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Reminiscing

"Uncle Bill" McMullen



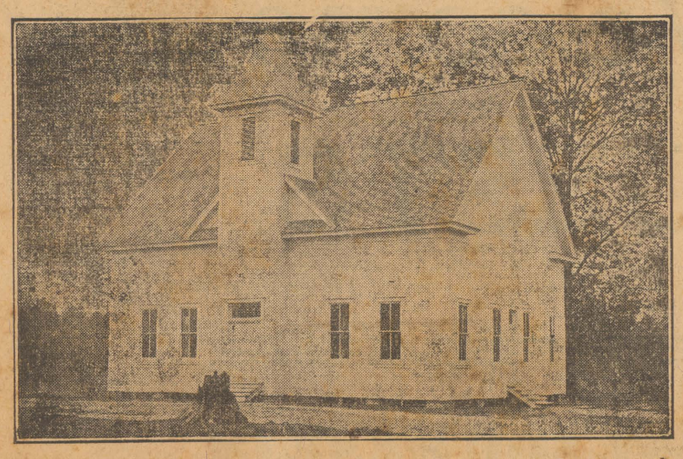
Rev. W. T. McMullen (Uncle Bill) spent about eighty-two years of his life in Angelina County, more than half century of his life in the active ministry. He was ordained to preach at "Old" Center. "But his love and friendship for the people of Huntington was a shining light that never grew dim, and one that often brought him for a visit to the climes of his life-long love, Huntington and the Huntington Baptist Church, which he helped organize" speaks of the place that Uncle Bill had in the life of Huntington citizens.

Rev. F. D. Coppin



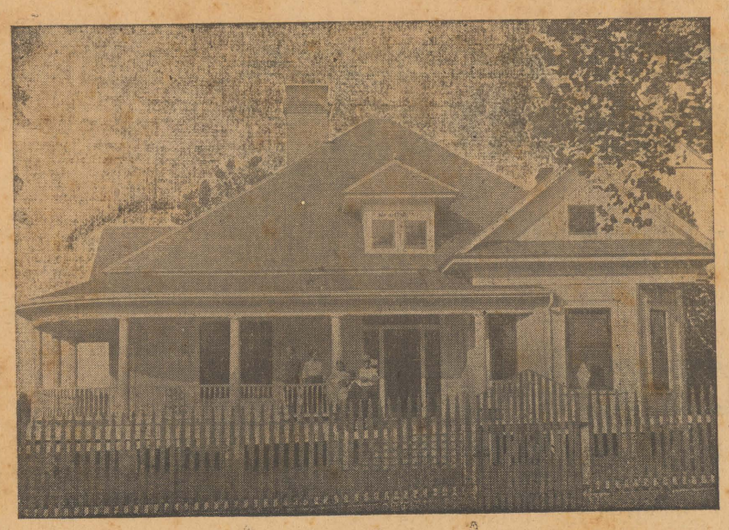
Rev. Coppin is the present pastor of the Huntington Baptist church.

Huntington Baptist Church



The Huntington Baptist Church was organized in 1901. It was early in 1902 when W. T. Tardy who had preached here, took the first collection for a church building. The building built then servied in a great way until the summer of 1934 when under the leadership of the pastor, Ben F. Morrison, the church decided to build some Sunday school rooms. During the hard days of the depression, with much courage, determination, and faith, and little money, an eleven-room two story annex was constructed. With this type building, the church was able to expand its Sunday school and Training Union Departments.

Home of Mrs. ArKansas Renfro



Bill Jones



Mr. Jones was one of the first settlers of the Odell Creek community. Jonesville, early county seat, was named after members of his family.

Sam Townsend



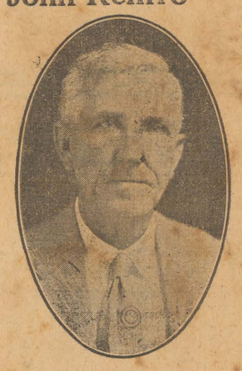
The Townsend family has played an important role in the life of Angelina County. Sam Townsend is a former county attorney.

W. J. Townsend, brother of Sam, has been an active Angelina county attorney for many years, and has also served as county attorney. W. J. or "Jim", as he is familiarly known, is, perhaps, as well read on Angelina county history as any [illegible]

Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Renfro



John Renfro



One of the best known families in Angelina county is that of Renfro, which has been represented in East Texas since the years of the Republic, and few men have shown greater business ability and have been more successful in building up large landed estates than the Renfros. John F. Renfro is not only a large landowner in Angelina county, but is a minister of the gospel. He is a grandson of a Texas pioneer, and is living within a dozen miles of the place where he was born September 24, 1866.

His grandfather, John F. Renfro, brought his family to Texas in 1839, and after one year in Sabine county, settled on Renfro's prairie, eleven miles south of Huntington in 1840. That was his home the rest of his career, and he did much improvement work on his land. Born in Kentucky in 1797, he was sixty-two years of age at the time of his death on November 24, 1859. In Missouri he married Miss Rebecca Harrison Hicks. Not only in Texas but elsewhere, John F. Renfro and wife were useful workers in their community, and not only contrived to prosper themselves, but helped to smooth the way for other comers in the new country. Their journey to Texas was made by wagon, and their first year in Sabine county was spent near McMahan Chapel, the first Methodist church organized in Texas. Rebecca Renfro died December 23, 1869. The children of this pioneer couple were: Isaac P.; Mary Jane, wife of H. A. P. Berry, died in Hood county, Texas; Benjamin F., who died in Ellis county, Texas; [illegible] who died at the old home at the age of twenty-one; Kate, who married Dick Howard and moved to Mississippi; Margaret, who first married John Brown, who died, and later married Hason Hutchinson; James D., who died at Waco; John, who died in the Confederate army; Lucy and Samuel, who died before reaching maturity. The father of John F. Renfro was the venerable Isaac P. Renfro, who, until the time of his death, December 25, 1928, was an active farmer in the community where his father settled a century ago.

Isaac P. Renfro was born in Washington county, Missouri, March 27, 1829, and was ten years old when as a teamster in General Taylor's the family moved to Texas. A young man of seventeen, in November, 1846, Continued on page 3, col. 5, this Sec.

I. D. Fairchild



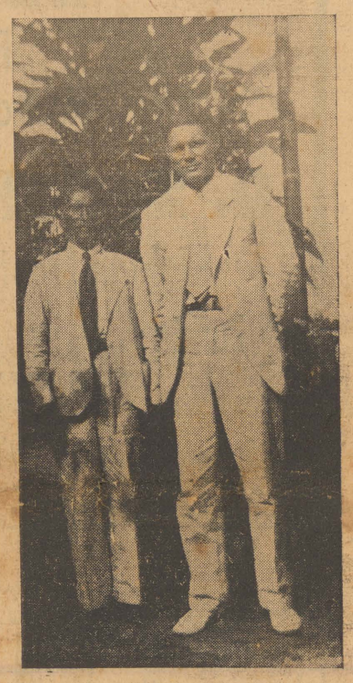
Mr. Fairchild was one of Angelina County's most outstanding citizens. He was serving as State Senator at the time of his death.

