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FROM THE EDITOR'S WINDOW

Different Reactions

In Printers Ink appeared a picture of the interior of a one-room South-cerner's cabin. A double bed occupied the center of the wall. On one side was a new electric refrigerator and on the other side a new electric cooking range. The picture was supposed to demonstrate what a live-wire salesman can accomplish when his heart is really in his work.

My first thought was that the salesman should be arrested and put in jail on the ground that he was too dangerous to be at large.

I mentioned this to a sales manager, and he had a totally different reaction. He thought that the salesman had done a signal service to the customer.

"Whether these electrical devices were bought for cash or on installment makes no difference," exclaimed my friend. "Here we have a man and woman who either have saved a few hundred dollars or are willing to save. The probability is that if they attempted to invest their money it would go into something like Insull Securities and all would be lost. Instead of an engraved certificate to hang on the wall of the bedroom, they now have a stove and a refrigerator by which they are assured of good food well cooked. Like myself, I imagine the owner of this cabin is a spendthrift who works nights at some extra job in order to make enough money to buy luxuries. When he spends he is certain to get something for his money, but when he invests he is likely to get it in the neck."—Bagology.

Jim: Who is your wife going to vote for?
Reuben: For whoever I vote for.
Jim: Yeah, well who are you going to vote for?
Reuben: She hasn't decided yet.

Preacher: What is the best thing you ever heard your preacher say?
Small Boy: Let us stand and receive the benediction.

Ability to Judge

A stenographer suggests an editorial on money. One wonders how much a man can allow himself to be concerned with money without suffering damage to the "fineness of his character."

This is a problem that worries a lot of us who haven't much money. The truth is that successful capitalists are less concerned with money than with men. For a business man the most valuable accomplishment is the ability to judge men.

Public Benefactors

Those who manufacture or deal in merchandise of merit, who refuse to cut prices and insist on obtaining a fair profit for their goods, are actually public benefactors.

For this policy allows them to pay good wages, help support the government through taxation, and justly rewards those who have invested money in their enterprises. — Hot Stuff.

Five Year Advertising Campaign
Lieutenant Governor Walter F. Woodul, chairman of the State Centennial Commission of Control, having charge of Texas advertising and publicity campaign, issued the following statement advocating a five year state advertising campaign:

"After the Texas Centennial celebrations, what?

"During 1936, tourists have flocked to Texas until transporting, feeding, sheltering and entertaining them have become one of our best-paying businesses. Such business would be sadly missed if it were to end—particularly since Texas' greatest need in future developing industry is increased population and capital. Texas could accommodate one-third of all the Nation's people and still not be as crowded as, for instance, Ohio.

"Says Printers' Ink, a leading monthly: 'Texas has merchandised herself—merchandised herself with advertising, for which funds were appropriated by her legislature. And she has seen ripping results.'

"And now, in The Texas Weekly, Booth Mooney urges that after the Exposition closes, the advertising go on. 'The advertising given Texas during the last several months,' he writes, 'is of inestimable value.'

"Texas has acquired the momentum; and when something the size of Texas starts rolling, Mr. Momentum-Observer, then you've got something!"

"The world has learned that advertising pays. Texas this year is the talk of the nation and, from reports, her investment will be well repaid in increased gasoline taxes, not to mention the hundreds of other indirect and lasting benefits. No state or country has the advantages, resources

PIONEERS HAD GRAND REUNION

About 3,500 people were present at the first pioneer's reunion of Callahan county held at the McCoy ranch south of Baird last Friday. Exactly 1,065 cars were counted. About 450 old settlers who came to Callahan county prior to 1890 were present.

J. S. Hart of Baird, who is the oldest pioneer in the point of years of residence, is president of the association recently organized and was in charge. Miss Eliza Gilliland of Baird, secretary, directed registration.

The Baird band, under the direction of T. T. Haney of Clyde, gave a concert opening the program at 11 a. m. Fred Heyser of Atwell was master of ceremonies, and introduced Mrs. L. L. Blackburn of Baird, historian, who sketched the early history of Callahan county. A second musical concert at 2:30 began the afternoon program, featured by introduction of those who came to the county prior to 1890. Jack Scott introduced the old timers. A group singing of cowboy ballads and old time songs was held and the day's festivities were concluded with an old fiddler's festival and square dance in the late afternoon.

A barbecue dinner was served at noon under supervision of A. W. Warren of Putnam.

Word has been received here of the marriage of Lawrence E. Brock, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Brock of Abilene to Miss Davey Jane Monnett of Norman, Oklahoma. The wedding was solemnized at twilight at St. John's Episcopal cathedral. The bride wore a wedding costume of all white.

Mr. and Mrs. Brock are on a honeymoon trip in Colorado and will live in Colorado Springs, where Mr. Brock is a geologist with the Gulf Oil Company. Mr. Brock was graduated from the University of Oklahoma at Norman with the June class of 1936. He was awarded degrees in both geological and petroleum engineering. The romance had its beginning while the couple were students in the University. Mrs. L. E. Brock and daughter, Martha, and Mrs. Brock's mother, Mrs. M. J. Oldham, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brock of Abilene attended the wedding. The L. E. Brock family formerly live at Putnam, where Mr. Brock was engaged in the oil well supply business.

