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AMBOBBIES

exclaimed an old Pan-aman. "I see it so you would put your hat on the wall and stay put."

back yonder when a barometer man tried to sell a Texan a reply was "Say," pointing to a picture hanging from a fence post, "when that blows out straight I don't aim to send the boys to work."

It appears there's a chance for Texas to be split in two or three chunks to make states. Here's the question that will stop almost everybody who wants the slicing "Yes, but which new state would get the Alamo?"

Last Thursday, June twentieth, passed off smoothly with scarcely a ripple on any old surface. Everybody had a good time, and it was noticeably true some of the business closed their doors for the day.

It may be exaggeration, but easy in Texas. One man who visited here went back home and said "There are more cows and less water, more rivers and less water, and you can see further and see less than in any country in the world."

After all a successful business is that because of the management, location, and the way of management. How would you say that when a woman, the job owner and manager and perhaps a bachelor woman.

One day recently a bunch of men in San Antonio were discussing rain and politics and an old gray headed man exclaimed "It rains in Texas in June and July. It don't matter a damn who President of the United States."

We can't wonder what General Sherman would say about Texas today if he were here. He would say "I've seen Texas, and it's a good country, and I'll be back after the dead war. If I owned Hell and Texas, I'd not be in Texas and Hell."

One of the cotton fields here in which state appear to have descended from cowboy, and they weren't any Gals. And they, other than the cowboy, the wildcat, gun-toting, swaggering lot who ever rode a wild steed or shot first and thought afterward. After a generation or so this buginess appeared to come out in an line on average of strong boys and good lots of one will find any where, anytime in all of America.

As a contrast to the boy brought up in a slim city, the whole United States of America, and what it stands for most bold, rank, vulgar and unbecoming, it is an object, possibly to die for. To a Texan, on the other hand, there is nothing vague about Texas. The Lone Star flag may not be dearer but it is a whole lot nearer than the Stars and Stripes. And, however, the Texan sees something for which he'll die for when he views the Stars and Stripes and finds out they are in danger, and he'll exclaim "Where do we go from here?"

We can't wonder how long the thriving city of Woodville will stagger along under a clean slate—that is to say with no city ordinances. There are a few common every-day regulations or laws that are being violated each and every day by most everybody but nothing is done about it. These automobile violations are perpetrated by all degrees of citizenship, old, young white and black in this county seat city. We're not howling about it, but doing our best to aid in some way to make the city safer, not only for owners and drivers of motor vehicles, but for the pedestrians, how about the jay walkers. There are some, and most car drivers know this to be true.

Striking oil surely makes a difference for many Texans. The story is told of a letter written by one of those lucky fellows whose land gave up several pumps. He told his mother, who was home, how modern, was electric lighting, new fangled window shades, hard wood floors, and get this three bathrooms, one down stairs and one off their own bed room, and one for the guest room. He described his own bathroom as having two bath tubs, one big enough so one could get in it, and the other smaller—in fact he used the small one in which to both bathe and wash. When I first went in, I was told that the bathroom had been built here Saturday. The bathroom was built here Saturday. The bathroom was built here Saturday.

First Steps Taken In Forming Defense Council in Woodville

Organization of a Tyler County defense council was planned Friday afternoon at a meeting of the Woodville Chamber of Commerce.

Members of the chamber, called at the request of East Texas C. of C. Julian Capers of Longview, representative of the Elex C. of C. was in attendance and explained the purposes and plans for the county defense council which will function in co-operation with county from other counties in handling civilian problems arising in defense centers, both industrial and military.

Judge J. E. Wheat, president of the C. of C. presided and appointed Messrs. P. H. Powell, M. S. Hyde and Lee Egan as a committee to nominate county members of the new council which will follow County Judge Lou Cruse, Mayor Watt Barclay, Mr. Wheat, Clyde Cruse, Colmesnell, head of the Farmers organization, Rev. J. C. Canfield, Colmesnell pastor, Mr. M. M. Hewitt, president of the Woodville Woman's Study Club, F. M. Pitts, commander of the V.E.W. Jay Kelley, U.S.O. chairman, J. L. Hopson, American Legion, O. A. Riley, and J. L. Vial, Chamber.

Rotary Speaker Up From Warren

Last Thursday night C. H. Wilkerson, speaker of the Warren Rotary, was the guest speaker-entertainer at the Rotary, and he gave a very interesting story of the trip made by the Warren Senior class all the way from Warren to California and back.