Mrs. G. W. T. Collins



Mrs. Collins was the wife of Angelina County's first sheriff, and the mother of Bolivar L., Hiram, Emanuel, and Lamar Collins; Mrs. Amandaline Hudiburgh, Mrs. Delphine Arnett, Mrs. Will Clevenger, Mrs. Elizabeth Stevens and Mrs. Janie Ivy, all of whom are deceased.

Missionaries



Miss Anne Laseter, Southern Baptist Missioonary to Chile, spoke at a gathering of Training Union Workers here in October, 1938. It was in August, 1939 that Rev. Clem Hardy, missionary to Brazil, in the Amazon Valley, was introduced to Huntington. The Baptist training union has an important part each month in supporting a native of Brazil in mission work there. Rosario Martines is the Brazilian.

Bolivar L. Collins



For many years Mr. Collins played a leading role in the commercial, civic and social life of Huntington. During his life time, Mr. Collins was one of Angelina County's most outstanding citizens; and memories of this highly-respected character are cherished by all whose privilege it was to know him. Mr. Collins died September 11, 1930. It is probable that in the entire history of the town, no man was ever held in higher esteem than was this beloved banker and farmer.

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Senator Tom Connally Sends Congratulations to Huntington

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**COMMITTEE ON
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Washington, D. C.,
June 3, 1940

Hon. J. W. Cloud,
The Huntington Weekly News,
Huntington, Texas.

My dear Friend:

Allow me to congratulate the splendid citizenship of Huntington on the mammoth homecoming celebration commemorating its fortieth anniversary. They are to be commended on the fine spirit of co-operation they have displayed and I know it will be an enjoyable event for all.

But for imperative official duties requiring my presence in Washington, it would be a pleasure to attend and mingle with the large crowd present.

Trusting I may have the privilege of visiting your city at some future date after I return home and with all good wishes for a successful program, I am,

Sincerely,
Tom Connally
United States Senator.

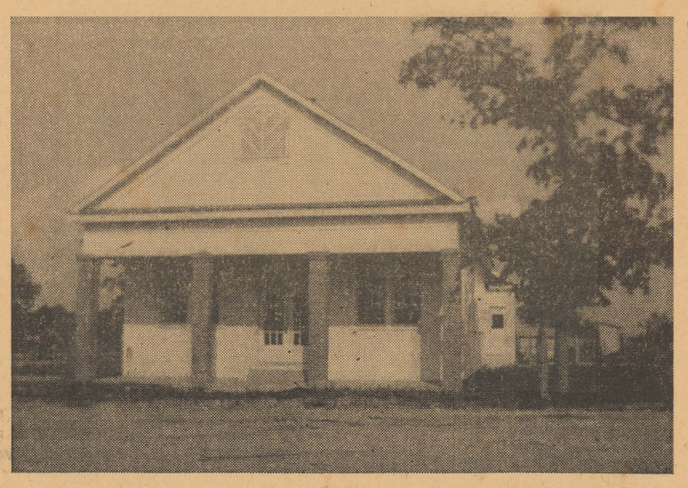
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Wesley Fellowship Club



The Wesley Fellowship Sunday School Class was organized under the leadership of Rev. N. B. Crawford. The class has a membership of over 30. It serves as an advisory staff to the pastor.

Methodist Church

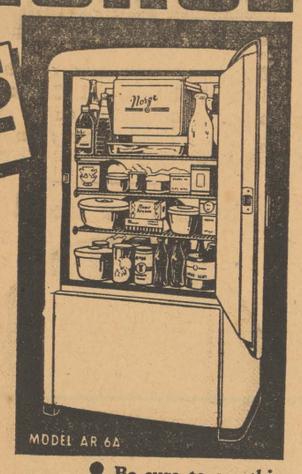


This building was erected in 1937. Rev. F. I. Weatherby was pastor at that time. Funds are being raised at present to enlarge the building and also modernize the parsonage.

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THE FABLE of THE DOG and the BONE

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Local Masonic Lodge Is Known Far And Wide As The Oldest In Coumty

Pursuant to previous undertakings, a group of leading Angelina County citizens met on Saturday night, February 4, 1860, to organize an Ancient York Masonic Lodge. Thus was formed the first order of Masons in this county—Homer Lodge, No. 254 A. F. & A. M.

Charter members of the organization were: Samuel Cole, A. L. Hudiburgh, S. M. Baird, Sr., J. B. Wright, B. Z. Dunn, C. A. Steam, L. C. Kirkpatrick, H. J. Matthews, J. W. Guinn, H. A. Perry, W. H. Fairchild, Elija Fairchild, Hiram Brown, T. R. Walker, C. W. Statham, J. J. Aldridge and H. M. Wood. Upon request of these charter members, a dispensation was granted by Grand Master James F. Taylor on September 22, 1859. Mr. E. Harry, from Terril Lodge No. 83, Proxy of the District Deputy Grand Master, presided over the meeting.

The final establishment of the order was no doubt a happy occasion. It terminated months of work and several of those present either walked or rode horseback many miles to witness the culmination of their efforts.

At the meeting, eight officers were elected and entrusted with the duties of the various offices. Those elected were: Samuel Cole, Worshipful Master; A. L. Hudiburgh, Senior Warden; S. M. Baird, Sr., Junior Warden; J. B. Wright Senior Deacon; B. Z. Dunn, Junior Deacon; C. A. Steam, Treasurer; L. C. Kirkpatrick, Secretary, and H. J. Mathews, Tiler.

This group of officers, with the assistance of the brethren, immediately went about the business of closer organization. They drew up by-laws which are still recognized by the fraternity. The effects of their various labors are still felt and remain as a shining example to present and future Masons.

At the turn of the century, the town of Homer was being rapidly moved. The County seat had been changed to Lufkin. By a unanimous vote of members, it was decided to move the Homer Lodge to Huntington.

On June 29, 1901, J. C. Arentt, B. F. Harvill and E. L. Robb were appointed as a committee of three to take subscriptions for a new build- at Huntington. Their efforts were successful and the present building was erected on a lot to the west of what is now known as "the old Bank Building". The first meeting of the lodge in the new building was held September 13, 1902. C. B. Burns was Worshipful Master and George R. Thompson, Secretary.

On March 10, 1906, the present site of the Masonic Hall was purchased and the building moved.

Present officers of the organization are: Jim J. Holland, Worshipful Master; Luther Holland, Senior Warden; Vela Driver, Junior Warden; Earl Alexander, Senior Deacon; Willie McGaughey, Junior Deacon; G. D. Cowart, Treasurer, and Milton Carrell, Secretary.

They, with eighty-six other loyal members, continue striving to make Homer Lodge an organization ever helpful to its members and to the world. Each member is back of every move made by the city and its officials to make Huntington a more desirable place to live.