Senior Sunday School Class Had Picnic
The senior Sunday school class of the First Baptist church, of which Mrs. S. M. Eubank is teacher, enjoyed a picnic at the Crosby Roadside Park Tuesday evening. Various games were played and swinging enjoyed. Refreshments of sandwiches, cookies and iced tea were served. Those present were Artie Cook, Lillian Cook, Vella Sandlin, Exal McMillan, Ardella Gaskin, Hazel McMillan, Earlene Pruet, Roberta Pruet, John D. Isenhower, Estelle King, Mary Lou Eubank, Mrs. S. M. Eubank, Mrs. F. A. Hollis.

and possibilities to capitalize on through advertising and publicity as has Texas. Look at the phenomenal growth of Florida and California and what has been done for those states.

"Population is shifting. Farmers are seeking new and more virgin lands; industry is decentralizing; and the tourist crop is the bumper crop. Old man Texas can set on his haunches, let nature take her course and increase our population and development ten per cent in ten years; or he can bestir himself and acquaint the world of his wares and increase the state's population twenty per cent in five years. And such accelerated growth would help the farmer, the laboring man, the manufacturing industries in Texas, bring in new industries, increase the prospects of everyone, including the newspaper publisher, because a twenty per cent increase in circulation would be helpful, not to speak of increased advertising in their columns due to expanding consumer markets.

"Texas is so large and her possibilities are so varied I feel the state should undertake a five year advertising and publicity program of not less than a million dollars a year. The direct return from increased gasoline tax would more than repay the investment. To do this will require a constitutional amendment and I shall propose, urge and work for same at the coming regular session of the legislature to the end that Texas may speedily make the most of her possibilities."

The News endorses Lieutenant Governor Woodul's policy and sincerely hopes that the amendment will be passed with an overwhelming large majority.

N. Y.'s Safest Motorist



NEW YORK... The New York State Bureau of Motor Vehicles has discovered the name of New York's safest driver. He is E. F. Macaulay (above), of Schenectady, who has driven a car 37 years and covered 1,021,000 miles without accidents, arrests, nor even a scratch on a fender.

FUNDAMENTAL REVIVAL TO BEGIN MONDAY

The Fundamental Baptist revival meeting will begin August 24th at the Putnam tabernacle. Reverend Roy Kemp of Abilene and Reverend George Pemberton of Cleburne will do the preaching. The revival will continue for two weeks and all Christians are asked to pray that the Lord will get glory from this meeting and that many will be saved. Everybody is invited to attend.

W. M. S. HAD MISSIONARY PROGRAM
The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church met Tuesday afternoon at 8 and enjoyed a program of Home Missions. Mrs. S. W. Jobe was leader. Mrs. John Cook, president, presided for the business session. Mrs. E. G. Scott read the scripture from the 11th chapter of Luke, 17-20. Opening song was Loyalty to Christ. Mrs. John Cook led prayer. Those on the program were Mesdames W. M. Tatom, E. G. Scott, W. A. Ramsey, Loren Everett, and S. W. Jobe. Those attending were Mesdames John Cook, S. W. Jobe, Jack Brandon, F. A. Hollis, W. M. Crosby, W. A. Ramsey, W. M. Tatom, E. G. Scott, J. Cook, Everett, J. B. Cook.

COTTON EXPORTS DROP DURING MONTH OF JULY
Exports of raw cotton from the United States in July amounted to 156,000 bales valued at \$10,173,000 (million) compared with 287,000 bales, valued at \$19,108,000 (million) in June and 280,000 bales valued at \$18,651,000 in July a year ago, Harold M. Young, manager of the Dallas office of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, said Tuesday.

Exports for the 1935-36 season, August to July inclusive, aggregated 5,972,000 bales valued at \$373,537,000 compared with 4,799,000 bales valued at \$324,685,000 in 1934-35, an increase of 1,173,000 bales, or 24 percent in quantity and \$57,582,000 or 18 percent in value.

Mrs. Jack Brandon spent several days in Gorman this week.

FARMERS VISIT PEACH, PECAN DEMONSTRATION

Three leading farmers of Baird and Denton communities, Frank Browning and Will Appleton of Baird and Quincy Loven of Denton accompanied the county agent, Ross B. Jenkins, to Stephenville Tuesday where they were the guests of Ross R. Wolfe of that city at a baroque and special entertainment staged for the advancement of soil conservation and orchard improvement.

The morning program consisted of visits through the beautiful home of Ross Wolfe and through his orchard and vineyards. Barbecue, cake, peaches and watermelons were served to more than 300 guests at noon.

The afternoon was spent in inspecting the newly discovered Frank peach which ripens about 10 days later than the Elberta and has not missed a crop in 34 years. After the peach demonstration the visitors were shown some 300,000 pecan trees and then toured the nursery and were shown thousands of peach trees which were irrigated that will be ready for fall market.

