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yer [Ap] [uncertain]

[NEGRO] [uncertain] CHILDREN

[KILLED] [uncertain] AS TRUCK [HITS] [uncertain] SCHOOL BUS

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truck, [londed] [uncertain] with went
steel, [eranhed] [uncertain] fate the rear of
[nonehool] [uncertain] bin on [Eph]
[uncertain] way Th, near [Leann,
Thoviay] [uncertain] morn,

Khe [Jajured] [uncertain] were then to
[Memortul] [uncertain]

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children were [(alan] [uncertain] too
[Madlvoadlte] [uncertain]

Funeral Home,

[The aeclident] [uncertain] happened ti
Leon owen county, [Jul] [uncertain] abort
[dhitanee] [uncertain] from the [Madinan]
[uncertain] county Tine, recording:

to Hinte Highway Patrol Capt Glan!

Rose of Houston,

Captain Rone [Sdontified] [uncertain]
the dead meet children as: [Otn Johnnon,]
[uncertain] ds elizabeth

Willamn, 14; Ottie Brown, Its Carey

Gene [Hrewn,] [uncertain] 12; Melvin
Brawn, 1h;

James [Johnnon,] [uncertain] t4, ane
Grant

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Captiin Howe and [roporta] [uncertain]
from

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ing the [neclident] [uncertain] stated
Chat the truck,

[Aldyen] [uncertain] by [Jame]
[uncertain] Hnrold Nenven, 25, of [Fort:

Worth)] [uncertain] started fo pane the

[Toaded nehool] [uncertain] bun, [thon]
[uncertain] slowed when tho driver
[nlghtod] [uncertain] tn oncoming ear, and
tried to swing dn behind the bun, a Tho
effort was [unsteconsful,] [uncertain] Cap-
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100 feet off the [rond] [uncertain] and
into an

Bomo of the [childran] [uncertain] on
the bus wore thrown out, Captain Rose
and, and wore [crtished] [uncertain] to
[dénth] [uncertain] aw the bus pen. [And]
[uncertain] truck [watlowed neronn]
[uncertain] tho field."

Tho school bus, driven by a negro
woman, Narvia Spencer, 41, of Mad-
[jsonville,] [uncertain] wan on its way to
Swoet

Homo School. Sho was not injured.

Tho [Associated] [uncertain] Press
reported that the truck belonged to the
Trinity Steel

Company of Houston,

SHIVERS URGES [MORE] [uncertain] INTEREST IN

Houston Chronicle.

Tako just as much interest in your
government as you do in your [own:]
[uncertain]

business, Governor Allan Shivers
[told]] [uncertain] ae [mombors]
[uncertain] of the Houston [Rotary-Ctub]]
[uncertain] at a luncheon Thursday at the
[Rico]] [uncertain]

Hotel.

If you [dont] [uncertain] have a good
govern- Ment," he continued, sooner or
[later]] [uncertain] your business will start
suffering."

He emphasized the [necossity]
[uncertain] for al, responsive as well as a
responsible):

citizenship." He said one of the rea-
sons he travels so much about [the:]
[uncertain]

state is to stimulate interest of [the:]
[uncertain]

people in their government.

He said he is not so much interest- [ein]
[uncertain] saving
[dollars-and—cents—as] [uncertain] he ds
interested in getting more efficiency into
government c

The governor asked the [Rotarians]]
[uncertain] s to co-operate with the state
economy committee, headed by John
Redditt, J former [atate] [uncertain]
highway chairman.

Onc of his greatest hopes for [the/}]
[uncertain] future, Governor Shivers said,
is for b my children and your children to
have the same opportunities that you and I
have without having- [their-pri-j— Yate]
[uncertain] lives blueprinted by a govern-t
[ment."] [uncertain]

He said he [didnt] [uncertain] want the
careers of his or [anyones] [uncertain]
children limited r except by their own
ambitions or [determ ination.] [uncertain]

SOME!

is going to make a profit fro are to
profit from selling [buik] [uncertain] is
considered good business, will the
immediate profits of permanent,
everlasting effect

Houston County, and their cl in such a
community 2222 we are incapable to
attract provide a substantial payroll,
should we accept a negro [penit]
[uncertain] benefits that will Probably

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He decried the current [nocintinth]
[uncertain]

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mild, wan one on proud anton with a
world empire, but ds now a pearl

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now hin [daowhat] [uncertain] din
people want," th

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OFFICERS MUST WORK FOR [PAY,] [uncertain] GET COUNTY OK.

