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## THINK'MBOBBIES

The daily press reports the CCC-Camp at Jasper is to be abandoned and the enrollees are to be transferred to other fields of endeavor.

We do not know what a carload of hay weighs, but we have seen several truck loads of hay that had a carload if not more about. One can but wonder about that 7,000 pound limit.

The tax question seems to be smoozing. If this is true, one of these days Woodville will have a resident State tax collector, and will there be wailing and gnashing of teeth? You tell 'em.

Certain days of the week are quiet and almost lonesome. Cars in front of the Community hall are conspicuous by their absence and by that we mean the U. S. A. P. W. A. workers lost an occasional day.

Talk about the panhandle's dust storms. How about Woodville's dust tornadoes? We had 'em almost all the month of September. Indeed, 'twas almost impossible to keep houses satisfactorily clean.

The rains of Thursday and Friday of last week were welcomed by the boys at the CCC Camp. They have been kept on the go day and night during the past month attempting to subdue forest fires.

This is about the first year in this section for the past decade when winter gardens were not most abundant. We have not seen any this year, probably didn't happen to be looking at them when they near them. Just the same it has been too dry so far this fall to even think about snap beans, spinach and carrots.

We've quit worrying about Woodville's crop of weeds. One day last week we employed a man to cut and burn the weeds on the south side of The Booster manufacturing plant, and personally, we care not if weeds grow as high as the water tower. We have controlled the growth near our buildings and fences.

Something ought to be done to the weatherman to the end he'll quit kidding the Texas public. Last week he gave us a couple of days of fine weather and then on Friday, well, you all know all about Friday, but to make good we woke up Saturday with an honest-to-goodness norther. It is reported many a house wife had a little fire early in the morning.

Cheer up, fellows. Your Uncle Sam is going to let out gobs of work commencing April 1, 1940. An attempt will be made to favor the boys who are veterans of Foreign Wars—all who are capable will be named, but applications should not be made now, but wait until supervisors arrive in the field with application blanks. The Booster will publish the information upon receipt of same. The work is taking the 1940 census.

If there is only one thing that gets our perfectly good respectable goat, it is the space grafter to our great family journal—the Tyler County Booster. We notice newspapers all over this part of Texas, love the fellow who is looking for something for nothing. We arrive at this conclusion because they must fall for everything that is offered, at least we find gobs of dope sent out by business firms, including, also, your Uncle Sam. Many business corporations hire "advertising managers to prey upon the small town newspaper man in getting their messages across under cover of "news."

The Asiatic War, the Japs murder of all Chinese with whom they come in contact, the question now of settling the American Congress as to America's neutrality, all fade into insignificance as compared with the baseball championship games—the Chicago White Sox—Cubs and the series of the New York Yankees and Cincinnati. Until and when these games are settled, nothing else of interest in all of Texas.

## Texas Forest Festival Lufkin, October 9 to 14

The Texas Forest Festival Association, created for the purpose of publicizing the Texas forests to the State and the Nation, will hold its second annual Texas Forest Festival in Lufkin, Oct. 9-14. Opening the Forest Festival, Monday, Oct. 9, at 3 p. m. will be a mammoth parade portraying various "forestry" activities disclosing to the public's eye the vast forest resources of East Texas in miniature form. At the present time indications are that this parade will exceed anything of its kind ever ventured in East Texas. It will represent the large industry by which it is sponsored. One of the main features of the parade will be one float and a caravan of special cars entered by the Texas Safety Council. Later in the day they will also put on a special program, in the interest of safety. A forestry pageant, utilizing the services of more than 400 people, on the night of Oct. 9, at 7:30, will present the history of the timber industry under Texas' six flags. This pageant will be centered around the Queen of Texas forests who this year will be Miss Rhozine Yates, 7 Princesses from Lufkin, and the Duchesses from various communities of East Texas. Following the Pageant and Coronation ceremony at the Festival grounds, Queen Sylvia II and members of her royal court will be honored at the Queen's ball. John Sullivan and his orchestra, who have just finished extended engagements at some of the most popular dance spots in Texas, will furnish music for the ball.

As a grand finale on Saturday, Oct. 14, the Arabia Temple of Houston will bring 300 persons, which includes the famous Shrine Band, on a special train to the festival. They will arrive at 4:00 p. m. and remain until 12:00 o'clock midnight. At the Festival, forestry exhibits will be developed that will prove intensely interesting to the Festival going public. They will be both educational and inspirational in nature, designed for the purpose of putting over a lesson in good forestry and agriculture. Along with the educational feature, a program of entertainment and amusement has been arranged that will appeal to all classes of people in every walk of life. A rodeo with more than 40 participants will be featured in the Rodeo arena built by the Texas Forest Festival for this purpose at a cost of several thousand dollars. This rodeo will begin on the evening of Oct. 10 and continue through the evening of Oct. 14. Dee Lang's famous shows and rides will be on the midway every day and night during the festival and will offer many thrills to the Festival going public.

