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FOR DEFENSE



BUY UNITED STATES SAVINGS BONDS AND STAMPS

Q. Where should I keep my Defense Savings Bonds?
A. In a safe place, because they have value which constantly increases. If you wish the Treasury Department or any Federal Reserve Bank will hold them in safekeeping for you without charge, giving you a receipt.
Q. Does an album filled with stamps automatically become a bond that will pay interest and mature in 10 years?
A. No. The completed album must be exchanged for a Bond. Regardless of the amount of money you have collected in stamps, they will not bear interest until they are in the form of a Bond or Bonds.

THINK 'MOBBIES

Believe it or not. Collection to the contrary, the most popular card game in Germany.
An interesting story entitled "Catholics in the West" will be found elsewhere. The same was lifted from News Week.

If someone asked you what letters in the alphabet are the same upside down as they are right side up, the answer is "no" or even 60 seconds. No! Well, here they are: S, O, X, I, H.

We wonder if the Texas Outlook is about to open the plan of teaching handwriting in the Texas schools. The magazine carried a sketch, recently headed "Breaking in an animal of the Trade."

Find elsewhere a story from News Week, "The Agony of Labor," it is interesting and will not find too many followers in America the land of the free where a bunch of citizens are known to think and vote as they please.

Some one stated not long ago, "In choosing an office holder, a voter should not be concerned with integrity, sincerity, or dependence. What a glorious time a fellow could have in writing up those three words and what they actually mean."

It appears from all accounts the government is dodging with labor. It is taken for granted Slater Perkins, Roosevelt, hand-picked secretary of labor, will not be perturbed in any way. Anything labor want to do with her ok.

The Handbook of Texas School Law states a superintendent of school may also be a member of the Texas Legislature. And another law on pages 44 and 47 states a superintendent of school may hold the office of tax assessor and collector of the school district of which he is the school superintendent. Ah, we can but wonder about all this.

Sometimes we feel as though we needed a study room where we could study a couple of our pet themes. Sky-pilots back today could most generally be located in their study parlor. Not so today, however. The order is changed. They feel they should not only supervise the members of their flock, but also, the entire business of the several communities in which they reside.

One of the most disgusting things we've glimpsed in the daily press for years was the picture of a man and a woman and a dog that was about to become a man. We'll tell the world when the press of Texas becomes so up for something to fill up its first page, a little piece of the better-and more humane world would revert to its original position. What?

Patriot Quotations

1853 1930



WE are here to die, if necessary.
Gen. Tasker H. Bliss

County Council Forms Warning Service

Committees were named and the overall warning service in Tyler county was set up Friday night at a meeting of the county council. The committee on warning consisted of County Judge Lou Crose, Chairman, and J. P. Hopper, J. M. Jordan, J. E. Dowe, J. H. Hopper, P. C. Collier and J. M. Jordan.

They will get 20 people to man the observation posts, which will be the fire towers when we are hit and otherwise additional posts will be chosen as required. That each post will be checked by telephone that the observation can reach the phone 15 seconds after being the phone.

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APPRECIATES THE BOOSTER

Detachment Medical Dept., William Beaumont, Genl. Hosp., Ft. Benning, Ga. Mrs. Willard I. want to express my appreciation for your contribution of me by sending me The Booster. I enjoy reading all the articles in it and keep informed of my own county. Thank you with all my heart and I wish you the greatest of success and happiness in the future. A friend.

PURCHASING RIGHT OF WAY OVER IN POLK COUNTY

The latest news from Austin states purchasing of highway on Highway 190 east to the Tyler County line is slated to start at once. When this highway is completed it will be an all weather strip traversable year round, and there will be an immense amount of travel that is now obliged to go via Chester and Corrigan in wet weather.

ANDERSON-GANT REUNION

This Booster reporter was interested in looking over the record gathering of the Anderson and Gant families, as her people came also from England to Canada, then to the states. The first Anderson coming from England landed at Jacksonville, Florida, and not long after, another branch from Ireland landed on the eastern coast settling in Virginia, in 1783. The Gants also came to this country at the same time. As time went on the younger generations drifted farther west and in 1801 the Isaac Gant and Tom Anderson families left Mississippi settling in East Texas. More than 150 members of the Anderson and Gant families gathered last Sunday at Highway park. A sumptuous basket dinner was spread. A big day dinner in the Anderson and Gant families.

