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PROGRESS NOTES

By J. E. Shelton, Secretary
Chamber of Commerce

Nothing to Report on No. 84
There is nothing to report on Highway 84 this week as it concerns the Texas portion of it except that the survey east to Tahoka has been completed, and location of caliche beds is being developed.

We don't have any special knowledge on it, but are expecting orders to commence a survey west from Brownfield within the next few weeks. This is just a guess however and is not to be taken too seriously. We are also guessing that the highway department will complete the second caliche course on highway 81, upon which work ceased as soon as the old relief agencies were discontinued. On U. S. Highway 380 in New Mexico, which is Texas 84, the New Mexico Highway Department has set aside a very considerable amount of money for further improvement and work is expected to commence on it within a very short time. Present plans include 23 miles of new construction, commencing 17 miles east of Roswell and running to a connection with a section that was shortened two or three years ago. As soon as this is done, the portion from the 1 mile point to Caprock will be hard surfaced. Next year the New Mexico Department plans to route directly east of Roswell to the 17 mile point, which would call for a new bridge across the Pecos at a point about two miles north of the present bridge. Side roads are expected to be constructed to the Bottomless Lake State Park, which is now being constructed. And by the way, if you have not seen those lakes, take time to visit them on your next trip out that way. They are worth the time and trouble.

Our Recreational Project Still Hanging Fire

Our Recreational Project has not progressed very far since last week. A proposal has been submitted to the city, which they have not yet accepted and until they do so, we are not able to submit an application for Works Progress funds for the purpose of developing the property. We are hopeful that action will be had within the next few days as there does not seem to be any serious obstacles to be encountered.

In the Dark About the Federal Building

We do not know anything definite concerning the Federal building, but since the Second Emergency Appropriation was passed, 351 public buildings have been approved by the Treasury and Post Office Departments and we are hoping that ours was among the number. But no list of towns receiving approval has been published and we are therefore in the dark concerning it but have letters out in which we are asking for the information. We know that we are being considered and we hope for approval.

And False Prophets Shall Arise

Last week it was generally reported in Brownfield and of course other towns, that Roswell had sunk anywhere from eight inches to eight feet, that the earth had cracked and that water had poured out from the Artesian strata, drowned many people and destroyed buildings. The writer knew darned well that there was not anything to it, as he had a wife over there and knew that she would have beat it out of there for home, or would have wired or phoned concerning it. However, having previously arranged to visit that city, we hopped the bus and upon our arrival, found that everything was moving along as usual, but a considerable number of people has become excited and had moved to the foothills surrounding and were camping with the expects on of seeing something happen. Many other people had left the city for other locations outside of New Mexico.

The whole thing was started from a "prophecy" that had been made by some woman in California, in which she stated that the rays of the Sun and Moon would simultaneously con-

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Agricultural Notes

Cotton income in Terry county was nearly double in 1934 what it was in 1932, and even slightly more than in 1933, a very favorable year, it is announced by R. N. McClain, county agent, on the basis of complete official three-year county cotton figures just received from the Agricultural Adjustment Administration.

Terry farmers received for their cotton last year \$1,154,757.07, compared to \$644,944.70 in 1932 and \$1,050,466.63 in 1933. The farm value of lint and seed last year was almost \$325,000.00 more than it was in 1932 and added to this were \$168,596.42 in benefit payments.

Values are based upon yields and prices as furnished by the United States Department of Agriculture. The benefit payments include all those to April 30, 1935.

The value of unsold Bankhead certificates held by farmers is not included in the amount of benefit payments. Texas farmers have about nine million dollars' worth of these certificates on hand, according to the Agricultural Adjustment Administration.

Commenting on this huge increase in Terry county farmers cotton income from 1932 to the present, Mr. McClain points out that there was more than a half a million more dollars of cotton money in circulation in the county the last twelve months than two years ago. This increased farm income has been the means of helping farmers stay in business, maintain their farms and homes, and remain customers of merchants, he states.

August 27th is the last date for transferring 1934 Tax Exemption Certificates over for 1935 Certificates. The county agent is very anxious to get all these in before the closing date.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of thanking our many friends in Brownfield who so kindly offered words of sympathy in the loss of our mother, recently at Abilene. Also for several floral offerings from individuals and combinations of business men. May the Lord bless each of you.

