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Burger citizens last week voted  
overwhelmingly in favor of taxes  
and bond issues designed to erect a  
junior college there.

--- Professional Announcement ---  
In the future I am limiting my  
practice to diseases of the Eye, Ear,  
Nose and Throat, and the fitting of  
glasses.  
**J. C. LOVELESS, M. D.**  
Lamesa, Texas

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# REX

Theatre  
Evening Show

Open: 6:45  
Starts: 7:00  
Sundays: box office close 8  
Matinee 2:00—Starts 2:15

Sat. nite only Aug. 24th  
James Cagney - Ann  
Sheridan in

City for Conquest  
Also Selected Shorts

Sun - Mon. Aug 25-26  
Lana Turner - John  
Garfield in

The Postman Al-  
ways Rings Twice  
Also Fox news - Comedy

Tuesday Aug. 27th  
Buster Crabbe - Al St.  
John in

Lighting Raiders  
Also Selected Shorts

Wed. - Thurs. Aug. 28 - 29  
Joan Leslie - Robert Alda

Cinderella Jones  
Also Paramount News  
Comedy

Fri. nite Sat. Mat  
Aug. 30 - 31  
Sunset Carson in  
**CHEROKEE FLASH**  
Also Forest Ranger no. 11  
Comedy

VEGA modestly boasts the addi-  
tion of a new fire truck purchased  
last week from the government.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS POLITICAL

FOR SHERIFF  
SAM PRICE  
SAM H. FLOYD  
For Tax Assessor-Collector:  
DAVID G. WEATHERS  
FRANK McGLAWN, JR.  
--- DAWSON COUNTY ---  
For Commissioner, Pct. 2  
G. C. ATEN  
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### I GIVE YOU TEXAS

By Boyce House  
A Texas classic is the "Habe of  
the Alamo" speech, made many  
years ago by Guy M. Bryan in the  
House of Representatives:

I intended, Mr. Speaker to be sil-  
ent on this occasion, but silence  
now be a reproach, when to speak  
is a duty. No one has raised a voice  
in behalf of this orphan child; sev-  
eral have spoken against her claim.  
I rise, sir, in behalf of no common  
cause. Liberty was its foundation,  
heroism and martyrdom consecrated  
it. I speak for the orphan child  
of the Alamo.

No orphan children of fallen patri-  
ots can send a similar petition to  
this House -- none save her can say  
"I am the child of the Alamo."

Well do I remember the constern-  
ation which spread through the land  
when the sad tidings reached our  
ears that the Alamo had fallen! It  
was here that a gallant few, the  
bravest of the brave, threw them-  
selves between the enemy and the  
settlements, determined not to sur-  
render nor retreat. They redeemed  
that pledge with the forfeit of their  
lives -- they fell, the chosen sacri-  
fice to Texas freedom!

Texas, unapprised of the approach  
of the invader, was sleeping in  
fancied security, when the gun of  
the Alamo first announced that the  
Attila of the South was near. Infur-  
ated at the resistance of Travis  
and his noble band, he marshaled  
his whole army beneath the walls,  
and rolled wave after wave of his  
hosts against those battlements of  
freedom. In vain he strove; the flag  
of liberty -- the Lone Star of Tex-  
as -- still streamed out upon the

breeze and floated proudly from  
the outer wall. Maddened and per-  
sistent, he reared his batteries and  
after days of furious bombardment  
and repeated assaults, he took a  
blackened and ruined mass -- the  
blood-stained walls of the Alamo.  
The noble, the martyred spirits of  
all its gallant defenders had taken  
their flight to another fortress not  
made with hands.

But for this stand at the Alamo,  
Texas would have been desolated to  
the Sabine. Sir, I ask this pittance,  
and for whom? For the only living  
witness, save the mother, of this  
awful tragedy -- "this bloodiest pic-  
ture in the book of time," the brav-  
est act that ever swelled the annals  
of any country.

Grant the boon! She claims it as  
the Christian child of the Alamo --  
baptized in the blood of a Travis,  
a Bowie, a Crockett and a Bonham.  
To turn her away would be a shame.  
Give her what she asks, that she  
may be educated and become a  
worthy child of the State -- that  
she may take that position in soci-  
ety to which she is entitled by the  
illustrious name of her martyred  
father -- illustrious because he fell  
in the Alamo.

BIG SPRING last week was nam-  
ed district office for West Texas div-  
ision of the Civil Aeronautics Ad-  
ministration.

Crosbyton last week donated a  
building for the first unit of a lab-  
or camp there.