AAA Cotton Program In Tyler County Succeeds

If the 500 cotton growers of Tyler county use all the cotton stamps they have qualified for the year, they will exchange about \$10,000 for cotton goods, according to L. D. Hutton, chairman of AAA. Records in the local AAA office indicate that approximately 500 acres have been voluntarily taken out of cotton under the supplementary cotton program, and cotton stamps are being issued on this basis, he said. The purpose of the supplementary cotton program, for which an additional \$25,000,000 was allotted this year, is designed to reduce still further the cotton acreage allotment under the 1941 agricultural conservation program. The cotton stamps program is operated on an entirely voluntary basis and does not affect any other payments earned under the farm program, the chairman continued.

Conscientious Objector Trades Axe for Rifle

Clifford M. Thrush, 25-year-old former Alma, Mich., clerk, is not a fighting man, but he would rather carry a rifle than swing an ax. He made that clear yesterday when the Army tentatively accepted him for service at Camp Grant, Ill., relieving him of work at the camp for conscientious objectors near Manatee. I told my draft board that I wasn't much for fighting, Thrush said, but I had no idea they would send me to a camp like that. All we did up there was cut wood 14 hours a week. Thrush entered the Manatee Camp June 27 and asked for regular army training after three weeks of wood chopping.

FLYING TRAINING OF AVIATION CADETS

Ten civil schools in Texas for the elementary flying training of aviation cadets have received contracts from the War Department. Gov. Coke R. Stevenson was addressed one day last week. These civil schools give aviation their first ten weeks of instruction. From a civil school the cadets go to the basic flying school for a second ten weeks. The third and last ten weeks course is given at an Army advance school. Upon graduation from an advance flying school a cadet receives his wings and is commissioned a second lieutenant. The civil schools in Texas which have been awarded the War Department contracts include: Air Activities of Texas, Corsicana; Bonham Aviation school, Bonham; Brayton Flying Service, Curo; Coleman Flying School, Ltd., Coleman; Hanger Six, Inc., Uvalde; Fred Herman, Haltom; W. L. Long, Hicks Field, Fort Worth; Lou Poole Flying Service, Stamford; Richey Flying Service, Vernon; W. F. Long, Brady.

GETTING RID OF COOTIES

"How do you get rid of these awful cooties?" "That's easy. Take a bath in sand and rub down in alcohol. The cooties get drunk and kill each other throwing rocks." - Purple Cow.

STORAGE RATES FOR 1941 COTTON CROP

The maximum warehousing rates for 1941 loan cotton are 17 1/2 cents a bale per month for warehouses that do not operate compress facilities and 15 cents per month for warehouses operating compress facilities. B. F. Vance, administrative officer of the state AAA has announced. In addition to these charges, warehouses may not collect more than 25 cents per bale service charge for receiving, sampling and re-sampling. As customary in the past loan programs, the cotton produced will also pay a fee of 15 cents a bale for classing which is done by the Agricultural Marketing Service. At the time service is authorized by the person having title to the warehouse receipts, compression charges will be made at rates specified in the warehouseman's established tariff in effect at that time but will not be in excess of the tariff rate of July 1, 1941. Delivery charges for cotton on which compression charges are not collected, may also be made by warehouses that operate compress facilities. The AAA office said, but no delivery charge will be collected when cotton is stored in bonded warehouses.

August 31 License Due to Expire

Warning that all types of licenses issued by the Texas Game, Fish and Oyster Commission will expire Aug. 31, was issued one day last week by the executive secretary of the commission. Licenses for the 1941-42 fiscal year are being mailed all license deputies in the state and sportsmen, commercial fishermen, fur dealers and all other persons required to purchase license under the law, will be able to obtain them during the last week in August.

WOODVILLE NEWS

Our policy is your protection. Insist that a registered druggist fills your prescription. Call Phone 444 Young Pharmacy - Advt. Miss Janelle Wise has handed in her resignation and will teach next year at Alvin. We now have Mrs. E. Booth in the English faculty. The instructor in English is Miss Lois Lee Feagin of Colmesneer Young Pharmacy - Advt. Miss Jennie Mae Boyd returned to her hospital work in Galveston Saturday. Miss Lucille is enjoying the happy days at Kibbeyville and another sister, Miss Elizabeth went to Houston yesterday for a visit before school opens. Mrs. E. Booth is visiting Mrs. S. L. Rainey. Mrs. Truse of Brownville was in Woodville early this week. Mrs. Martin Nellius and R. E. Pennington attended Rotary in Beaumont yesterday. Mr. Pennington attended a business trip to Houston during the day. Friends are happy with Dr. and Mrs. E. Shivers in this week's visit. Dr. Shivers is in Woodville.