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[Auatin,] [uncertain] May 4. [No] [uncertain] statutory au [A thorkty exduty] [uncertain] for [istulng] [uncertain] commission [wapectal] [uncertain] deputy [ahoriffs] [uncertain] and speck deputy constables to were ni aecia [dopution] [uncertain] without compensation sac without performing [apecint] [uncertain] cuties, the state attorney general ruled Thurs

The opinion wan la reply te are quest by [Harria] [uncertain] County Dintret At [torney] [uncertain] A.C., Winborn who naked two

[St] [uncertain] there any [utututory—] [uncertain] authority authorizing the [dasunXee] [uncertain] of a special deputy sheriff communion or a [Hpe-] [uncertain]

Cal deputy constables [commisnton?] [uncertain]

QE [thore] [uncertain] te no such authority in one who issues such special [comminabhi tH] [uncertain] ie" [THRASH HIE WE aE] [uncertain] of any violation of the Inw?"

The opinion, by [Assintant:] [uncertain] Attorney

General John Reeves and approved by

Attorney General [Prico] [uncertain] Daniel, quoted tate law which provides that deputy [shorifer-ant—conntrhles] [uncertain] imine be ap- pointed only by authorization of the county commissioners court at com- [penantion] [uncertain] fixed by thu court,

The law prescribes a penalty of \$60 to \$1000 fino for any person who serves an deputy constable without proper authority or-any-constable who issue a [deputyahip] [uncertain] without the consent of [commisstonera] [uncertain] court.

CIGAR-SMOKING [GIRL] [uncertain] NABBED [INCHICAGO] [uncertain]

Chicago, May [4.—A] [uncertain] 20-year-old girl, described by police as a cigar-smoking, gun-toting miss dressed in cow-

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[ter] [uncertain] detectives said her attempt at burglary failed,

The girl was seized with a 16-yearold boy when police said they set off iw burglar alarm in the Lakewood Engineering and Manufacturing Company.

The girl told police she and the boy smashed a skylight and lowered themselves into the plant at 1766 West Lake Street. But she said they had planned to break into a drug store at [1758-West-Lake-Street—Ske-said-she:] [uncertain] wanted to replenish her supplies of cigars and tobacco. Detectives said she carried a pipe, tobacco and a cigar.

Police said the girl, identified as Katherine Phillips, identified a 22 [calibre] [uncertain] gun found at the factory as hers, [Police] [uncertain] said she [also_carried_a.] [uncertain]

blackjack,

Both were held without charge.

[Wife—Fine, Ill] [uncertain] start dressing."

[Husband—Good, theyre] [uncertain] for tomorrow night."

Patronize our advertisers.

BODY

m selling the land, others ding materials, [etc.,] [uncertain] which f a FEW overbalance the y ts of ALL the citizens of [hildrens] [uncertain] future, that live 22?

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a manufacturer that will [tentiary,] [uncertain] with its picayune deteriorate our commun-

CROCKETT [COUIUER:] [uncertain]

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ay ul A stock [Mercury] [uncertain] convertible [driv] [uncertain] l [prealdent] [uncertain] of Ford Motor Company an d Mercury division, will [paco] [uncertain] the 34t [0] [uncertain] Indlanapolls, May 30. Wilbur Shaw [(] [uncertain] milo [raco] [uncertain] and now president and ge

[Bpeodway,] [uncertain] will [rido] [uncertain] with Mr. Ford [seloctlon] [uncertain] of Morcury to pace this yenr' had [mado] [uncertain] an important contribution to

Industry In [wistinng] [uncertain] tho recent Gran [romnrkable] [uncertain] average of 26.52 ton miles

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[j} Theres] [uncertain] nw great at day coming around [12000] [uncertain] A. D when, says-Prasldont Tru- nan, [natorial] [uncertain] family income will hit nn average of \$12,000 per year.

Lets peek into the [averaye] [uncertain] Amerj- can household, come 2000, and get n load of the family conversation.

Junior: Ma, Ma, gimme \$5 for an ice cream cone, Please Ma, [woneha, 1] [uncertain] Mn?"

Mummy, sternly: What did you do with that C-note I gave you yes- [terday] [uncertain]

Junior, defensively: Well, gee whiz! You cant expect me to stretch

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ever, can ya?"

Daddy, getting a word in [edgowise:] [uncertain]

So he offered me \$10,210 trade-in on the old car, And I says to him, Look,

Mack, you trying to be funny? This cars only gone 24,000 miles and [I] [uncertain] paid you \$23,399 for it only eighteen months ago,"

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She fiddles the dials of the \$15,000 tele-radio-vision set and tunes in just [lus] [uncertain] the announcer is saying: Heres the chance of a life-time to the lucky contestant who can spell his name and thus [gct] [uncertain] at chance at the giant jackpot now totaling \$7,259,473,843.

Mummy, sniffing contemptuously: Whats so big about that? Why, only last week that silly [waman] [uncertain] who lives

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gram."

Daddy: The funniest thing happen- ed to me as I was going back to the office after luncheon today. A bum stopped me and said: Brother, can you spare a dollar for a cuppa coffee?" and J said to him, You show [me_where] [uncertain] you can get a cup of coffee for a dollar, Bud, and Ill blow ugboth- [to:] [uncertain]

a cup" He [musta] [uncertain] been drunk or [rerazy?!] [uncertain]

Sis, pouting: Daddy, why cant I have a mink coat? Honest, Daddy,

Im ashamed to be seen in that ol?