Chit-Chat

William Holden, starred in Sol Lesser's "Our Town", collects recordings of jungle rhythms. At present he has 72 records of drums. Martha Scott, who is co-starred, was once a property man. As head of the properties department in the University of Michigan repertory company, she received $10 per week.

JOHN RENFRO

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he enlisted for service in the Mexican war. His enlistment occurred in New Orleans, and his service was army, and he was present at the battle of Buena Vista and in other engagements, continuing with the army of the United States until June, 1847. Some fifteen years later when the Civil war came on, he enlisted, in 1862, in the Confederate army, and was a teamster in Governor Hubbard's Twenty-second Regiment of Texas Infantry in General McCulloch's division. Having been trained as a farmer, Isaac P. Renfro, after his marriage, took up that vocation and the livestock industry, and has long since been accounted one of the most successful business men of Angelina county.

Isaac P. Renfro was married February 13, 1855, to Sarah F. Ainsworth, daughter of Casual and Lizzie Beth (Dean) Ainsworth from Alabama. Mrs. Renfro, who was one of three children, was born in Washington county, Alabama, December 3, 1833 and died November 24, 1904. Isaac P. Renfro and wife had the following children: James Franklin; Ann, wife of James A. Weeks, of Renfro Prairie; Mary Amanda; Lucy, wife of T. J. Treadwell of Burke; Ella, who married Allen Rush, both deceased, John F., of Huntington; Albert P., of Burke; Charles D., deceased, Sallie, wife of I. O. Warner, deceased, and Rosie, who married J. D. Cochran, and both now deceased.

John F. Renfro grew up near the prairie which has the family name, and completed his education at the Sam Houston Normal in Huntsville, which graduated him in 1889. His early experience was that of teaching, and there are a great many of his former pupils who remember him with gratitude and affection. It was his regular vocation for ten years, and in the meantime he spent the intervals of his work in continuing his own schooling. On leaving the schoolroom, Mr. Renfro, dropped back to the farm, locating on his grandfather's old estate on Biloxi Creek. His exceptional enterp... varied activities as a stock ma... trader and land dealer, has brought him a place among the most successful and influential men of affairs in this part of the state. He owned ten thousand acres of timber and grazing land in the vicinity that he came to know so well as a boy, and over which he wandered when a beardless youth with only his aspirations and dreams of success. The entire tract is enclosed with wire fencing, and in one quarter of the farm is a large artificial lake, constructed by Mr. Renfro and stocked with bass from the government hatchery. In 1911, Mr. Renfro bought one hundred and fifty-five acres comprising an excellent farm in the school district of Huntington, where his growing family could have good school advantages, and where at the same time his sons could learn the practical lessons of industry on the farm. In 1913, Mr. Renfro built a splendid country home of nine rooms, and that structure is a pioneer of its kind in this vicinity, being a modern country residence, equal in its furnishings and equipment to the best that may be found in the city. In 1914, his property interests were increased by the purchase of eighteen hundred and fifty acres also situated in the Huntington school district, and in and about the town of Huntington.

In addition to having been one of the county trustees of schools in Angelina county, Mr. Renfro has also served this district as a member of the House of Representatives in the Texas Legislature. Mr. Renfro was one of the organizers of the Huntington Guaranty State Bank, and served as the second president of that institution.

Texas produces approximately 480,000,000 barrels of petroleum in 1939, or nearly two-fifths of all the oil produced in the United States.

Texas oilmen spent over $60,000,000 last year in drilling dry holes in Texas in an effort to find new oil reserves.

Texas Annual Milk Production Runs Into High Figure

Texas is playing an important role in June Dairy Month, as the state's annual milk production is valued at more than $45,500,000.

"On January 1, there were 1,443,000 milk cows reported in Texas valued at $54,834,000," says the Milk Industry Foundation in a statement urging nation-wide support for the Dairy Month campaign. "Production in 1939 equalled 1,996,000,000 quarts.

"Texas is an important state to the dairy industry," the Foundation declared, "and this June program will benefit consumers by emphasizing the food value of milk and dairy products, and enable producers and distributors to promote increased demand for excess farm milk production.

"In addition to fluid milk which brings the farmer his highest price, Texas in 1938 produced 36,829,000 pounds of butter, 24,182,000 pounds of cheese, 10,138,000 gallons of ice cream, 46,708,000 pounds of canned milk.

"In 1938 milk was the third largest single source of farm income in the state, topped only by cotton and cattle. Milk was 19 per per cent greater than the cash farm income from all grains, 3 times hogs, over twice vegetables; 2 times wheat and corn; 2 1-2 times wool, 4 times fruits and nuts.

"Estimates for the nation as a whole show that milk production on farms this June will reach a new all-time peak. Last June the farm milk production in the U. S. totaled 5,332,000,000 quarts of milk.'

Adapting weapons of warfare to domestic needs, Forestry Service officials have announced that a new lightweight radio is being used by parachuting fire fighters for use in the National Forests. Tests made last year revealed the feasibility of dropping a crew of fire fighters from airplanes to put out small fires in inaccessible areas. Radiophones keep the "smoke jumpers" in touch with their pilots.

TEXAS UNIVERSITY HAS LARGE LIBRARY

Passing the library of Northwestern University, the Lamar Library of the University of Texas during the past year became the thirteenth largest college library in the United States. It has a total of more than 620,000 volumes.

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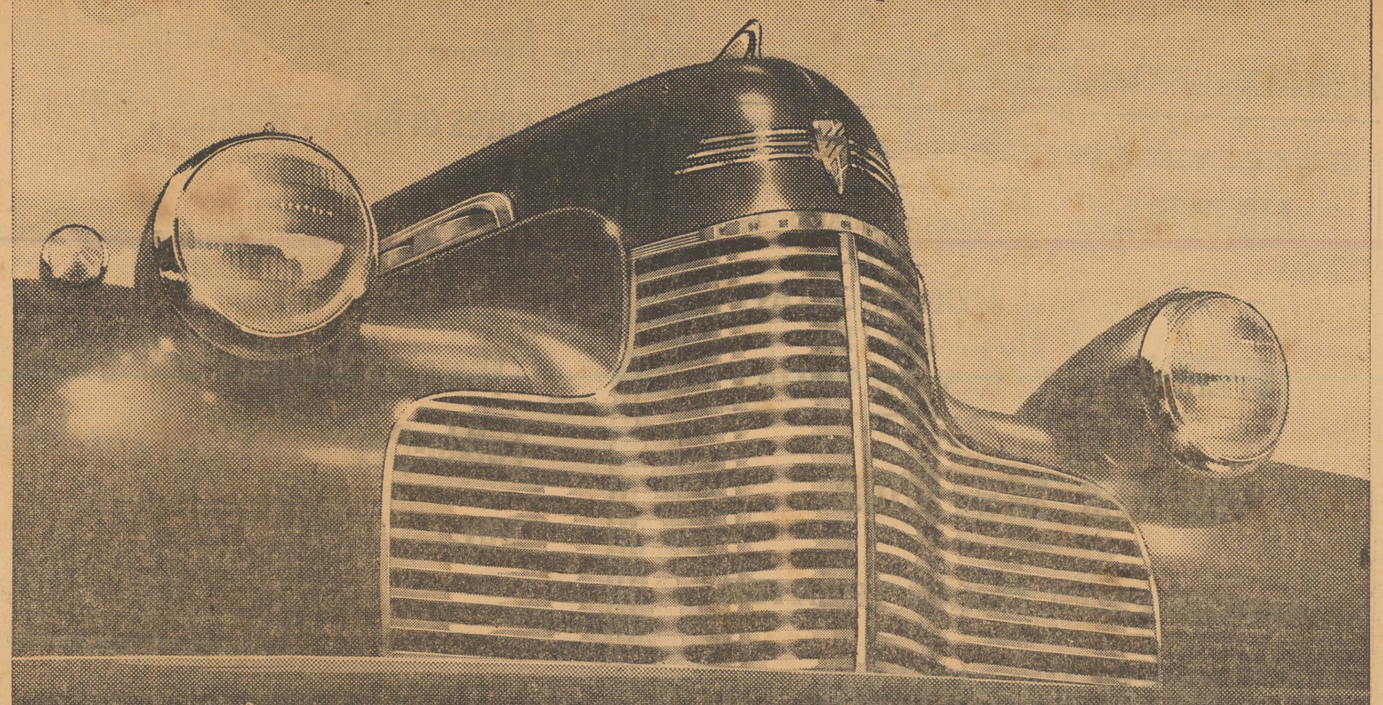
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HOMEMAKING GIRLS TAKE SUMMER PROJECTS