Woodville C. of C. Plans On Sidewalks, Street Paving Disposal of Dogs and Paper

The Woodville Chamber of Commerce met Monday evening to consider plans to complete the road from Woodville to Livingston. The meeting's discussion also included comments on city paving sidewalks, possibilities concerning the paving of the road from Woodville to the Neches River, and also the road from Woodville to Livingston. The meeting concluded with another discussion centering about paper disposal and a certain dog nuisance existing in the city. It was brought out during the evening that for the present, we are stymied in all road building, city paving, and city construction by the lack of WPA men and funds. A bond issue will be the only means of financing the first step of which would be the formation of a single works project between Woodville and Scott L. Willis in order to determine construction costs. Sidewalks could be built providing property owners come through with their part, which means a charge of \$50 per front foot to the owners, and city paving could be a reality when and if the aforementioned job carry a bond election. Judge Wheat called the meeting's attention to the disposal of a matter worthy of consideration of any town which prides itself on the town's appearance. Little Cedar Earl Triplett with Mrs. C. B. Birdwell visited the Sunday Hardware Co. of Chicago in Lufkin Sunday. Miss Ruth Irby is enjoying her vacation with relatives in Port Aransas. Miss Margie Dean is visiting Miss Marie Cheatham in Houston. Mrs. John Rawls of the Emite community were Woodville shoppers Tuesday. The numbers have returned from a buying trip to Fort Worth and Dallas. He states "that goods and ready-made garments are scarce throughout the country and the counters were bare where hitherfore would be filled for the buyer select from. Mr. Spurlock of the numbers store at Warren also made the trip. Walter Mills of Center visited here on the week end. Mrs. O. A. Cruse of the Cherokee-Dies community was in Woodville Tuesday. Miss Ruth Sholars is again visiting her cousin, Mrs. D. L. Armstrong in Houston. Helen and Richard Young of Atlanta, Ga. are visiting their parents, Mrs. Charlie Young. Miss Mike Young of Ysleta are also in the city on vacation. Messrs. Vernon Mills and Hubert Watts were in Beaumont on Monday. Dan Rawls, Jr., are now in Tyler where Mr. Rawls is in the ticket office of the Dixie Sun-Trustway office. Messrs. Martin Mills and Forest Pate were in Beaumont Sunday. Mrs. Tom Lovel left yesterday for the city where she will be 10 days with the daughter, Mrs. A. B. Pate. Miss Maurine Pedigo is enjoying the BYPU camp near Kirbyville. Mrs. John Grimes is visiting her sister at Galena Park. Miss Marie Stokes of Silsbee is visiting Miss Mary Alma Wright. The two children of Mrs. Cecil Watt are enjoying a visit in Beaumont with the aunt, Mrs. Curtis. Among the many who attended the singing convention at Kibbeyville Sunday were Charlie Morgan, Hill Durham and daughter, Miss Opa and Miss Vera Davis. The next convention will be at Bethany the 2nd Sunday in September. The Forest Pate and Billy were in Houston last week to bring Miss Dorothy home. Mrs. C. Leak and children also came with them and Mr. Leak drove up Sunday after them. Mrs. W. J. Galbreath of Wharton has been associated with George Mooney in conducting singing schools in this county is now leading one at Spurger. He attended the singing convention at Cherokee-Dies Sunday and Ned Riley drove to Spurger with him Monday. Miss Jennie Mae Boyd returned to her hospital work in Galveston Saturday. Miss Lucille is enjoying the happy days at Kibbeyville and another sister, Miss Elizabeth went to Houston yesterday for a visit before school opens. Mrs. E. Booth is visiting Mrs. S. L. Rainey. Mrs. Truse of Brownville was in Woodville early this week. Mrs. Martin Nellius and R. E. Pennington attended Rotary in Beaumont yesterday. Mr. Pennington attended a business trip to Houston during the day. Friends are happy with Dr. and Mrs. E. Shivers in this week's visit. Dr. Shivers is in Woodville.

Spurger School Plant Inauguration

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IN CAR WRECK

Friends and relatives here were shocked and concerned when the news came Sunday that Mrs. J. B. Wisenbaker, daughter, Mrs. R. B. Reynolds and children of Center were in a car wreck just beyond Palestine. They had started early that morning for a visit with relatives in West Texas, and they had a car parked on the side road occupants evidently watching army maneuvers. As they neared Palestine, although they were on the highway and the crash occurred. Mrs. Reynolds kept control of her car and went down a 30-foot embankment, although the car was jammed back under front of car, the car did not turn over. Mrs. Reynolds had both knees badly bruised and hurt. Mrs. Wisenbaker a broken arm and cuts and bruises, the baby a badly cut lip and the little daughter was badly bruised, but no bones broken. Audis Wisenbaker hurried to them as soon as the news reached here. They all were carried back to Center. Mr. Wisenbaker expects to go there again today.