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Daddy: Do you kids think [Im.] [uncertain]

made of money? I paid \$28,000 for that last mink and you promised to wear it three winters before asking

[Sis..But,] [uncertain] Daddy, I saw a mink on

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Daddy, please!"

Daddy, sulking: All right, all right, Ill think about it. But I slave away for a pittance [atthe] [uncertain] factory and if I get a cheap \$565 blue serge suit once a year Im lucky!"

Daddy lowers his head and looks suspiciously at his wife. [He] [uncertain] asks: Isnt that a new dress [youre] [uncertain] wearing?"

Mummy, airily: Darling, its nothing just a little something for the kitchen I picked up in a basement sale today. Marked down to" \$395. Actually, it was a

[steal!'-Public] [uncertain]

Service, PEPPER LOSES. FLORIDA VOTE

[Florida—Rep.] [uncertain] George Smathers unseats New Deal Senator Claude Pepper by majority of more than 65,000, Democratic [primary_equivalent.to.gen-].eral:] [uncertain] election.

Florida voters have ousted Claude Pepper, veteran New Dealer, from the senate seat he has held for 14 years.

Pepper, who had championed many of President Trumans Fair Deal" policies, was soundly beaten in Tuesdays Democratic primaries by [Repre-] [uncertain] George Smathers, who calls himself a middle-of-the-road liberal."

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more than 65,000 in virtually complete turns. He swept 45 of the 67 coun-

Aes, Including [MANY] [uncertain] that had" been!

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ven by Henson Ford [(right),] [uncertain] vice ul genera) manner of the [Lincoln.] [uncertain] th [Indernationat] [uncertain] 600-Milo Raco at [(left),] [uncertain] dhree-timo winner of the 500 neral manager of the Indlanapolls na passenger, Ty [onnonnelng] [uncertain] the a rico, Mr, Shaw said that Mercury the advancement of the automotive nd Canyon [Economy] [uncertain] run will the 4 per gallon of fuel.

Pepper strongholds for years,

Technically, the 36-year-old marine veteran won only the Democratic no-[AHA On bot] [uncertain] th [Phordda] [uncertain] that ky equiv- agent to election.

Nevertheless, Democratic National

Chairman William M. Boyle Jr, quickly [pledged] [uncertain] the full resources" of the national committee to aid Smathers in the November general election.

Boyle also telegraphed Pepper that the party will miss his services, in the senate hut we know we will [con-] [uncertain]

stine to have your full support and bel i in the Democratic party battle against reactionary Republicans."

National interest in the Florida primary overshadowed, that in primaries held in three other [states—Ohio, Aly. bama] [uncertain] and Indiana.

But in Alabama, national party Democrats were waging hot fight for control of the states party machinery now held by rebel States Righters a [oer] [uncertain]

[AGENTS—\$10.] [uncertain] daily booking orders hew amazing Scotchlite name plate that Shines at Nite for top rural mail boxes, Low priced and its hot. Illuminated Sign Co. 3004 [First,] [uncertain] Ave. So. Minneapolis, Minn, 3t.

The extra qu thousands o!

[Humeig] [uncertain] Ess then, [thousan] [uncertain] oil to Esso [Ey cating quali] [uncertain] you. Esso Ey Sive action highest [vis] [uncertain]

[TWENTY-FIVE] [uncertain] YEARS ACOIN HOUSTON COUNTY

The following [Hem] [uncertain] are taken from the [Courige] [uncertain] filum of 2b yearn [nyo] [uncertain] thin

Tt wart [dnneunced] [uncertain] that Crockett was

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[Moo. Darsey] [uncertain] of [Grapeland,] [uncertain] Lee de,

Perry of Lovetady, Arthur [Owens] [uncertain] of

Crockett and Id [M.] [uncertain] Galley of Rat cl urged [Chil] [uncertain] the people of Houston county rend Che Confederate Veter:

to the state convention in" [Pallant] [uncertain] Mny

Members of the state highway eom- nation and the highway committee of Trinity and [Touston] [uncertain] counties

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find nw [obanquel] [uncertain] on Friday evening at the

Mecen Cafe,

Loch Gook, Steve Denny, [Wobhy] [uncertain] Me-

Connoll [nud] [uncertain] Ben Chamberlain were ont fishing trip to [Deviltu] [uncertain] river, near

Sim Artedye pitched the [enginesrn"] [uncertain] baseball team to an dt te 8 victory over Shady Grove Saturday afternoon, allowing one [hil] [uncertain] Brown and [3] [uncertain]

Connell pd Crockett hitter, [Thorn-] [uncertain] ton pitched for Shady Grove,

The Crockett: Lions" [Club.] [uncertain] favored [eoonstruction] [uncertain] oof a river bridge [Sy] [uncertain]

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Miss Luey Mad Murehison, daughter [fof] [uncertain] Mr and Mrs, [R. T.] [uncertain] Murchison of Grapoland, was married to [Ben.] [uncertain] Hail. [Of] [uncertain] Crockett on Snturday night oA. M. Rogers [und] [uncertain] father, G. W.

