Harley Sadler, West Texas showman.

Spring Arrives, Officially



This idyllic spring scene in Switzerland symbolizes 1938 arrival of the long-awaited vernal season, which reaches North America annually on March 21.

Hot Checks and Hot Writers

J. H. Willard, Editor Tyler County Booster, City. Dear Mr. Willard:

In view of the fact that there have been several bogus checks cashed by Tyler County merchants during the past month, and the further fact that there appears to be a regular epidemic of this kind of business all over the country, I believe that you will be rendering the business men and the merchants of the county a great favor if you will print the following squib in your paper:

"The merchants of Texas and neighboring states are complaining of a deluge of checks fraudulently issued and passed upon them by 'hot check' artists recently. Most of these checks are drawn upon the proper depositories of the major Oil Companies, Pipe Line Companies, etc., and from the face of the checks they appear to be perfectly genuine in all respects, but before any merchant cashes any such check, he should know the party offering the same, or have him properly identified by some local citizen who is able to vouch for his identity and connection with the company upon which the check is drawn. Whenever any stranger presents such a check to a merchant, even though he refuses to cash it, that merchant may be able to render valuable aid in breaking up this unlawful practice by taking a written note of the make and license number of the automobile in which these 'artists' usually travel, the direction in which they appeared to be traveling, and a description of the man or men, and notify the sheriff or any peace officer immediately, giving them such information."

Trusting that you will realize the value of your interest in this instance, I am,

Very truly yours,
C. C. HIGHTOWER.
County Attorney.

RECEIVED $100

Many in Woodville and Tyler county have been interested in the Oxydol contest, and hoping to be awarded one of the ten grand prizes. Last week Mrs. Marie Lucas of Doucette was presented with a $100 check and her friends are sincerely glad for her.

Window Shop in the Booster first

Despoiling Young Young Trees on 106

Sunday out on Highway 106 we caught up with a parked car. On the right-of-way were two boys trying to dig up a red-bud tree, near the car was a woman with her arms full of red-wood blossoms. In the car was a bunch of red-wood trees, all about six feet in height, pulled up by the roots. We stopped and backed the car on the black top and engaged these city hicks in conversation, and when they tilted their beaks upward The Booster folks did all the talking and ending in taking their car license number. We have reported the incident to the proper authorities.

Elsewhere will be found a little paragraph written by Dean Tevis while here last Thursday and Friday. 'Twas merely a little eye picture translated into words after viewing many Beaumont cars returning with great quantities of red-bud bloom as well as the trees.

However, The Booster's objection arose from the fact these hicks from the city were despoiling trees upon the right-of-way, many of which were set by the highway men in beautifying the various territories through which Texas highways have been built. Had this affair been reported in Oregon these youngsters would be in serious trouble. Highway violations of about 'steen different varieties are taken up by the authorities and when a car driver or owner is summoned, they go to headquarters. Also, they have learned by experience it pays to answer the call.

With the many thousands of acres of densely wooded lands in many East Texas counties that are not on the tax rolls, it appears that city hicks could get all the red-bud they wanted without abusing their privildges upon and along the various highways.

QUESTIONS

Every so often somebody wants to know how deep is the deepest oil well and we've always been stumped and had to admit it. However, we know now. The Onoco well in Kern county, Cal., is the answer and if feet mean anything in figuring up miles, the hole is 13,827 feet deep as late as March 5, 1938. They are still fussing around and the first thing they know the driller will be able to listen in on the greatest undeclared war of modern times.

Do you believe the Beaumont Enterprise is the greatest kidder (whatever that word implies) in the world? One day recently the head writer pushed over an announcement in a two column wide head to the effect that if the doctors could keep Pershing's heart working he would live.

Do you all like this part of East Texas? Sure, its been rather chilly then and again this winter, but fruit raisers have not told the world through special news reports they had to resort to smudge pots to save their fruit crop. Nothing like that hereabouts, and The Booster can prove its assertion. We have a large plum tree in our yard and protected it in no manner and the cold did not blight it in any way.

Has anybody discovered any improvement work or any other kind of work on the black top streets in Woodville? The holes are getting greater and the black tops are getting greater numbers of holes. The holes in front [illegible]

GOOD BYE, BARREL!

L. A. Woods Here Tonight

State Supt. L. A. Woods of Austin and Dist. Supt. M. J. Fields of Beaumont will meet tonight with Tyler County's Teachers Assn. Dr.s G. W. Lucky and Albert M. Dashiell of the State Health Department will also meet with the Assn. as the Tri-County unit is one of the big projects just now in this, Polk and Hardin counties. All admit that it is badly needed. However the leaven is working and may bear good results yet. After this meeting Mr. Woods will speak at the V. F. W. meeting in the district court room. A representative of the CCC educational unit of Lufkin is also to speak at the teacher's meeting tonight.

BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

J. C. BOYD, Pastor

A revival meeting is to be conducted at the Baptist church beginning on Sunday, April 10. The pastor will do the preaching and a singer will be invited to assist with the music.

A special offering was taken at the church Sunday to apply on repairing the parsonage. About $200 was received.

We were happy to have in the services Sunday morning Rev. Jeff Rhodes. It was a joy to the pastor and all the people to have him present. It is our purpose to have some time soon a special service honoring all the old people of the community. It is our desire to have Bro. Rhodes preach on the occasion.

The church has authorized the appointment of a finance committee to solicit weekly contributions to the church budget. The budget as adopted by the church calls for $50 per week. In it is included all of the local church expense and also the contributions to the denominational causes. The committee will be announced Sunday and doubtless will begin its work soon.

Rev. C. F. Stapp, father of Robert Stapp of the local public school, was a pleasant caller at the pastor's home Saturday morning. Rev. and Mrs. Stapp are missionaries in North Brazil, being stationed at Camping Grande. They are on furlough, which is extended each seventh year, and will return to their station in May.

The subject for Sunday's morning's sermon is, "Laying Well the Foundation." The subject for the Sunday evening's sermon is, "A Great Transformation."

Highway Officials Barbecue Saturday

Julian Montgomery, state highway engineer, and State Highway Commissioners R. L. Bobbitt, Harry Hines and John Wood may get a taste of East Texas famous dish, cornbread and chitlins, when they attend an old fashion barbeque given in their honor by Highway 45 association Saturday, March 12. The event will be held on the Livingston-Woodville highway near the county line, at the Pinkney Fire Tower. Representatives of Walker, San Jacinto, Polk, Tyler and Newton counties will be present for the occasion.

CHAIRMAN NAMED FOR TYLER FARMERS' POLL

The following chairmen have been appointed by the county committee to conduct the poll among the farmers on the cotton question: W. H. Williford, Warren; John L. Norris, Fred; J. R. Jordan, Spurger; Hill Best, Fairview; Archie Nash, Ebenezer.

John T. Pittman, Colmesneil; Clyde J. Cruse, Dies; Tullos T. Thornton, Chester; T. C. Cruse, Woodville.

On March 14 the county committee, which is composed of C. A. Barclay, Chester; H. C. Pedigo, Pedigo; L. D. Hatton of Warren will canvass the election.

Here Tuesday Night

The Hardin-Tyler County's Medical Assn. met Tuesday night at the McClures cafe with Dr.s Walter Brown, W. W. Dunn and J. A. Bybee of Beaumont, W. H. Beasley of Silsbee, W. W. Anderson and R. A. Tate of Kountze, Alf Roark of Saritoga, John Hunter of New Acol, J. F. Shivers, Watt Barclay and Sam Pate of Woodville, G. W. Luckey and Albert M. Dashiell of Austin present. The two latter named were sent here upon request of Supt. O. A. Riley of the State Health Department. The counties of Polk, Hardin and Tyler are trying to perfect a plan for a Tri-county health unit. Dr. Lucky laid plans before the Assn. and it went on record unanimously, to back up the plan and to recommend to the County Court that it accept it if possible. Dr.s Brown and Dunn read interesting papers and the Assn. feels that this evening was worth while. The next meeting will be in Kountze the 12th of April.

IF IT'S WORTH SELLING IT'S WORTH ADVERTISING

The Swan As A Dog Killer, Great Success

A bright afternoon in August, 1936, found Frank Thomas fishing in the Thames near Reading. Cries a hundred yards down stream brought him on the run to find four swans pulling a boy into midstream. Thomas plunged in to rescue the lad, Brian Barrett, aged six and, endowed with as much luck as courage, managed to get the boy away from his attackers and bring him, half drowned, to shore.

Brian has been picnicing with his parents farther downstream and after the lunch had wandered off by himself. Seeing the swans near the bank he had started tossing bits of cake to them when two of the birds suddenly seized him by the pant legs and pulled him in. Hissing like angry geese they clustered around their prey and while two pulled him from shore their mates pecked savagely at the helpless child and a "peck" from a swan is in the category of a blow.

Why the swans did not turn on Brian's rescuer is strange, and forfunate for him. When a swan is in a malignant mood it will go for anything and when it can get its adversary in its own element the swan does not come off second best.

In the hundreds of battles between swans and other animals the swans are nearly always victors. No dog, no matter how great his prowess as a fighter, comes out alive from such a scrap even when hostilities are begun on land.

When a fox terrier rushed a female swan sitting on her nest on the bank of the Clyde in Richmond Park, Glasgow, last May, it did not take the head of the family long to happear [illegible] scene [illegible] the female [illegible]

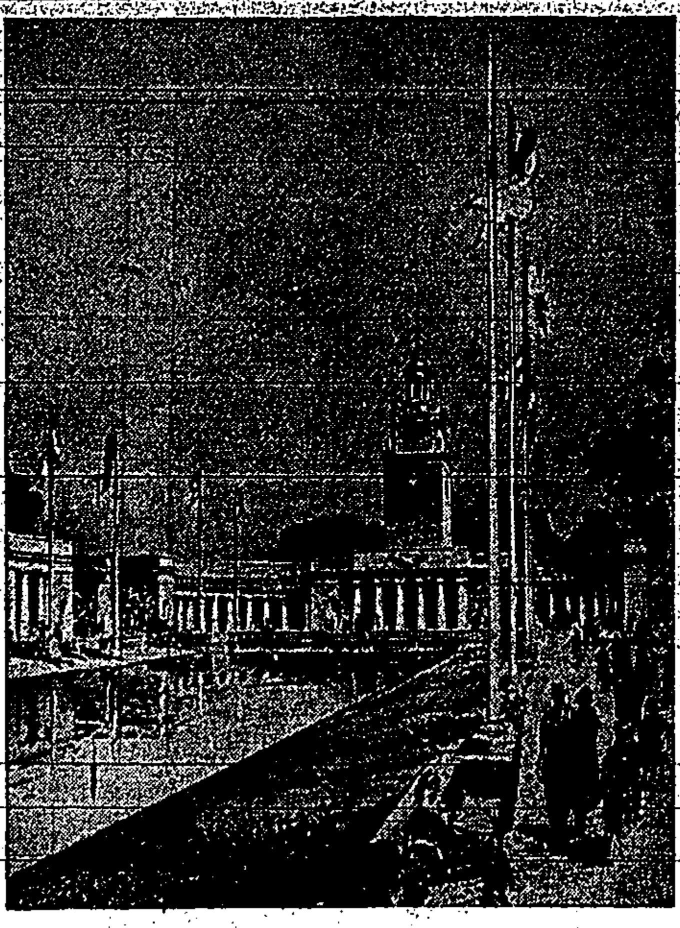
[illegible]rier up by the neck, took it into the stream and drowned it.