Forty-two Homemaking students are earning one-half credit this summer by devoting 100 hours to some project. In addition to this, they are required to be present at three group meetings. The girls taking part in this work live in the local school district and meet with Mrs. Granberry on set dates at the most convenient places.

Various projects are being taken by the girls; some are making their summer clothes, some are canning, and some are improving different rooms in their homes. One outdoor living room and one park are being made.

For a group project the girls have chosen a nursery school. They have enlisted 12 children between the ages of 2 and 5 years, who attend the school from 9 to 12 o'clock in the morning. During these hours the children are under the supervision of three girls and Mrs. Granberry, who teach them songs and games. They are given lunches at 10:15 and returned to their homes at noon. This school provides training for the girls and a good time for the youngsters.

In addition to their work, the girls are also participating in social functions, among which will be an all day picnic and swimming party at Boykin Springs. Last, but not least, this class is entering a float in the Home Coming parade, as well as rendering their services in the serving of lunch on June 22.

Girls enrolled for summers project work are Nelda Earl Cruse, Mirian Cowart, Virginia Crowder, Lonnie Carter, Willie V. Jones, Vada Innerarity, Boyd Stringer, Dot Steele, Joy Freeman, Nell Basey, Joy Kirkland, Lorene Tatum, Alene Snowden, Delma Jean Nerren, Louise Herrington, Juanita Jones, Dorothy Lee Jones, Marie Donnell, Cristene Bass, Virginia Boyett, Mary Beth Cleveland, Mozelle Ivy, Glenwith Youngblood, Melba Nerren, Mozelle Walker, Jackie Sharpe, Georgia Johnson, Jeanette Carroll, Margie Walker, Elizabeth Walters, Beatrice Walters, Elouise Jones, Thelma Poland, Geraldine Holland, Pauline Williams, Jennis Nell Brashear, Doris Helen Clark, Genava Crain, Delilia McGaughey, Mildred Clark, Charlie Ruth Sayers, and Elouise Nerren.

MRS. D. F. ROWIN HAS OLDEST RUNNING CAR IN COUNTY

Huntington boasts of the earliest model car in running condition in Angelina county. The Ford, owned by Mrs. D. F. Rowin, is a 1916 model and it has been in good running condition ever since it was purchased. Before Mr. Rowin's death in 1935, he placed a tire on the car which has never been changed. The family moved here in 1935 from Gonzales, Texas; car expenses on the trip amouted to $2.50. The car serves Mrs. Rowin and her daughter's family today as their means of travel as it has done during the past 24 years.

NELL'S BEAUTY SHOP

Nell's Beauty Shop, located in the Sharp home near the high school building, is the only beauty parlor in Huntington. Mrs. Sharpe, owner and operator, is a graduate of the Anna Louise School of Beauty Culture, Beaumont, Texas, having received her diploma in 1934. Upon her graduation, she opened her establishment in the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. B. Forrest. She operated her shop there until 1939, when she moved to the present location.

Nell specializes in permanent waving and her range of prices make it possible for one to have a permanent at a price that can be afforded. Her policy is to render personal service to each customer alike.

MRS. SCAFF HONORED

A stork shower, honoring Mrs. Ferd Scaff, was given in the home of Mrs. Jess Hamilton, Friday evening from 7 to 9 o'clock. Games and contests were enjoyed and refreshments of jello, punch and cake were served to the 37 guests attending. Mrs. Scaff received many lovely and useful gifts and a very pleasant evening was reported.

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CONGRATULATIONS
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HUNTINGTON
On Their City's 40th Anniversary
"RIDE WITH CLYDE"

New Water System Well Underway

Some seven months after the City of Huntington was incorporated, in December, 1938, the city council, then composed of J. F. Burris, mayor Councilmen Dr. H. M. Wilson, M. L. Carrell, J. T. Holland, R. A. Stewart and J. H. Johnson, and City Secretary C. E. Buckner, met in a called session to consider the proposition of building a modern waterworks system for the city.

On July 3, 1939, Mr. M. C. St. John, Houston, was employed as consulting and supervising engineer, to make plans, survey, studies, maps and specifications necessary for the construction. After surveys were made, it was decided that an expenditure of about $40,000.00 would be necessary to build the system. After due consideration was given various plans and specifications, the city council decided to ask the voters of the city to approve a Waterworks Revenue Bond issue of $20,000.00, with the understanding that the city council would make application to the Works Progress Administration for the remainder of the needed funds.

An election was called for August 12, 1939, to vote on the issue. The election was held in the Stewart Building in Main Street. Mr. A. P. Burris was appointed presiding officer. The election for the issuance of these bonds carried by an almost unanimous majority, the vote being 163 for to only 5 against. It was then necessary for the city officials to sell the bonds. After the council had made many efforts to dispose of the bonds, a deal was finally closed, whereby the firm of Fenner and Beane of New York purchased them.

An application for Works Progress Administration assistance was submitted in August, 1939, through the state headquarters at Marshall. The project called for a waterworks supply and distribution system. Eight-inch water mains were provided for, as was a 100,000 gallon concrete reservoir and standard fire hydrants throughout the business section.

Of the total expenditure, $39,626,-40, 51 per cent was apportioned the government and 49 per cent payable by the city.