The story told of how amazing cheap a long trip can be negotiated, but in the finals it was a financial success. Several of the members of the Home Economics were on the job and they prepared a menu for the evening. Arriving at Lufkin the cash receipts was some less than \$4.00 and they suggested they spend it in a restaurant, and then the plan was to buy what they wanted and have a last meal on the way back. After the luncheon at Lufkin, there was still a Buffalo nickel remaining in the general fund and they voted to give this to the 1941-42 senior class as a nest egg toward the next June. This would be raised for next June.

Each member of the 1940-41 class was by popular proclamation called upon to tell what particular incident or view impressed them most, and the speaker told the Rotary listeners that nearly every member of the class was mentioned by speakers, and was only within the limits of Warren was in sight that the youngsters had actually finished their stories.

Each member of the class had prepared certain parts of the daily menu for the entire trip. Yes, they arrived home tired, happy, and shall it be said hungry?

Methodist Church Rev. W. W. Hardt, Pastor

On the evening of June 16 the members of the Methodist church had an enjoyable evening in the form of a fellowship supper at the High school gym. They appreciated greatly the delightful supper provided without cost by the women of the church. The program consisted of music by the vocal quartette composed of Bob Pennington, Norman Paschall, Martin Nelms and Frank Luck; humor, one reading by Bobby Van Feygason, saxophone solo by Bobby Pennington; and the feature of the program, an address by Rev. W. W. Hardt, pastor of the Livingston Methodist church. The men are looking forward to the next social gathering which will likely be held at the home of one of their number.

Services will be held next Sunday, June 29, both at 11 o'clock and at 8 p. m. in Warren opening revival services to be conducted through the following week. Rev. W. W. Hardt, pastor, Woodville, will be in charge and will be assisted by Rev. Wesley Hardt, who is pastor of the DeKalb circuit, near Texarkana. The meeting is scheduled to close July 6. Everyone is assured a cordial welcome.

Plans are going forward for the beginning of Revival services at the Woodville Methodist church on Sunday, July 6. Rev. A. D. Lemons is one of the outstanding evangelistic preachers of this section, and will doubtless be heard with interest by large congregations during his stay in Woodville.

Tyler County First Live Stock Show Is Dated for July 12

Plans are going forward for the first Tyler County Livestock show to be held in Woodville, July 12, according to T. J. Stryker, chairman of the C. of C. committees, sponsor of the show.

The show will be held in the shade of the trees on the school grounds above the amphitheatre. Some of the prizes and merchandise prizes are being collected. A number of out-of-county cattle breeders are being invited to bring the type of cattle to the show and auction them off if they care to do so. Arrangements are being made to get a feed company to bring up their loud speakers and put on a program for the spectators. The show will be held in the shade of the trees on the school grounds above the amphitheatre. Some of the prizes and merchandise prizes are being collected. A number of out-of-county cattle breeders are being invited to bring the type of cattle to the show and auction them off if they care to do so.

America's Own War Successful

Austin, June 24.—Soldiers in Texas are meeting death now in preview of man against mechanized monster.

Forty-seven persons were killed and 359 injured in Texas traffic collisions involving military personnel during the first four months of this year.

In 445 accidents involving either drivers, passengers or pedestrians, damage to vehicles alone amounted to \$65,271. But the total economic loss, including lost life and expense to the injured amounted to \$2,115,000.

These facts were announced by Col. Homer Garrison, Jr., State Police Director, who revealed completion of a state wide survey designed to provide information upon which preventive measures may be based.

"The defense traffic problem in Texas falls into three separate phases. Cities are coping with the urban accidents. The Highway Patrol has worked out a method of controlling accidents in areas immediately adjacent to military establishments, and the results have been highly satisfactory. This survey reveals the third phase—rural accidents occurring on Saturdays and Sundays, an average distance of 60 miles from any army camp, and caused by the rush to get home on weekend evenings.

"Principal violations figuring in these collisions are driving too fast for conditions, driving on the wrong side of the road or passing without sufficient clearance, and driving while drinking.

"The significance of speed is shown by the fact that, out of 170 rural collisions, 31 resulted in deaths and 90 in injuries."