People living in the vicinity of Hamstead Heath pond were mystified during early summer of 1930 by the disappearance of their dogs. Three pets disappeared in two weeks and a fourth was found drowned in the pond early in the third week of the strange disappearances. The fate of these dogs was cleared up later that same week when eye witnesses saw the fifth victim dispatched after a fight with Hercules, an old male swan which had inhabited the pond for three or four years.

Hercules left the water as soon as he saw the dog, a mongrel with Irish terrier predominating, trotting along the path by the pond's edge. They joined battle at once and for five glorious minutes the quadruped gave a good account of himself. Up and down the path and over on the grass the snarling hissing mass of fur and feathers rolled. Finally the bird's advantage in weight began to tell. As the terrier wilted the swan increased the venom of its attack, beating the animal with wings and beak until it was an inert blood-covered mass. When the victor began literally to wipe the path with its adversary two boys rushed to the rescue. But Hercules would not surrender his prey. He picked the dog up and swimming out to the middle of the pond administered the finishing touches beyond interference.

Hercules was seen to do his sixth victim, after a shorter and less gory struggle, and although every dog in the neighborhood was carefully watched, two more found their way to the pond and death. Hercules was thus credited [illegible]

States' Buildings at New York Fair



NEW YORK—This sketch was made from final plans for the Court of the State Buildings at the New York World's Fair 1939. Here the various states of the union, most of which have taken space for their displays, will exhibit their natural advantages and industrial accomplishments. The English section is shown above. There will also be French and Spanish areas.

CCC Camps To Be Retained

Texas will retain it 16 CCC camps in state and municipal parks for the present, announced Wendell Mayes of Brownwood, chairman of the Texas state park board, Mayes and William J. Lawson of Austin, executive secretary to the board, returned recently from Washington where they conferred with national part service officials.

No movement of camps will be made April 1 as had been contemplated, but Texas may lose one camp July 1, Mayes said. Camps in the United States are to be reduced from 1,500 to 1,200 April 1.

Texas is making greater progress in development of state parks than possibly any other state and the areas being developed are of such importance the state parks board feel, that any reduction would create a handicap to the program in Texas.

This state lost three camps Jan. 1 and the present nationwide reduction will make it impossible to establish new camps in Texas until work in parks now occupied is completed.

Texas has 13 camps in state parks and three in municipal parks. State parks which have camps are Brownwood, Garner at Uvalde, Bastrop, Balmorhea, Cleburne, Mother Neff, Tyler, Huntsville, Lockhart, Lubbock, Daingerfield, Longhorn Cavern, and Fort Parker at Mexia. Camps in municipal parks are at Dallas, Beaumont, and Goliad.

BOY SCOUTS

The county now has a Scout Board of Review with 11 members, J. H. Kenesson, chairman. Tuesday night 28 scouts from over the county met with the board and next Tuesday night at the Chester Court of Honor awards will be presented. The board members were Jay Kelley, I. O. Riley, J. C. Nicholson of Woodville, E. L. Swearingen, Mr. Morrow and A. King of Doucette, Gordon Bishop of Warren and Rev. Thomas of Chester. The scout masters, Jim Pope of Doucette, E. C. Matthews of Chester and David Watts of Warren filled places of those absent.

STUDY CLUB TUESDAY

The Woman's Study club will hold its regular meeting Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. J. F. Shivers. All members of the club will please note the change of the meeting.

HELLO WORLD

Mayor and Mrs. Ezra Eaves are rejoicing over the safe arrival of their first grand daughter, who arrived early Saturday morning. Baby Seta Earl and mother, Mrs. Ida Mae Triplett, are getting along splendidly [illegible]

FFA Boys Graft Pecans

The Woodville Future Farmers have grafted paper shell pecans in 200 seedling trees which they bought from Clark Harrison for two cents each. Clarke had planted the seed two years ago as one of his supervised practice jobs in Vocational agriculture. The boys are selling each FFA boy one of the trees after it is grafted for two cents. Then they were selling the boys all additional trees he wants wants to buy now for 7c each. The trees that they do not sell now will be set on the school nursery and sold next fall.

Since the pecan is the Texas tree the boys hope to get every home in Tyler to plant it least one tree.

1938 Interscholastic League Program Is Now Aborning

The school children of Tyler county will again come to Woodville for their annual interscholastic league contests. The event have been scheduled as follows by the executive committee, according to A. A. Miller, of Spurger, director-general.

March 18. Junior boys' and girls' tennis, 9:30 a. m.

Debate, round-robin, 1. p. m.

One-act play 7:30 p. m.

March 25. At various times in the morning, Ward school declamation, ready writing, music writing, music memory, picture memory, choral singing, 3-R contest.

In the afternoon, arithmetic, all classes of spelling, story-telling, typing, senior declamation. Extemporaneous speaking and debate finals, 7:30 p. m.

March 26. Volley ball. Preliminaries in [illegible] senior track and field [illegible]

Finals in track and [illegible] awarding the prizes, 7:30 [illegible] stadium.

The committee also decided to charge a small admission for the one-act play contest and for the night track meet, states F. B. Sullivan, business manager.

ST. PATRICKS TEA

The ladies of the Methodist church south are planning a silver tea on the afternoon of Thursday the 17th at the home of Mrs. Roy Pate, from 3 to [illegible] o'clock. You are cordially invited to attend. The silver offering is to be used for a worthy cause and you will want a part in it.

Clean Up W[illegible] Starts April [illegible]

Proclaimed [illegible] was April 3 [illegible] Up Week and [illegible] Gov. Allred. The [illegible] department of health, the [illegible] surance department will join [illegible] sponsor this wek in Texas. Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State health officer states that the accumulation of winter's debris represents a distinct menace to the health of adults and particularly little children, and urges everyone to clean up their houses and yards during this week. It is not only good housekeeping but ordinary sanitary principles indicate the necessity of prompt removal of all waste matter in and around the neighborhood of yards and homes, and the definite lessening of the spread of diseases, especially those affecting infants, is vitally connected with this procedure. Texas is annually being host to more and more tourists, and we want Texas to appear at its best for the approval of these visitors. If all property holders will repair and paint their buildings, and replace weeds with flowers and shrubs, we can make Texas the beautiful place nature intended it to be. Sanitation of the individual home is a splendid protection against communicable diseases.

Flies help spread typhoid fever, dysentery, diarrhoea, tuberculosis, anthrax, and cholera. They live, breed and feed in filth. To prevent their increase all refuse should be disposed of at once, garbage kept in covered containers, privies made sanitary and houses screened. Every neighborhood raises its own flies so that their number is an [illegible] to the sanitary conditions [illegible] quitoes are respon[illegible] spread of malaria [illegible] yellow fever. Mala[illegible] by the bite of the [illegible] malaria mosquito, and yellow fever [illegible] by the Aedes Aeg[illegible] mosquito. The best [illegible] vent these diseases is [illegible] the breeding places of the mosquito. They breed in standing water, therefore one should always drain, ditch, or fill such places, spray oil on water each week, or stock the water with surface minnows as they will eat the wiggletails. Houses should be well screened to protect against these insects. After the spring cleaning is finished, it should be kept in this condition at all times.

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SOMETIMES WE wonder if the sport of kings will be legislated back into Texas after the new state administration takes a slant at the feelings of Texans who miss their sport once or twice a year.

TYLER COUNTY, at least the territory along the highways, is going to wake up one of these springs to find not a redbud left. Hardly a car coming up from Beaumont Sunday but took one to a dozen trees home with them. But—Beaumont is fast becoming a Redbud town.

WELL, WELL, well, Bill McCraw has come out in the open and declared himself a candidate for governor of Texas, and, too, while that senator fellow from Galveston, and others, were attempting to spread a coat of smear, shellac, whitewash and what else is there? McCraw will make all the knockers sit up and take notice—win or lose.

Mrms Dean Tevis were up Thursday and Friday. Dean toured Tyler and part of Polk county with W. O Hodges of the State Forestry service and then made some shots of the historic Barclay place on the Harmony road. Believe Tevis likes Woodville and Tyler county a little better than any part of East [illegible] Some of you will recall [illegible] deal of the fine [illegible] and Chester and [illegible] ge some years [illegible]

[illegible]TER regrets to [illegible]tical scrap now [illegible]nating from Austin [illegible]on with the cheap political [illegible]nder attempted by the Galveston senator. Holbrook. Candidates in high positions who stoop to small town pastime of attempting to smear each other is beneath the dignity of the State's chief executive. Indeed, making a great political fight and applying the thunders of silence is far more effective and more becoming.

THE FRIENDLY Texan, Austin, says "Did you know that in 1937 the combined Federal and State taxes totaled $222,000,000? Just so, just so, Friendly Texan, but can you state what percentage of that sum was actually paid? We learned some Texans have never paid a tax, either on their business, real estate holdings or personal, so we wonder if anybody can state the sum total paid. We can but wonder, because if one man we know of can get by, are there not many taxfree Texans?

STRANGE HOW practice changes things, and, too, how those who got what they wanted with repeal of the prohibition law, still are not satisfied. Thinking of booze, prohibition, etc., we can but wonder. Following from a beer publication, the Coors [illegible]ler, is of interest: "Today, five years after repeal, we face to face with the threat [of] a new prohibition fight. The [e]nthusiasm which welcomed repeal has long since dwindled or been killed entirely by abuses which have since crept in."

