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ATTEMPTING TO PENSION EVERYBODY

Under the Social Security laws of Texas they propose to commence paying all who have been employed and lost their jobs a pension of so much per month after the first of January. It is estimated that they have \$18,000,000 in the fund. We do not know at the present time whether the pension will be granted to all unemployed or whether it will only include the industrial worker. But everybody who has been employed has had to sign a social security card and that indicates that all who become unemployed will be entitled to draw a pension. We just wonder if any one thinks everybody can be paid a pension?

ANOTHER PROPHECY FULFILLED

It was pointed out by numerous writers about four years ago that the farm control program would be a failure, and reducing the American crop would only cause an increase in foreign growth and reduce the consumption of American cotton, and the more we reduced the more we would have to reduce and this process would be carried on until the American crop would be only what could be consumed by American mills, besides it would not put the price up as promised by Mr. Wallace and his brain trusters. See what Mr. Wallace and Mr. Bankhead have to say: "We favor a reduction of ten or twelve million acres from the 1937 crop." They want next year's crop to be only about 22,000,000 acres. After four years of control we find that cotton is selling at an all time low when we take into consideration the devalued dollar, which when analyzed would show that cotton is only bringing 5.53 cents on the present market in terms of the 1932 dollar.

FARM NOTES

ROSS B. JENKINS, County Agt.

W. B. Varner Saves Hogs with Mineral

Some month or so ago Mr. W. B. Varner of the Cottonwood community began noticing that his hogs were not making the gains and were becoming nervous. Soon one of them got down with some kind of ailment in his hind quarters. He showed to be extremely nervous. Since an outbreak of cholera was checked in that community last year Mr. Varner feared that his hogs might be subject to the same disease. He wrote the county agent a letter telling of the symptoms of his hogs and stated that he had fed some of them a diet containing lye. He further stated that this hog so fed seemed to improve for a few days then suddenly died. Since those are not the symptoms that go along with cholera the county agent recommended that rather than vaccinate them for cholera that they be fed a diet containing bone meal or lime flour and salt. The ration that was recommended was 90 lbs. ground corn, maize, or barley, 5 lbs. of cottonseed meal, and 5 pounds of tankage, if no milk is available. Milk will take the place of tankage. To this 100 pounds of dried feed should be fed, at least, 2 pounds of bone meal or lime flour and one pound of salt. Mr. Varner phoned a veterinarian at Ranger and was told that he concurred in the opinion that it was

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a mineral deficiency rather than cholera. Accordingly a sack of bone meal was purchased and the ration included bone meal and salt. The hogs were turned out of the close pen and allowed to range free, picking up some green grass in the pasture. Dr. Frank Porte, B. A. I. hog cholera specialist of Texas, visited the county agent last week and together they made a visit to the farm of Mr. Varner. They found that the hogs had fully recovered, were not being bothered with the weakness in their back and hind quarters and were eating heartily.

Many farmers have come into the office this year complaining that their hogs had been affected about the same as indicated above. In each instance the county agent has pointed out that if some bone building material is supplied that the hogs in most cases rapidly return to normalcy. There is little danger of cholera outbreak if the farmers do not trade for hogs from other sections but if hogs are purchased from any feed lot such as Fort Worth and other places and brought to the farm they should be immediately vaccinated and all others on the farm against cholera. This is a precaution that should never be overlooked.

New Type Farm Meetings

The Department of Agriculture has asked the Extension Service in all of these United States to carry to the farmers a new type of program in which the farmers discuss their side of the question

why the agricultural situation is not satisfactory. These programs are to be finished by November 20th. In them the county agents and the home demonstration agents have been given some very pertinent facts that the farmers everywhere are interested in knowing. These discussions are naturally leading up to the new 1938 program that is expected to be released about December 1st. Part of these programs will have been discussed by the time this paper is printed at Denton and Eula. On November 12th, Friday night, a meeting will be held at Midway and all farmers in that section and their wives are especially invited to attend. On Tuesday night, November 16th, a like meeting will be held at Putnam. Thursday night the last of these meetings will be held at Oplin. All meetings will begin at 7:00 p. m.

Mr. Virgil Underwood, vocational agricultural teacher at Cross Plains, will assist the county agent in that section of the county and will hold three meetings, one at Cottonwood, one at Cross Plains, and one at Dressy. Mr. Underwood attended a training meeting held at Baird Saturday, Nov. 6th, and will take the same type of program as is being given in the other communities to the farmers of that section. Vocational teachers are as interested in the farming trends as are the Extension Service employees and cooperate wherever their services can be used. At the same time

they will be able to help the county agent get the information to the farmers within the time prescribed, November 20th.