[Rogar,] [uncertain] bought controlling interest in the Crockett Hardwood Pine Lum- [J ber Company:-from] [uncertain] W. R. Turnor, and A. M. Rogers way to manage the The Courier reported that Trinity county voted a bond issue of \$1,500,000 for road construction by [v6] [uncertain] to 1 ratio. Dawson Robbins" Bulek automobile [Jcaught] [uncertain] fire and burned on the high- way, a mile and a half west of [Crock+] [uncertain] yet, on Sunday night. The Crockett auditorium was being [J] [uncertain] equipped, Mrs. W. P. Bishop, Mrs. John Le- [1Gory,. Mrs, In] [uncertain] B. LeGory and Mrs.

Hortense Sweet gave a dance in [the:] [uncertain] Shrine Club rooms on Tuesday eve- sing honoring their nephew, Joe Gus

LeGory. Music was by Miss Bessie Berrys orchestra,

[A"] [uncertain] team of Crockett: High School players, augmented by three outsiders, t rancher from San [Angelo,] [uncertain] on file at Humble [OI!]

[uncertain]

the world Humble [Ess] [uncertain] motor oil"

qualities of Humble [Esso,Extra] [uncertain] Mofo f motorists that its the-best they

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ads of Texas motorists have changed fi [xtra,] [uncertain] Their demand for the extra clean [ities] [uncertain] of Esso Extra recommend [thi: xtra] [uncertain] is the only motor oil that comb with [superiér] [uncertain] wetting ability, anti-[scosity] [uncertain] index. Change to,the best n [nge] [uncertain] to the oil users [recomfend.] [uncertain] Drain and refill with Esso

Extra motor oil at any

Humble sign.

Humble Oil [Refining Co,] [uncertain]

[Ws somet] [uncertain] of

Companion in quality to gasoline defeated the [Grapelind] [uncertain] Uh Sehool

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[Frbdny] [uncertain] afternoon,

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to Ton i Cherry April [27, HWith,] [uncertain] al

[Lovelndy,] [uncertain] Rev, G. A, [Houten] [uncertain] officlat- ne

The semiannual [flouston] [uncertain] County

[MWoyelage] [uncertain] Convention wake fo he hold

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Jno, [UH. Tlin] [uncertain] of Crockett, J. Re

[MMOL] [uncertain] of [Lovelndy] [uncertain] and Geo, [Réehnurds] [uncertain] of Grapeland had nerved at [oan] [uncertain] fury

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Minn Audrey Lewin of [Lovelady] [uncertain] wan

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N.Y. April [8,] [uncertain] 19th, at) the brides home in [Lovelady,] [uncertain]

JUST A WORD WITH

OUR SUBSCRIBERS

We have fifteen renewals and [subxerptiont Uhis] [uncertain] week [aygiinut] [uncertain] twelve lank week to bray about, and we hope to be [exeuned] [uncertain] for bragging. [Iellow-] [uncertain] y [tng] [uncertain] ts the dint we are bragging about thin week we [brayyred] [uncertain] about last weeks Hist last week both Hate are appreciated: [0.] [uncertain] TL [McClain, Ratetift, Mra] [uncertain] dh, JT, Graham, Houston,

J. W. Shivors, Crockett,

J. [Homer] [uncertain] Went, New Waverly.

Henry [L,] [uncertain] Elis, Crockett.

Leroy L. [Moore,] [uncertain] Crockett, [vendetiate: Laney: Lovaladyrtttudlayns] [uncertain] crew ou

G. Wakefield, Crockett.

George Lune, Crockett,

CG. W. [(Puny)] [uncertain] Wood, [Austin.] [uncertain]

G. Manning, Crockett Rt, 8

BR. OH. [Hogan,] [uncertain] Augusta.

J. 3. Holleman, Livingston,

Misa Nell Beasley, San Antonio.

Rev, D, [BM. Calloway,] [uncertain] Crockett.

John [doesnt] [uncertain] seem [nas] [uncertain] well dressed ni" when he married you five years ago,"

Thats strange. He is wearing the same suit."

Benjamin Franklin invented bifocal glasses,

February has five Sundays i three times in every century.

There are more states east than [wost] [uncertain] of the Midsissippi River.