J. Frank Browning says it was one of the finest trips he ever made. Incidentally, Mr. Browning is the owner of the largest apple orchard in Texas. Mr. Will Appleton is the owner of the largest peach orchard in Callahan county and was deeply impressed with the qualities of the new Frank peach and intends to set quite a few acres to that peach this fall. Mr. Loven was more interested in the pecans and intends to do extensive top working and planting this fall and next spring. Mr. Loven is the owner of the finest ranch home in Callahan county and probably in the entire South.

Garrett to Close Campaign in Abilene Friday Night
The last big Garrett rally for congress will be held at Abilene Friday night on the Federal lawn. This will be a general rally from all of the twelve counties in the district, and the sponsors are expecting a crowd of more than five thousand to attend, when they will give one man from each county time to report the condition in his territory and any other comment that they might want to make.

Quite a Number Pueblo Citizens in Putnam Tues.
There were quite a number of Pueblo citizens in Putnam Tuesday morning to investigate a proposed road proposition leading to Cross Plains, among them were J. E. Wood, A. B. Booth, T. W. Wood, Troy Wood, J. E. Johnston, B. Newton and Roy Newton. They reported that it was very dry and that the cotton crop would be rather short. Reports are that rain will not do much good as

Hypnotism Baby



COLUMBUS, O. . . . Above is a 10-pound girl whose mother volunteered to be hypnotized by Dr. A. H. Kanter, to relieve the pain at her birth. Dr. Kanter says the method of hypnotism at childbirth is widely practiced in Russia and that he will experiment further here, but it can only be successful when the expectant mother is willing to be hypnotized.

SLEEPY HARRIS ET AL TO DRILL IN TERRITORY

J. W. (Sleepy) Harris and E. M. Little have purchased a lease off of the Isenhower property about three miles southeast of Putnam, and will drill three wells in the near future. This is really proven territory since it joins the Rutherford property on the east and south and one of the best shallow fields brought in several years ago.

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Group Enjoyed Picnic at Lake Cisco

A group of people from Putnam enjoyed a watermelon feast at Lake Cisco Thursday evening. Those present were Dolores Brandon, Neil Norred, Hortense Rogers, Martha Jean Rogers, Juanita Yeager, Mrs. Will Rogers, Louise Peek, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon, Jack Brandon, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Ross, Brook Ross, Bozo Ross, R. A. Horde, Jimmy Pearson, Bob Ross.

The New Secretary of Agriculture

Billy Pike, of Washington, D. C., says he thinks it is a terrible mistake to reduce crops and raise prices of food, as this gives the people just that much less to eat. We think Billy Pike should be made secretary of agriculture or something. He seems to have a better understanding of the situation than those in control. Billy is seven years old.

T. J. WHITE, BAIRD JUSTICE PEACE, DIES

T. J. (Uncle Tom) White, a resident of Baird for the past thirty years, died at Baird last Friday. Mr. White had been justice of the peace of the Baird precinct for a number of years. The funeral services were held from the Methodist church Saturday afternoon, the Rev. J. A. Scoggins, pastor, officiating. The Rev. Scoggins was assisted by the Rev. Joe R. Mayes, pastor of the First Baptist church. Burial followed in the Ross cemetery.

Mr. White died from cerebral hemorrhage. He had been in failing health for several years. He was born August 26, 1864, in Mississippi. Mr. White came to Texas as a young man.

He is survived by his wife and seven children: Mrs. C. M. Pierce, Cameron; Mrs. E. L. Baromore, San Benito; Mrs. Hollye Burmingame, Kilgore; Mrs. Sallie Hawkins, and T. J. White, Jr., Los Angeles, Calif.; Mrs. Houston Spiles, Lubbock; and Vaughn White, Brownfield. A brother, W. M. (Buck) White, of Baird, also survives him, along with several step children, Mrs. Louis Remo of Baird, Marie Winn of Abilene, and Ted Winn of Cisco.

County Tennis Tournament

The annual Callahan County Tennis Tournament will be held at Baird Tuesday and Wednesday, August 25 and 26.

In order to be eligible you must live in Callahan county and furnish two new tennis balls for each division entered.

In addition to men's singles and doubles this year there will be women's singles and doubles and mixed doubles.

All entrants must be present at the Hickman court by 9:00 a. m. Tuesday, August 25, or have their entries in to Reeves Hickman by that time.

Reaves Hickman will defend his singles title which he has won the past two years. Cook and Malphurs of Clyde will defend their doubles title. A large field of entrants are expected.

Baby Son

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Cook of Abilene Memorial Sanitarium at Abilene. The Cooks are former Putnamites.

Intermediate B. T. U. Program August 23rd

Tom—Roy Lee Williams.
Jack—Doyle Lee Brown.
Leader—Mildred Yeager.
Mary—Mary Lou Eubank.
Joe—Jimmy Smith.
Sue—Dorothy June Kelley.
Jane—Helen Maynard.
Frank—Bennie Burns Williams.

Y. W. A. Met Monday

The Lockett Y. W. A. of the First Baptist church met at fine church Monday afternoon at 4. A special study was made of The Jew and Jesus, with Naomi Buchanan as teacher. Mrs. F. A. Hollis taught the 10th chapter of Matthew. Those present were Ardella Gaskin, Estelle King, Naomi Buchanan, Mrs. F. A. Hollis.