Per Capita Appropriation

The action of the State Board of Education in setting the scholastic appropriation for 1941-42 at the maximum under the present law, \$22.50 per capita, is gratifying to the school people of the state, as it will enable them to plan early their budgets for the next school year. The action of the Board was forecast both by the needs of the schools and by potential school revenue in sight. It is good, however, to have the matter settled. Careful calculations to determine the amount of money needed to run the public schools of Texas for a period of six months, as provided in the constitution, reveals the fact that an appropriation of \$24.50 would be required if the provisions of the state constitution were fully met. Estimates prepared by the State Comptroller's department show that existing sources of revenue would produce for the year, an appropriation of approximately \$24 per capita. It is most unfortunate that the limit placed upon the appropriation by the existing law prevents the allocation to the available school fund of all possible revenues, accruing from present taxes. This is especially true at a period when many school systems are closed, due to military defense activities, and are, therefore, in need of every dollar that can be made available. The law providing that the state scholastic appropriation shall not, in any year, exceed \$22.50 regardless of school needs should be amended. The State Board of Education should be allowed to set an appropriation, subject to the constitutional requirement for six months notice, which would be sufficient to meet the needs of the schools.

WOODVILLE NEWS

Paul Powell was a visitor in Silsbee Thursday. M. J. Fields, district deputy state superintendent of schools has been transferred to the Houston district and Mrs. Fields and Miss Dorothy will be in Austin where the latter will enter State U. Mrs. J. Wood Fain has been enjoying a visit from her mother and aunt, Mrs. Hayes of Chester and Mrs. James of Houston. Mrs. N. E. Gustafson spent part of last week in Hillister.

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EXTRA SPECIAL FOOD VALUES FOR FRIDAY, SATURDAY AND MONDAY, AUG. 15, 16, AND 18

Large Box Each No. 2 cans 3 for
Oxydol 17c Tomatoes 25c

Macaroni or Spaghetti, 3 for 8c

Clubbed Gold	4 lb pkg	4 lb pkg
BAKING POWDER	19c	Lard 53c
Tomato Paste	25c	1 lb can
46 oz can	15c	2 lb can
2 quart	24c	2 lb can
Peanut Butter	24c	2 lb can
Quart Jar	25c	2 lb can
Pure Honey	25c	2 lb can
Quart Jar	19c	2 lb can
Tea, 5 lb	19c	2 lb can

MARKET DEPARTMENT

Steaks 25c	Oleo 29c
Butter, 1 lb	39c
Large Eggs	17c
Small Eggs	21c

FLOUR	FEED
Hope Club	\$1.55
Hope Club	83c
Hacker's	\$1.45
Hacker's	78c
Mary's	\$1.30
Mary's	70c

BRING US YOUR EGGS, TOP PRICES PAID

FRUITS - VEGETABLES

Seedless 2 lbs
Grapes 19c

CELERY - LETTUCE

California Oranges	25c
Lemons	19c
White Cabbler	29c
Potatoes, 10 lbs	4c
Yellow Onions	4c

Good Gallon
Syrup 49c

DRY GOODS

Childrens Anklets	10, 15c
Mens Kaki Suits	\$2.35
Mens Socks	10, 15, 25c
Childrens Pants	10, 15, 25c

Vinegar 15c

HARDWARE

Galvanized Buckets, each	25c
Dippers, Each	10, 15, 19c
Mops	25c

CUPS, SAUCERS, PLATES AND BOWLS

DRUGS	
Castoria	35c
Wine of Cardus	89c
666 Tablets	23c
Vicks Salve	29c
Syrup of Peppin	49c

The Motives of The Tyler County Booster have never been questioned—the paper has stood of decency, honesty morality, and has become a power in the Entire County. Until next September 1, new Subscriptions will be only \$1.00. A BARGAIN

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 Are invited to see
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 Bring Your Jug

BAD FLOUR SHIPMENT BRINGS BIG SUIT

Chicago, Aug. 7.—U. S. District Attorney J. Albert Woll today filed a \$250,000 libel suit charging five milling companies with shipping 139 carloads of "contaminated" flour to the Gordon Baking Co., Chicago.

REMARKABLE REMARKS

Monopoly and the closed shop are but milestones on the way to fascism, nazism, and communism. Ray Lyman Wilbur.

THE PRESIDING JUDGE RAPPED FOR ORDER

Lawyer: "Now, Sir, did you, or did you not, on the date in question, or at any other time, previously or subsequently say as a court intimate to the defendant or anyone else, alone or with anyone, whether a friend or a mere acquaintance, or, in fact, a stranger, that the statement imputed to you, whether just or unjust, and denied by the plaintiff, was a matter of no moment or other-wise? Answer me, yes or no."
 Witness: "Yes or no what?"