IT SEEMS as though nature, the elements—something over which mere man has no control at this time, is responsible for great financial losses. Last year the Ohio river flood situation was the chief source of loss in life, homes and ruination of all [b]usiness interests in the direct [pa]th of the flood waters. And [no]w the great California floods [a]re in the head lines of all daily papers. The losses at this time are problematical. As usual the Red Cross is on the ground doing a work no other American organization would dare to attempt.

IF YOU ask The Booster [wh]at he thinks about checks, [ch]eck artists and the prac[tice] to be pursued in connection [wi]th, he'd say: Never take a [check] unless you actually know [w]hom you are dealing. It is [better] to miss a sale than to [illegible] the commo[dity] [illegible] the differ[ence] [illegible] price and [illegible]

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COPYRIGHT IN The Daily Washington Merry Go-Round by Drew Pearson and Robert S. Allen as as published in the Galveston News, Mar. 3, '38: "Tit for Tat: Rep. Michael J. Bradley, pugnacious freshman democrat from Philadelphia, won more recognition from colleagues by his recent ten-minute verbal undressing of Rep. Martin Dies of Texas than most professional orators achieve in a lifetime of windjamming. Bradley almost chased the Texan off the floor in a wave of laughter when he contrasted his unyielding opposition to the wage-hour bill with the militant liberalism of his campaign speeches. The house enjoyed Dies' discomforture because at some time or other nearly every member has been stung by his barbed carcasm. Bradley immediately became a sought-for speaker for democratic functions."

ONE AFTERNOON last week fire broke out in the pine woods on the edge of the Sawyer *Jungle. A sharp-eyed man in* a fire tower saw the smoke, teleproned the Forestry headquarters at the CCC Camp. In 40 minutes the fire was out. Yet had it not been for this service all of the Sawyer property and hundreds of acres beside would undoubtedly have been destroyed. According to the Forest service the 15 fires a week in the Woodville territory are nearly all the deliberate work of residents who labor under the sad misapprehension—because it has been done for the last 75 years—that it is best to burn the woods in the spring. Men who do this are destroying the richest crop, timber, in our territory. Your banker will tell you 90% of the money coming in to Tyler county banks is from timber resources. The State of Texas is waging a veritable war to save these resources. Save our trees.

KOUNTZE TO Beaumont —45 mph. This is an order. Highway sleuths will be watching. Better look out, you speedsters. Talk about prohibition and fellow's personal liberties being, trampled upon, outraged and hamstrung—45 mph—Kountze to Beaumont, Orange to Beaumout, and to add insult to injury, posting highway patrolmen! Say, what do you know?. Me and my Packard, the Lincoln or Boys Rush will have to keep behind one of Henry's creations that couldn't go over 45 to even create a record! That evening rush of outgoing cars from Beaumont will merely become a funeral caravan and police escort will not be necessary. However, gentle reader, do not blame The Booster when you get hamstrung and given a ticket. We've done our darndest to present this latest outrage, and if you proposition us we'll tell the world we're on the market for a little two-seater airplane. Forty-five miles an hour! Might as well start walking to Beaumont, or take the train where ever you happen to overtake it, just to sort of cool off the dogs.

WHEN FOLKS get interested along certain lines, and just keep quiet but their eyes wide open they can see enough to make them wonder. While driving about in one of Houston's more favored communities one day last week, we were thinking how fine everything looked, beautiful grounds, well kept, excellent taste in style of home buildings, lawns, etc., and then it happened. We found a large package house where booze of most any kind could be obtained. Well anyway, back yonder, we remember saloons were not found in the fine residence districts. We can but wonder if a package store is not fully more dangerous than a well conducted saloon. Well conducted you say? Yes, back yonder there were many barkeeps who were dry themselves, never even tasted a drop of liquor, also they would refuse more whiskey to a man who had all he could carry. In a well conducted saloon never would be found a youth under age, and as for a woman entering a first class saloon is concerned, well, they were not allowed for half a minute. A package store sells its rat killing dope to those who have the price. If Johnnie is sent after a package and has the price he gets back home with what he was sent after. This is not any any way a boost for saloons, but we think we'd rather our son drank his booze away from home than in sight of the balance of the family, including mother and the smaller children.

SOMEBODY PAGE SENATOR HOLBROOK

"Your political antagonist is calling you every name he can think of," said the agitated friend.

"Don't interrupt him," answered Senator Sorghum. "It is [illegible] [illegible]

MYSTERIES THE WORLD HAS NEVER SOLVED

KASPAR HAUSER
Who Was He?

By MADOC OWENS

A MYSTERIOUS personage was found leaning against a wall in the Bavarian city of Nuremberg in May, 1823. He was a youth of about eighteen, apparently an aristocrat. Blinded by the morning sun, he held his hands over his eyes. The police told him to move on, but he could not walk.

They prodded him. He staggered and fell. Questioning him as to his identity, they found that he could not talk, so they carried him bodily to prison. It was evident that he was not an idiot. His face and demeanor bespoke inherent intelligence. Yet his inability to walk or talk was unfeigned. He was not deaf and his vocal organs were capable of reproducing any spoken word by repetition.

The soles of his feet were convex, like those of an infant who has never walked. Every sound seemed to terrify him as did the sight of the commonest objects. On hearing a bell ring he burst into paroxysm of weeping and the music of a street band caused him to swoon. Given a substantial meal, he turned from it with abhorrence and fell into convulsions.

Letter Is Only Clue.

He was an enigma to the authorities. The only clue as to his identity was a letter found upon his person and purporting to have been written by a Bavarian laborer. It stated that the bearer had been found at the writer's door 16 years before, and inclosed was a note by the youth's mother. According to this communication his name was Kaspar; he had been born April 30, 1812; his father was a captain in the Sixth Chevau-leger regiment, at Nuremberg, and his mother was a poor girl unable to support him. There were grave suspicions that these letters had been written as a blind, inasmuch as the youth showed many evidences of aristocratic lineage.

He Begins to Remember.

In Nuremberg dwelt a kindly savant, Prof. G. F. Daumer, who became interested in the mysterious youth, and took him to his home, hoping to develop his retarded mentality. With surprising rapidity Kaspar thereupon learned not only to walk and talk, but to read and write. Within a few months he was able to relate so much of his strange history as he could remember. According to his story he had been confined all his life in a dark cell, penetrated only by a man whose shadow alone he could see and who came daily to wash him, dress him and bring him his sustenance, always bread and water. His only friend had been a wooden horse, and his jailer, although never speaking a word to him, had for some mysterious reason expended a year's effort in silently teaching him to write the name "Kaspar Hauser."

Finally, one night his keeper had entered his cell, blindfolded him, placed in his hand the letter later found upon his person, taken him to Nuremberg, and left him leaning against the city wall.

Professor Daumer's house soon became the mecca for thousands of persons who flocked there to see the mystery youth and hear his strange story. One day, within less than five months from the time when Kaspar was found leaning against the city wall, Professor Daumer was terrified to hear his interesting protege utter terrified cries for help, and, rushing into the room he found Kaspar writhing upon the floor. Blood gushed from a wound in his forehead.

Hunt for Assailant.

The police scoured the country for the assailant, without avail. About this time the case attracted the attention of the very wealthy Lord Stanhope, of England, who adopted Kaspar and sent him secretly to Ansbach that he might be hidden safely from his enemies and be educated by the celebrated Professor Fuhrmann. After a few years, his education having been completed, Lord Stanhope arrived in Ansbach to take his ward back to England, where, it was planned, he should enjoy a life of ease, compensating him for the hideous persecutions of which he had been victim.

Received Mysterious Note.

On the day before that set for this happy departure for England, a stranger handed Kaspar a note requesting him to appear at a certain place and learn the secret of his origin. Without confiding the circumstances to Lord Stanhope, the young man proceeded to the place appointed. Soon afterward he terrified his guardian by staggering into his apartment with blood dripping from a knife wound in his side. Gasping the words, "Palace—Uzen Monument—purse!" he fell to the floor, dead. Acting upon this clue, Lord Stanhope hastened to the Uzen and there found a purse of violet-colored silk, containing a slip of paper on which had been scrawled: "Kaspar Hauser, born April 30, 1812. Murdered December [illegible] [illegible]

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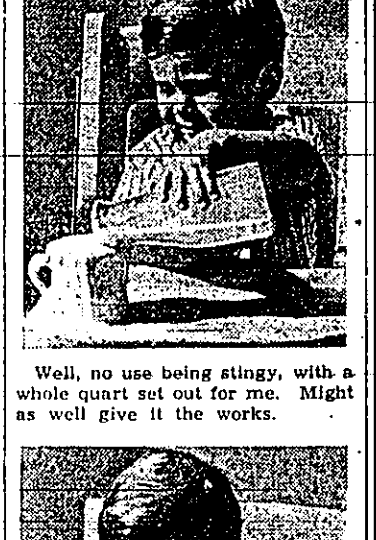
A good eye, a steady hand and a will to win are all that's necessary.

It's a cinch. Never a slip. Couldn't miss if I tried. I'd have poured my own months ago if I had realized what a soft job it is.



Well, no use being stingy, with a whole quart set out for me. Might as well give it the works.

Now here's the thing that takes real skill. For I've heard Grandma say there's many a slip 'twixt the cup and the lip.

Mall Structures At New York Fair To Break Records

NEW YORK (*Special*)—Not only will the New York World's Fair 1939 be the largest exposition in history, but it will have the most luxurious Central Mall ever designed, a mile-long walk to cost $60,000,000, Grover A. Whalen, president of the Fair corporation, announce.

And, not only will the Mall be the most magnificent ever laid out, but it will contain a number of other "largests"—structures and works of art that have never been surpassed for size or elegance, he added.

In addition to the Trylon, tallest triangular spire ever raised, and the Perisphere, largest ball ever made by mankind, the Mall will form a setting for the largest portrait statue fashioned since the Egyptians hewed the likeness of Rameses II from rock in the land of the Nile. It will portray George Washington as he arrived for his inauguration exactly 150 years previous to the opening day of the Fair. It will be 65 feet tall and its mass will be more than 500 times the of an average six-foot man.

The tallest sundial ever erected supported by a life-size tree sculptured by the celebrated Paul Manship, will actually tell time for Fair visitors, for the numerals denoting the hours of the day will be set in a huge, circular plot where the sundial's shadow will fall from 50 feet above.

More than a million plants and a thousand trees will be used in landscaping the Mall.