Big Spring Gets First Bale of Season

Howard county's first and second bale of cotton was received at Big Spring on Tuesday. D. B. Parkhill, farming two miles northwest of town, turned in the first bale which weighed 490 pounds. Floyd Ashley brought in the second bale, and it ginned out 535 pounds. Both bales were ginned free and bought by the gin at 15 cents per pound.

Truett Little Is Elected at Clyde

Truett B. Little of Putnam has been elected athletic coach at Clyde. Mr. Little is a graduate of Howard Payne College and for the past two years has been coaching in the Miles high school. He has an outstanding record in athletics extending back to his high school days when he was one of the famous players of the Panther squad. Mr. Little mixes with the public well, having had the honor of being elected the "best all-round boy" of Howard Payne College. If he accepts the position Clyde will indeed be fortunate to secure his services.

Misses Mildred and Lera Fleming of Abilene spent Sunday in the home of their mother, Mrs. Lula Fleming.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcom Hayes of Brownwood spent Saturday night and Sunday in the home of Mrs. Hayes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Cook.

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Cards of Thanks, Resolutions of Respect, and any kind of entertainments where admission fee or other monetary consideration is charged, will be charged for at regular advertising rates.

ROSS JENKINS, COUNTY AGENT, IN PUTNAM MONDAY

County Agent Ross B. Jenkins of Baird was in Putnam Monday. Mr. Jenkins is supervising the building of a trench silo for Everett Williams on his ranch about three miles west of Putnam. Mr. Williams is digging one about three hundred feet long and it is about 15 feet wide and some seven feet deep. The hay is stacked in this trench just as if it were on the ground and is watered as it is spread in the trench until it is damp and after it is filled with feed it is sealed with dirt, so that no air can get to it until it is opened, and then it is cut off with an ax as it is needed and thrown out to the cattle. It is said to be the very best of feed when it is put up in this way, and that it will keep indefinitely. While we do not agree with many of the things that are being done and do not think the farm program is of benefit to the farmer or the country in general, we do think that Ross Jenkins is doing a wonderful work in Callahan county in the way of terracing and getting the farmers to experiment on different projects as he is doing. There is no question but what is being done in this county for the farmer in the way of terracing and conserving the soil will cause the land to produce more per acre. Producing more per acre reduces the cost of production and brings the cost of living down and causes more stuff to be used and volume consumed is the main thing in recovery as the more volume we use the more people we can employ and the employment of the people has been the

Wings Over Europe

by A. B. CHAPIN



THE CONGRESSIONAL RACE IN THE 17TH DISTRICT

The most hotly contested congressional race in the history of the 17th district will close Friday. No race has attracted as much attention, not only in Texas, but other states as well. There will likely be about fifty thousand votes cast in the district, and it is likely that Garrett will lead by about 4,000 to 5,000 votes; but with less than 50,000 votes Garrett's lead will be less and the fewer votes cast the lower will be the majority, and should the vote be as low as 40,000 votes it will be a horse race with possible Blanton winning the race by a small majority. Campaigns of the character that this one has been carried on in the campaign, there is rarely many changes and it depends of the way each side has been organized. Presuming that each side

BRUCE BARTON
Says:



present administration; but like many Democrats, was misled and is now against the New Deal policies since time has demonstrated that they have been failures. There is an old saying that a wise man changes, but a fool never. It may be that Landon has changed in the last four years, but if we remember it did not take the present administration more than ninety days to completely reverse themselves on every question. The 1932 Democratic platform was one of the best that was ever written, and the present administration was elected and pledged to it, and in less than ninety days they had gone off on a tangent of socialism, communism, and everything that was foreign to our form of government, and has up to the present time expended more than \$17,000,000,000 (billions) in wild experiments making jobs, with the result that we have more men out of employment than we had when we started all of these crude experiments as the report printed on the front pages of the dailies stated recently that we had more than 22,000,000 more families on relief than we had a year ago. Doesn't this prove our contention?

THE PROPOSED PARDON BOARD AMENDMENT

One of the constitutional amendments to be voted upon in the near future is: "Shall we authorize the 45th legislature to create what is known as a pardon board consisting of 3 members at large salaries, possibly 5 or 6 thousand dollars per year and each one of them with a large number of assistants. The argument that is being advanced is to take pardoning power out of politics. There never has been another board created for the purpose of making new jobs for political officials. The pension board is a fair example of what will happen. This commission has only three members, but counting all of them who are going over the country investigating and the office holders we find that there are about 600 of them in all. And we further find that these employees are getting about 40 percent of the money that should go to the old and many of them who are needy are getting no pension. In May there were \$300,000 collected and placed in the pension fund and \$143,000 of that went for overhead expense. Every man that has ran for the office of representative or state senator and practically everyone that has made the race for governor has made it on the platform of doing away with useless boards and commissions and getting rid of thousands of employees that are useless as far as aiding the people is concerned. The News is against the creation of a pardon board and should the amendment be carried it will only add hundreds of employees to the list that we already have that will be of no benefit to the tax payers in the least.