THE MELTING POT FAILED

Probably, when Author Bates felt called upon to pen the following, he felt the melting pot in America was a failure.

WOMAN, 86, IS HONORED

Mrs. Bettie Barclay, pioneer of Tyler county who can count 180 direct living descendants, celebrated her 86th birthday on the third of August.

U. of T. Engineer Grads. Get Jobs

National defense means jobs to University of Texas engineering graduates, for out of a class of 59 mechanical and civil engineers, 20 have secured jobs in defense industries — either aviation or munitions.

Anderson and Gant Family Reunion

More than 200 persons, including about 20 from Beaumont, attended the annual Anderson and Gant family reunion Sunday in the highway park on the Chester highway.

ST. LAWRENCE JOB APPROVED

The house rivers and harbors committee approved today, Aug. 8, the \$285,000,000 St. Lawrence seaway and the \$150,000,000 Florida ship canal for inclusion in an omnibus rivers and harbors bill soon to be submitted to congress.

Kill A Soldier Each Three Days

Why, since the beginning of 1941, has a Texas soldier been killed every three days in an automobile collision?
 A survey of military personnel involved in accidents showed today that 80 soldiers, sailors and marines were killed and 432 injured from Jan. 1 to June 30, State Police Director Homer Garrison, Jr., announced. In these same collisions, 14 civilians were killed and 109 injured.

Texas U. Gives Credit For Bible Study

For almost a fifth of the University of Texas long session student body, college training is not complete without at least one course in the Bible.
 Though prohibited by the state constitutional amendment establishing the state school from teaching theology, the University for three decades has accepted for credit courses in Bible taken under the Association of Religious Educators or denominations in the University community. It was the first state university in the country to grant such credit.

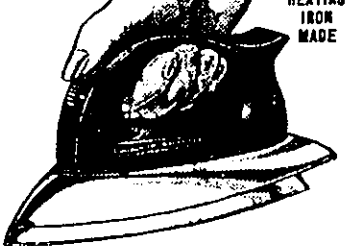
AFTER CHURCH

The preacher finished his sermon with "All liquor should be thrown in the river," and the choir ended by singing, "Shall We Gather at the River?"

REMARKS THAT RUINED MY FIRST LEAVE

You really have to make up your own bed?
 The army will make a man out of you.
 I'd love to see YOU swinging a mop.
 Pretty soft for you—living off the government.
 Don't tell me YOU get up at a quarter to six.
 You guys got it easy... Now back in '41.
 You mean to say you ain't a lieutenant yet?
 I thought the army would take weight off you.
 You're certainly a funny looking soldier.
 So you're what's defending ME. How're you doing with the General?
 They tell me you guys eat like kings.
 I'll take care of your girl while you're away.
 How're you doing with those hostesses?
 I'd love the army but they wouldn't take me.
 This year will be over before you know it.
 —Fort Dix Reception Center Gazette.

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Sunbeam IRON MASTER

Heat faster—stays hotter—short ironing in THIRTY SECONDS after you connect it. The ONLY automatic iron with Thumb-Tip Heat Regulator up in the handle, away from the fingers, conveniently marked for all types of fabrics. Weighs only 3 1/2 lbs.

AND THIS \$4.95 RID-JID AUTOMATIC



YOU GET THIS \$3.00 IRONING SET FOR ONLY \$9.95 AND YOUR OLD IRON 92% DOWN—\$1.00 Monthly

Information on Winter Legume Program

Wheat and Austrian winter peas used as conservation materials under the 1941 farm program may be obtained from regular seed dealers instead of through the government, L. D. Hatton, chairman of the Tyler county AAA committee, has announced. The cost of the seed is set at a fixed price and will not exceed the rate charge last year when seeds were furnished as a conservation material by the government.

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Great Cotton Stamp Program Means \$12,500 Additional Business

Four Cotton Stamps
WILL BUY MANY GARMENTS FOR PRACTICAL USE... SEE OUR STOCK
IT IS PRICED RIGHT
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TODAY THURSDAY MATINEE AND NIGHT AND FRIDAY "TIN PAN ALLEY"
WITH
Allee Faye Betty Grable
SATURDAY MATINEE AND NIGHT "RIDING WESTERN PLAINS"
All star Feature
SATURDAY PREVUE SUNDAY AND MONDAY "TRAIL OF THE VIGILANTES"
WITH
Franchot Tone and a Great Cast
TUESDAY WEDNESDAY BARGAIN NIGHTS "MARYLAND" (In Technicolor)
WITH
Brenda Joyce Walter Brennan John Payne Charlie Ruggles
THURSDAY MATINEE AND NIGHT "ESCAPE TO GLORY"
WITH
Fai O'Brien Constance Bennett Saturday Matinee Begins at 1:30, Thursday and Sunday Matinees at 2:30.