JAMES HENRY WHIGHT

Mr. Wright, aged 68, died Friday afternoon at the home of his daughter, Mrs. R. A. Ogden, after a long illness. He was born Feb. 22, 1870, in Orange county and lived there until he was grown. He followed the timber business in east Texas all of his life until four years ago, when his health failed. He married Miss Laura Chapman, who survives him. Other survivors are two sons, Arthur S. Wright, Orange; Jesse Wright, Woodville; four daughters, Mrs. W. C. McMahan, Orange; Mrs. R. E. Barrow, Port Arthur; Mrs. R. A. Ogden, Woodville; Mrs. George Burkhart, Port Neches, and 14 grand children. The funeral was held at the King's Cemetery, Saturday afternoon, [illegible] [illegible] Rev. [illegible]

[C.] V. Terrell
CANDIDATE FOR
State Railroad Commissioner

TO THE PEOPLE OF TEXAS:

In announcing my candidacy for re-election as a member of the Railroad Commission of Texas, I do so with profound appreciation of the trust reposed in me heretofore by the people of my native State.

"True to my promises in the past, I have faithfully discharged the duties of an important public office; and due to intensive training and experience I have qualified myself to pass upon matters coming before the Railroad Commission—a department which constantly faces complex problems vitally affecting every citizen of our Commonwealth.

The jurisdiction of the Railroad Commission embraces the supervision of railroads, trucks, busses, express companies, dock companies, gas utilities, pipe lines and the administration of the conservation laws of this State dealing with the production of oil and gas investments totaling more than three billion dollars.

The Commission has caused the rates on cotton to be reduced in some instances from $4.00 to $1.25 per bale, resulting in a saving to the cotton farmers and people of the State of several million dollars annually. Through its action the rates on grain are lower than they otherwise would have been and the grain farmers of Texas have thereby been saved, and are being saved, in excess of two million dollars annually. Because of the action of the Commission the rates on stocker cattle are 15% lower than they would have been, which saving has accrued to the cattlemen of our State.

An order of the Commission directing a reduction of the gas rates to the City of Laredo, by which the consumer will be saved more than 25 per cent was recently sustained by the Supreme Court of the United States. Since I have been a member of the Commission no order of the Commission fixing gas rates has ever been stricken down by the Courts.

The Railroad Commission's policy of oil and gas conservation has yielded to the permanent public school fund, the University of Texas and A. & M. College more than forty million dollars, the benefits of which will extend to coming generations.

Standing upon my record in these and many other achievements of the Commission, I ask with confidence my reelection to this highly responsible office; and I pledge a continuation of my best efforts for the public welfare.

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MRS. JULIA F. SMITH

Services were held here Saturday, Feb. 26th for Mrs. Julia F. Smith, aged 80, who passed on at her home in Kountze the day before, after a two weeks' illness of pneumonia. Mrs. Smith was born in Tyler county but had been a resident of Kountze for many years. She is survived by John E. Smith and Mrs. J. C. White, Kountze; Mrs. E. F. Sims, Doucette; Mrs. B. T. Hills, Corrigan; and five grandchildren; two brothers, J. A. and Howell Best, Woodville; three sisters, Mrs. Maggie Faircloth, Kirbyville; Mrs. Watie Coward, Woodville; Mrs. Lela Odom, Spurger. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. W. A. Cockell of Corrigan.

LOCAL GIRL HONORED

The Beaumont Enterprise of Sunday presents the picture of Miss Virginia Powell with her accordion. Miss Powell is winning much recognition in the musical circles of State U. and is working toward a B. A. degree. She has been [illegible] the curtain [illegible] the play [illegible]

LIVINGSTON THEATRE DAMAGED BY FIRE

Fire and smoke swept through the recently finished Texan Theatre with damage estimated at $1500. Investigation revealed a front door was broken in and the carpets in the lobby and aisles saturated with kerosene and set fire. An Empty five-gallon can was found under an old warehouse at the rear of the theatre.

When firemen arrived the fire had died down and the carpets, which were made of fireproof material, were smouldering. Walls and ceiling of the building were damaged by the smoke. Loss was covered by insurance. Officers were of the opinion that [illegible]

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[illegible] Highway 105 [illegible] commission [illegible] engineers [illegible] time to survey and check the proposed routes for Highway 105 from Cleveland to Beaumont. Three different proposed routes have caused some controversy, and the commission is anxious to settle on a definite location.

HENS GIVEN SPECIAL DYE LAY COLORED EGGS

Arcola, Ill., Feb. 4—With Easter 72 days off, Farmer Geo. Black started taking orders today from persons who want eggs with a colored yoke.

Black said he had two hens on a special diet, and within a 10-day period they can lay eggs with a yoke of most any desired color. And the chicken specialist knows he really has somethig after long research.

"There is no difference in taste," Black said, "and eggs can be eaten without danger of poisoning. They add color, too, when used as a garnish."

The coloring was produced by feeding a harmless dye to the hens.

The only special color in stock now is grass green, but Black expects to step up production with the approach of Easter Sunday, April 17.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

State of Texas, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Tyler County, Greeting.

You are Hereby Commanded to summon Robert B. Howard by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published herein, but it not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Tyler County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Woodville, Texas, on the 2nd Monday in March A. D. 1938, the same being the 14th day of March A. D. 1938, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 12th day of February A. D. 1938, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 5360 wherein Mary Frances Howard is plaintiff and Robert B. Howard is defendant, and a brief statement of plaintiff's cause of action, being as follows:

This suit is brought for divorce and custody of said child, William David Howard, and for costs of suit, and for such other and further relief, special and general, in law and in equity, that she may be justly entitled to, as will more fully appear from Plaintiff's Petition on file in District Clerk's office in Woodville, Texas.

Herein fail not but have before said Court, at its next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Woodville, Texas, on this 12th day of February A. D 1938

ERNEST MARTIN,
Clerk, District Court Tyler County, Texas.
Feb. 17, 24, Mar. 3, 10, 1938

No. 711
STATE OF TEXAS VS. SALLIE COLLIER, ET. AL.
In The County Court, Tyler County Texas. Vacation Term, March A. D. 1938.

On this the 1st day of March, A. D. 1938, W. E. Grammer, D. P. Rock and Geo. R. Boyd, special commissioners appointed by the court to assess the damages of the State of Texas by reason of construction, reconstruction and opening on State Highway No. 45 upon, across, and through certain real estate described in plaintiff's petition, reference to which is here made, to which real estate the fee simple title is in the said Sallie Collier, Ethlyn Collier, George Collier, Wesley Collier and wife, Vivian Collier and Edwin Collier and wife, Bertha Collier, all of Tyler County, Texas, and Jim Daniels and wife, Nanie Daniels of Harris County, Texas, and George Watson and wife, Lottie Watson, and the unknown heirs of S. E. Collier, deceased, as is more fully set out in said petition of the State of Texas, acting by and through the Commissioner's Court of Tyler County, Texas, vs. Sallie Collier, et. al., and filed with the Honorable County Judge of Tyler County, Texas, on the 1st day of March A. D. 1938, said Commissioners having been sworn to assess said damages fairly and impartially and in accordance with law, do hereby appoint as the time and place for hearing said parties on the matter, the office of the County Judge of Tyler County, Texas, at Woodville, Texas, in said County of Tyler, the [illegible] [illegible] service may be had [illegible] Watson and wife [illegible] and the unknown heirs [illegible] Collier, deceased, [illegible] dence is unknown [illegible] and upon whom service [illegible] had by publication, and [illegible] thereof shall be notice [illegible] defendants and each of them [illegible] appear at said time and place [illegible] 10 o'clock A. M. at the court house, for the purpose of offering any evidence they may desire as to the amount of damages to be assessed against the State of Texas, and to be paid to the said Sallie Collier, Ethlyn Collier, George Collier, Wesley Collier and wife, Vivian Collier and Edwin Collier and wife, Bertha Collier, Jim Daniels and wife, Nannie Daniels, George Watson and wife, Lottie Watson and the unknown heirs of S. E. Collier, deceased, and each of them, respectively, for the right-of-way and strip of land described in said plaintiff's original petition filed with the County Judge of Tyler County, Texas.

Witness our hands this the 1st day of March A. D. 1938.

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She answered, her low voice very gentle: "I think you exaggerate your failures, Don. Only today Father told me that you were doing well. He's not discouraged with your progress, dear; but Ned makes you nervous. And why shouldn't he? I've felt his scorn, too, Don. I know how it hurts. For a long time I've suspected that he despises me a little because of my birth. Ned's so conventional. He can't help feeling a bit uncomfortable, I suppose, that anybody born as I was should be his sister."

There was a silence before Don said grimly: "If I believed that, Nora, I—I think I'd kill him with my bare hands!"

"Thanks, dear; but that wouldn't help matters." Nora spoke lightly, and the tension of the moment broke, as she wished it to. "Besides, Ned has his own good points, you know. He's devoted to Dad, unselfishly devoted, I am sure; and his morals are—impeccable! There are even moments when he's lovable—when I could love him myself, if he'd let me. But you mustn't look for understanding in a man of Ned's type, darling. It may not be his fault that he sees only one side of life. He was probably born that way, and nothing has happened since to change him. Gee! isn't that breeze delicious? Perhaps tomorrow will be more bearable. I'm going to take you home this minute, Don. You need sleep more than conversation. How's the head now?"

"Better, beloved, thanks to your ministrations."

This was a lie told cheerfully in her behalf; but Nora, her eyes on a spasmodically twitching eyebrow, was not deceived.

CHAPTER V

Despite a refreshing coolness in the air as they rode toward home, the mercury soared next day. Promising though the breeze had seemed, it came to a discouraged end before Don got to sleep, and after a few short hours of restless slumber he wakened to a sense of suffocation. The only window of his small room faced east, and already the sun, streaming across his bed, felt scorching.

The day before on seeing a woman walking the hot pavement with a "summer fur" thrown over her shoulders, Don had judged her "an imbecile." Now, with a glance at his own dark suit hanging neatly across a chair, he called himself something even stronger, and rising, delved into his trunk in search of some long-packed linen trousers, the work of a native tailor in Jamaica. The fact that they needed pressing was immaterial. At least, they would be more bearable than serge. A glance into the hall showed him that miracle of boarding houses: an empty bathroom; and after indulging in a shower and donning the minimum of garments, he left the house, unable to contemplate the inevitable dish of sloppy oatmeal that awaited him in the dining room below.