The lot owned by Paul Powell just north of the Fair Theatre was leveled off Tuesday and work begins at once on a 25x60 building of hollow tile and stucco. We understand it has been leased and an up-to-date cafe will be opened. The lots just south-of-the-Mrs. Mattie Hewitt home have been graded and leveled and work begins at once on a modern tourist camp. Messrs Frank and J. Wood Fair are the owners and Frank will be in charge of the business.

The Baptist Church is going up fast. The rains of last week slowing it just a little. HAIL FALLS AT HORTENSE The ice man bowed to heavenly competition Monday. Housewives in this small Polk county community, not far from the Tyler county line, took down their hair cards following a severe hail storm. Hail stones almost as large as hen eggs were gathered and used to replenish low ice supply in refrigerators. "The hail stones were just right to use in making iced tea," one housewife said. A. P. Little made a business trip to Normangee, Tuesday.

## AMERICAN LEGION FIELD SECRETARY TO BE HERE

Mr. Henry H. Dudley, National Field Secretary of the American Legion and Mr. Ed. Easterlin, 2nd District Commander of Beaumont, Texas, together with other Legionnaires from Beaumont, Silsbee, Livingston, and Lufkin, will hold a mass meeting in the District Court room in Woodville, Texas, on October 13.

Mr. Dudley will be able to furnish valuable information to any veteran. A more detailed program will be published in next week's Booster.

## 5741 IN TEXAS ELIGIBLE FOR CCC

A total of 5741 men and young men of Texas will be eligible for enlistment in the Civilian Conservation Corps for the new six months' period beginning Oct. 1. During the new period the CCC will operate 1500 camps, the number operating at present, and maintain its enrolled strength of 300,000 young men and war veterans, 7500 Indians and 4000 residents of Hawaii, Puerto Rico, Alaska and the Virgin Islands. The program calls for enrollment of about 90,000 new members, and of this number Texas will be permitted to furnish 5741. Of the Texas quota, 5655 will be young men, and 86 war veterans.

## F. F. A. BOYS TO ATTEND STATE FAIR

The Woodville Future Farmers of America will put in their first fair exhibit for the season this week-end in Dallas at the Texas State Fair. The local group will likely be the only chapter from this section exhibiting at the fair. F. B. Sullivan, Woodville adviser, and several boys will leave Friday morning for Dallas to set up the exhibit before ten o'clock Friday night.

Saturday will be F. F. A. day at the Fair and the Woodville boys will participate in the day's activities. F. B. Sullivan will also attend the luncheon given by the Dallas Chamber of Commerce for all visiting secretaries of chambers.

## Baptist Church News

J. C. Boyd, Pastor

The New Bethel Association is in session this week with the Beech Creek church.

The association held another meeting with the Beech Creek church in 1897; just 82 years ago. From the local church, Mrs. M. C. Tatum, Mrs. Clyde Phillips, Mr. E. W. Tubb, Mrs. W. A. Hodges and the pastor are given assignments on the associational program.

The local church is reporting 51 additions to the church membership for the year. The total contributions from the church for the year is \$3,180.71, which is \$428.01 more than was contributed last associational year. The ladies of the church are meeting with gratifying success in the campaign to raise money for church pews. A subscription to the Tyler County Booster means a definite contribution to this fund. You want the paper and why not give the Baptist ladies your subscription?

## GRAND JURORS FOR OCTOBER TERM

List of Grand Jurors selected to serve at October term of District Court, October 30, 1939.

1. J. B. Reid Woodville
2. Tim Stryker Woodville
3. John Lindsey Woodville
4. Loy Shillings Woodville
5. Floyd Pope Woodville
6. E. W. Tubb Woodville
7. W. A. Swearingen Warren
8. C. G. Sheffield Fred
9. C. S. Spurlock Hillister
10. W. H. Williford Warren
11. Ross Seamans Chester
12. Sherod Powell Chester
13. J. H. Pool Dies
14. W. T. Gardner Colmesnell
15. W. C. Crews Rockland
16. Claud Hicks Woodville

## BAD ACCIDENT BETWEEN LIVINGSTON - GOODRICH

Tyler County people were shocked and horrified when it was learned that two of Tyler County's girls were in a bad wreck south of Livingston, Saturday night.