Washingtons estate at Mt. Vernon comprised 2700 acres,

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The Pony Express was known as the marvel of the Sixties,

Refining Co. [Moustoo,] [uncertain] Texas,

r Ollhave convinced can buy. d din in July, 1949. Since rom some other motor [ling,] [uncertain] cooling and lubri- 8 Unique motor oil to bines detergent-disper-

oxidizing quality [and_-] [uncertain] [notor] [uncertain] oil you can buy

UMBLE

MOTOR CIL

[hing] [uncertain] extra extra yr your money

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[A] [uncertain] tree PLANTING [LACS] [uncertain] IN HOUSTON COUNTY

[College] [uncertain] Station, May 4 [Hardin] [uncertain] county [exeoeded] [uncertain] all other [Toxine eoun] [uncertain] [thes] [uncertain] in [veforostation] [uncertain] for [(he] [uncertain] pant planting season, according [(ow] [uncertain] mum

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[lensed] [uncertain] by Don Young, head [MEE.] [uncertain] j went department of the Texan Forent

Service,

More than [171,700,000 Aken neodtnagn] [uncertain] were planted by Toxad farmers and front [Induntrion] [uncertain] in the 1040-60 aea- won, which extended from December

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mary of tree planting activities nhow- ed nv 200,000 [inerenne] [uncertain] over tho dk- [4] [uncertain] season, po [A] [uncertain] Hardin county farmers and forest [industrion] [uncertain] planted 3,610,000 seedlings thin season, Over three million of there were planted by Kirhy Lumber

Corporation, the largest tree planter in Texan, The [sameyorporation] [uncertain] plant- ed over 1% million additional need- lings on their lands in other counties,

Ranked behind Hardin, other leading.

counties in the total number of trees planned were Jasper, Newton, [Ange-] [uncertain] linn, Rusk, Prinity, Polk, Smith, Cass,

Harrison, Cherokee an. [Ty} ets] [uncertain] then, [Cer] 6 AL] [uncertain]

Tere were 150 Texas counter par- [tipicnting] [uncertain] in" the tree planting pro- gram. This was an increase of [Q4] [uncertain]

counties participating compared to [(he] [uncertain] 1948-49 planting: [senkon.] [uncertain] The 15 mil- lion seedlings were planted by 1,398 separate planters.

Rusk county farmers headed the list of farm plantings, In the order named, Smith, Cass, [Uurrigon] [uncertain] and

[Cherokee] [uncertain] counties followed Rusk in the number of- seedlings planted" by farmers; 1,376. farmers planted [5,-] [uncertain]

311,400 trees. The largest single farm planting was 100,000 trees planted by

John Alford and Frank Markey new

Henderson in Rusk county,

The city of Tyler planted 210,400 rs seedlings on a watershed surrounding

Lake Tyler in Smith county. This was the largest municipal planting in-Texas,

All of the tree seedlings were grown in Cherokee" county at the Indian

Mound Nursery, operated by the Tex- as Forest Service, a part of the A.

M. College system. The trees planted included 16 different forest and wind- break species. Over 13 million of the i total. 16,700,000 trees planted were slash pine.

[CONTRACTORS"] [uncertain] NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION.

Sealed proposals for constructing

7.603 miles of Gr. Strs. Flex. Base

One-Crs. Surf. Treat from FM 228 in Grapeland to 7.6 mi. N. W on

Highway No. FM 1272, covered by [R_636-4-1,-in-Heuston"] [uncertain] County, will be received at the Highway Depart- [ment,] [uncertain] Austin, until [9:00] [uncertain] A. M. May

11, 1950, and then publicly opened

and read. This is a Public Works" Project, s defined in House Bill No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature of the State of

Texas and House Bill No. 115 of the [1] [uncertain] 44th Legislature of-the [State-of-Texas,] [uncertain] and as such is subject to the pro- visions of said House Bills. No pro- visions herein are intended to be in conflict with the [privisions] [uncertain] of said Acts, fs accordance with the provisions of said [House-Bils,] [uncertain] the State High- way Commission has ascertained [and}] [uncertain] set forth in the proposal the wage rates, for each craft or type of [work-] [uncertain]

[F-0-R—S-A1-E—] [uncertain] Residence lots in C. L. Hooks Addition

and farms of various sizes in Houston

County. CL. HOOKS Real Estate Dealer

Res, Phone 481 Office Phone [378}] [uncertain]

Dr. Claude Riley [Dr.] [uncertain] John A. [McCall.] [uncertain]

Hours: 9 to 5. Phone [sas] [uncertain]

County officers got a notice from the government not long ago, ask- ing them to change-the name of

Mad Lake, Seemts its a pond, not a lake, by government standards ee or [Because] [uncertain] it Hes entirely inside a our town limits, we asked to do the name-changing ourselves. Figured wed think up a brand-new name.

Mud Lakes really not very muddy

sort of pretty, in fact. County people said go ahead, 60

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suggested something. Windy Tay- [lor] [uncertain] thought "Taylor Pond" would be nice, because his place borders

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the war an above wanted project, [naw provalllag] [uncertain] in the locality tin [whleh] [uncertain] the work tn te be per formed, [und] [uncertain] the

Contractor shall pay not [des] [uncertain] than these wage eaten ae hewn In the proposal for each [evaft] [uncertain] or type of

[Inborer, worlaygan] [uncertain] or Ineehanie em.