A roll and glass of milk at the nearest restaurant made life look brighter for a moment; and out of sympathy for the waitress (wilted, even at this early hour) Don's tip was twice the cost of his simple meal. Her surprised question: "Isn't this a mistake, Mister?" brought a glimpse of the engaging grin that had been absent from his countenance for many days.

"It's a feeble attempt to counteract the weather," he responded, rising. "Blow it in on ice cream sodas if you survive," and the girl's spontaneous smile of amazed gratitude stayed with him a while, the one bright spot in the hectic subway jam.

So the day began, a day that was to be of vast importance to Don, to Nora, and to her father also. By ten o'clock the sidewalks swarmed with shirt-sleeved figures. By noon the ambulance gong was sounding with alarming frequency. When one of the stenographers collapsed and was sent home in a taxicab, Don envied the girl. He found it well nigh impossible to get down to work—to concentrate. Yet there was an error somewhere, which, he thought nervously, must be located before Ned Lambert happened in. And to make things worse his head had begun its infernal hammering. Perhaps when the others were out at lunch and things were quieter, it would clear up.

They were gone at last. The noisy typewriters were silent; and save for the rumble of traffic far below, the room was still. Don stood at a window in an effort to fill his lungs with better air; but it was too hot to be refreshing, and back at his desk again discouragement engulfed him, thick and impenetrable as a London fog.

Four months more! He could never stick it—even for Nora. He was no good—absolutely. That wise old man had certainly shown him up. Nora once said that she wasn't worth all that these months had cost him. Well, he mused bitterly, was she? Was anything worth this terrible inertia? Was anything worth taking the joy from life?

Joy? Don started, raised his head as if wakened rudely from a bad dream. He was a fool—a damn fool not to see things clearer. What joy would he find anywhere—without Nora? What sacrifice was too great—for her? He had been right last evening when he said that his morale was slipping. Why else should he have such thoughts? He must buck up.

It came to him then with a sense of healing, that the opinions of others didn't matter, if Nora understood. And she did—bless her loyal heart! His girl knew that he wasn't a weakling. She didn't scorn him because his nerves were jumpy and he couldn't sleep. She realized the truth, if no one else did: that nothing in life had fitted him for a job of this sort, and that when the damnable year was over and he got away from everything

Don turned, nerves quivering again; and with a gesture meant to appear casual, covered his open ledger with the morning paper. Ned Lambert, apparently cool, obviously unruffled, stood on the threshold. Something about his smug, immaculate appearance maddened Don, though the older man said pleasantly enough: "Have you been to lunch?"

Don answered, a curious dryness in his throat: "Too hot to go out, not to mention eating."

"I'll say it is! We had cars sent in. But we're likely to get it better come July. Father says they're moving to the country on Monday. You can't work without food, Mason. Better skip out and get a bite. I . . ."

His voice trailed off as he came nearer. Now, pausing beside the desk he lifted the newspaper and stared down a while, utterly unconscious of Don's tense attitude. With maddening accuracy his lean white finger found the elusive error.

"You've made a mistake there, Mason." He might have been correcting some small boy. "That six should have been a sixty. See?" He sauntered idly to the window, gazing down at the mass of sweltering humanity below while Don suppressed a murderous impulse to throw him out. But Ned had turned again—was speaking.

"See here, Don. There's something I feel I ought to say to you." The young man braced himself.

"If it's about my work, I can save you the trouble," he replied brusquely. "I know I'm a dumbbell at this sort of thing—always will be. Suppose you keep those comments for a day when the mercury's somewhere below one hundred. There are limits, you know, to what even a cog in this machine can endure without exploding; and for your sister's sake I prefer to keep my temper."

Ned sat down slowly on the window ledge. He didn't speak for a moment, and regarding him closely Don wondered how many times that morning the man had changed his collar. The thought made him conscious of his own much wrinkled linen trousers, and he slid his long legs under the desk to hide them.

"You happen to be on the wrong track," Ned replied. "My comments have nothing whatever to do with your work here. You do as well as most beginners, I suppose. What I refer to is a different matter altogether. I've no desire to meddle with your private life, Mason. Get that straight. But Father tells me that Nora sends you home early; and twice I've caught you nodding by three o'clock. It stands to reason that a man who gets to bed before midnight, ought to be able to keep awake through the next day. I can only surmise . . ."

"Well?" Don prodded, ominous quiet in his voice.

"I can only surmise," repeated Ned, "that—well to speak plainly, that you don't go home after you leave Nora."

"I see," said Don. He was desperately angry, but making a brave attempt to hold his temper. "May I ask where your active imagination sees me passing the night hours?"

Ned flushed, looking hot, thought Don, for the first time that stifling day, though he answered calmly: "Sarcasm won't help, Mason, because as it happens, I've got the goods on you. Do you understand?"

"Most certainly I do not! Make yourself clear, please."

"I'll be only too glad to." Ned spoke briskly, as if concluding some successful business deal. "I don't like beating about the bush myself; and you can't deny that you were with another girl late Friday evening, because I saw you."

"The hell you did!"

Don's eyes were blazing, while seven thousand imps seemed to be pounding the top of his head with tiny hammers. Where, he was asking himself frantically, had he been on Friday? Of course there was no girl; but he must produce an alibi and he couldn't seem to think. Nora's brother was accusing him of being untrue to her . . . It was beastly, horrible, and . . . Then he heard Ned say, a triumphant ring in his usually level voice: "You don't deny it? Then perhaps you'll admit what Corinne suspected at the time: You were giving her money?"

To the man's complete surprise, instant relief sprang into Don's harassed face. Money! That girl on the bridge, of course! The kid he had talked with! Those blinding headlights that had lingered on him. So Ned Lambert and his wife had been behind them. Gosh! what a situation! Perhaps under the circumstances it wasn't so strange—the thing they'd thought about him. He said, almost laughing in relief: "Yes, I gave her money. She set me back a whole month's board—poor kid! You see . . ."

He told the story, eagerly, excitedly. He told it well. It had seemed a colorful experience—a bit out of the heart of life, to Don. He did not realize how it would seem to Ned, until at its close the man said dryly: "And you really expect to put that over on me, Mason?"

Don stared at him, amazement in his eyes.

"Put it over on you! Do—do you mean to imply . . ."

Anger was surging through him, hot waves of anger. Never had Don felt anything just like them. He arose, slowly, his dazed head pounding. Did Nora's brother actually doubt his word? It was unthinkable—some hideous mistake. He gripped a chair, his nervous fingers tense, as Ned, who had also risen, answered: "I imply nothing. I have no use for implications in such a matter. But for you to expect me to believe that any man in his senses, sees a girl for the first time—the first time, mind you, and because she tells him a flimsy sob story, hands over his whole roll—well, it simply won't go down, young fellow. A yarn like that doesn't hold water. People don't meet, by chance on bridges and confide their life histories to each other, not in this age. And decent girls don't accept money from strangers, any more than, Mason, but

Ned Lambert never finished that sentence.

then turned, forcing himself to say: "Look here, Lambert. For Nora's sake I apologize for hitting you, though I'd probably do it again under the same provocation. But you'll do well to remember that I'm not a liar; and if you're unaware that your sister's the sort a fellow doesn't double-cross, I advise you to make her acquaintance."

"And I advise you," Ned thundered, his hand nursing an aching jaw, "to take the first train out of town!"

"Nothing," said Don, with a calm, ironic little bow that enraged his adversary, "would give me greater pleasure. Good afternoon."

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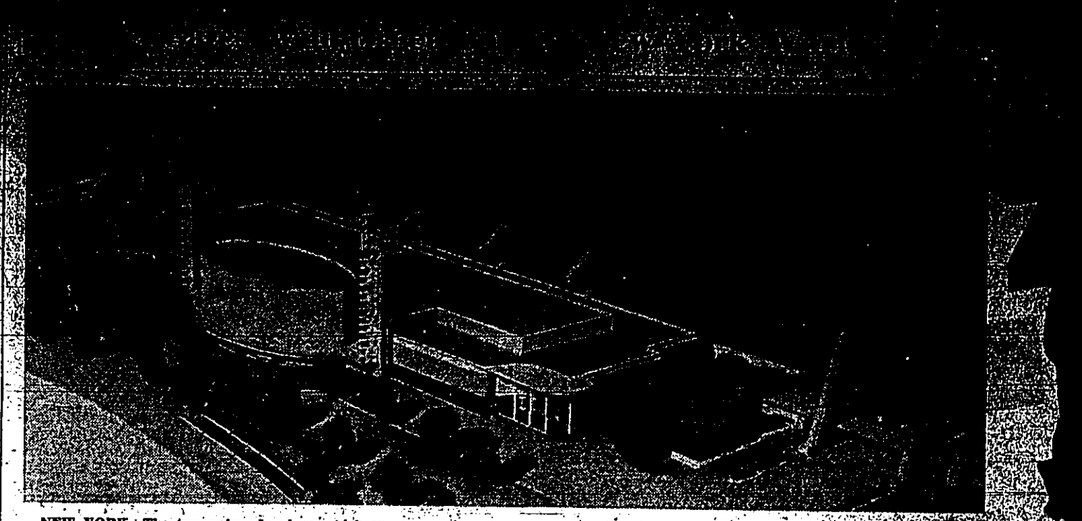
Up To Date Flour 24 lb sack	79c	Sweet Feed, 11%, 100 lb sack	$1.25
Big Chief Flour 48 lb sack	$1.35	Cotton Seed Meal 100 lb sack	$1.53
Big Chief Flour 24 lb sack	69c	Hulls 100 lb sack	75c
Dairy Feed, 16% 100 lb sack	$1.59	Dairy Feed, 34%, 100 lb sack	$1.85

We have a complete line Field & Garden Seed



NEW YORK—The two pairs of pylons which are on opposite sides of the picture may be the first objects you will notice when you approach the New York World's Fair 1939, for they mark the entrances to the Transportation Zone. Similar decorative pylons will accentuate other portals to the exposition. The futuristic building between the entrances above will contain a huge, free local exhibit.

Harbor visited Mrs. Jones' mother, Mrs. Williams of Beaumont Tuesday.

Mrms Jim Matthews moved to Warren one day this week.

Mrms Jack Holt are visiting the B. Holt and G. Haynes homes this week.

Mrs. Bertha Liddon of Maxwell Field, Ala., and Miss Marie Longston of Beaumont are visiting their mother, Mrs. John Tolar.

Visitors in the J. M. Swearingen and W. M. Maddox homes over the week end were Mrms C. H. Perryman, Mms J. O. Potts and daughter, Mrs. Liblam, and Mrs. Jimmie Patts, all of Beaumont, Mrms Tharp Jordon and family of Beech Creek.