Miss Iva Eula McCommon, daughter of Mrs. B. B. McCommon at Gulf Station and Miss Jo Jo Feagin of Chester, with Miss Margaret Baker, Susie Kurtzman, of Camden, Bubba Jones of Livingston, Louis Knox and Maxie Haven of Corrigan were returning from an evening spent at the skating rink in Cleveland and rounding a curve, downhill, just south of the post of a concrete bridge approach, throwing the car back across the road against posts on the other side and demolishing the car.

Miss McCommon was thrown to the bottom of a 15 foot fill and had her nose nearly severed from her face and bad gashes over her face, which necessitated over a hundred stitches being taken.

Miss Baker had a fracture in the lower part of her spine. Louis Knox suffered a broken back and the others were bruised and nerve racked by the experience. Mr. Haven was driving the almost new Oldsmobile.

Mrs. E. H. Kurtzman and Mr. Byrd were with the crowd of young people at Cleveland and all were stoop in Livingston for a midnight supper. They allowed their daughter to get in the other car enroute to Livingston to be with the other young people and they went on to Livingston. The young people were carried to the Livingston Hospital. All who know any of the crowd sincerely hope there will be no lasting results to the injured.

## BIRTHDAY SOCIAL

Paty Sue Strickel was hostess last Wednesday afternoon to the Birthday social given each month by the Junior class of the Methodist church.

A number of games were played and enjoyed, after which delicious refreshments of cakes and punch were served.

The following members were present: Mary Eleanor Harrison, Beulah Wright, Beverly Barclay, Bobby Gene and Terry Waters, Bobby Pate, Raymond Harrison, Robert Allen Mann, Eucy Farrington and Mrs. Sam McAllister, their teacher.

## Great Progress Made in First Week of The Booster's Great Circulation Campaign

The first week of the subscription campaign is a thing of the past. The ladies are doing splendidly and turbed in their report just before the Booster went to press, so the new subscribers could get it this week.

They plan to make an intensive coverage of the county the next few days and now is your opportunity to help purchase the pews for the new church and also get the Booster another year, or even up to five years.

The Booster had a good sized list, larger than the average county paper, but we see that there are many people in the county who were not here in 1935 who want the paper but just have not subscribed, but are glad to when approached.

## Huge Circus, Beaumont, October 11

With the world's largest big top air conditioned and restyled in interior decor, the Big Show—Ringling Bros. and Barnum and Bailey combined circus—boasting the finest performance in the history as the foremost amusement institution of all time, will exhibit in Beaumont, Wednesday, October 11.

Gargantua the Great, the giant gorilla, the mightiest attraction in this or any other country, is in this season displayed in the world's largest traveling menagerie, where the crowds may gaze close up at him at their leisure as an adjunct to the menagerie, a tent, displaying in decorated stalls the 70 Kentucky equine beauties bought by John Ringling North, president of the circus, in and around Lexington, last fall connects with it.

Performances start at 2:15 and 8:15 P. M. with the new streamlined inaugural spectacle "The World Comes to the World's Fair," created, costumed and produced by Charles Le Maire, moving in iridescent magnificence under the blue ceiling of the vast tent. Backgrounds of drapes and tasseled curtains, gold and silver center and quarter poles enhance the beauty of the pageantry, in which 2000 people and animals take part.

Terrell Jacobs, mighty mentor of jungle-bred beasts, will present the largest group of performing wild animals ever seen in America—50 lions and tigers. Gargantua the Great, the world's largest and most ferocious captive gorilla, has grown since last year, and stands 5 feet, 7 inches when erect, weighs around 500 pounds and has an arm stretch of over 9 feet. His huge air conditioned cage is a sight in itself.

Heading the roster of features newly imported from Europe are the Phlades, who do the leaps from the long ramp and springboard over a row of elephants, standing side by side; the Zerbatis, foremost teeterboard acrobatic act of the Continent and cousins of the famous Riding Christianis, who again head the bareback riding numbers; the Great Arturo, fearless tumbler and come of the high wire; Hubert Castle, acrobatic comedian of the tight wire; the Alcardis, amazing novelty jugglers of fire torches; the Falduys, springboard somersaulting marvels; the Iwanows, stars of the aerial bars; Albert Powell, contortionist thriller of the flying trapeze; Alberto of London, Europe's favorite clown, and Lulu, the greatest woman clown of the age.

## OTIS E. LOCK RECOGNIZED DURING HIS FIRST TERM

"It occurs to me that the following news item might be of interest, therefore, I am sending it on to you. I am just in receipt of instruction from the Hon. R. Emmett Morse, speaker of the House of Representatives, to add the name of the Hon. Otis E. Lock of Zavala, to the roster of the Joint Rural Aid Advisory committee to succeed the Hon. Marvin F. London, State Rep. from Montague county, who recently resigned.