James Lunsford, baby son of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Lunsford, has been very ill at the Lunsford home this week.

that no man or woman is so ill-far-order or unimportant but what there is some one somewhere to whom he or she is beautiful. One of the finest lines in all literature is: "He setteth the solitary in families." **Don't Shout for Bolts**

Meeting my old friend Strickland Gillilan, the humorous philosopher, I asked: "How are things going?" This was his answer: "They are going the same as ever, which is to say, swell. Of all men living, I have the most unique and interesting source of income. I live on bolts from the Blue. If ever the good old Blue runs out of bolts I will be in a jam. Fortunately no shortage ever has occurred. There never has been a year since I was grown up that I knew where all of next year's living was to come from. Often working on a salary really too small to do what a married man's salary is supposed to do, I never finish a year short and never have run into debt. In every pinch, the heavens have always opened and down has come a bolt.

"Not that I have sat down and caressed the bosom of the earth with the trouser seat and merely waited. I never have lifted up my eyes and nollered, 'Hey, Blue—a bolt, please.' I have a suspicion that the Blue would rather lit me in the back of the head than in the face with its bolts. As a watched pot is said never to boil, so a watched Blue never sends any bolts.

"I am not uneasy as to the future. I see no more clearly today than I have seen in previous years' the source of my next twelve months' income. But it will appear. From here and there will come the invitation—as they always have—for me to practise my favorite income-providing sport, which is public speaking. Somewhere a committee is saying right this minute: 'How about inviting old Strick?' I look ahead a month and say: 'No income visible so far—but wait!' And while I wait I go right on working, and lo and behold, there is a telephone message or a telegram or a letter from an editor ordering a 'piece,' and the Gillilan family is safe for another while."

"Well, Dejunjak, you appear to be all broken up. What's the trouble?" "Domestic."

"But you always said you had a pearl for a wife."

"So she is—the trouble is the Mother-o'-pearl!"

Detroit traffic cop, bawling out an unassuming lady motorist: "Don't you know what I mean when I hold up my hand?"

She, meekly: "I ought to. I have been a school teacher for twenty-five years."

Of course it is none of our business but when a nudist gets a thorn in her foot we reckon she has to be careful where she sits down to pick it out.—Dallas News.

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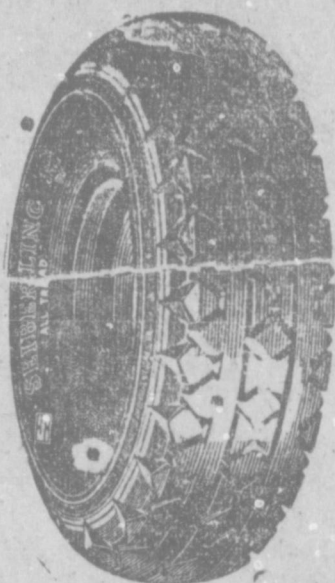
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Local Happenings

Mrs. F. L. Armstrong was a Baird visitor Wednesday.

W. A. Buchanan was a business visitor in Baird Wednesday.

Curtis Armstrong spent several days with Billy Bob Kelley of Baird this week.

Miss Frances Armstrong spent several days in the home of Miss Betty Mercer of Hamlin.

T. G. Kile and Joe Green attended the Texas Centennial at Dallas Thursday.

Mrs. Janey B. Garner of Colorado spent several days with Mrs. D. C. Barton of Griggs Hospital this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cooper of Cisco spent Sunday with Mrs. D. C. Barton at Griggs Hospital of Baird.

Raymond Caldwell of Albany was in Putnam Monday. Mr. Caldwell will be remembered as a former Putnamite.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Meacer of Roseville, Oklahoma, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Mercer Saturday.

E. B. Barron of Atwell spent Saturday and Sunday in the home of his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Nettles.

E. W. McCollum of the Pueblo community was in Putnam Tuesday morning in the interest of the Cross Plains road.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Armstrong and children, Geraldine, F. L. and Billy, spent Friday and Saturday in Lueders.

Crop raising used to be the aim of the farming industry. Under the New Deal it's crop raising. It sounds the same; oh, what a difference it makes in the standard of living.

Mrs. George E. Biggerstaff received word Tuesday that her brother, W. D. Hutton of Grand Saline, is very low after major surgery at St. Paul's Sanitarium at Dallas.

H. J. R. No. 23 A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an Amendment to the Constitution authorizing the Legislature to provide for Workmen's Compensation Insurance for employees of the State, and authorizing the Legislature to provide for the payment of premiums on such policies of insurance; providing the State shall never be required to purchase insurance for any employees; providing for the necessary publication and election; making an appropriation to pay for same.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new Section to be known as Section 59; to read as follows:

"Section 59. The Legislature shall have power to pass such laws as may be necessary to provide for Workmen's compensation insurance for such State employees, as in its judgment is necessary or required; and to provide for the payment of all costs, charges, and premiums on such policies of insurance; providing the State shall never be required to purchase insurance for any employee."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1936, at which election all voters favoring said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"For the Amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for the payment of Workmen's Compensation Insurance for employees of the State."

And all those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"Against the Amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for the payment of Workmen's Compensation Insurance for employees of the State."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have same published as required by the Constitution for Amendments.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

The above is a true and correct copy.