Wild Life Preservation

Some months ago a group of ranchmen and farmers who had become conscious of the value of birds to their farms circulated several petitions over the county which received many signatures of men of the same thinking and placed this petition before the legislature which acted upon it by passing a law prohibiting quail being shot in Callahan county for the next three seasons. Along the same line the county agent started the new demonstration that is being sponsored by the Extension Service. It is known as Game Preserve Demonstrations in coopera-

tion with the state and national wildlife conservation forces. Almost 100,000 acres have now been signed up by the various farmers and ranchers in the county in order that people may know that they are protecting their wild game. Many of these have purchased markers which the county agent has been able to have made at 25 cents per board. Some have asked when does this demonstration end or if it can be entered into now. These demonstrations are continuous. When one places his membership in the Wildlife Association he is a member until he withdraws. It is a continuous and growing association and designed to grow until every owner and tenant in the county is a member. It should be apparent

that this organization does not intend to prevent hunting and fishing on the lands of this county but that such wildlife as we new have will be protected from unscrupulous, unsportsmanlike hunters until a sufficiency has been grown so that when friends do go out to hunt they will find game in abundance but will be cautioned to leave plenty for the next year's crop.

More than ninety millions of dollars are being realized by the farmers and ranchmen of Texas

yearly from hunting and fishing fees plus the amounts received for pelts of the fur bearing animals. These men selling hunting rights value such as any other portion of their crops and it is the aim of the Association to foster this understanding among all men so that good fishing and hunting may come back to our lands and stay when it gets back. If you are not a member of this Association you are most cordially invited to become one. It costs nothing to cooperate with your neighbors.

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A prize of \$10 will be awarded EACH of the TEN BEST PHOTOS submitted each week. At the close of the TEN WEEK PHOTO CONTEST four additional grand prizes of \$100, \$75, \$50 and \$25 will be awarded the four best photos submitted.



The above photo illustrates a radiant circulating type gas heater used in the home of one of our customers. Any type gas heating appliances may be included in your entry.

5 Simple Rules of the "Heating Photo Contest"

1. All photos must include a view of the gas heating equipment used to heat the room or adjoining room in which the photo is taken. (See sample).
2. The house in which you reside must receive its gas service from one of the companies of Lone Star Gas System and all photos submitted in the TEN WEEK CONTEST must be taken in a home served gas by one of the companies of Lone Star Gas System. These companies are: Lone Star Gas Company; The Dallas Gas Company; County Gas Company; Community Natural Gas Company; Texas Cities Gas Company.
3. Employees of any company of Lone Star Gas System and their immediate families and professional photographers or persons engaged in the business of making photographs for commercial purposes are not eligible to enter this Heating Photo Contest.
4. All photos submitted must have your name and address (including the town) PRINTED PLAINLY ON A SEPARATE PIECE OF PAPER AND PASTED TO THE BACK OF EACH PHOTO ENTERED IN THE CONTEST.
5. All photos submitted should be delivered to your local gas company office or mailed to LONE STAR GAS SYSTEM, ADVERTISING DEPARTMENT, 305 S. HARWOOD ST., DALLAS, TEXAS.

The contest is for a TEN WEEK Period from October 11, 1937 to December 18, 1937 (inclusive). All photos submitted will become the property of Lone Star Gas System to be used as desired by the company. Photos entered in the contest will not be returned and weekly prize winners will be advised by letter. At the close of the ten week contest a complete list of prize winners will be available for your inspection at your nearest gas company office.



John Brown has "a cold",

John Brown is usually a careful man. But John Brown, like many others who catch cold during winter months, ignores the dangers of sudden changes of temperature. Some rooms of his house are heated and others are not. Now John Brown has a cold!

And the little Browns are sniffing,



Like their Daddy, the little Brown girls have a cold. Although the room where they play is kept cozy and warm, frequently they go to unheated parts of the house. It doesn't take the cold germ long to strike when the girls go into the cold bedroom to bring additional toys.

And Mother Brown is taking chances . . .



Mrs. Brown hasn't a cold . . . yet. But Mother Brown is constantly taking chances with her health as she goes from the warm rooms into cold ones during her busy day. Wouldn't it be safer for the Brown family to HEAT THE ENTIRE HOUSE this winter?

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Ask for FREE Folder

Both men and women are eligible to enter this free contest. Ask us for folder containing rules and entry blank. A \$12,000 New American Home is FIRST GRAND PRIZE. An \$9,000 New American Home is SECOND GRAND PRIZE. Ten prizes each worth \$200 will be awarded each week from now until December 4. Just write a letter of not over 100 words telling why you approve of the Electrical Standard of Living.