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### TAX HELP AVAILABLE AT TAHOKA

Unemployment compensation tax-  
payers in the Tahoka area will  
have a chance to consult a field au-  
ditor from the Lubbock Area office  
of the Texas Unemployment Comp-  
ensation Commission Monday, Aug  
26th, 1946.

The Lubbock office has announce-  
ed that T. E. Pendleton will be av-  
ailable for consultation that day

for employers in the  
surrounding area.  
Mr. Pendleton will  
ed States employment  
Lynn County Court  
a. m. to 2:30 p. m.  
This service is offer-  
ed so they will not have  
back to get answers  
problems. Employers  
to the Texas law or  
they may become sub-  
ed to see Mr. Pend-

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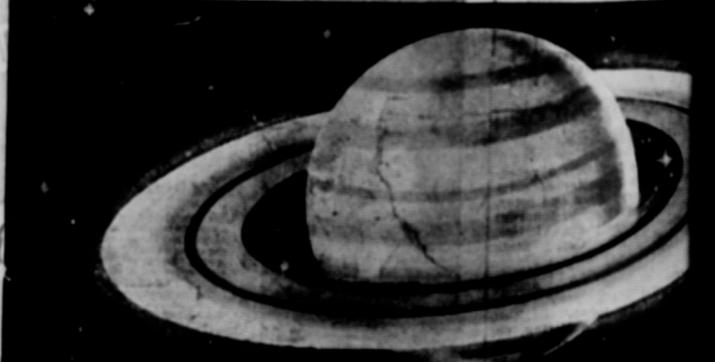
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that cylinder walls are OIL-PLATED.

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added protection during the vital peri-  
ods when you first start your engine  
added protection from corrosive action  
when your engine is not in use  
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COMES TO O'DONNELL  
NOW AT HOME AT  
CORNER DRUG  
FEATURING  
ENGLISH LAVENDER  
A COMPLETE LINE OF YARDLEY  
**Corner Drug**  
BERNIE FRALIN

**Demobilization Program Ends**  
 Secretary of the Navy James Forrestal announced today that since the Navy has demobilized 2,324,829 persons. He further stated that during the month of August an additional 231,250 will be released from the service. This represents an aggregate of more than three and one half million people demobilized from the Army and Marine Corps from August 1, 1945, to September 1, 1946. The demobilization program has been carried out in accordance with the plan announced last August.

Medical Corps officers who received all or part of their medical education at government expense are required to serve 24 months on active duty as commissioned officers. The active duty requirements for Reserve Dental Corps Officers is to be reduced from 36 to 30 months on September 1st. This action in retaining Medical Corps and Dental Corps officers beyond September 1 was necessitated by a critical shortage in both branches.

**Traffic Safety Facts**

Danger lurks at every crossing — danger to you! Sometimes there is a friendly warning. "Bad Corner"

but sometimes there is not. Overconfident drivers often find that blind corners are deathtraps. The Texas Safety Association says the experienced driver approaches every intersection at such speed that in an emergency he can stop before a collision occurs. Accidents don't pay — ask the man who had one.

Common sense counts on bicycles just as it does anywhere else. You can "gangway" into a group of smaller children playing on the sidewalk — and see them scramble or get hurt. Or you can think of a bike or you can be bright beyond your years. You can hitch on trucks, dart into traffic. Or you can be careful. Remember, when bike hits auto, auto usually wins. When bike hits child or grownup, bike usually wins.

But in either event, if you're riding the bike, you lose!  
 Everyone hates to miss a train. But there is one time everyone should miss it — at a grade crossing! In a survey of 4,000 drivers, it was found that 81 per cent of them looked neither way before crossing the railroad tracks; 17 per cent looked in one direction, and two per cent looked both ways. The safety rules say, "Miss that train— Look! Listen and Live!"  
 Accidents kill more children than any disease. Last year in Texas 583 children of school age were killed in traffic accidents. In the typical American family of three children the probability is that one will be killed before he has lived out his normal life span. Slow down and save that third child.

**REMEMBER**  
**Houston Glasson**

**AUGUST TWENTY FOURTH**

**CANDIDATE FOR**  
**SHERIFF OF DAWSON COUNTY**  
**YOUR VOTE WILL BE APPRECIATED**

(paid pol. adv. by friends)

**BUTTER, BREAD, MILK, SUGAR - ALL ARE UP IN PRICE**

**But ELECTRIC RATES ARE DOWN**

Every housewife knows that overall living costs have gone up and up.

But there is one important item in cost of living that has gone down in price — your dependable electric service.