R. B. STANFORD,
Secretary of State.

M. M. Little was in Baird to hear the Patman speech Tuesday morning.

J. A. Sharp was a business visitor in Baird Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. C. J. White was a Brownwood visitor Monday.

E. P. Free of Baird was a luncheon guest in the J. S. Yeager home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Crosby of Lawn spent Tuesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Crosby.

Harley Pritchard of Moran was a business visitor in Putnam Wednesday.

Curtis Mercer of Kilgore visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Mercer a few days this week.

Mrs. J. L. Hudson and daughter, Betty Lou, and Mrs. Carl Kile and son, Jerry Don, spent a few days in Cisco this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. White and daughter, Eunice, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Olin Kile of Union Sunday.

Mrs. G. G. Bennett returned Tuesday from Mineral Wells, where she has spent several days. She is reported to be improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Sharp and daughter, Juanita, of Mont Calm, spent Sunday with Mr. Sharp's brother, J. A. Sharp and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sharp and children, Betty Lou and Winifred, visited relatives at Eastland Thursday.

Ep Free of Baird was a business visitor in Putnam Wednesday. Mr. Free is employed at the Leon & Wylie Grocery Company of Baird. He is a former Putnamite.

Wayne Triplitt has been ill at his home in Putnam this week. He will not return to San Saba. Mr. Triplitt plans to enter school in the near future.

Hazel McMillan, Martha Jean Rogers, Fredda Jean Peek, and Juanita Yeager spent Monday and Tuesday at the Texas Centennial, making the trip in company with the 4-H Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Shurwin and daughter, Mary Ann, are spending Mr. Shurwin's vacation visiting in Youngsville, Pennsylvania, and other points. Mrs. Shurwin's former home was Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Mary Guyton was a visitor in Abilene Monday.

L. J. Kelley and J. S. Yeager were business visitors in Bradshaw Saturday.

Wayne Triplitt of San Saba spent the week-end in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Triplitt.

Mrs. A. E. Yeager and daughter, Lois Faye, attended the Texas Centennial at Dallas Wednesday.

Parks Bailey of Cisco spent Thursday in the home of his sister, Mrs. Carl Kile, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Elzay made a trip to Temple to the Scott & White Clinic this week.

Mrs. S. J. Hamilton spent several days in Cisco this week in the home of Mrs. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. John Henkle, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Shackelford and Mrs. J. M. Cribbs spent Sunday in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ingram and children of Olden spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. Ingram's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Nettles.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ingram and children of Baird spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. Ingram's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Nettles.

Misses Crysta and Lois Kennedy returned from Fort Worth, where they have spent several weeks in the home of their brother, J. L. Kennedy and family, Sunday.

Deering Free of Littlefield visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ep Free, this week. Miss Lena Free is employed at Wichita Falls with the Norge Electric Company, which position she has held several months.

Mrs. Jack Cabaness of Monument, New Mexico, arrived in Putnam Tuesday night where she is visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. Fred Cook. She expects to visit her sister, Mrs. Velma Hayden and her brother, Will St. John and family before her return.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Cunningham and children of Jal, New Mexico, spent several days in Putnam in the home of Mr. Cunningham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cunningham and Mrs. Cunningham's mother, Mrs. Springer, this week. They expected to visit the Texas Centennial before their return.

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Willard Gaskin of Abilene spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Gaskin.

Miss Velma Eubank returned Monday from a vacation trip to various points in Louisiana. She visited in Deridder where she formerly taught school and at New Orleans in company with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kelley and children moved to Baird this week. The Kelleys have lived in Putnam for a number of years and have made friends in the vicinity who regret their departure.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Burnside of Eastland are parents of a daughter, Lorry Ann. The Burnside's are former residents of Putnam. Mrs. Burnside is the former Miss Leta Deal Surles.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bowers of Junction spent several days in the home of Mrs. Bower's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Park, this week. Mr. Bowers has been coach in the Junction high school for several years.

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Question: What is a penisula?
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Question: What is a volcano?
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Reverend Charles I. Rea of Rising Star spent the week-end in the home of I. G. Mobley.

Mrs. R. L. Buchanan is spending several weeks in the home of her daughter, Mrs. G. W. Thames of Beeville.

Miss Lillian Cook spent from Thursday until Sunday in the home of her sister, Mrs. George Baker, of Abilene.

Mrs. M. H. Cook, Mrs. Raymond Hale of Crane, and Misses Lillian and Frances Cook were Abilene visitors Thursday.



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FARM NOTES

(ROSS B. JENKINS, County Agent)

Four Thousand Farmers Are Not Wrong—

It has generally been understood for time immemorial that evidence presented by two or more witnesses was not to be disputed or denied. In Texas farmers have compiled more evidence, however, than this. Today there are more than four thousand trench silos in operation in Texas alone. It is estimated that twenty a week are being constructed now. There can be but little doubt but that the trench silo is soon to revolutionize agriculture in West Texas. With an abundance of feed stored so that it cannot be stolen, ruined by pests or insects, fire or flood, surely the farmers are to become independent and self-supporting. With the severity of the droughts now being felt over Texas every man is brought more keenly to the realization that a major drought hovers just around the corner. It may be just next year that he will not have sufficient feed to serve his livestock if he does not preserve and keep every bit that he has grown this year.