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ELECTION NOTICE

To the Resident, Qualified Electors of Callahan County Road District Number Three who own Taxable Property in Said Road District and who duly rendered the same for taxation:

Take notice that an election will be held in Callahan Road District Number Three on the 10th day of December, 1937, on the proposition of issuing the bonds of said Road District in the amount of \$25,000.00 pursuant to an election order passed by the Commissioners' Court of Callahan County on the 8th day of November, 1937, as following, to-wit:

"AN ORDER calling an Election on the Proposition of Issuing \$25,000.00 of Road Bonds of Callahan County Road District No. 3."

WHEREAS, there has been presented to this Court the petition of J. A. Yarbrough and 64 other persons, resident, qualified voters who own taxable property in Callahan County Road District No. 3 praying that this Court order an election in Road District No. 3 to determine:

"Whether or not the bonds of said road district shall be issued in the amount of Twenty-Five Thousand (\$25,000) Dollars, bearing interest at the rate of not to exceed Four and One-Half (4½ per cent) per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and maturing at such time as may be fixed by the Commissioners' Court, serially or otherwise, in not to exceed thirty (30) years from the date thereof, for the purpose of the construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes or in aid thereof, throughout Road District No. 3 of Callahan County, Texas; and whether or not taxes shall be levied on all taxable property in Road District No. 3 sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and to provide a sinking fund sufficient to redeem said bonds at their maturity."

WHEREAS, under the provisions of a Special Act passed by the Second Called Session of the Forty-Fifth Legislature, which adjourned October 26, 1937, it is not necessary for said Court to have a hearing on said petition; and

WHEREAS, it is found by the Court that the said petition is signed by more than fifty legally qualified electors who own taxable property in Callahan County Road District No. 3, and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, and

WHEREAS, the Court has determined that the proposed improvements would be for the benefit of all taxable property situated in such Road District, and that it is desirable and necessary to issue the bonds of said Road District and that it is desirable and necessary to issue the bonds of said Road District in the amount of Twenty-Five Thousand (\$25,000.00) Dollars to construct said improvements, and that said election should be ordered; and

WHEREAS, the Commissioners' Court further finds that the amount of said proposed bond issue, together with all outstanding bonds of the same nature heretofore issued on the faith and credit of Road District No. 3 will not exceed one-fourth of the assessed valuation of the real property of said district; and

WHEREAS, the said Road District No. 3 has heretofore been legally created by a Special Act passed by the Second Called Session of the Forty-Fifth Legislature, which adjourned October 26, 1937;

THEREFORE, Be It Ordered by the Commissioners' Court of Callahan County, Texas:

1. That an election be held in said Callahan County Road District No. 3 on the 10th day of December, 1937, which is not less than thirty days from the date of this order, to determine:

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2. The metes and bounds of Callahan County Road District No. 3 as created by the Legislature are as follows, to-wit:

"Beginning in the North boundary line of Callahan County, Texas, at a stake in the East boundary line of Section No. 68, Block 11, T. & P. Ry. Co. land;

THENCE South along the east boundary line of Sections 18, 17, and 16, E. T. Ry. Co. Lands, and Secs 141, 142, 143 and 144 BBB & C Ry. Co. Lands, through Sec. 4, W. C. Powell Survey, continuing south along the east boundary line of Section No. 183, Anthony Bates Survey and Sec. 3 C. & M. R. R. Co., and Secs. 14c and 146 BBB & C Ry. Co. lands to the S. E. Cor. of said Sec. 146, BBB & C RR Co.

THENCE East through Sec. 2 J. W. Jones Sur. to point in East boundary line of said Sec. 2;

THENCE South along the East boundary line of said Sec. 2 and East line of the B.F. Barnard Sur. and I. & G. N. Ry. Co. Sur. No. 2 and I. & G. N. Ry. Co. Sur. No. 1 to N. E. Cor. of the J. C. Cruthfield Pre., continuing south to the S. E. Cor. of the J. S. McClendon Pre.;

THENCE West along the south line of said J. S. McClendon Pre. and south line of S. P. Ry. Co. Sur. No. 18 Blk. 5 to the S. W. cor. of said Sec. 18.

THENCE South with the W. B. line of Sec. 17, Blk 5 S. P. Ry. Co. to its S. W. Corner;

THENCE East to the S. E. Cor. of said Sec. 17, Blk. 5;

THENCE North to the N. W. Cor. of the S. ½ of Sec. 10 Blk. 5, S. P. Ry. Co. land;

THENCE East to the middle of the East line of said Sec. 10 and the middle of the West line of Sec. 9 Blk. 5, S. P. Ry. Co., continuing East to the middle of the East line of said Sec. 9;

THENCE South to the S. E. Cor. of said Sec. 9;

THENCE East to the S. E. Cor. of Sec. 8, Blk 5, S. E. Ry. Co.;

THENCE North to the N. E. Cor. of said Sec. 8;

THENCE due East to the East boundary line of Callahan County;

THENCE North with the East boundary line of said Callahan County to the Northeast corner of said county;

THENCE West with the North boundary line of said county to the place of beginning."