HILLISTER
When in doubt, call Youngs Pharmacy, Phone 49.
Mrs. J. A. Anderson of Lake Charles and Mrs. Henry McCluskey and children of Sour Lake visited relatives over the week-end and attended the Anderson-Gant reunion at Kirkley Springs Sunday. Others from here who attended the reunion were Mrs. O. A. Norton, Mrs. H. A. Norton, Mrs. J. L. Bullock, Mrs. John Tolar, Mrs. A. A. Anderson, Mrs. C. Kelly, W. C. Tolar, Miss Bettie and Sarah Tolar.
Mrs. Jack Sims spent the week-end in Sour Lake with relatives. Mrs. J. M. Swearingen, Mrs. Francis Maddox, and Marvin Maddox were in Nacogdoches Sunday to see party Mrs. Maddox and Douglas Swearingen.
Max Gendard was a week-end visitor in Orange.
Mrs. E. O. Grubbs, Misses Jerry Grubbs and Jaunita Patton are spending the week in Port Arthur.
Mrs. C. I. Robinson of Beaumont spent Tuesday with the parents, Mrs. W. B. Holt.
Mrs. Jim Miller visited the mother in Burkesville over the weekend.
Mrs. W. T. Edgar and children spent last week with relatives in Hemphill.
Mrs. Bill Holt of Honey Island visited here Sunday.
Mrs. C. A. Wright of Hemphill spent the week-end with Mrs. W. T. Edgar.
W. M. Maddox who has been in Georgia the past two years is shaking hands with friends here.
Mrs. B. C. Barclay of Sabine spent the week-end in the Charlie Kelly home.

EMILEE
Fresh shipment of Putnam Faded Dyes-Tints. Ask for Putnam, at Youngs Pharmacy.
Mrs. Sherman Melvin of Corpus Christi has been visiting the parents, Mrs. Fannie Weaver and Mrs. Ann Melvin of Emilee.
Mrs. Archie Nash, Mrs. Lee Hanks, and Mrs. A. S. Wood and also many more of the Emilee community were present at the Reid reunion Sunday.
Mrs. Jack Weaver have been visitors at Mrs. Fannie Weaver's home.
Mrs. Lula Wood of Woodville who has been visiting her son, has now returned home.
Mrs. Alan Johnston gave Junior Mashaw, who is going to join the U. S. Army a goodbye party Saturday night.
Mrs. Lee Hanks were in Woodville Saturday.
Mrs. Herbert Dean and family visited Mrs. Hugh Sheffield Sunday.
Archie Nash was in Woodville Monday.

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SPURGER SCHOOLS OPEN EARLY IN SEPTEMBER
Elsewhere in the Booster a description of the Spurger school is given, but this reporter must add a little. We cannot help but be proud of any building up of our county and can be really proud of the wonderful school plants shown in Spurgers, Warren, Colmesneil, Chester, and Woodville. The Spurger elementary school will open on Monday, Sept. 1st, and on Wednesday of the same week, the new high school will officially be in session. This week, Saturday, the celebration for the dedication will start as soon as afternoon as can get there, so try not to miss any of the fun planned, which includes games, contests, and band music. Bring your basket of eat and enjoy the supper. The dedication program will follow the supper. Mr. Willard has spoken of the joy we felt when we built the new so-called "Scott Willis hard surface road." This was our first "drive" on it and no one can doubt but that roads make a country. The whole set-up looked more lovely, so we just decided to go on and tell Mrs. Willis how we enjoyed the change, and were fortunate to find Mr. Willis at home. When it was suggested we go on to Silsbee, just 20 miles and out across to Beaumont road, all on hard surface, we took the longer ride instead of returning over the slippery hills by Town Bluff where the tracks showed us that cars had slipped off on both sides of the road as well as nearly turning around. In Silsbee spent a few minutes at the Silsbee office, then a few with Mrs. Van Morgan in their new home. Monday, Mrs. Morgan and small son left for Chicago to visit the sister Mrs. Charles Towery. A week before they had driven to Fairfield to visit the brother and with Mrs. Joe Richards and new son, Joe III.