"The appointment of Mr. Lock is quite an honor and distinction, he being the only first term member to be appointed upon this most important committee, the duties of which are primarily to disburse the \$14,000,000 Rural Aid fund in Texas and to recommend permanent rural aid legislation in the next regular session. Being a member of this Joint Committee will necessitate the presence of Rep. Lock and his colleagues in Austin the greater portion of the year.

## Huge Circus, Beaumont, October 11

And back to the Big Show comes the circus glamour girl—dashing Dorothy Herbert, whose exciting laybacks on rearing horses and fire hurdling equestrianism are the delight of audiences everywhere.

The big standard feature—the Flying Concellos, the Riding Christianis, the Walkmits, the Torrence-Dolores, Dolly Jacobs and her riding leopards and lion, the Pallenbergs and their wonder bears, and all the rest of them are back.

And harness races have come to the big top—for the first time in circus history—pounding hoofs, flying manes, flashing sulky wheels.

## OFFICERS ELECTED FOR CORAL CLUB

The school will have choral club this year, which is a distinct addition to the work, and our young people of this community have some real talent, too.

In forming the club, the following officers will act: Pres. Miss Jeanette Rainey; Vice Pres. Gerald Smith; Sec. Miss Denney Frances Wasonbaker; Treas. Miss Odessa Gardner.

Miss Lois Robbins, our Home Making teacher is sponsoring this club, and it to be congratulated on her willingness to add to her work something that will further the talent of her pupils and to the pleasure of the parents and friends.

## GREATER CHESTER FAIR OCTOBER 12, 13, 14

On Thursday evening of next week, Oct. 12, at 5:30 o'clock, the Chester Community will swing open the doors to its annual Community Fair, and there will follow three nights and two days program of unusual merit. It is expected that there will be a better show of livestock, poultry and agricultural exhibits this year than in any previous year and as to the other entertainment features, it can safely be said that this year's program far exceeds any program of the past fairs.

The Chester foot ball squad will play the Buylerville eleven on Chester's new lighted field on Friday night, Oct. 13, at 8:00 o'clock. All citizens of Tyler and adjoining counties are invited to come and enjoy Chester's fine show these three days and nights.

W. H. Pope of Port Arthur, spent a few days with his mother Mrs. Alice Pope last week.

All are sorry to learn that F. A. Bankston of Doucette, is seriously ill. Mrs. Bill Sutton of Chester are happy over the safe arrival of a baby son who arrived Wednesday.

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## ODANIEL FROCLAMS FARENT-TEACHER WEEK

Governor W. T. O'Daniel, Monday, proclaimed the week starting Oct. 15, as honoring "Parent-Teacher associations for the splendid work they are doing for the welfare of our school children, who will soon be called upon to assume the responsibilities of citizenship."

## BIG THICKET LECTURE WILL BE TONIGHT

An entertainment program by a group of school children will be given Thursday night at 7:45 o'clock in the grammar school auditorium, prior to the lecture by Larry Fisher on the Big Thicket.

Carlton Pennington will play a piano solo. Another pupil of Mrs. Fern Humphreys, Marthell Anglin, will play a piano duet number with her teacher. Lee R. Hensley and Mary Frances Walzack will give readings. They are pupils of Mrs. G. G. Lennard.

Several band pupils of Jim Bock are also scheduled to give numbers. The program is open to the public and there will be no admission charge.

R. E. Jackson of Silabee, president of the Big Thicket Association, will be present.

## WILL FAVOR V. F. W. AS CENSUS TAKERS

E. M. Pitts of Hyatt who is Adjutant of the local VFW, called Saturday and gave The Booster the following story having to do with the census to be taken in the U. S. starting April 1, 1940:

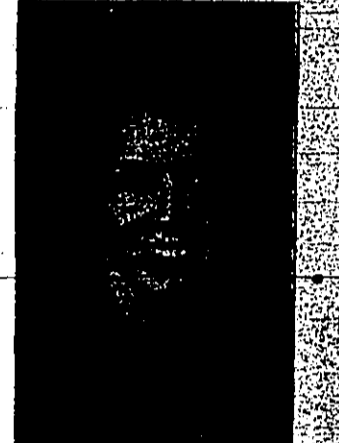
"The latest information available relating to employment during the 1940 census, is quoted from a statement issued recently by J. C. Capt. Asst. Director of the Bureau of Census, Washington, D. C., as follows:

"By provision of law, the census of population and agriculture will be taken as of April 1, 1940. Our plans for the work are incomplete, therefore, it is not possible to give you full information with reference to the selection of the new temporary field employees needed to do the job. Moreover, application forms are not yet ready for distribution.