Garrison said the State Police are working with Eighth Corps Area officials at Fort Sam Houston toward a mutual solution to these problems. As an example of army co-operation, he pointed to Camp Bowie, Brownwood, where these regulations have been set up: cars must be inspected for safety before passing; the number of passengers is limited; no trip longer than 300 miles from the camp may be undertaken on a 72-hour leave.

Observing that neither all the violators involved in these collisions are military men, Garrison declared "It is as much the civilians duty to compensate for increased traffic hazards as it is the soldiers'."

Next Rotary Convention In Toronto, as Voted At Denver

Rotary International's 32nd annual convention closed Friday in Denver, Colo., with a plea from its new president, Tom J. Davis, Butte, Mont., that the service organization abstain from identifying itself with any ideology of governments' figuring in present world conflict.

He declared that "corporately, Rotary will not and cannot concern itself with any attempt to influence the ideology of governments existing in the nations where Rotary may function. Since their meeting opened Sunday before, the Rotarians from 27 countries had heard proposals for a 'union here and now' of western hemisphere countries, for federal union of the United States and the British commonwealth, and suggestions that the influence of Rotary be directed in favor of the democratic form of government.

Davis' enunciation of the organization's policy, which he laid down by the retiring president, Armando De Arruda Ueira, Sao Paulo, Brazil, at the convention's first plenary session.

"National emergencies make unique demands upon Rotarians and Rotary clubs," Davis said. "In these national emergencies, Rotarians and Rotary will not fail. To you and me, as nationals, come demands which our countries have a complete right to make upon us. That a Rotarian should be less than loyal to his own land, should fail to give to his own country a full measure of devotion, is unthinkable."

The new Rotary board of directors held a post-convention meeting Friday and elected T. A. Warren, Walverhampton, England, first vice president; Jousan Sarasota, Cibola, Montevideo, Uruguay, second vice president and Arthur S. Fitzgerald, Windsor, Ont., third vice president.

Toronto, Ont., earlier had been selected for the 1942 convention. Carl P. Zeidler, 33-year-old mayor of Milwaukee, Wis., and Enrique Gil, Buenos Aires, Argentina, addressing the final session, made pleas for a closer cooperation between the countries of North and South America.

WASNT LIQUOR, SHE JUST LICKED HIM

Farrell, Pa., June 24.—Mayor Lewis Levine told of a negro who was arraigned before him on a charge of fighting, an offense which frequently brought the culprit into police custody.

"Well, Sam," said the official to the prisoner, "if you're back to the station with your wife, Liqueur again?"

"No, suh, Mr. Mayor, she licked me this time," Sam replied.

WOODVILLE NEWS

Miss Julia Belle Cruse was in Beaumont Thursday.

Among those who are attending the Methodist encampment at Camp Perry are Lige Rushing, Jr., Bobbie Gene Waters, Buckley Pennington, Miss Eleanor Harrison, and a number of others. Mesdames J. W. Harrison and C. V. Phillips drove there with them last week end.

Miss Merle Struggs of Alto and H. F. Coppel of Woodville were quietly married Sunday afternoon at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Denney.

Miss Alva Lee Cobb is enjoying a vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Daniels in Springdale, Colorado. She joined a friend at Marshall last week end who also made the trip.

Mrs. Cross Daniels



Miss Jessie Mae Shivers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cruse, Shivers and Cross Daniels, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Daniels of Doacette, were married Thursday night by Rev. T. J. Campbell at his home in Colmesnell. The bride is one of Tyler County's very splendid girls.

A graduate of Woodville schools in 1929, she then attended SFA in Austin, Texas. She spent the last two years of her high school in the Rockland and then the Doacette facilities. Beloved by her pupils she has been their friend as well as instructor in school. She has a host of friends over the county, so many in fact that he was elected County clerk last year. After the ceremony they spent the week end in Beaumont. Port Arthur and Galveston returning to their new home recently built just east of town on the new highway. The Booster joins with other friends in sincere best wishes for their future.

Miss Marlin Fortenberry of Colmesnell underwent an operation at St. Theresa hospital Friday and is reported as getting along nicely.

The J. Austin Barnes family of Beaumont visited relatives in Chester and Peachtree Sunday. Guest in H. C. Ellis on Sunday at Chester, Mrs. E. M. Jay, Kelley and Mrs. E. H. Willard of Woodville.

Miss Ruth McAllister will be leader at Christian Endeavor Sunday night and Miss Annie Deason will give a mission song all young people attending elsewhere are invited to be at the Christian Endeavor at 8 o'clock p. m. for the service.