[Dloyed] [uncertain] on thin project,

Loyal holiday work hull be [pald] [uncertain] for ut the regular [Koverning] [uncertain] rates,

[Minna nnd apacificienttonn avatable yal] [uncertain] the office of HL [V.] [uncertain] Harlan Jr, [Rowident Enyhiesr,] [uncertain] Crockett, Texan,

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[7th,] [uncertain] Usual rights reserve 2 i t t y t

1948 CENSUS OF BUSINESS FOR HOUSTON COUNTY

Retail, wholesale and [worvieve] [uncertain] eatab- [lishmenty] [uncertain] located in Hounton county, [7Texau,] [uncertain] showed a [mubstantlal] [uncertain] expan- sion in dollar volume of trade from [J] 1059 [uncertain] to 1948, according to preliminary figures from the 1948 Consus of [Bust nem] [uncertain] released by the Burenu of the Census, [U.S.] [uncertain] Department of Com. [imeree,] [uncertain]

Retail sales in the county during

[MH aggerepated \$106] [uncertain] million, an increase of 205 per cent over the \$4.8 di lot de 1888, ovohen.tha [wproceeding Census] [uncertain] of Business was taken, Wholesilo rales in the county reached a total of \$5.8 million in 1948 as compared with [\$1] [uncertain] million in 1980. The service trades [tueluded] [uncertain] in the Census of Business recorded receipts totaling [F442,000] [uncertain] in 1948 compared with \$127,- 000 In 1939,

Employment in the county also rose over the [9-yéai] [uncertain] period between [1939,] [uncertain] and 1948 for the above trades. [Establishments] [uncertain] in these" trades reported a combined total of 696 paid employees for the workweek ended nearest November 16, 1948. This compared with a total of 492 employees reported for the week of November 15, [1939."] [uncertain]

These preliminary figures [have,] [uncertain] been derived from a Census report [on,] [uncertain] Houston county, Texas, which also includes data for the city of [Crockett,] [uncertain] Final figures, [suptfseding] [uncertain] the preliminary dub or Houston county, [will,] [uncertain] be included in a bulletin for the state of Texas to be issued in several) months. Similar data will be made available this year in preliminary and, final form for each of the [counties]; and,] [uncertain] states, A single copy of-the [pre-7 liminary] [uncertain] release for Houston [county,] [uncertain] as well as an order blank for [other]] [uncertain] area releases, may be obtained [by,] [uncertain] writing to the Bureau of the Census, Washington, 25, 25, D. [D.C.] [uncertain] Cc.

RED DANGER LIES IN FELLOW TRAVELERS, [EBA CHIEF] [uncertain] WARNS

New York, May" [3—F.] [uncertain] B. I. [Di-] [uncertain] rector. J. Edgar [Hoover] [uncertain] says America has only about 55,000 Communist party members" but their real strength lies in 500, 000 fellow travelers and

sympathizers ready to do [their_bid-] [uncertain] ding.

Hoover made his estimate of the number of card-carrying members of the nations [foree] [uncertain] of traitorous Communists" and of their sympathizers at a Masonic gathering Tuesday night.

[Hoovers] [uncertain] estimate of the [Communist-party.] [uncertain] membership was in line with recent reports that the party [hadjdwindled] [uncertain] since the war from a previously estimated 75,000 or 100,000.

He said the subversives are a real anger to [the-nation—despite-] [uncertain] their relatively small numerical [strength—] [uncertain] and he predicted that their influence will be destroyed.

Hoover addressed 1000 persons at the annual dinner of the Masons" Grand Lodge of New York state. He received the medal awarded by the grand lodge annually to a.Mason for distinguished service in an humanitarian" field."

Whistler, the painter, used a butterfly as his signature.

[Patronize:] [uncertain] Courier advertisers.

[Pieitibialiaied] [uncertain] Tie sit by Joe [Marsh.] [uncertain]

Mud Lake s Cleared Up"

[it—for] [uncertain] about 80 feet! But we finally decided to call it Turtle Pond" in honor of the real owners,

From where J sit, naming that pond [wasnt] [uncertain] the most important thing in the [world—bat] [uncertain] the [wey] [uncertain] we did it was, Everyone offered his opinion and then the [mafority] [uncertain] vote decided it. [Thats] [uncertain] the way it should [be—whether] [uncertain] it concerns naming a pond, or having the right to enjoy a friendly glass of beer or [ale—if] [uncertain]

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CROCKETT COURIER:

EXPECTING DRUNK FINDS AIRPLANE ON HIGHWAY 75

City police officer, Will [Willette,] [uncertain] telephone rang [about 8] [uncertain] clock Sunday morning, May [1,] [uncertain] reusing Officer [Willotte] [uncertain] from an untroubled sleep. [Of ficer] [uncertain] Willette Hfted [tha taluphone yocelved nnd] [uncertain] said: [Hello!"] [uncertain]

[A-mans] [uncertain] voice pitied words feta [tha] [uncertain] telephone, Tt sounded [nas] [uncertain] if the man were asking the officer to come get him. Another drunk! Officer Willeto admite- he thought the man ant the other end wan

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drank.