"However, as the selection of enumerators, clerks, etc., will be made locally, I should like to suggest that perhaps it would be better for those who wish to make application to wait until the supervisors are sent into the field when application blanks will be available at local offices, which will be open well in advance of the actual enumeration. Of course, the opening of these offices will be attended by full local publicity so that all interested persons may be made acquainted with the fact."

## MISS CHRISTINE JONES FROM PORT ARTHUR

From the T.S.C.W. news comes the following story of a new member of the Woodville school faculty, which will be of interest to Booster readers. Denton, Texas, Special to The Booster, Sept. 3.—Miss Christine Jones of Port Arthur, a June graduate of Texas State College for Women is serving as a teacher in the primary grades at Woodville.



MISS CHRISTINE JONES

Miss Jones received a bachelor of science degree and was well known on the TSCW campus having been active in extra curricular affairs.

## SINGING CONVENTION

A. D. Sebren of Houston, Messrs. C. Glenn and Glenn of Warren, Mrs. Bud Parks of Doucette attended the all-day singing at the Harmony church Sunday. The regular quarterly convention will be held this coming Sunday and Saturday night before at the Bethany church. You are cordially invited to bring your song books and basket of eats and enjoy the event.

## P. T. A. MEETING AT GRAMMAR SCHOOL

The regular meeting of the Parent-Teacher association will be held next Wednesday afternoon in the Grammar School auditorium at 3:45 p. m.

An interesting program has been prepared and a Health discussion led by Dr. McElroy promises to be most worth while. Come, vote for the room you are interested in, and enjoy an afternoon with your friends.

Mrs. Vernon Ramsey and Mrs. Joe Ramsey and daughter, Miss Hazel attended the Prison Dodeo Sunday.

## Methodist W. M. S.

Monday, October 2, at 2:30 p. m., Mrs. Lewis A. Parr, was the charming hostess to the society beginning a trend toward combining business meetings with a social hour in the future. Circle 1, will be the hostess at the November meeting.

The Society will begin fall study with the book "Through Triumph" which is prepared by Basil Mathews, and deals with the World Church and the World Crisis.

Mrs. Lewis A. Parr will present the book at morning meetings beginning Monday, Oct. 2, at 9:30, at the church, and lasting throughout the week. A 100 luncheon on Oct. 16, at the parsonage, will terminate the study.

## These Factors May Tell Story in Europe's War

ASSETS				
NATION	AIR STRENGTH	ARMED FORCE	NAVAL POWER	RESOURCES
BRITAIN	7,000	3,200,000	2,000,000	
FRANCE	3,500	6,300,000	100,000	
GERMANY	5,500	3,000,000	50,000	
POLAND	600	2,000,000		

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**AMERICA** is a splendid place to be in—not from these days when all of Europe wonders what will happen next on the program, all of which is proving to be but a picture of horrors.

**NOW AND** then we get a complimentary ticket to something, and it proves to be not what it appears to be. The sender wants to graft anywhere from 1/2 to 3/4 of a column of story about something or other.

**THEY DO** say the paper mill at Lufkin will be ready to operate some time in December. We can but wonder where the pine is to come from, as it is a fact, timber that has been through a forest, fire will not be accepted at the mill.

**IT IS** about time Woodville and Tyler county got busy and cleaned up on the rat nuisance. There's plenty of the rascals. Not long ago we found a nest in the grass next to our fence, and later a couple reposing on the vines clinging to our home. They are all over the town and numerous complaints have been made.

**SCHOOL WORK** seems to be booming and progress is being made satisfactorily. However, first thing anybody knows the carnival will be dated up and then the school will receive the financial support it always has and folks will be surprised and wonder how come. The carnival always wins here and this season will be no exception.

**MOST RIGHT** thinking Texans believe in the payment of their taxes. But there comes a time when one-third of the taxable property of Texas should be forced by the courts to pay the taxes due by two-thirds that, somehow, some way, manage to escape. Another thing that would help would be to put all the taxable property in Texas on the tax rolls.

**DID YOU** ever stop to think there's nothing wrong with Texas pecans, even when crops are extra good in this and other pecan growing states? Well, there's nothing really wrong, we'll tell the world. The only trouble is that folks do not eat enough pecans. We suppose J. J. Taylor, of the Texas State Press in the Dallas Daily News, does not eat his share of Texas pecans.

**THE BOOSTER** has been wondering for some time if the government lending departments actually expected to realize on their loans. It does—and how—and already has started to put on the pressure in the following: "Nine farms in the vicinity of Tyler were to be sold last Wednesday and sold at auction within 20 to 30 days unless Federal income, social security and distilled spirits taxes, as well as actual loans, amounting to about \$25,000 in all, are paid according to announcement by internal revenue collector's office officials here Wednesday."—Dallas Times-Herald.