All during the war customers of Texas Electric Service Company used electricity without rationing... without any increase in price. Now electric service costs less than ever.

**WHY THE PRICE OF ELECTRICITY IS DOWN**  
 Texas Electric Service Company reduced

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Electric Service always has been one of the smallest items in the cost of running the average home. Now electric rates are down and electric service costs less than ever.

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**NAZARENE CHURCH OF THE**  
 C. C. Calhoun, pastor  
 A. K. Gilliam, S. S. Supt.  
 Sunday school: 9:45 a. m.  
 Morning worship: 11:00 a. m.  
 Junior Service: 7:00 p. m.  
 N. Y. P. S.: 7:00 p. m.  
 Prayer meeting Wednesday 8:15  
 Evangelistic Service: 8:15 p. m.

**RESISTS WEAR AND WEATHER**



Acme Quality FLOOR and PORCH ENAMEL

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- BEAUTIFIES!

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**GRAIN --- FEED --- AND SEED**

**Bulk SEED**  
**MUSTARD, RAPE AND TURNIP**

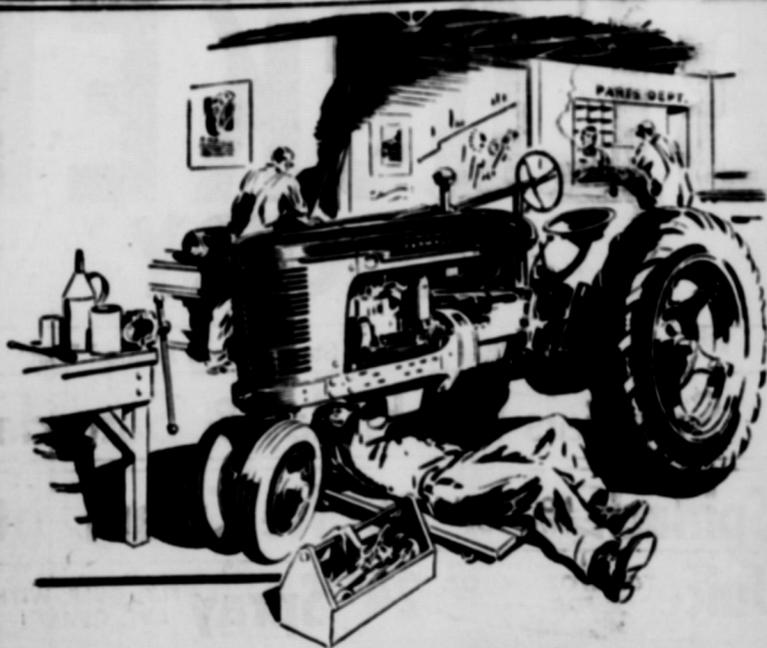


Always A Good Produce Market at B. & O.'s  
 Top Prices for Fryers, Eggs, and Cream

**B. & O.**  
**CASH STORE**

Buy More War Bonds

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**ANYTHING FROM A SET OF PLUGS TO A "MAJOR OPERATION"**

**CASH**

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F-30" — MODEL B\* FARM ALLS — JOHN DEERE — FORD

Your **FRIENDLY** International Dealer

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FULLY QUALIFIED  
SEVERAL YEARS BOOK-KEEPING EXPERIENCE  
YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE WILL BE  
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## Look -- Look

PLENTY OF 6 AND 8 FOOT AERMOTOR  
WINDMILLS, ALSO 21 AND 27 FOOT  
AERMOTOR STEEL TOWERS  
WE STILL HAVE A FEW SPECIALS IN  
WALL PAPER  
JUST ARRIVED -- LARGE STOCK OF NEW  
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LAMESA

### ALLAN SHIVERS RUNS FOR LT. GOVERNOR ON QUALIFICATIONS



Senator Allan Shivers, leading  
candidate for lieutenant governor,  
is seeking election to that office  
solely on the basis of his qualifica-  
tions of wide training and experien-  
ce.

In every way, Allan Shivers, the  
legislator, lawyer, farmer and  
World War II combat veteran, is  
exceptionally qualified for the No. 2  
state office. As a state senator for  
a number of years, he established  
an excellent record of public serv-  
ice. A loyal Democrat and a native  
Texan, he is a man of highest char-

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MAKES CLOTHES WEAR  
LONGER and BRIGHTER**

**WE USE ONLY  
SOFT WATER**

**IT'S EASIER TO WASH AT**

**O'Donnell**

**LAUNDRY  
CECIL GARDNER  
--- Owner ---**

### Wells News

Sue Franklin

Mr and Mrs. T. L. Houston and  
children returned from East Texas  
this week. They had been visiting  
friends and relatives there.