COLMESNEIL
Guests in the Ralph Hank home during the week-end were Mrs. Marvin Sterling and son of Segno and Mrs. D. T. Shepherd and family of Doucette.
Mrs. L. M. Feagin and son spent last Tuesday visiting her parents in Hillister.
Miss Fannie Mae Clagg of Huntington is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Lizzie Riley.
Mrs. Toy Tatum were in Beaumont on Thursday.
Guests in the H. A. Cramer home during the week-end were Mrs. Arthur Fuller of Zavalla, Mrs. John Weaver, Mrs. Mable Feagin and Prace Weaver of Sacul, Texas.
Miss Lois Lee Feagin spent the week-end here with her mother, Mrs. Nannie Feagin.
Miss Ina Bell Tucker entertained a group of girl friends with a picnic and swimming party at Lake Texas on Wednesday.
Marie Ogden is spending several weeks in Corpus Christi.
Roy Lee Taylor underwent a tonsil operation last week but is improving rapidly.
Mrs. Oscar Peace visited relatives at Emilee Sunday.
Mrs. Don Bolden and daughters and a friend from Warren visited Mrs. Claude Mann and family Wednesday.
Mrs. J. D. Hughes and children visited relatives at Bethony Sunday.
Mrs. Fred Corner and son were visitors in Port Arthur Sunday.
Charlie Bondexter of Camp Wallace visited Mrs. Kay Bondexter and family Sunday.
We were all very sorry to learn of the death of Mrs. Louis Ogden's sister, Mrs. Hawkins of Zavalla on Wednesday last week. A number of friends from here attended the funeral.
Miss Marguerite Howell of Beaumont is spending the week with her parents, Mrs. S. C. Howell. We hear that wedding bells will soon ring out for her. She is to become the bride of Tyler Kirkland of Beaumont.
Mrs. Wanda and Clay of Woodville visited the parents, Mrs. Andrew Smith Sunday. Ruth went home with them for a few days visit.
Mrs. Gladys George and daughters, Kathleen and Dorothy Jean of Houston are visiting her mother, Mrs. D. Howell.
Alton Bondexter of Corpus Christi and his friend Miss Ann Wrobleks of Houston are visiting his parents, Mrs. John Bondexter.
Mrs. J. I. Bell and daughter, Lorraine spent Sunday with Mrs. H. B. Boyette.
Jack Segrest spent the week-end with his daughter in Port Arthur.
Mrs. Nannie Feagin and children and son spent Friday with relatives at Chester.

NO LENGTH LIMIT
Texans who have long been advocating the lifting of the length limit on all species of fish can find encouragement in the recent report of the Virginia Commission of Game and Inland Fisheries. After a three season's trial the Commission has found its ruling abolishing a length limit on trout and providing a daily bag limit regardless of the length of the fish has met with the universal approval of anglers in that state.
When a length limit was in vogue, it was a common occurrence to observe dead undersized trout floating down the streams, these having been killed when caught and returned to the stream. It is believed by the Commission that a saving of at least 50 per cent has been accomplished.
The Commission met considerable opposition when it inaugurated the rule. However, it was given a fair trial and today legislation is registered and many anglers are urging the Commission to let a non-length limit apply to all species of fish. They believe, as do biologists of the Texas Game Department, that there is greater waste of fish than is generally thought in returning undersized fish.
Several states have recently adopted the no length rule.

WOODVILLE NEWS
Mesdames Jay Kelly, Leroy Davis, T. A. Nicholson and the Misses Nellie and Jewel Lane attended services at Hillister held by Rev. Bass for the Church of Christ.
As we go to press, we learn of the marriage of Miss Sarah Sholars, daughter of Mrs. Wallace Sholars to Paul McGee of Houston at Houston on Monday. The couple will make their home in Houston. We hope to have more particulars next week.
Mrs. C. B. Hardwell is enjoying a visit from her sister, Mrs. McMullen and small daughter of Crockett.
Mrs. T. C. Beck and daughter, Miss Frances, spent Friday in Beaumont. Mrs. Sam Gray and daughter of Houston and Mrs. J. M. Rogers returned to Balston from a visit here and Mrs. T. Craver also went with them for a short visit.
Mrs. Allen Stanley have moved to Beaumont where he is employed on the bridge work underway.

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Mesdames Pearl McCoy and Belle Deaderick of McCreville are visiting the daughter and niece, Mesdames J. R. McCumby, Sr. J. H. Kennesson, Jr. drove to Beaumont last week end and Mrs. Kennesson and baby returned home with him. Mrs. Kennesson, Sr. and daughters, the Messes Evelyn and Lucy Pearl also came. J. H. Sr. has been home from Kansas City, to get acquainted with the only grandchild.

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W. A. Richardson, who has been in the Navy nearly four years is visiting his sisters, Mesdames Dan Johnson and Bryan Martin. He was in Beaumont and Orange this week.