**WHILE MANY** interests are decrying the money spent on Texas highways, we'd like to call attention to the highways of East Texas which were absolutely impassable and impossible 10 years ago. The Boosters started publication in Woodville when there was not a chance to get to Chester during the wet season, ditto, Colmismell and Fred. A trip to Beaumont in an automobile was not to be considered, except—and now, well, you all know how Texas can go. Money spent on Texas highways is as good as any in the world ever spent for betterment of anything. We wish some of the Boosters would come alive and "cheese it."

—LARRY HO, Beaumont, Dist. 10, 1939.


**WOODVILLE LOCALS**  
 Friends are sincerely sorry to learn Mrs. J. A. Best is very ill. Mrs. S. H. Reid has returned from a visit in Houston. Her daughter, Mrs. Decatur O'Brien and baby returned with her.

Mrs. Joe Ashy and a friend of Livingston stopped here Sunday enroute home from a visit with Mr. Ashy in Madisonville.

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Mrs. G. C. Lowe returned Sunday from Overton. Mrs. Milton Watts drove down with her. Mrs. Lowe was in Beaumont.

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**2,144,536 TEXANS**  
**BEING PROTECTED**  
 On Sept. 1, 1939, statistics from the State health department showed 34% of the population of Texas, or 2,144,536 persons, were being protected against communicable diseases through the functions of full-time county and city health departments in 23 counties and two cities independent of the counties. These local health units carry out a well-balanced health program to keep the well person well, and to further safeguard the health of individuals by reducing to a minimum the various communicable diseases rendered combatable by modern public health methods.

Public health, over a score of years, has rendered combatable such diseases as typhoid, diphtheria, smallpox, malaria, undulant fever, tuleremia, yellow fever, trichinosis, hookworm, the dysenteries, and the venereal diseases. The health of any geographically defined area, i. e., city or county, is in direct proportion to the amount of energy and money judiciously and scientifically expended for the protection of the health of the people of that area.

Twenty-six additional counties, with a population of 486,300, are protecting the health of their respective communities by a partial full-time health service wherein nurses, trained in public health work, in collaboration with the local part-time health officials and the medical profession under the guidance of the State Health Department.

Thus, through full-time county health units and nursing services 42% of the population of the State in 49 densely populated

**An Editor's Revolt**  
 Major Nelson of the Fairmont Sentinel a few nights ago was telling of an experience of the famous, irrepresible Frank A. Day, who did something which most of us have been tempted to do but never had the courage to attempt.

Frank and Larry Ho attended a church service up in the northern part of Minnesota a number of years ago. The minister did not have his sermon very well at hand and in the middle of the services, Frank Day stood up and exclaimed: "Reverend, I have been listening to you with considerable patience but you have been stumbling along pretty badly this morning. You don't have your sermon well in hand. We have with us today a man who can give us a real sermon. You need rest and your congregation needs a change. I want to call on that lovable, peerless orator of Minnesota."

Lawrence Hodgson, popularly known as Larry Ho.

The minister was shocked but obliging Larry Ho took the floor and gave one of his typical sermons about heaven, home and mother with his audience wiping away the tears one minute and trying to choke their laughter the next.

No record was made of just what Larry Ho did say on that occasion and no one afterward could exactly remember. Anyway the church congregation still talk about it and down in Fairmount it has become part of the legend of Frank A. Day who usually pops up several times in a conversation with a Fairmountite although the old editor has been dead for more than 10 years. New Ulm (Minn.), Journal.

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**MARTHA OSTENSO**

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No. 2 can Golden Bantam Sweet Corn	13c	Mothers Oats Plate Free	25c
No. 2 can Sauerkraut 2 cans for	17c	1 lb. can Folgers Coffee	29c
No. 2 can Del Haven Tomatoes, 2 cans for	16c	1c Sale, 3 pkgs. Jello 16c;	
No. 2 can Phillips Lima Beans	10c	1 pkg. Pudding 1c;	16c
No. 303 can Del Monte Sugar Peas	13c	1 lb. 9 oz. Dairy Maid Baking Powder, Bowl Free	19c
No. 2 can Del Monte Pineapple	18c	Boyers Aspirin Tablets, 2 for	25c
No. 2 can Del Monte Peaches	17c	1 pint Alcohol Compound	9c
No. 2 can Grapefruit Juice	9c	16 fluid ozs. Milk of Magnesia	24c
No. 2 can Red Cherries	15c	8 Large Bars Laundry Soap	25c
2 Pkgs.-Cream Pitcher Free		Large Box Silver Dust, Towel Free	23c