Presidential approval of the project came on March 6, 1940. Senator Tom Connally wired as follows: "Mayor, City of Huntington, Texas. President has designated your W. P. A. project No. 40587 in the amount of $14,905 to construct Water Distribution system including salvaging and relaying existing water lines, installing new lines, pumps, feeders, constructing settling basins, filter valves, fire hydrants, meters, meter boxes, fittings, and appurtenances, plant, pump house, tank, and tower, and performing incidental and appurtenant work. Project now eligible for operation at discretion of State Works Projects Administrator." Signed Tom Connally.

The purchase of the privately owned water plant of V. C. Davis was required by W. P. A. officials and a purchase price of $3,200 was agreed upon; the city began operation of this system on March 28.

Since submission of the original application, the city council has deemed it advisable to make some changes in the materials originally designated. First plans called for cast iron water mains, but it has since been agreed to use transite pipe mains. Transite pipe is considered a better main for this area and its use will result in a substantial saving in construction.

The waterworks system plans have now been fully approved by Mr. George C. Hawley, Chief Engineer, State Fire Insurance Dept. of Austin. When the system is in operation, the city council plans to organize a volunter fire department. Mr. Hawley recommends that the city organize a department with not less than twenty members, who shall drill twice each month throughout the year, with a drill period covering at least two hours. Fire hose and equipment will be purchased by the city upon the completion of the waterworks system.

LOCAL BRIEFS

Mr. R. P. McKewen, who suffered a slight heart attack Monday, is reported to be improvin nicely.

Mrs. Ross Still of Nacogdoches attended the Henry shower here, Tuesday, at the home of Mrs. T. L. Wilson.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. McKewen Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cruse, Jacksonville; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Prince, Nacogdoches; Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Carroll, Mr. and Mrs. George Carney, Lufkin.

Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Renfro and children spent Sunday in Nacogdoches visiting relatives.

Mrs. Ben NeSmith and daughters, Bennie Jane and Arnie Faye, are visiting relatives in Houston this week.

Mrs. Ben Davis and daughter, Bennie Jane, returned to their home in Beaumont, Sunday, after having spent a week here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Ward and children of Lufkin, visited here during the week end. They have moved into their new home in the Eastwood Addition. Mr. Ward is employed as night engineerman of the creosoting plant at Lufkin.

Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Gates and children of Wiergate, were visitors here during the week end in the home of Mrs. D. B. Gates.

Mrs. Maxie Bozeman and children and Maxine and George Cloud spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ragan in Lufkin.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris McMullen and daughter of Crockett visited here Sunday.

Mrs. Dan McKewen has been quite ill at her home for two weeks. She is reported some better.

Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Crowder and family spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Monzingo at Carlyle and Mr. and Mrs. Skipper Russell at Turnertown.

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We sell, install and service any size rural gas system. Our gas delivery man will service your equipment free. Buy your Gas Appliances from us. We service what we sell.

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J. P. COONS, Representative

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To The

HOMECOMING ...VISITORS...

The oldest Masonic Lodge in Angelina County extends a hand of welcome to every citizen and visitor on the attainment of Huntington's

40th ANNIVERSARY!

HOMER LODGE
No. 254, A. F. & A. M.
Founded 1860

The Huntington News will help build a Greater Huntington

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CORDIAL GREETINGS

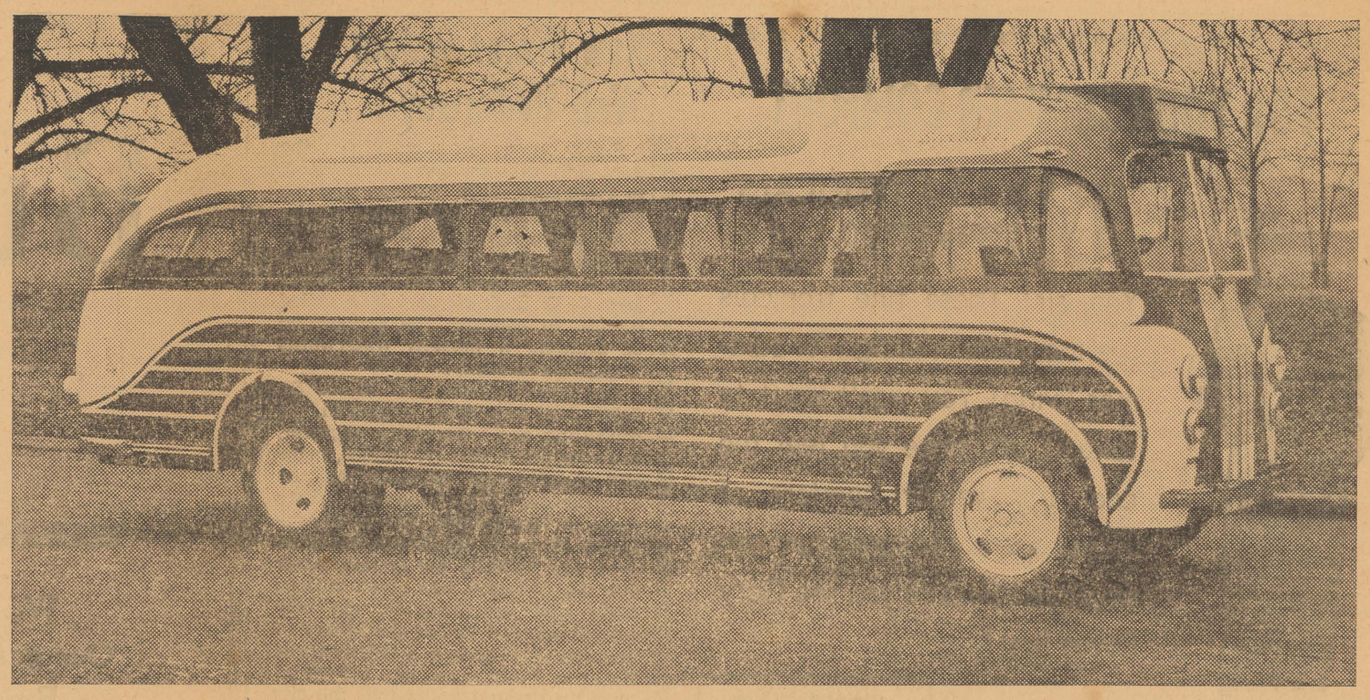
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BEST WISHES



TOM CONNALLY

UNITED STATES SENATOR



One of the latest additions to the modern fleet of Lufkin-Beaumont Motor Coaches.

Lufkin-Beaumont Bus Line Takes Lead In Modern Transportation Facilities

In the early days of 1926, the Bus Industry began to throw a more radiant light over the hills of time. C. S. McMullen, prominent local citizen, saw the beckoning signal, became enthused over transporation possibilities, and followed the rays of the ever brightening beacon.

Envisioning the completion of the mighty net of highways which were being constructed day by day, Mr. McMullen gazed into the future and saw the need of speedy, safe transporation for the convenience and necessity of a rapidly increasing traveling public.

At this time, Mr. McMullen was operating a jitney service from Huntington to Lufkin and other points in this immediate section of Angelina County. His one "bus" was a five-passenger Essex.