Miss Nellie Witherspoon, Arthur was selected president of the Texas Christian Union at the final session of the annual state convention in Tyler. One of the many features of the convention was the singing the 4-day meeting from local delegates.

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THE ONLY thing that has kept Woodville from being a city of five thousand or more is the fact we do not have a far-sized payroll.

THE RESPONSE to our offer of sending The Booster to our boys in camps is meeting a hearty response. It would be well to remember the offer is good only until July 15.

WE HAVE said it many times since Old Man Depression arrived in Woodville and the population commenced to learn something about Uncle Sam's initiated relief work, there has never been a time where there were not from one to three and even more, once or twice, either houses of business or houses in course of construction.

WHAT WOULD you think if you saw a truck staggering along with a load of logs sealing over 37M? In a short time The Booster will print a picture of a load of pine logs hauled with four horses!

WE CANOT help but wonder sometimes why a driver's license must be procured from a highway patrol man, is it a fact this regulation was for the protection of the local registration clerk?

ARE two main items of traffic regulation and every day. This brings an actuality that occurs in Missouri, while we were less in the Show Me State.

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HILLISTER Mrs. Tom McSwain and Mrs. Ward McSwain of Beaumont visited Mrs. A. E. McQueen Saturday night...

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COLMESNEIL Rev. T. J. Campbell, Mr. C. H. Howel and daughters, Mrs. Jean and Paula B. Worthly attended the wedding of Mr. Magister Harkley at Beaumont...

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UNCLE JAKE SEZ Considerin' th' amount of free advice we give out, sam jes'ud 'pear t' git long very poorly like.

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Well, sir, Judge Evans rote th' cheese factory an' asked 'em 'bout it. They rote back an' said they jist m'ad an' sold 't 'bout 't'...

Right now he's workin' 't' invit a pair of scales what'll weight a fish 'fore ya git him outta water so ya can't have 't' throw him back.

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NOTICE OF ROAD BOND ELECTION THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF TYLER To the Legally Qualified Electors of Road District No. 4 of Tyler County, Texas...

On this 2nd day of June, 1941, the Commissioners Court of Tyler County, Texas, convened in regular session at a special term...

WHEREUPON, the County Judge announced that this meeting is for the purpose of holding a hearing on the petition of more than a majority of the resident property taxpayers of Road District No. 4...

Such hearing was duly held and the Court heard evidence thereon, and discussions thereon, and at the close of such hearing made and entered the following order:

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the petition of the taxpayers of Road District No. 4 of Tyler County, Texas, be granted...

Beginning on the Neches River at the southeast corner of the Josiah Wheat survey...

Therefore, the County Judge and the Court Affirmatively so finds that notice of such hearings has been given by the County Clerk of Tyler County by posting three notices of such hearing in said District and one at the Courthouse door of said County...

And it Further Appears, and the Court Affirmatively so finds that notice of such hearings has been given by the County Clerk of Tyler County by posting three notices of such hearing in said District and one at the Courthouse door of said County...

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Whether or not the bonds of said Road District No. 4 of Tyler County, Texas, shall be issued in the amount of \$75,000.00 at the rate of not exceeding 4% per annum...

Such election shall be held at the Fairview Church Building in Town Bluff in said Road District No. 4 and Austin Ogden is hereby appointed Presiding Officer of said election.

The Presiding officers shall appoint such additional Judges and Clerks as may be necessary to assist him in holding such election. Said Board District No. 4 is hereby determined and declared to be one voting precinct for the purpose of this election.

Reference is made to the road which has already been constructed from the south boundary line of Tyler County northward across Highway No. 3 through Springer, to the South boundary line of this Road District No. 4; and in the event these bonds shall be authorized and issued, then the proceeds thereof are to be used for the purpose of extending the above mentioned road from the south boundary line of this Road District No. 4 northward to Rush Creek.

A copy of this order, or notice containing the substance thereof, shall constitute proper notice of such election, and notice thereof shall be given by publication of such notice in a newspaper of general circulation published in said Tyler County for three successive weeks the first publication to be at least three full weeks before the date of said election...

THIS ELECTION NOTICE is given pursuant to the foregoing order of Commissioners Court. Given Under My Hand and Seal of Office this 2nd day of June, 1941. County Clerk, Tyler County, Texas.

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