Mrs. J. P. Collier of Popeville visited her son Cordell Collier and sister, Mrs. Nan Enloe Sunday.

H. Allison and Jewell Week had a painful car accident Saturday night when the car they were in hit a culvert. Both got several bad bruises on their faces. Otherwise all are glad to report they are o. k.

Miss Mollie Kirby of Warren was a visitor in Hillister Monday.

Chas. Spurlock of Houston visited the parents, Mrms Chas. Spurlock Sunday.

The Misses Velma and Hazel Holt were Sunday visitors in Port Arthur.

Mrs. W. W. Anderson has returned home from Lake Charles, La., where she has been visiting for the past two weeks.

Mrs. Emitt Walls was in Warren Tuesday to teach the W. M. U. ladies the book "Fruits of the Year."

Mrs. W. M. Maddox made her official visit to Deweyville on Thursday. Those from Woodville attending were Mrms Clyde E. Smith, Mrs. Clyde Phillips, from Doucette Mrs Davis and Mrs. J. M. Lewis of Hillister.

Miss Dorothy Foxworth of Doucette is working in the Hillister cafe.

Visitors in the Will Ferguson home Sunday were Mrms B. V. Ferguson and children of Woodville.

P. C. Howell of Beaumont was a business visitor in Hillister Friday afternoon.

Joe Riley Bad Bandit Dead

Tyler county is becoming more and more in many ways rather hard on ex-convicts, would-be hold up artists and also hot-checkers, if you understand to what The Booster alludes.

Every now and then some other wise perfectly calm and peace-loving citizen comes to the front and proves to the the vast populace crime tinkerers aren't as tough as they used to be.

Generally speaking it may be because of the activities of the county sheriff, who drives his own car, buys his own gas, hires his own deputy and owns his shootin' irons. If he had a traveling expense account, together with a gasoline credit to burn in a county-owned car, he'd probably be grabbed off by the State and made a ranger—just on the record of his achievement.

But now the sheriff will have to get busy and perk up his record, there's a new man in the county who's got a performance muniment already inscribed on the first pages of daily chroniclers of fact—not theories.

Joe Petkovsek, restauranter, Doucette, is the man not afraid, even when some bold bandit has the drop on him. He proved it by grabbing a 20-20 calibre revolver out of his wife's hands and shooting twice, the hold-up artist, before he hit the floor, killing him instantly.

From the story as pieced together by word of mouth and vague reports here, there still wonder it seems [illegible]

Petkovseks, and when the time came, he felt brave, pulled a gun and demanded the cash, and, as a second thought, the shooting irons belonging to the place.

That was the main cause of his downfall. If he had just naturally backed out into the darkness, he could have commandered a car, and even now, if he was lucky, half the rangers in the State would be looking for a roughly dressed man who wore an evening suit under the Big-4 overalls.

The social security worker made another mistake in not going on through with the binding together of the Petkovseks in the back yard. He changed his mind, and some how, some way, folks imagine he seriously regrets the amateurish manner in which he attempted to get something for nothing.

If this justifiable homicide stuff continues to be parceled off in incidences of this kind Tyler county is going to be let alone, severely, by the light-fingered coterie.

MISSIONARY VISITS SON

The Rev. Chas. F. Stapp, who is in the States on a year's furlough from missionary work in Brazil, spent part of last week here with his son, Prof. Robt. Stapp. He will return to his work in May after he attends the Southern Baptist convention in Richmond, Va. With him was his brother-in-law, Rev. Troy Brooks of Nederland, who had visited them in Austin and was enroute to his home.

WEEKLY FIRE REPORT FOR CAMP P-56

3-1. Two fires in Southeast part of the county; 152 man hours were used and approximately 150 acres were burned.

3-2. Four fires, Two in northwest part of the county in Carter's pasture; 163 man hours were used and approximately 125 acres were burned off. Two fires in south part of county in locality of Village Mills; 118 man hours were used and about 60 acres were burned.

3-3. One fire in central part of county; 10 man hours were used and approximately 10 acres were burned.

2-4. Three fires in north part of county, in vicinity of Rockland; 136 man hours were used and about 160 acres burned.

3-5. Three fires in Southeast part of the county 55 man hours were used and approximately 160 acres were burned.

3-6. Sunday. Six fires. Five of these fires were in the north east section of the county. One in the south east part of the county. 160 man hours were used and approximately 400 acres burned.

Atty. and Mrs. Marlin Sandlin and baby of Austin arrived Saturday for a visit with the parents, Mrms J. D. Brown and Mrs. Settie Sandlin of Colmesneil.

STOP & COMP

Shawnees Best Flour, 48s $1.65
Shawnees Best Flour 24s 85c
Ada's Best Flour; 48s $1.50
Ada's Best Flour, 24s 80c
We positively guarantee every sack of Flour we sell, no matter how low the price. A Money Back guarantee.

SHORTENING—
8 lb carton, big value 79c
4 lb carton, big value 40c
ARMOURS STAR SALAD OIL—
1 gal. can for salads and cooking 85c
SUGAR— SUGAR—
Imperial Cane, 20 lbs for $1.00
2 lb can Sugar Corn, 2 for 15c
2 lb can Tomatoes, 2 for 15c
2 lb can English Peas, 2 for 15c
EVAPORATED FRUITS— 19c
California Apples, 2 lbs for.
California Peaches, 2 lbs 19c
Prunes, Large, Juicy, 2 lbs for 15c
GRAPE JUICE—
Full quart bottle for only 25c
Full pint bottle only 15c
DESERT PEACHES, 2½ lb can
Packed in syrup, halves 15c
No. 1 can for 10c
Apricots, No. 1 can in syrup 10c
Qt Jar Pickles, Mason Jar for 10c

No. 1 quality Dry Salt Bacon, per lb 15c
FRUIT CALIFORNIA ORANGE
Medium size, per dozen 15c
Small size, per dozen 10c
Wine Sap Apples, per dozen 10c
Bananas, per dozen 10c
BROOMS— BROOMS—
Good Five String Painted Handle for 19c
CIGARETTES, Chesterfields
Luckies, Camels, Old Golds, per package 15c
Prince Albert Tobacco 10c
SPUDS—Brown Beauties
10 pounds for 19c
MILK, Rice Hotel, 3 cans for 10c
Matches, American Sardines
Macaroni or Spaghetti
Salt, any three (3) for 10c
Tomato Paste, 2 for
No. 1 Corn
No. 1 Tomatoes
No. 1 Pork and Beans
No. 1 Tomato Soup
No. 1 Vegetable Soup
No. 1 Hominy
No. 1 Peas
No. 1 Mixed Vegetables
No. 1 Peas and Carrots
No. 1 Kraut
No. 1 Lima Beans
No. 1 Red Beans
OLEOMARGARINE,
All Sweet, per pound

Great Saving Sale
Saturday-Monday Mar. 12
J. H. E

[illegible] Matthews

THE MODERN STORE

WOODVILLE, TEXAS

SPECIALS :-:

[illegible]IDAY, SATURDAY AND MONDAY
MARCH 11 AND 12 AND 14, 1938

10 lbs Cane Sugar, limit 10 lbs to customer	48c	1 lb cans Pork and Beans for	5c
10 lbs Spuds for	19c	5 lbs Fancy Blue Rose Rice for	19c
32 oz. Dairy Baking Powder	19c	3 lbs Baby Lima Beans for	17c
25c Clabber Girl Baking Powder	19c	3 lbs Small Navy Beans for	17c
2 Tall Pink Salmon for	25c	3 lbs Pinto Beans for	19c
3 No. 2 cans Corn for	25c	1 lb Block Chili for	19c
3 No. 2 cans Peas for	25c	3 lbs Maxwell House Coffee	86c
3 No. 2 cans Green Beans	25c	1 lb Maxwell House Coffee	29c
2 No. 2 cans Green Lima Beans	25c	3 lbs Admiration Coffee for	85c
Mothers Oat Meal, Cup and Saucer FREE	25c	3 lb pkg Admiration Coffee for	76c
1 gal can Salad Oil Best Grade	89c	1 lb Admiration Coffee for	27c
4 lb Carton Lard for	45c	1 lb pkg Bright and Early Coffee for	22c
2 No. 2 cans Tomatoes for	15c	Prince Albert Tobacco for	10c
2 cans Tomato Paste for	5c	Large Carrots and Lettuce for	5c

FLOUR AND MEAL

48 lbs Paris Special Flour	$1.75	48 lb White Sail Flour Money back guarantee	$1.50
24 lbs Paris Special Flour	90c	24 lb White Sail Flour Money back guarantee	80c
48 lb Nancy Lee Flour, Special EXTRA, High Patent for	$1.65	20 lb Fancy Meal Its Fresh, Too	45c
		10 lb Fancy Meal Its Fresh, Too	25c
24 lb Nancy Lee Flour Special EXTRA, high Patent for	85c	5 lb Fancy Meal Its Fresh, Too	15c

When you want Dry Goods — See us
[illegible]plete Stock in Tyler County
[illegible] Spring Shoes, White, Red, Blue,
[illegible] Patent. Silks, Taffeta, Rayons,
[illegible] Slub Broadcloth, Printed Crepes,
[illegible]ks Printed Linen, Linene, Mon-Toya
[illegible]ripped Silks, Slub Sheers, Laces, All
Over Lace, Nets, Wool Threads, Mercerized
Threads, Tapes, Ric-Rac, Buttons, Bracelets,
Brooches, Chain and Lockets, Buckles, Allen-
A Hose— All Shades, Face Powder, Creams,
Lotion, Prints, Bleaching, Sheeting, Domestic
Sheets, Pillow Cases, Tubing
MOST ANYTHING YOU WANT
Best Meats in Town
Stamped, Grain Fed, Sweet, Juicy, Tender

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Congress	20.00
State Senator	15.00
District Judge	15.00
District Attorney	15.00
County Judge	10.00
County Officers	10.00
County Commissioners	10.00
Justice of Peace	5.00
Constable	5.00

All announcements will be cash at time of placing the same with The Booster. This rule applies to all.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Booster is authorized to announce the following candidates for public office in Tyler County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries in July:

For District Attorney 75th Judicial District of Texas
R. M. BRIGGS
HORACE GROGAN

For State Representative: 12th District:
FORREST M. CAMPBELL
JOHN F. RENFRO
CLAUDE H. CASKEY