Late in 1926, he applied for and was granted a permit to give service between Lufkin, Huntington and Zavalla. The line used the regulation cars of the day. The large, modern bus was still a child of fancy and even had it been a reality, it could not have been used in this section due to the road conditions of the time.

In 1928, English and Kennedy received a permit from the railroad commissioon to operate a bus line between Zavalla and Beaumont. As a means of lengthening their line, they leased from Mr. McMullen, on a commission basis, his Lufkin-Zavalla line. Thus came into being the Lufkin-Beaumont Bus Line.

In the latter part of 1931, Mr. McMullen and C. W. Perry of Lufkin purchased the entire holdings of the Lufkin-Beaumont Bus Line and Mr. McMullen became general manager of the Company, a position he has held ever since.

Pioneers in their field in this section of the country, the Lufkin-Beaumont Bus Line experienced all the difficulties known to forerunners of any business or enterprise. In the early days, the "busses" were ordinary stock cars—usually Buicks, Hudsons, or Dodges; and it was not at all unusual to find these cars loaded with anxious passengers, bogged down in the seemingly bottomless mud of former East Texas roads.

In times such as these, Mr. McMullen and his faithful drivers labored in the mire through hot summer days and cold winter nights alike, to get their passengers to their destinations. It is small wonder, indeed, that the busses of that day sometimes failed to arrive according to schedule.

When you compare the Lufkin-Beaumont Motor Coaches of today with the line of yesteryear, you can better weigh the genius and untiring energy of Mr. McMullen to whom goes the bulk of credit for building this modern transporation system.

The one little Essex operated by Mr. McMullen in the beginning of his business, fades into insignificance at the sight of the modern fleet of Busses his company now operates. However, if the truth were known, it is quite possible that he still maintains a place in his heart for the little car from the windows of which he looked out and saw his first vision of modern-day transporation.

FIRST ELECTION HELD AT OLD MARION

The first election in Angelina county of which there is any record was held on December 14, 1846, at old Marion, which was situated about ten miles north of Huntington on the Angelina river.

It took place at the residence of Otto Sickenberger in "beat" No. 2 for the purpose of electing one lieutenant colonel and two justices of peace. Only six votes were cast. Those voting included Sickenberger, Thomas Walker, James Gilliland, "Squire" Brown, G. T. W. Collins and A. C. Colwell.

Ephriam Finley and Wiley Colwell were elected justices of the peace, and Eli Gilliland, lieutenant colonel. All candidates received six votes According to records, it was recorded how each citizen voted.

RECENT BRIDE HONORED

A miscellaneous bridal shower was given in the home of Mrs. T. L. Wilson, Tuesday afternoon, June 18, from 3:00 to 5:00 o'clock, in honor of Mrs. Gordon Clegg, formerly Miss Earline Henry. Mrs. Otto Wilson and Miss Marjorie Hawkins were co-hostesses.

Misses Billie Jim Lewis and Betty Ruth Hawkins served as ushers and presided over the bride's book. A color scheme of pink and white was attractively carried out in the decorations and refreshments.

The program consisted of an old-fashioned spelling bee and a paper bride contest. Refreshments of chicken salad sandwiches, cake and punch were served to 58 guests and the bride received 70 beautiful and useful gifts.

"Dixie For Furniture"

"DIXIE FOR FURNITURE" These three words have in the last four years come to mean much to residents of Angelina County. Unsurpassed quality of merchandise–a complete and comprehensive stock of home furnishings–a convenient credit system–Courteous service and a general attitude of helpfulness. These are only a few of the features that our patrons naturally think of when they hear or see these words.

We take this opportunity for expressing our appreciation of the patronage of our Huntington customers in the past. We hope that our merchandise, our service and our interest in their complete satisfaction will continue to merit their support.

Dixie Hardware & Furniture Co.

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HUNTINGTON

On Your

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Enjoy THAT Dr. Pepper GOOD FOR LIFE! FLAVOR FIVE CENTS

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HOMER GARRISON ABSTRACT COMPANY
AND LUFKIN

Extend congratulations to Huntington for its steady growth in its forty years. Here's hoping you will continue to grow in every way.

FATE—
I have seen a Texas pine
Riven by the lightning's stroke,
Rent in twain—
A monarch slain. . .
Laughing at the cruel joke
The Blast
Howled past. . .

GULLS—
Streamers of gray
and white,
Like shadows
of the night,
They wing
an endless flight—
the gulls of Galveston. . .

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO HUNTINGTON!
OUR STORE
IS
Headquarters In
Angelina County For—
Picture Framing
Pittsburg Paints Glass
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HEADQUARTERS PAINT STORE
122 Lufkin Ave. Lufkin, Texas

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following announcements for office are made subject to action of the 1940 Democratic Primary election.

For Senator:
R. C. MUSSLEWHITE
JOHN W. LAIRD
BEN RAMSEY
San Augustine County

For State Representative:
OTTIS E. LOCK

For District Judge:
J. W. CHANDLER
Cherokee County
C. E. BRAZIL

For District Attorney:
E. B. LEWIS
Cherokee County
VERNIS FULMER
A. L. LOWERY
Nacogdoches County

For Sheriff:
DEWITT FENLEY
H. C. BILLINGSLEY

For County Clerk:
TOM L. HAMPTON
MRS. KIT McCONNICO

For Assessor-Collector:
C. H. WALLACE

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
JOE LaRUE

For Constable:
Precinct No. 6
C. H. CONNER
LEON JONES
D. PORTER

For Justice of the Peace:
Precinct No. 6
L. L. DENMAN

The average depth of oil wells completed in Texas in 1939 was 3,700 feet compared with 3,000 feet for the entire United States.

Texas oil workers each year buy $60,000,000 worth of farm and livestock products supplied by Texas farmers and ranchers.

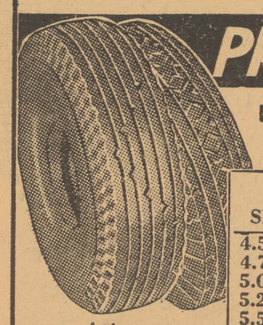
The Texas petroleum industry pays nearly $70,000,000 a year in State and local taxes NOT counting the gasoline tax which is paid by the consumer.

SINCLAIR...
and
S.W. BROWN
Congratulate
HUNTINGTON
on its
40th Anniversary
And Extend a Hearty
...WELCOME...
To All Visitors
May Your Visit Be Pleasant
S. W. BROWN SERVICE STATION

Western Auto Associate Store



EASY PAYMENTS
Every RED TAG Marks a SPECIAL VALUE
SALE ENDS JULY 3rd
LUFKIN, TEXAS AN

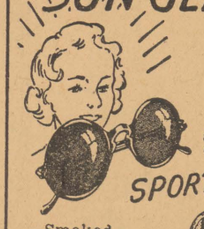


PRICES SLASHED
DAVIS "Safety Grip" Guaranteed 2 Years
DAVIS DeLuxe Guaranteed 18 Months

SIZE	Davis DeLuxe LIST PRICE	Davis DeLuxe SALE PRICE	Safety-Grip LIST PRICE	Safety-Grip SALE PRICE
4.50-21	$9.22	$6.45*	$10.25	$7.18*
4.75-19	9.40	6.58*	10.45	7.32*
5.00-19	9.40	6.58*	11.55	8.09*
5.25-18	10.98	7.69*	12.20	8.54*
5.50-17	11.52	8.06*	12.80	8.96*
6.00-16	12.55	8.79*	13.95	9.77*
6.50-16	15.25	10.68*	16.95	11.87*

Easy Payments
*Includes Trade-In of Old Tires— Other sizes, similar savings

SUN GLASSES 9¢
Choice of amber, blue, or smoked.