In trench silos we have demonstrated today that feed will keep on and on through the years to be just as good the day it was opened as it was the day it was put underneath the ground. At the Old Settlers' Picnic this past week the county agent demonstrated to some 150 men the correct procedure in building and filling a trench silo. Each operation is as simple as ABC's. Men from many counties were drawn to this picnic and asked many leading questions concerning the silo after the demonstration ended. It is with a great degree of pride that the county agent can point to a real convert in no other than Everett Williams of Putnam. Mr. Williams is one of the outstanding ranchers of Callahan county and has become convinced of the value of having plenty of succulent feed for his cattle during the dry months and the winter months in which no substitute for pasture has before been available. Mr. Williams is filling the silo with 60 acres of sorghum and hezari. The silo itself is 300 feet long, 12 feet wide at the top, 9 feet average at the bottom and 6 feet deep. It is now estimated that this silo will adequately take care of about 300 tons of forage. The county agent will be glad to visit any farmer and advise with the prospective silo builder as to the size of silo that will most nearly fit his individual needs.

Pink Eye

Many ranchers today are being bothered with a disease commonly called pink eye. In veterinary circles this disease is known as keratitis bovine. This disease is caused by a variety of injuries as scratches, contusions, lacerations, etc., which cause an inflammation of the inner part of the eye called the cornea and may be caused by a predisposing disease call-

SCRANTON NOTES

The revival meeting in progress at the Baptist church is being attended by large crowds. There has been several conversions and five additions to the church so far. Services are to be held throughout this week.

Miss Mildred Harris returned home from Lawn, where she has been visiting friends. She was accompanied by Miss Christine Hermann and Geo. Yost, Jr., of Lawn, who remained over for a short visit.

Miss Ida Lee Foster of Eastland spent the week with her aunt, Mrs. Louis Harlow.

Mrs. J. H. D. Fleming of Putnam visited relatives here and attended the revival the last few days.

Knox Walters of New Orleans and Miss Maurine Walters of Freeport are spending a few days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Reese.

J. D. Holt of Abilene attended the revival and visited friends over the week-end.

W. B. Starr and F. S. Boland took a truck load of cattle to Fort Worth Wednesday.

R. M. Brummett, Mrs. Lester Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sprawls, Sr., Leonard Sprawls and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Faires were among the number attending the Old Settlers' reunion of Callahan county August 14th.

Lieutenant O'Brien, who is stationed in a CCC camp in Arizona, is home on a furlough.

He went to Detroit and purchased a new Chevrolet car and drove in. He will take Mrs. O'Brien and baby, James Donald, who have been staying with Mrs. O'Brien's mother, Mrs. W. N. Black, home with him.

Misses Frances Shrader and Dorothy Ben Ray have spent the past two weeks in Dallas and Fort Worth visiting relatives and attending the Centennial.

L. K. Johnson and granddaughter, Mrs. Pauline Johnson of Overton, spent Saturday with his daughter, Mrs. Herman Roberson and family.

ed catarrhal conjunctivitis. The treatment that is always prescribed by a veterinarian is place the animal in a darkened stable, give green or sloppy feed, and administer 4 ounces of Glaubler's salt (sulphate of soda) dissolved in a quart of water once a day. If the animal is weak a teaspoonful of tonic powder may be mixed with the feed 3 times a day. This may be composed of equal parts by weight of powdered copperas (sulphate of iron) gentian, and ginger. This is to be given the injured animal. The eye itself should be treated with an application of nitrate of silver 3 grains to the ounce of soft water with the addition of one grain sulphate of morphia. This may be used several times a day. If sores are in the eye it is well to dust with powdered calomel twice each day or apply to the eye lids a salve of yellow oxide of mercury, 5 per cent in lanolin. Apply this twice daily. This disease usually lasts about 10 days and the eye becomes clear and the sight eventually restored, however, a few rare cases are found where the blood vessels burst from swelling and the vision becomes entirely lost. The main loss from this trouble is that the animal cannot see to eat and thus shrinkage is great.

GRIGG'S HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. Archie Nichols, who has been a patient for several days, is going nicely.

Hoot Allphin, who has suffered a broken hip for several weeks, is reported doing nicely.

Mrs. A. K. Turner of Cross Plains, who has been real sick, is doing nicely now.

Mrs. Ed Alexander of Baird entered the hospital Wednesday for medical treatment.

Garland Chambers of Silver Valley was a patient for minor surgery Monday.

Mrs. Willis Tatum of Baird was removed to her home Saturday.

Mrs. Harvey Fainbrough and baby of Baird were removed to their home Friday.

Oscar Burkett of Astex, Arizona, left the hospital Saturday following injuries received from falling from a freight train last week.

Mrs. W. C. Odell of Stanton left the hospital Saturday following major surgery.

DIPHTHERIA TOXOID SAVES CHILD LIFE

AUSTIN.—Education of the public to the value of diphtheria immunization has resulted in lowering the incidence of this dread disease, but Texas still loses over 400 of its future citizens each year from this preventable disease, according to records in the Texas State Department of Health.