What do you want of me?" he [anked] [uncertain] the man.

TE thought you might want to arrest me," replied the min. [TP] [uncertain] just [Janded] [uncertain] an airplane on Highway 75 about two miles north of Conroe."

Officer Willette [dreased] [uncertain] quickly and wan on his wry.

Rain made driving slow, [Vinibility] [uncertain] was limited, Officer Willette kept his eyes on the road expecting to find [acdrunken] [uncertain] man sitting in the read or at the nide of the read. Then he stopped. There in front of him was an airplane parked in the center of the round.

[Lam] [uncertain] William Reed of Dallas," the [Srcripe] [uncertain] bad [MAE RAW RA] [uncertain] and M at College Station to Roxenberg for na visit. It was clear when I left Rosenberg, but the rain. [eldxed] [uncertain] in so [Ecouldnt] [uncertain] see where Twas going and lightning upset my [edmpass,] [uncertain] I was lost. T saw an [nutomobile] [uncertain] on [the}] [uncertain] road. [1] [uncertain] flew over it and landed [in}] [uncertain] front of it."

The driver" of the automobile, Charles Hill-of Willis, came up just in time to hear the last two sentences,

Yes, and you seared me stiff the way that plane roared right over me,"

The plane, a Piper Cub, was pushed off the highway.

[Ive] [uncertain] got to call College Station at once," Mr. Reed said. Im in the cadet corps and, if [I] [uncertain] don't report, they'll [sprend] [uncertain] an alarm for [mé,] [uncertain] and, when they find out what happened, if I [dont] [uncertain] call, [2] [uncertain] be on the [carpet."}] [uncertain]

When the storm abated and day broke Officer Willette and Highway Patrolman Fred Burns [accompanied]] [uncertain] Mr. Reed to his plane.

A road block was set up south [of,] [uncertain] the plane, which was then moved [back,}] [uncertain] to the highway. The officers. [sta-{-} [uncertain] tinned themselves north of the plane under

wires paralleling the road. [Mr.}] [uncertain] Reed gunned his motor. The [plane.}] [uncertain] sped down the highway and [then!}] [uncertain] moved upward at a sharp angle.

Safe in the air Mr. Reed flew [tol"] [uncertain] the airport to get fuel, and, upon receiving permission from the [Houston.}] [uncertain] office of the CAA to proceed to [Col-. lege] [uncertain] Station for a complete [examina-:] [uncertain] of the plane, took off for Texas A. [and.-M—Conroe] [uncertain] Courier.

Drive home this FIRST and Fittest ALL-ROUND SAF

[AT] [uncertain] LOWEST CO

Drive home this face! FIRST and [Finést] [uncertain] fo DRIVING AND RIDING EAS! AT LOWEST COST

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FRIENDLY YOUNG MAN BACK IN

Rebert L. Hult [nde] [uncertain] fronds easily he [wae] [uncertain] such a good young man, [lhe] [uncertain] Widnt smoke, he did drink and [wenl] [uncertain] to Sunday school neh. [Bunday,] [uncertain] That it he did in Conroe for three week up to Thurdday, April 27, when he left) Conroe,

He didn't nay where he wan going. He just drove out of town and [wns] [uncertain] on hin way. Had he stayed another ny he would have probably trains: [ferred hia] [uncertain] residence to the [ifth] [uncertain] floor of the county fail, Becaune the mailman delivered a poster Friday from the FHI to the sheriffs office,

On the poster was a good picture of Robert L. Hull, 27, but it add his real name wan Donald Peck. It contained many statements and figures descriptive of Donald Peck and and he [wns] [uncertain] wanted following, his escape October 30, 1948, from the county all at Danville, [M1,] [uncertain] He had pleaded guilty too burglary in Danville and was sentenced ta [20°] [uncertain] years in the penitentiary, according to reports brought here, There are also [30]] [uncertain] casey of burglary on which to

try him. [ceodtne] [uncertain] Che meantime [SHerift] [uncertain] pasta Kern of Harris county and [Raney] [uncertain] Klovenhagen had traced Peck, alias Hull, to Conroe. They wanted to question him in connection with the murder on April 17, of W. L. Rhodes at Hockley, They came to Conroe and, finding he had left town, put a pick-up order on the ais,

Dallas police reported they had Peck in jail, They got him Thursday evening [havjng recetved] [uncertain] the FBI circular [thay day.—Conroe] [uncertain] Courier,

[GAMBLERS] [uncertain] BETTING PAPERS SEIZED [INNEW] [uncertain] YORK

New York, May [3.—The] [uncertain] district attorney swooped down on the Park Avenue office of million-dollar gambler Frank Erickson Tuesday and carted away a truckload of alleged betting

The raid was the direct result of Ericksons admission before a United States senate committee Friday that he runs a law-breaking \$12,500,000-ayear national bookie business in New

York.