### MARKET DEPARTMENT

Brick Chili per pound	20c	Oleomargarine per pound	15c
Bologna per pound	14c	Boiled Ham per pound	38c
Sugar Cured Bacon per pound	16c	Ground Meat per pound	15c

FLOUR	FEED		
Always Good 48 lb. sack	\$1.20	247 Cow Feed 100 lb. sack	\$1.85
Always Good 24 lb. sack	65c	Sweet Feed 100 lb. sack	\$1.15
Corn Meal 28 lb. sack	49c	Wheat Bran 100 lb. sack	\$1.39

**NO MORE RUMORS BUT LOTS OF NEWS AFTER FRIDAY, Oct. 6 SEE THE NEW 1940 FORD CARS, TRUCKS AND COMMERCIAL CARS Coming Oct. 6 BAKER MOTOR CO. WOODVILLE**

Mrs. W. H. Gilchrist of Culmeuil was a Woodville shopper on Tuesday.

Mesdames W. A. Kelley and Dan Murphy were in Lufkin on Tuesday and in Houston yesterday.

### WOODVILLE VS. CORRIGAN

The Friday night game at Corrigan was rained out and the big crowd going from here even had difficulty in driving cars because of the downfall. However, the game was played at Corrigan Saturday night, but the band did not make the trip that night. Corrigan scored in the first few minutes of the first period after a 65-yard punt return. After three first downs, the Bulldogs tallied and then kicked goal for the extra point. Woodville did almost the same thing almost immediately, but failed to make the extra point. The first half ended with a score of 7-6 for the Bulldogs who had held the Eagles when the latter seriously threatened to tally by penetrating to the 1-yard line. Corrigan's last score came in the third quarter and the Eagles were unable to score again although they had another good opportunity. The game ended with the ball in possession of the Eagles on the 9-yard line.

### FEDERAL JURY CALL

Those called on Grand Jury work in Beaumont from Tyler county are Messrs. Jay Kelley, C. M. Davis, Jr. On Petit Jury are Messrs. Lee Carrol, A. King and S. F. Fain.

Miss Mildred Fortenberry was home from Votaw for the week end.

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More than 100 people visited the second annual pageant show of the Woodville Future Farmers on Saturday. The boys in the various departments were assisted in preparation for the show.

A feature of the event was an exhibit of native woods that has been collected from all parts of the surrounding communities by the agriculture boys.

Among the visitors at the show were L. B. Herring, Jr., of Beaumont, secretary of the South Texas State Fair, and his secretary Mrs. Geo. Peglar. Mr. Herring was most complimentary in his comments on the boys' show. He was also impressed with the splendid co-operation given the Future Farmers by the merchants who furnished the prizes. He especially requested a list of the awards, for their donors and said that he plans to use Woodville as an example in a speech he will make soon in Louisiana. The premium list has been sent to Mr. Herring by F. B. Sullivan, local adviser.

The Woodville Future Farmers are grateful to L. M. Feagin and Mrs. Fred Matthews for the use of the building where the show was held and to the following for the prizes that were given in the various contests: J. B. Best, Parish Wrecking Yard, Parsons Service Station, Mistro's, Ezra Eaves, Tyler County Booster, Crescent Bottling Works, J. T. Lindsay, Stryker's Drug, Ette Rainey, J. P. Miller, Mrs. J. F. Barclay, Nelson Barber Shop, Jack Lindsay, H&H Grocery, Bracken Hardware, Moboloi Garage, Harry Johnson, J. H. Evans, Ferguson's Cafe, Quality Dry Cleaners, Youngs Pharmacy, Baker Motor Co., J. D. Vinson, Williams' Grocery, Majestic Barber Shop, Rinsinger Cleaners, McClure's Cafe, Wright's Service Station, County Clerk, Star Cafe, Head's Shoe Shop, E. D. Walker, Fain Theatre, Hamerly's Cafe, Walker Barber Shop, Jay Kelley, P. H. Powell, Pate and Davis, Western Auto Associate Store, Birdwell's 5c to \$1. Store, Davis Bros., Glenn's Variety Store and Fred Matthews.

### WARREN FAIR TO BEGIN OCTOBER 19

The Warren Community Fair will be held October 19, 20, and 21, this year according to C. H. Wilbanks, president, and O. L. Ryall, superintendent of the fair. Large spaces have been provided and pens for hogs and chickens have been built and live stock added makes it a bigger and better fair.

The Tyler County Bands have all been invited and the days and nights will be filled with entertainment, picture show, ball games (football and basketball) and many different stands. Come and let's enjoy the Warren Community Fair together. Remember the date is October 19, 20 and 21.