"It is a generally accepted fact among public health authorities," Dr. John W. Brown, state health officer, said, "that any community may control its death rate from diphtheria. Immunization has been proved a safe and effective preventive measure. Wherever immunizing treatment has been extensively used, diphtheria has steadily decreased."

"The most forceful weapon in the control of diphtheria is prevention through immunization, rather than cure of the disease after it has developed. Children can be protected against diphtheria by the use of what is known as toxoid. Young children are particularly susceptible to the disease. Accordingly, as soon as a baby is six months old, the parents are advised to take it to the family physician and have it immunized—protected, by the use of toxoid. Older children in the family who have not had the protective treatment, should be immunized also, and this should be attended to now before the school season begins. This immunizing agent is absolutely safe to administer; there is only a slight local reaction, and practically no constitutional or troublesome after effects. It confers a life time immunity in the majority of cases. To be certain that immunization is complete, however, the child should be taken back to the physician six months after the toxoid was administered; and given the Schick test.

"It is within the power of the parents of this state, cooperating with their physicians and public health departments, to eliminate diphtheria from Texas."

Hugh Ross, Jr., of Baird was a business visitor in Putnam Wednesday.

FEAST AT LAKE CISCO

A group of Putnam folk enjoyed a watermelon feast at Lake Cisco Tuesday evening. Swimming and dancing were also enjoyed. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brandon, R. F. Webb, Johnnie Ruth Eubank, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Ross, Bozo Ross, Mrs. Will Rogers, R. A. Horde, Jimmy Pearson, Bill Brandon, Brooks Ross, Neil Norred, Dolores Brandon, Hortense Rogers, Louise Peek, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Brandon.

S. J. R. No. 26 A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to Section 11 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to provide for a Board of Pardons and Paroles, composed of three members, whose terms of office shall be for a period of six years, one to be appointed by the Governor, one by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of Texas, and one by the presiding Justice of the Court of Criminal Appeals, such appointments to be with the advice and consent of two-thirds of the Senate present; and so as to provide that the Governor of the State shall have the power on the recommendation and advice of the majority of the Board of Pardons and Paroles to grant reprieves, commutations of punishment and pardons and to remit fines and forfeitures, and, with the advice and consent of the Legislature, to grant reprieves, commutations of punishment and pardons in cases of treason; and to provide that the Governor shall have power to grant one reprieve in any capital case not to exceed thirty (30) days; and shall have the power to revoke paroles and conditional pardons; and to provide that the Legislature shall have authority to regulate procedure before the Board and to enact parole laws; and to provide for an election for such proposed constitutional amendment and to make an appropriation therefor.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Section 11 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as hereafter to read as follows:

"Section 11. There is hereby created a Board of Pardons and Paroles, to be composed of three members, who shall have been resident citizens of the State of Texas for a period of not less than two years immediately preceding such appointment, each of whom shall hold office for a term of six years; provided that of the members of the first board appointed, one shall serve for two years, one for four years and one for six years from the first day of February, 1937, and they shall cast lots for their respective terms. One member of said Board shall be appointed by the Governor, one member by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of Texas, and one member by the presiding Justice of the Court of Criminal Appeals; the appointments of all members of said Board shall be made with the advice and consent of two-thirds of the Senate present. Each vacancy shall be filled by the respective appointing power that theretofore made the appointment to such position and the appointive

powers shall have the authority to make recess appointments until the convening of the Senate.

In all criminal cases, except treason and impeachment, the Governor shall have power, after conviction, on the written signed recommendation and advice of the Board of Pardons and Paroles, or a majority thereof, to grant reprieves and commutations of punishment and pardons; and under such rules as the Legislature may prescribe, and upon the written recommendation and advice of a majority of the Board of Pardons and Paroles, he shall have the power to remit fines and forfeitures. The Governor shall have the power to grant one reprieve in any capital case for a period not to exceed thirty (30) days; and he shall have the power to revoke paroles and conditional pardons. With the advice and consent of the Legislature, he may grant reprieves, commutations of punishment and pardons in cases of treason.

The Legislature shall have power to regulate procedure before the Board of Pardons and Paroles and shall require it to keep record of its actions and the reasons therefor, and shall have authority to enact parole laws."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to the electors of this State who are qualified to vote on proposed constitutional amendments at the general election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1936, at which election each ballot shall have printed thereon the words:

"For the amendment of Section 11 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to provide for a Board of Pardons and Paroles, and to make the Governor's pardoning power subject to recommendation of said Board, except in cases of treason the Governor may grant reprieves, commutations and pardons with the advice and consent of the Legislature."

Against the amendment of Section 11 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to provide for a Board of Pardons and Paroles, and to make the Governor's pardoning power subject to recommendation of said Board, except in cases of treason the Governor may grant reprieves, commutations and pardons with the advice and consent of the Legislature."

Each voter shall strike out with pen or pencil the clause which does not indicate his desire regarding the above proposed amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and to have the above proposed amendment published in the manner and for the time required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is here-

by appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

The above is a true and correct copy.

R. B. STANFORD, Secretary of State.

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