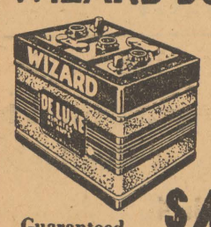


SPORT GOGGLES
Smoked Metal or plastic 28¢



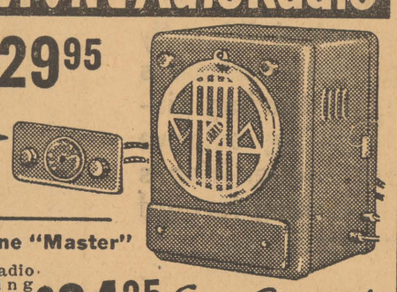
Wind & Dust GOGGLES
Clear, Pyralin 19¢

$1.50 For Your Old BATTERY On A New..
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More pep and power—longer life. 45 Plate.
For Most Cars
Guaranteed 2 Full Years
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6-Tube TRUETONE AutoRadio
Custom-built. 6 tubes give full 9 tube power, tone and distance. Excellent reception under all driving conditions.
$29.95



Matches Dash Design
40TH Anniversary Greetings!
Truetone "Master"
Same radio featuring "One Push-Button Tuning."
$34.25 Easy Payments

FREE Beautiful 19-Piece BEVERAGE SET
Given With These
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Leatherette case. 5-Tubes
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Uses either house current or batteries.

6-Tube "PATRICIAN" Outstanding performance. Push-button tuning. Domestic and foreign reception. 28.95



Battery Model Mantle Radio. Uses low cost battery pack. Fine tone and volume..... Less Battery. 19.95

GARDEN HOSE



25 Ft. 95c
Extruded Rubber With brass Couplings!

Black "Premier" Hose
Tough, 3-ply construction—Gives full ⅝" stream of water. Fully Guaranteed.



$1.39 25 ft.
Complete with brass couplings!

NOTICE
CITATION BY PUBLICATION

This is notice that I am claiming as owner the right and title to the following described tracts of land lying and being situated in Angelina County, Texas, possession of which I have had and held for a period of more than 20 years prior to the date hereof:

Part of the J. B. Arrington estate and a part of the Antonio Solis and Donato Leone leagues of land situated about 2 1-2 miles in a south-westerly direction from the town of Burke, Angelina County, Texas.

Beginning at the S. W. corner of the following described tract of land at a stake from which a P. O. 16 in. marked 'x' bears N 53 W 13.5 in and a pine 6 in. marked 'x' bears S 85 E 11 ft. and a post oak 12 in. marked 'x' bears N 61 E 22 ft.

Thence S 71 1-2 W with a fence at 612 vrs., Cedar Creek; at 783.7 vrs., branch; at 942.6 vrs., the SW corner of the J. E. Arrington fence and the S. E. corner of a fence enclosing a tract of land in the name of Treadwell at a double bitter pecan tree 14 inches.

Thence N 20 W following fence at 187.2 vrs., a lake or creek; at 478.8 vrs another corner of said Arrington fence at an ironwood tree 7 in. for fence corner.

Thence S 82 W 40.8 vrs. to another corner of fence on a holly tree 11 in. diameter from which a magnolia 20 in. marked 'x' and T bears S 81 1-2 W 16 ft.

Thence N 22 degrees-10' with fence 468 vrs. to Jack Creek from which a sweet gum 28 in. marked T bears S 22 degrees-10' E.

Thence in a N. Easterly direction with the meandering of Jack Creek to the N. W. Corner of a tract of land in the name of Frank Abney and the S. W. Corner of a tract of land in the name of W. B. Russell.

Thence S 10 E with a fence at a 176.4 vrs., passed a fence which bears S 70 W At 306 vrs. found an old corner stake from which a white ash 16 in marked 'x' and T bears N 89 W 26 in.

Thence N 68 1-2 E 73 vrs. a red elm 10 in. in line marked '|'; at 514.8 vrs., Pure Oil Co.'s pipe line which bears S 30 E; at 551.7 vrs. a corner of the fence from which a black gum 20 in marked 'x' bears N 10 W 31 ft.

Thence S 19 1-4 E at 118 vrs., Cedar Creek. At 205.7 vrs., another corner of said Arrington fence and the Pure Oil Co's. pipe line.

Thence S 49 W with fence 13 vrs. to another corner of fence.

Thence S 30 E with fence and Pure Oil Co.'s pipe line 97.9 vrs., another corner of fence.

Thence S 20 E with fence 291.6 vrs. to another corner of fence from which a sweet gum 10 in marked as line tree and as witness to corner.

Thence S 67 W with fence at 409.7 vrs., the corner of same.

Thence S 9 W 513 7 vrs. to the place of beginning, and being 278 3-4 acres of land, more or less. Compass declination used: 8 degrees—45' E.

Dr. J. E. Arrington
June 14, 1940.

Recent research has shown that the summer decrease in egg size is due largely to the high temperature encountered during the season. Protection against the excessive summer heat, especially in the form of floor line ventilation, will pay dividends in the form of larger eggs. County agricultural and home demonstration agents have information on floor line ventilation.

Eight out of nine wildcat oil and gas tests drilled by Texts oilmen last year were NOT productive of either oil or gas.

Over $10,000,000 a year is spent by Texas oilmen for geophysical exploration work in their effort to find new oil reserves.

One-third the total land area of Texas is now under lease to Texas oilmen for oil and gas purposes.

MORE FARMERS, LESS LAND

Our normal requirements for farm production both at home and abroad can be met with 1,600,000 fewer workers than was the case 10 years ago. Yet farm population in the U. S. continues to grow at the rate of nearly half a million a year. No doubt you have seen the statement that although the farm population of the Southwest has doubled since the War Between the States, there is actually less land under cultivation in this section today than there was in 1860.

In getting at a solution to the problem of migratory farm labor, it seems that the Farm Security is working along the right lines. It is their plan, first of all, to keep on the land those families who are already on the farm by making small supervised loans. If the federal government can keep a family on the farm for $72 a year per family, counting losses and cost of supervision, it is far cheaper than to provide relief for them in the cities or on the highways. Work relief in the cities cost $800 per family per year, while the cost of farm work relief is around $350 per year.

CONGRATULATING
Huntington
On Its 40th Birthday
It is a pleasure to offer our congratulations to the citizens of Huntington on the completion of two score years of agricultural, business, and civic growth.