### ANNOUNCEMENT

Keep in mind that there are services both morning and night at the Christian Church and you are very welcome. The young people meet in Endeavor, in charge of Mrs. P. L. Majors at 8:30 p. m. Choir practice and Bible Study at the church each Friday night. Young people are invited.

### "TEXAS SAFETY DAY" AT STATE FAIR, OCT. 17

Notwithstanding all the educational campaigns that have been waged, there has been an alarming increase in automobile accidents during the current year. In an effort to reach the greatest number of people as quickly as possible, the Texas Safety Council has arranged a "Texas Safety Day" at the State Fair of Texas. The date is October 17.

Pierce Brooks, President of the Council, Capt. J. C. Zappe, field man, and others of the Directors will present Safety Programs during the day. Motion pictures will be displayed. Accident scenes, true to life will be staged.

Prominent Texans will participate on the program. The program will not be a bore. We hope to greet many thousands on this date. Tell your neighbors.

### WOODVILLE LOCALS

Many from Gulf pump station drove to Livingston Sunday to see how the car accident victims were.

Maurice Courtney of Colmesneil was doing court duty in Liberty last week.

Glen McCommon of Wortham, hurried to Livingston upon receiving the message that his sister, Iva Eula, was so seriously injured in the Saturday night wreck near Livingston.

Mrs. Glen Cox of Nacogdoches was a week end visitor of her parents, Mrs. Martin at Gulf station.

Miss Nannie Feagin with Mrs. J. L. Veal of Chester is spending some time in Williamsburg, Canada. Lewis Wright Bush drove the car on the trip.

Arthur Anglin of Lufkin spent the week end with his family.

A number of relatives from Port Arthur drove by Sunday for Jay Kelley to go on to Lovelady to help celebrate the 100th birthday of Mrs. McGowan. Mr. Kelley who has been ill was not able to make the trip.

### DR. R. L. BARCLAY

Dr. Robert Lee Barclay, 61, of Kennard in Houston county, died Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock in a Crockett hospital.

He had been ill two weeks.

A native of Tyler county, Doctor Barclay was president of the Barclay-Barclay Family Association. He was born in Chester and lived there until he attended medical school in Memphis, Tenn. In 1904 he was married to Miss Dora Dahleis.

After graduating from college he practiced medicine in Trinity county until 1918, when he moved to Kennard. He was prominent in state democratic party circles. Funeral services were held at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon in Kennard with Rev. A. S. Lee of Crockett in charge.

Survivors, besides the widow, include two sons, Dr. Sam Barclay of Crockett, and R. L. Barclay, Jr., of Kennard; two sisters, Mrs. Bettie Morgan of Kingsville and Mrs. Sally Russell of Jacksboro; and some brothers, Walter Barclay of Chester and \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_.

### COUNTY FUTURE FARMERS ELECT

Allen Willis, Woodville high school senior, was elected president of the Tyler Federation of the Future Farmers of America at a meeting of the Federation here Wednesday night. Young Willis was president of the local chapter last year. Other officers chosen for the year are Harley Crews, Colmesneil, vice president; Travis Barnes, Chester, secretary; Astor Whitman, Spurger, reporter; James Raimey, Warren, treasurer; A. B. Langston, Colmesneil, advisor. Marvin Maddox, Woodville, farm watchdog; Truman Matthews, Chester, parliamentarian; Clifton Worthing, Colmesneil, historian; Carl Abbott, Colmesneil, song leader and band director. Following the election of officers, an officers training school was held with the various teachers of the county acting as instructors. The drawing for officers among the teachers had the following results: H. C. Ellis, Chester, president; A. B. Langston, Colmesneil, vice president; O. L. Ryall, Warren, secretary; J. W. Knight, Spurger, treasurer; F. B. Sullivan, Woodville, reporter. The federation will meet each six weeks during the school year.

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Maxwell House Coffee per pound	29c	Large Jar Fresh Cucumber Pickles	25c

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No. 2 cans Fancy Cut Beans	13c	Medium Jar Fresh Cucumber Pickles	15c
No. 2 can Yellow Corn	13c	2 cans Kohinor Corn, Exceptional quality	25c
No. 2 can Crosby Cream Corn	13c	MC CORMICK SPICES	
No. 2 can Bartlett Peas	18c	HEINZ BABY FOODS	
No. 2 can Grapefruit and Orange Segments	15c	STOKELY BABY FOODS	
No. 2 cans Fancy Finger Pineapple	22c	FRESH FRUIT & VEGETABLES	
Red Cherries 50 oz. can	15c		
Pineapple Juice Many Other Monarch Products	30c		

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