3. The said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 3, Title 22 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended, including the provisions of Chapter 16, Acts of the First Called Session of the Thirty-Ninth Legislature;

4. All persons who are legally qualified electors of this State and of this County who own taxable property in the district and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be qualified to vote, and all such electors shall vote in the election precinct of their residence and all voters desiring to support the proposition to issue the bonds shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "For the Issuance of Bonds and the Levying of the Tax in Payment thereof."

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

"Against the Issuance of Bonds and the Levying of the Tax in Payment Thereof."

5. The polling places of said election shall be at the following places within said district, and the following named persons are hereby appointed managers thereof, to-wit:

At the schoolhouse in the town of Admiral, Texas, with Lee Coats as Presiding Judge; A. W. Beasley, Judge; George Eubanks, Clerk and Ernest Higgins, Clerk;

At F. P. Shackelford Bldg. in the town of Putnam, Texas, with Marvin Eubanks as Presiding Judge; Neal Moore, Judge; Willie Kennedy, Clerk; and Will Jobe Clerk;

At Green's Residence in the town of Erath, Texas, with Eugene Green as Presiding Judge; J. F. Owens, Judge; J. W. Booth, Clerk, and T. J. Odell, Clerk;

At Church House in the town of Hart, Texas, with J. O. Taylor as Presiding Judge; Oma Wagley, Judge; Duck Ames, Clerk, and Oren Warren Clerk;

6. The manner of holding said

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Mr. and Mrs. Ben Haislep, who are traveling with an orchestra, visited Mr. Haislep's sister, Mrs. Raymond Sprawls, the past week.

Mrs. R. M. Brummett is at home and seems to have almost recovered from injury received in an automobile accident in Oklahoma about a month ago. She spent three weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Algie Skiles of Cisco, before she was able to come out home.

Mrs. R. L. Ray and Mrs. W. A. Andrews of Fort Worth returned home Sunday after several days visit with relatives here. They were accompanied home by their niece, Mrs. Louis Horn and Mr. Horn.

Mrs. A. S. Reese and Mrs. B. T. Leveridge spent Saturday night and Sunday in Baird visiting Mrs. Gertrude Sprawls.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Brummett of Gorman were Scranton visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ledbetter and W. P. Ledbetter of Abilene visited home folks here Sunday.

Rev. Otis Brown filled the pulpit at the Methodist church Sunday at 11 a. m. in the absence of Pastor Williams. Rev. Williams preached Sunday night, which will be his last service here as pastor if he should be sent to another charge when the Annual Conference meets this week.

election shall be governed by the General Laws of this State regulating general elections when not in conflict with the provisions of Chapter 16, Acts of the First Called Session of the 39th Legislature, hereinabove cited.

7. Notice of said election shall be given by publication of a copy of this order in a newspaper published in Callahan county Road District No. 3 for three successive weeks before the date of said election. And in addition thereto, there shall be posted copies of this order at each of the voting precincts hereinabove set out, and one at the Courthouse door of the County for three consecutive weeks prior to said election.

8. The County Clerk is hereby ordered and directed to post said notices and to cause to be published as hereinabove directed. Further orders by this Court are reserved until the returns of said election, executed by the duly authorized election officers, are received by this Court.

Passed and Approved this the 8th day of November, 1937.

L. B. LEWIS,

County Judge, Callahan County, Texas.

MRS. S. E. SETTLE,
County Clerk and Ex-Officio
Clerk Commissioners' Court.

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PAUL MUNI

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Jim Yarbrough of the Union community was in town Monday morning and stated while here he was through sowing grain and had it all up to a stand.

Youthful Grandmothers

Mrs. Noowedd—"Will you admire me when I'm old, dear?"
Noowedd—"Why not? Nowdays a grandmother looks as chic as anybody."

Honesty—Fear of being caught.
Good Sport—One who will always let you have your own way.
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3 lb. Admiration COFFEE	81c
1 qt. SALAD DRESSING	25c
3 No. 2 cans TOMATOES	23c
20 lb. MEAL	55c
3 No. 2 cans CORN	25c
Vanilla Flavoring, 8 oz.	18c
1 lb. Admiration Coffee	28c
No. 2 CAN HOMINY	09c
No. 2 can SPINACH	9c
6 boxes MATCHES	19c