The Quality Florist
Lufkin Texas



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No Family–Regardless of Means
Has Ever Been Denied the Services of
OAKLEY - METCALF
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CONGRATULATIONS
TO THE
CITIZENS OF
HUNTINGTON
ON THEIR CITY'S
40TH ANNIVERSARY
JORDAN OIL COMPANY

DAISIES

Twelve hundred daisies—artificial ones—were "planted" for one scene in the Sol Lesser production of "Our Town", the new picture that has been released through United Artists. The daisies cover the hill across which Frank Craven, as the narrator, walks in one brief shot.

For one setting for Sol Lesser's "Our Town", 9100 artificial stars were used. The stars, of zinc and silver were pinned to a huge backing in proper astronomical patterns. William Holden and Martha Scott, two of the stars, consumed thirty-two strawberry ice cream sodas during the making of the love scenes. It took ten cans of tobacco for Frank Craven to play his part in the production. Throughout the picture, Craven smokes a pipe.

Charles Trowbridge, veteran screen and stage actor, played his 30th minister in "Our Town". Trowbridge has been a minister 21 times in pictures nine times on the stage. In "Our Town" he performs the marriage ceremony uniting William Holden and Martha Scott. Before the scene was finished he read the Presbyterian marriage service 19 times.

LOCAL BRIEFS

Mrs. T. F. Ward and her mother, Mrs. J. L. (Aunt Mary Jane) Russell have been visiting relatives in Lufkin this week.

Rev. and Mrs. N. B. Crawford and family went to Winfield, La., Saturday, where Mrs Crawford and the children will remain for two weeks. Rev. Crawford returned and left Monday for Southern Metodist University to attend the Methodist Pastor's School for undergraduate preachers.

Mrs. Maxie Bozeman made a business trip to Many, La., Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Donnell of Nome are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Donnell this week.

The News office received a dollar from Mr. John Boyett, Monday for a year's subscription to the Huntington Weekly News.

Mrs. S. W. Brown, owner and operator of the local Sinclair filling station, is still confined to his bed part of the time. He has not been able to work actively at his station for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Stroud of Lufkin spent Sunday in the home of Dr. and Mrs. C. B. Stewart.

Miss Vermel Freeman of Lufkin visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmitt Freeman, Monday.

Mrs. Dovie Hand is spending this week in the home of her sister, Mrs. Birdie Spidle. Mrs. Hand has been a shut-in for several months due to ill health.

Rev. J. I. Weatherby, retired Methodist minister of Lufkin, was in Huntington Monday.

REPRESENTATIVE LOCK CALLS ON NEWS OFFICE

Ottis E. Lock, State Representative and candidate for re-election, visited Huntingston Wednesday afternoon and called by the News office to leave an order for candidate cards.

FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING

Program for the 5th Sunday Meeting to be held at Ozias, Saturday night and Sunday, June 29 and 30 is as follows:

Saturday night: Preaching services, O. P. Meadows.

Sunday, 9:00 o'clock: Devotional by Foster Harvill.

9:30: Discuss old and new Covenant (Heb. 8:8-12) by C. A. Skipper and Dallas Jesse.

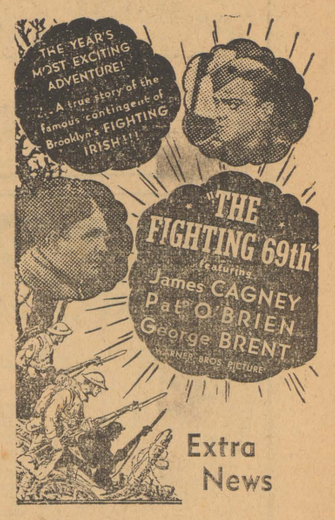
10:30: Will all the saved be raptured before the great tribulation? by H. M. Dry and O. P. Meadows.

1:30: Discuss the four beasts (Daniel 7:4-7) by R. A. Courtney, H. B. Harvill, C. A. Skipper.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

J. V. Stuart, W. P. DuBose, Edd Kirkland and S. H. Davis.

PINES
Comfortably Cooled
By Refrigeration
First Run Pictures Only
Congratulations
to the
Citizens of
HUNTINGTON
on the
40th Anniversary
of their
UP AND COMING
COMMUNITY
FRIDAY - SATURDAY


—Also—
A MERRY MELODY
and
NEWS OF THE DAY
Saturday Night 11:15
Sunday and Monday


Extra
News
—Also—
"DONALD DUCK"

To Huntington
40 Years Old
The progressive spirit of your citizenry is to be commended—we congratulate you on your advancement through the years and wish for you a future commensurate with your possibilities.
From
ABRAM'S GOLDEN JUBILEE
LUFKIN'S DEPT. STORE
50 Years Old
"Nothing succeeds like success"—and nothing furthers success like friendship; your friendship and patronage has enabled us to weather the past, and we hope to merit its continuance. Visit us in our newly remod'led, modern department store. We will be glad to see you.

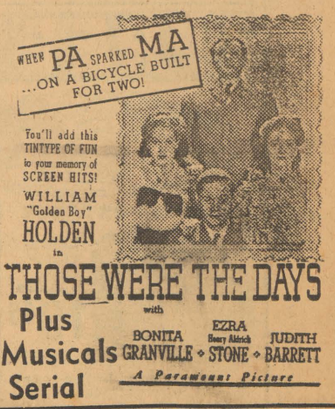
TO THOSE WHO HAVE MADE
HUNTINGTON
May I extend to you my sincere congratulations. In recent years many towns have failed to respond to the march of progress. The pioneering spirit that first established your fine little city has continued to exist. May it never die.
YOUR FRIEND,
R. C. MUSSLEWHITE

Among those expected here for the home coming celebration are Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kinney and Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Standfield.

With 15 Years Of
LEADERSHIP
In the Ginning Business Behind them
JORDAN & HARVILL
"Ginners of Ability"
Extend Two--Score Congratulations!
The centuries-old story of cotton is a saga of romance and enchantment . . . weird as well as beautiful dramas have been unfolded in the cotton lands of the world . . . Countless romances of love, hatred and conquest have had their beginning near the throne of the Legendary King . . .
The first mention of cotton by any writer is by Herodotus, about 450 B. C. It is supposed that cotton culture was first practiced in India, but history furnishes no means of ascertaining when, or by what progressive stages of discovery and invention, cotton was first utilized by man . . . There is no record of cotton being manufactured into cloth before the tenth century . . . Columbus found cotton in use among the natives of Hispaniola . . . As early as 1536 the cotton plant was found growing in the country drained by the Mississippi, and in Texas . . .
It is a far cry from the first cotton found growing in Texas to the modern day cotton gin . . . but every word of the story is interesting . . . gripping . . . fascinating . . . Cotton is so woven into the warp and woof of the life of the South that it is impossible to define the length of its scope . . .
By many people in the Huntington area, cotton is relied upon to supply the necessities of life . . . After the hard labor of planting, cultivating and picking cotton is over, the big job of ginning becomes paramount . . .
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