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GIRL SCOUTS
Wednesday night of last week the Girl Scouts received first class of instruction on First Aid by Nurse Sapp. Thursday afternoon they held the first monthly business and social meeting with Beverly Barclay as hostess, assisted by Virginia Pedigo. Second class work programs were discussed with the leader, Mrs. Marlon Young. Today Mrs. P. Humphreys has the first monthly music and folk dancing class. The girl scouts are keenly interested in this work with Mrs. Young, are experiencing an association which will benefit their future, and here, also, no doubt. For the girls will have a big place in their hearts for their leader.

STATE TO USE GUARD WIRE
Guard wire, which the Texas legislature gave away as fast as school authorities asked for it, will be kept hereafter by the state highway department to help offset a growing shortage of steel.
The heavy mesh wire once used on curves and hills to keep motorists on the highways, can be used in place of reinforcing steel in certain types of highway construction, the state highway commission announced today in an order forbidding that any more be given away.
Quantities of the wire already had been delivered to schools for use in fencing athletic grounds. The authority was granted by the last session of the legislature, which passed a separate resolution for each school requesting it. The commission also announced appropriation of \$7,825,957.92 to maintain the 23,094 miles of state highway for the year beginning September 1. The allotment is two per cent over that for the current year, but will be used on 262 additional miles of road.

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	End Curl \$3.00	End Curl \$4.00
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CONTRACTORS NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION
Sealed proposals for constructing 9,370 miles of Roadside Development (Grading, Sodding and Planting) from the Angelina County Line to Colmesneil on Highway No. U. S. 69, covered by F. A. P. No. 606-A (3) & 606-C (3) in Jasper and Tyler County, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, Texas, until 9:00 A. M., August 29, 1931, and then publicly opened and read.
The prevailing wage rates listed below shall apply as minimum wage rates on this project.

Type of Laborer	Prevailing Minimum Per Diem Wage (Based on an Eight Hour Working Day)	Prevailing Minimum Hourly Wage Rate
Skilled Labor	\$8.00	\$1.00
Intermediate & Grade Labor	4.00	.50
Unskilled Labor	3.20	.40

Legal holiday work shall be paid for at the regular governing rates.
Plans and specifications available at the office of W. E. Suter, resident engineer, Woodville, Texas, and Highway Department, Austin, Texas, until August 29, 1931.

MT. CARMEL
Mrs. Cecil Davis and family attended the Simms reunion at Highway Park Sunday.
Betty Ruth the young daughter of Mrs. C. H. Davis has been seriously ill with malaria, but is now slowly improving.
Little Miss Pauline Davis spent last week-end with the grandparents, Mrs. Joe Davis near Colmesneil.
Eva Jean Fox visited Mrs. Chesley Conner Saturday.
O. D. Davis has been ill with the measles.
Miss Ona Fortenberry spent a few days last week in Mt. Carmel visiting friends.
Mrs. J. A. Tatum visited the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. N. Owens during the past week.
The Women's Home Demonstration Club met Friday at the home of Mrs. A. N. Owens with five members present. Mrs. Payne Pungate, home demonstration agent, demonstrated the making of candle-wick bed spreads. Quite a bit of interest was shown. After the meeting adjourned refreshments consisting of cake, fruit salad and punch were served.

WOODVILLE NEWS
If the Army should come to Woodville, and Johnny (caught in the draft) should ask the Colonel where Fountain Drinks were to be bought at, the Colonel would say, "Why, at Young's Pharmacy, for as everyone knows, we demand clean glasses and Youngs Sterilizes them all."
Mesdames James of Houston, H. J. Hayes of Chester with Mrs. J. Wood Fain and son John Hayes left early this week for a visit in Wichita Falls with relatives.
Mesdames E. F. Kennesson and C. J. Crowell of Doucette left yesterday for a vacation visit to Gulfport and Biloxi, Miss.
Hoss Baker and Miss Peggy Sewell, of Angleton are the guests of Mrs. Carlton Young. They plan to leave this week end.
Mrs. J. F. Shivers, Mrs. J. W. Gelsinger with Mrs. F. L. Gettys, Capt. Chas. L. Williams, son of Mrs. C. L. Williams of Doucette, has been transferred from the states to Hawaii and left the west coast on Army Transport. His family sailed about the same time on the Matson. He will be stationed with the 8th Field Artillery.

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WHAT THEY DON'T TELL
Brewers keep on shouting about the "revenue" the Government receives from them, but nothing is said about the fact that for every dollar of revenue, seven dollars are spent for beer instead of clothing, foodstuffs, household conveniences or other useful products.—The National Voice, Los Angeles.

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