The raid, in the center of Manhattans richest apartment and fashion district, took place in secret Tuesday morning.

No arrests were made when the district [attorneys_men_flashed—their-] [uncertain]

Drive home this fact

FIRST and [Finest.] [uncertain] ca [STYLING] [uncertain] AND COMFO

AT- [COSTmag] [uncertain] AT LOWEST

[Wirtant] [uncertain] and entered the [offlee,] [uncertain] Hut [Brlekson] [uncertain] and hie [tuvyer,] [uncertain] Sol Gelh, were [oon] [uncertain] hand,

[Gelb] [uncertain] said Inter he would yo [hefare] [uncertain] General [Sessiona] [uncertain] Judge [John] [uncertain] A. [Mule] [uncertain] len Wha teed the warrant and try to yet the papers back Wednesday. He will charge the seizure wan [Heya,] [uncertain] he added,

[Hogans] [uncertain] aides and the paper, fill ing bulky filing [enbinets]

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[uncertain] and port. [folfon,] [uncertain] dent with here race betting and gambling on other sports events,

The investigators [plo] [uncertain] te go through them with a fine-tooth comb to [nen] [uncertain] if they [oan] [uncertain] find Prouds for prosecution,

That government ia best which rites the [Jeant,] [uncertain] keeps the number of employee on [tts] [uncertain] payroll at a minimum, and pares its [oxpensen toa] [uncertain] the bone. It naturally follows that such a [govermmiont,] [uncertain] except in times of war, does not, have to Tevy back-hrenking taxes. We had that kind of a government in America for n century and a half, up to 16 years ago. We do not have such a government now,

[Uts] [uncertain] Easy to

Figure in Dollars and Cents, [BUT..] [uncertain]

The important questions to ask yourself [are—How] [uncertain] many hours of needless drudgery will it save? How

much more time will I have for profitable work? How much will it

actually increase my farm produc-

We can answer these questions.

Let us show you how a Dempster Water System pays for itself, then begins paying you. Come in today

for details about a dependable

[Dempster] [uncertain] system to fit your needs.

Consumers Fuel s Leading Dealer Organi:

e [hom] [uncertain]

Chevrolet handles

Chevrolet rides [bett] [uncertain] for

Come in! Sit in the drivers [sez] [uncertain] and drive home the facts of its

OWn way and at your own pa m that this sensational new Chevr action as it leads in all-round a Drive stand experience a in-Head power, get-away and [Jf] [uncertain] it Americas best buy for [perfo] [uncertain] o revel in handling ease and [ric] [uncertain] Americas best buy for comfort

five-fold motoring protection tt best busy for safety! Again this year, more

people [H] [uncertain] than any other make of car. Ai value. Come, test this car; [dri] [uncertain] er yourself and [youll] [uncertain] drive [hom] [uncertain]

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AMERICAS BEST [SELLER.] [uncertain]

PAGE SEVEN" me Arranging Her Paddle. [TN] [uncertain]

[Vejend] [uncertain] Milldew writes in to nay that he heartily favor family week. He han turned aver everything [oon]] [uncertain] tho a place to Mrs. Milldew and the family for family week, and he reckon he

Will have nothing to be bothered about a and allows that ho will sleep away the days on the front porch, which con

Is [Gne] [uncertain] of hin [grentent] [uncertain] enjoyments, Ho oe has hin pallet already arranged. Mrn,

Milldew is arranging her paddle,

DR. [DE.] [uncertain] HUGHES Optometrist

[Keasley] [uncertain] Bldg. Phone 431

TRACTOR TRUCK AND oo PASSENGER [TIRES] [uncertain]

VULCANIZED AND RECAPPRD

TUCKER TIRE [SUPPLY] [uncertain]

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[HE] [uncertain] t [U J UTRIFUGAL] [uncertain] PUMPS t

[illegible or non-text passage omitted — see scan]

[zation] [uncertain] invite you to [ter!] [uncertain]

at of Chevrolet for [50] [uncertain] s greater value in your 9 ace! Convince yourself [rolet] [uncertain] leads in all-round appearance!

combination of Valve- economy that makes [ormance!] [uncertain] Drive [it—and] [uncertain] ding ease [thatmake] [uncertain] it it! Drive [it—and] [uncertain] enjoy hat makes it Americas"

2 are buying Chevrolets ot nd the reason [is—more ene ive] [uncertain] home the facts for [1e] [uncertain] in a new [Chevrolet!] [uncertain]

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AMERICAS BEST [BUY!] [uncertain]