D. A. Franklin and Buddy Dan-  
iel made a business trip to Farwell,  
N. M. Saturday. Bro. Ted Brain ac-  
companied the men far as Brown-  
field where he visited with his bro-  
ther and family, A. K. Brain.

We are having a good revival with  
Bro. Ted Brain doing the preaching.  
We welcome everyone to the serv-  
ices.

Bro. Harthcock went to Union to  
preach Sunday morning as their  
pastor. Bro. Howard Martin, resign-  
ed.

Bro. Martin and family visited in  
our night service Sunday; we were  
glad to have them back with us.

Mr and Mrs. Ellis Barnes had  
dinner with Mr and Mrs. Dick Frank-  
lin Sunday.

Bill McKenzie was home over  
the week end from Lubbock where  
he is attending business college.

Mr and Mrs. Granvill Grogan of  
Jones county visited in the home of  
his parents, Mr and Mrs. R. G. Gro-  
gan.

Those attending the 4-H En-  
campment at Lubbock were Mrs.  
Deleath McLaurin, Mrs. Lucille  
Barnes, Bobbie Barnes, Alice Stin-  
nett, Lallanda Kiser, Melba Kiser,  
Joan Shelton, Sue Franklin, Car-  
lene Baker; all reported a nice time

acter and splendid personality. The  
majority of Texans believe he will  
reflect credit and honor on the  
State of Texas.

Shivers, a war veteran of two  
years overseas, during which time  
he earned 5 battle stars, did his  
best to make this a free country for  
a free people. He will continue that  
course as lieutenant governor.

He has conducted a dignified  
campaign, free of mud-slinging and  
personalities. His platform appeals  
to every Texan: better farm to mar-  
ket roads, better salaries for school  
teachers, enlarged public health fac-  
ilities, a thorough public health pro-  
gram, redistricting of the state for  
legislative purposes, greater aid to  
the aged, real assistance to war vet-  
erans, reorganization of the pardon  
and parole system, a first class uni-  
versity for the colored, and equal  
responsibility from both labor and  
management. He is against a sales  
state income or any other form of  
new taxes.

Allan Shivers will be the lieuten-  
ant governor of all the people. In  
addition to integrity, sincerity and  
ability, he has a background of  
training and a record of public serv-  
ice already performed which gives  
him the right to ask for promotion.  
Paid pol. adv.

**WHY -- GO TO  
LUBBOCK  
WE'VE GOT IT  
HERE**

**FOR THE SCHOOL GIRL  
AND COLLEGE GIRL  
GIRL'S SWEATERS  
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SHOES FOR ALL  
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hold goods, or your automobile, be  
sure to get your insurance before a  
loss occurs.  
Better have all your insurance  
checked NOW!

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INSURANCE AGENCY**

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GIFTS SETS OF PERFUMES AND POW-  
DER FEATURING SUCH BRAND NAMES AS  
COTY AND H. H. AYERS  
BEAUTIFUL TABLE LAMPS  
ELECTRIC CLOCKS  
GIFT BOXES OF LADIES STATIONARY

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### GREEN BEANS

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### SPINACH

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### PEAS

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### TEA

1-4 LB.

### HEMO

LIQUID FORM

### COFFEE

ADMIRATION 1 LB

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3 CANS FOR 25¢

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PER LB. 29¢

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PER LB.

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CABBAGE, GARDEN FRESH, LB.

BETTY CROCKET 10 boxes assorted CEREALS

BAR-LYE-SOAP 3 FOR

NO. 2 GREEN BEANS GOOD GRADE

NO. 2 1-2 CAN KRAUT

ARM and HAMMER SODA 3 BOXES FOR

LARGE CAN TOMATO SOUP

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VEGETABLES --- TRY SOME TODAY

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LINE UP WITH LINE

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"Trade Goes Where Invited, Stays Where Treated Best"

## Specials For Friday & Saturday

**Spinach** NO. 2 CAN 25¢  
TWO FOR

**Juice** TOMATO 46 OZ. 24¢  
CAN FOR

**Coffee** BRIGHT & EARLY 28¢  
1 LB. PKG.

**Cheez-its** BOX, 2 for 25¢  
sunshine 6oz.

**Matches** DIAMOND 25¢  
CARTON

**Baby Food** 23¢  
ALL KINDS 3 CANS FOR

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ALL BRANDS PER CARTON

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