For County Judge:
M. C. TATUM
Re-election (Fourth term)
LOU CRUSE

For Tax Assessor-Collector:
ESCA D. WALKER
T. P. CREWS

For County Superintendent:
OSCAR A. RILEY
Re-election (Second term)

For County Treasurer:
LANDON RISINGER
Re-election (Third term)
W. A. SWEARINGEN
GROVER C. HOWELL

For County Clerk:
MRS. BERTHA PRESCOTT
Re-election (Fourth term)
CROSS DANIELS

For Sheriff:
T. A. NICHOLSON
Re-election (Third term)
I. H. WALKER

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1:
J. L. BULLOCK
JOE W. PATE
MARTIN NELLIUS
Re-election (Fourth term)

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2:
J. W. BOSTICK
W. A. WATTS
J. A. MANN

For Commissioner For Precinct No. 3:
J. E. RILEY
Re-election (Third term)
J. U. HOPSON

[illegible] ers met in the school library. [illegible] Forest Pate presided in the absence of Mrs. T. J. Risinger. Mrs. J. Webb Miller led a song with Miss Madge Schleiffarth at the piano, then the regular routine of business was gone into. In this, as usual, a number of requests were made for financial help in different departments. Perhaps this reporter was weary from a difficult days work, but somehow the thought hit her, after the treasurer's report, and the requests that it seems like a child getting $10.00 for a Christmas gift and deliriously drunk with a power to spend and wasn't satisfied until the last cent was gone, whether the results brought pleasure or a stomach ache. Really think the purpose of the Parents-Teacher Assn. should be read every meeting like learning the ABCs for the ideal is so often lost in secular demands of many minds. Bad eyes, bad teeth, aching undernourished bodies to be cared for, and we are to poor to have a health nurse and doctor but need pictures, music and posies. They are great in their place, but in the school, such things should be cared for some other way and the P.-T. A. do some real good. Miss Frances Broadstreet was in charge of the program and Miss Julia Belle Cruse presented a very pleasing reading and encore. Mr. Parr, educational advisor of the local CCC Camp spoke on "Perserverance In Learning," changing the advertised subject just a little. It was an interesting talk and many splendid and workable thoughts were prsented. The Assn. voted to combine the two P.-T. A. units and the matter will also come up at the elementary unit the 23rd.

Elizabeth Gray and Raimer of Warren visited in the Mullins home recently.

W. A. Swearingen was calling on friends in this part of the county Monday in the interest of his candidacy for the office of county treasurer.

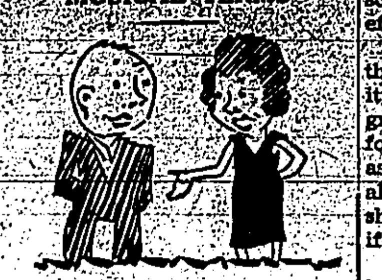
J. W. Irby was in Warren on business Monday.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. J. L. Gardner Sunday included Mrms T. J. Wilkinson and daughter of Beaumont, Mrs. C. V. Overstreet and daughters of Kountze, Mrms W. F. Owens, Macie Allen and Maurine Owens of Doucette.

Mrs. J. Gardner and Mrms J. T. Wilkerson visited Mrms T. J. Jenkins in Trinity Saturday.

The W. E. Mullins family were pycnicing and fishing on Jacks Branch Saturday. All reported plenty of fish and a good time.

MUSICAL TERMS



"What is your favorite air?"
"The millionaire."

Mrs. J. R. Swanson and baby son, Mrs. J. F. Shivers and Mrs. Van Morgan spent Saturday in Houston viewing the beautiful gardens of River Oaks Estates.

Among the many who enjoyed the garden pilgrimage in Houston Saturday were Miss Frances Rock, Mesdames B. F. Hughes, P. H. Powell, Nannie Feagin and Mrms F. B. Sullivan.

Miss Bessie Hayes of Deweyville is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. Wood Fain. Mrms Fain and small son have returned from a trip to Florida and report a wonderful time. Enroute they visited Wakulla Springs near Tallahassee; Silver Springs near Ocala; the Bok Singing Tower near Lake Wales; Sarasota on the west coast, Datona Beach where they drove the wonderful speedway of the world's renowned auto racers, and many lovely trips in and around Miami.

Mrs. Allums of Kountze was visiting Woodville friends Monday.

The Pine Log of SFA Nacogdoches, gives the 1937-38 honor roll and in it we find the name of Miss Anna Frances Lowe.

Mrms C. C. Pool and baby of Jasper visited here and at Corrigan part of last week.

G. C. Howell of Colmesneil was a county seat visitor Friday.

Frank B. Jolly of the railroad commission office in Beaumont was in Woodville Friday.

Miss Fanny Richardson of Shreveport has been visiting her grandfather, G. C. Isbell.

Among the many to attend the funeral of Mrs. Julia Smith were A. W. Phillips, Mesdames B. F. Adams, Henry Seale, C. H. Reed, W. A. Cockrell, Bob Barclay and daughter Bobbie of Corrigan.

Will the time ever come when theatres stop the show every few minutes to talk about acidity mouth wash or auto parts? Oh Boy!

A. P. Little was rushed to St Therese hospital last week with a kidney stone trouble. Every expert effort has been put forth to relieve him without an operation.

Mrs. Joe Wickline of Kirbyville with Mrs. T. C. Rock made the trip to Houston for the Garden trip Saturday. Mrs. Wickline visited her parents in Corrigan and Mr. Wickline caeme over for Sunday.

Ray L. Jennings of Hondo visited his cousin L. H. Jennings Friday night at Gulf Pump Station enroute to the funeral of Mrs. Smith at Kountze.

David Mann and Monroe Prescott with Lee Feagin attended the banquet in Chester Wednesday night.

Mrms L. H. Jennings and niece, Miss Jean David of Gulf Pump station, were in Lufkin Sunday morning. Sunday afternoon Jean's two sisters and brother, Mesdames Eden of Corrigan and Jones of Silsbee and Harry David and Miss Pullen of Corrigan visited Miss Jean who is suffering from rheumatism.

Judge J. E. Wheat made a business trip to Austin last week.

Do not forget the Silver Tea to be held at the Roy Pate home Thursday afternoon, March 17th. You are cordially invited to call between 3 and 5 p. m. The Methodist church South, ladies are working toward some special church project and the offering is for this purpose.

Dr. and Mrs. T. J. Strong were in Houston early this week.

Robert Hodges of A & M spent the week end with his parents, Mrms W. A. Hodges.

Mrms F. A. Bankston of Doucette, enjoyed having the sons, Buel of State U and Talmadge of Houston home for the week end.

Mngr. I. R. Fisher of the Long Bell Co. spent the week end in Austin.

Mrs. Emma Bracken of Honey Island visited her son, D. C. and family Tuesday.

Mrms Jimbo Harrison were called to Livingston Monday by the death of an aunt.

Mrs. Ed Richardson and baby visited her mother, Mrs. John Cruse part of last week.

Mrs. Van Morgan and baby returned Monday from a week's visit in New Willard.

Mrs. Jay Kelley, Miss Madge Schleiffarth and Mrs. D. P. Rock with [illegible]

[illegible] That the school be granted classification as a two-year high school, thus encouraging further effort toward an accredited school.

2. That more time be given to the developing of standard quality of work in the students in the grades and in the high school before the granting of affiliation as a unit and not as by subjects alone. The goal of accrediting should be attained another year if the proper efforts are made.

3. That before affiliation may be granted the teachers without degrees should get another summer in college. Also, that one teacher hardly possesses sufficient academic qualifications which are demanded in an accredited school.

4. That both elementary and hi school libraries should be further strengthened, if affiliation is desired.

5. That many window shades are needed, and additional blackboards are very desirable.

6. That some additional new geography and history maps should be provided.

7. That it is required that diagnostic tests in high school English should be given at the end of the first month of school and at the beginning of last month.

Commendations. 1. The fine effore made by the faculty, student body, school board, and community in their program of building a classified and affiliated two-year high school.

2. The interest manifested by the board by five of its members meeting the supervisor at the school in order to find out what is required of them, and the fact that regular monthly meetings are held.

3. The active P.-T. A. organization in the school.

4. The art program established in the 6th grade this year.

5. The seting out of shrubbery on the campus in a beautification program.

6. The fine spirit of co-operation between faculty and student body and within each group.

The regular meeting of the P.-T. A. will be held Friday night, Mar. 11. The time was changed from afternoon till night in order that more of the patrons, especially the fathers, could attend. The regular session will be rendered by men. Immediately preceding the program, the local declaimers will hold their elimination contests to see who will represent the school at the county meet.

Judges Will be O. A. Riley, Norman Paschall and Mrs. Joe Turner, Miss Arnold and her primary pupils will entertain with a song and colonial dance. At this meeting Co. Supt. Riley will speak concerning a health unit for Tyler county. All the teachers and several of the board members plan to attend the meeting of the Tyler County Teachers Assn. at Woodville Thursday night to hear State Supt. L. A. Woods.

Mrms Jim Bell of Pt. Arthur visited in the Elmer Freeman home this week end.

Albert and Reba Moore of Silsbee visited in the Allen Moore home Saturday night.

Mrms Arthur Spurlock of Port Arthur visited in the John Yawn home this week end.

Mrms Preston Haynes of Pt. Arthur visited Mrms Shine Yawn Sunday.

Mrs. Jim Hamilton of Beaumont visited in the Aaron Cravy home this week end.

Edwin Young of Weirgate is visiting his sister, Mrs. Dick Callaway.

Mrs. Nellie Dean of Town Bluff visited her son, Fain Dean Sunday.

Mrs. J. D. Dulaney is in Doucette visiting her mother, Mrs. Jerry Wise.

Mrms Fred Thurman and his sister, Miss Bomie, visited in the J. B. Callaway home this week end.

Uncle Port Bell suffered a paralytic stroke this week and is still very ill.

Horace Stanley and Sam McInnis spent Sunday afternoon with friends in Silsbee while Mrs. Stanle ywent on to visit relatives in Port Neches.

[illegible] Atty and Mrs. C. E. Smith were in Houston Tuesday.

The Misses Maurine Pedigo and Marthell Anglin entertained a number of guests yesterday at a recital at the home of the latter. Both girls are pupils of Miss Miss Madge Schleiffarth.

CCC BOYS DINE LOCAL GUESTS

A number of the city's business and professional men were invited by Lieut. Houston to dine with the CCC boys Wednesday night of last week. With 30 guests were 160 boys and among there were 22 of the boys who had gained their majority of 21 years and are now ready to step out in the world to take their places as a worker or, shall we say shirker. There is no question but that through the months Uncle Sam has given these boys a chance to build up their bodies and cultivate their minds will be the greatest blessing that could have been given them. They may not realize it until they buck the future for some years to come, but they will give thanks later. Attorney Clyde E. Smith spoke to them of the future and what they could do to make it a success; their educational instructor, Mr. Parr, Judge Tatum and others gave short talks and the occasion meant much for both visitors and the boys.

MRS. LILLIE SIMS

Mrs. Lillie M. Sims, 44 of Spurger, died Saturday morning at 6 o'clock in a Beaumont hospital. She had been ill about a week and entered the hospital Friday, undergoing an operation. Mrs. Sims had lived in Spurger about a month, coming from Wichita Falls, where she had lived for 11 years. Prior to her residence there she had made her home in Silsbee and Spur-

F. M. FANN

Francis Marion Fann died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ettie Whitehead near Kirbyville Feb. 27, 1938, following a stroke of paralysis New Years day. He was born near Macon, Ga., Oct. [illegible] 1844. His father died when he was a very small boy but the mother, Limmie Grimes Fann, came all the way to Texas in an ox wagon. Soon after their arrival his mother died. He spent most of his younger days rafting logs down the Neches river to Beaumont. In 1869 he married DeWilda Walkingshaw. To this union six children were born, five still living; Edwin of Carmona; Edgar of Shawnee; Dock of Rockland; Mrs. Ethel Havard of Hightower; Mrs. Ettie Whitehead of Kirbyville. Several grand children, 68 great and 1 great, great grandchildren. He was known practically all over this county and adjoining counties, as he followed logging with an ox team until he was very old. Several years were spent on McGraws creek where he lost his wife from tuberculosis in 1892. Later he married Ann Nickols. They are both buried at the Mann cemetery where he requested to be buried by their side. He also requested Rev. J. A. Crews conduct the funeral services, which he did, assisted by Rev. Tom Campbell. During the lingering illness of his first wife, services were frequently held for her benefit. It was on such an occasion that Marion Fann and wife united with the Sunny Dell church. She was not able to go through with the ordinance of baptism but he was baptized in McGraws Creek by the late Rev. R. L. Mann. —Contributed.

COLMESNEIL

Miss Julia Bryant of Beaumont spent the week end with Mrms Ross Haralson. Miss Wilda Mae Haralson enjoyed the week end with friends in Austin.

Miss Iva Fortenberry who is attending Marshall college is at home during the mid term vacation.

Mrs. Geo. Neel, Sr., is planing on coming home the latter part of the month. Mrms Herschell Neel were up from Beaumont Sunday.

Another new business firm is reported coming to Colmesneil. One is not to be surprised for population is gaining fast. The [illegible] week three baby girls ar[illegible]d in the Emilee community, [illegible]e at the Newman home, one at [illegible]e Graham home at Westbrook mill, one in the Lewis home at Grimes mill; Mrms Jessie Nugent have a new daughter and Mrms Clyde Freeman a girl.

Mrs. B. L. Adams of Hemphill has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Mollie Mann. Mrms Allen Mann of Jasper were over on Thursday.

[illegible]s. C Marty returned home [illegible]er daughter, Mrs. J. W. [illegible]s of Lemarque last week for [illegible] weeks visit.

[illegible]oward Fowler drove to Jasper early this week to bring J. Minyard home from the hos[illegible]

[illegible] Mesdames J. S. Mann and [illegible] Felk were county seat [illegible] Tuesday.

[illegible] Island who has been with [illegible] Mollie Mann a number of [illegible] has returned to Missis[illegible]

[illegible] Misses Jessie and Verna [illegible] spent the week end [illegible] family at Fairbanks [illegible] S. B. McBryde and [illegible] and sister, Ray and [illegible] returned with them [illegible] visit to attend to [illegible]

[illegible] was here for [illegible] Mrs. Sanders [illegible]

Supt. Lee Taylor, Colmesneil, sends to The Booster the report and recommendations of the State Dept. of Education annent the Colemsneil high school. There are 5 recommendations and 10 commendations, as follows:

1. That broken window panes in the high school English room be replaced.

2. That additional suitable, inexpensive pictures be placed on the walls of some of the classrooms. They would add materially to their attractiveness.

3 That a set of new geography maps and needed for the 7th grade.

4. That sound motion picture equipment should be provided as soon as possible to finance.

5. That a new elementary school building is badly needed and it is hoped the present project now now under way may come to frution.

Commendation is due for the following worthy features:

1. The effecting of a consolidation with Rockland school for high school purposes this year.

2. The plan now partially approved gy WPA organization for the construction of a new biulding, which is so badly needed at this time; in the amount of $17,-222.

3. The installation of a new water system for the high school, including a well, pump, and tanks at a cost of $350.

4. The repainting of gym and installing a hot water system in the dressing rooms at a cost of $350.

5. The painting and papering of homemaking building and adding two sewing machines, two cabinets, and a book case at a cost of $180.

6. The purchase of three new typewriters at a cost of $180.

7. The providing of $75 worth of library books for the elementay grades, and $75 for the high school library.

8. The providing of a new United States flag and the erection of a good [illegible]

9. The [illegible]

evidenced by the faculty, student body, school board and the community.

Also for the plans to remodel the old building at Rockland which will include the addition of two class rooms and an auditorium. The old building will will be stucco.

The courtesies extended the supervisor are sincerely appreciated.

BETHANY

Rev. Doyle Cowart filled his regular appointment here Sunday. A large crowd attended the services.

George Dowing and Raford Compte of Woodville spent the week end here with the parents.

Evin King of Woodvill CCC Camp is on a six day leave and is at the home of his parents.

Mrms Genade Walker was called to Louisiana last Friday, due to the failing health of Mr. Walker's aged father.

Uncle Leslie Richardson, who died at Chester was brought back to the family cemetery and laid to rest last Wednesday. He died suddenly, but had been in bad health for a number of years. He was 53 years old and was born and reared here and had many old friends. He only had two sisters living, Aunt Lou Richardson of here and Mrs. Ben Richardson of Bledso, Tex.

A large crowd of young people attended the dance at Charlie Chambless' home Saturday night.

Little Travis Glen Nowlin, Mildred and Bobby Stewart are on the sick list this week.

PIPELINE

Elisha Mullins and Misses Dovie Mullins and Johnniemae Gay made a trip to Livingston Monday [illegible]

CHESTER SCHOOL NOTES

Last Wednesday as many as wished were vaccinated against small pox at the Negro school at a cost of 5c each. Eighty-six of the children participated. Drs. L. R. Cade and J. H. Thomas donated their services.

Wednesday evening past was the date of the big banquet given by the P.-T. A. in honor of the athletic clubs and the pep squad. Over 120 people were served. L. M. Feagin, ably assisted by David Mann and Monroe Prescott, gave the principal address which was enjoyed and appreciated by all.

Friday afternoon E. A. Chavannes, a PWA auditor who served in Russia some years after the World War made a very interesting and instructive speech. Mr. Chravannes is a Swiss born Frenchman and American citizen of much travel.

March is the month for census taking. Mrs. Lena Barclay will again be the census trustee. We have a large district with the people scattered. Each person residing in the Chester district is urged to lend full co-operation in helping us to find all the children in the district. This may be of interest to some parents. Each school head has to make affidavit each year that they are not admitting students below the six year of age limit on date of September first preceeding the date of school opening. If your child is six before September first be sure to get it on the census roll, or else we will have to put the burden of proof that your child is six on you before we can enroll it in school this fall. This applies to state aid schools.

Woodville Locals

Rev. J. C. Boyd was in Boyd last week to spend a short while with his mother, and get his car which was wrecked on his former trip. His daughter, Miss Ruth Boyd, home economics teacher in the Joshua school, came with him for a week end visit.

Mrms Joe Ramsey and daughter were joined at Buna by Mrs. [illegible]

Want Ads

FOR SALE—BY THE M. E. Church South, a duofold and two chairs in good condition and at a reasonable price. See or call Mrs. Jimbo Harrison. 14

YOUR 25c BACK IF GETTING UP NIGHTS Is not relieved by this 4-day test when due to functional kidney disorders. It must help flush excess acids and waste from kidneys [illegible]

PAY CASH PAY LESS

H&H CASH SYSTEM

COLMESNEIL, TEXAS

FOOD SPECIALS for FRIDAY, SATURDAY AND MONDAY, MARCH 11, 12, AND 14

Spuds, 8 pounds for 15c

Rice, Fancy Whole Grain, 4 pounds 15c

Maxwell House Coffee, 3 pound can 85c

Sweet Potatoes 6 lbs	15c	Del-Dixi Stringless Beans, 2 cans	19c
Milk, 3 Tall or 6 small	23c	Vienna Sausage 2 for	15c
Rice Krispies or All-Bran, 2 for	24c	Coffee, 4 lb bucket Glass FREE	76c

Sugar, Imperial Cane, 10 pounds for 39c
With Purchase of $3.50 or more

Matches 3 boxes	10c	Pop Corn 2 cans for	15c
Salt 3 boxes	10c	Tomato Paste 2 cans for	5c
Potted Meat 3 cans for	10c	Tomato Juice 50 oz can for	22c
Lima or Navy Beans, 3 lbs	15c	Del Monte Sugar Peas large can for	15c

White House Flour, 48 pound sack $1.65

Lard, 4 pound carton, 43c 8 lb carton 85c

Tomatoes, 3 No. 2 cans	23c	Macaroni or Spaghetti, 3 for	9c
Cooking Oil, gal can for	85c	Cabbage, home raised, lb	4c

Post Toasties, 3 packages for 20c

Brooms, each 25c 35c 49c

Fargo Rolled Oats, 3 lb Box 19c

Steak, Tender Veal pound for	23c	Cheese, Full Cream, lb	[illegible]
Pork Chops pound for	23c	Bacon, Home Made, lb	[illegible]
Dairy Feed, 24% sack	$1.85	White House Flour 24 lb sack	[illegible]
Chops, Good Yellow, sack	$1.65	Jersey Queen Flour 48 lb sack	[illegible]
Shorts, Good Grey, 17% sack	$1.39	Big Chief Flour 48 lb sack	[illegible]
Sweet Feed 100 lb sack	$1.20	Big Chief Flour [illegible]	[illegible]

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