John Wall and family.

concentrate on Roswell with disastrous results as above mentioned. It seems that this woman makes a specialty of prophesying on disturbances of the earth and that she accidentally made good on one of them and her reputation as a true prophet was forever established. The story has been very harmful to Roswell and there should be some way securing redress from the person who is responsible for the harmful publicity.

*** —! xxs ? The Score Cards, Anyway

This week the writer received a letter from Mr. A. B. Davis, Manager of the Panhandle and South Plains Fair, in which he urged us to place an agricultural exhibit at their fair and further stated that he also wrote the Editor of the Herald and County Agent along the same line. Well of course we are all favorable to an exhibit and I judge will have one, but unless we can find some wheat, oats, rye, barley, alfalfa, clover, Irish potatoes, sweet potatoes, peanuts, soy beans and products of that nature, we won't stand much show of getting anywhere near a high place. They go by the score card up at the south plains fair and it is scientific from top to bottom, and an exhibit that actually shows the products that are grown by the average county does not stand any more show of winning than a snow ball in hell. The Tri-State Fair at Amarillo has discarded county competition and the score card and pays a premium to each county showing a creditable exhibit. This is much more satisfactory and an exhibitor is not called upon to swear a bunch of darned lies, when he makes an affidavit that stuff shown has all been grown in his county in the year in which they are exhibited. Down at the Fair in Dallas, it is generally conceded that exhibits are gathered wherever you can find them. A glaring example of this, was practiced by an exhibitor who showed stuff that could not, by the wildest stretch of imagination have been produced in his county, but no harm was done, as he did not get any place with it. The writer hopes that the time will come, when all state and regional fairs, adopt the Tri-State Fair Plan. In the meantime we will undertake to see if we cannot find a little wheat, oats, rye, barley and other stuff that is produced along or near some of the ragged edges of Terry.

CITY-COUNTY PARK PROJECT UNDER WAY

The City Council met Wednesday night and agreed to run a high line to the site of the City-County park, one mile northwest of Brownfield, the land purchased by the county for that purpose.

Mr. R. F. Boston, Field Engineer of Big Spring, was here Thursday to go over the project with the local project committee, and to view the site. This will be submitted to the district and state headquarters at once, and then to Washington for final approval.

Of course there is much preliminary work, but Mr. Boston says that he feels sure that the project will be approved, and will give employment to several men over a long period.

Hi-School to Register First Week in Sept.

In order that all irregularities might be avoided, arrangements are being made to register high school students on Thursday and Friday, Sept. 5 and 6. Seniors and juniors will be registered on Thursday and sophomores and freshmen on Friday. Transfers from other districts must have transcripts of their record signed by school officials of their district. In a recent ruling of the high school division of the Department of Education the accredited high school was forbidden to give credit to any pupil coming from unaccredited high school beyond eight (8) units. If a pupil expects to get more than this number of credits in the Brownfield high school, he or she must take special examinations either from the state or from the local authorities. At least, it is advisable to see the superintendent or principal in advance of registration date. Frankly speaking the local schools have been too lenient in accepting credits from unaccredited schools in some courses, especially in the sciences. It is believed that a unified system will be worked out during the year whereby the work of all the schools of the county will be coordinated and unified in their work. For the time being the attitude will be that of helpfulness. But the time has come when the local schools must guard their standing with the accrediting agencies.

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Shall Brownfield Have A Training Camp

The question of a training camp for the football team is going the rounds. It was introduced at the last meeting of the Lion's club and the Rotary club. One firm has agreed to help either with the expense of travel or with groceries for the meals. It has been estimated that it will require about \$150.00 to make the trip and pay for the meals. This will care for some twenty-five boys for ten days. The athletic funds are "nil" at this time. If you are interested in this proposition, please get in touch with the superintendent or some member of the school board at once. The coach will be in within a few days, and it is imperative that we know at once whether or not a camp will be held.

Suffice to say, if Brownfield is to have a good football team, she must give the boys at least the same opportunity that our neighbors have. All football boys are called to meet at the high school building, Monday morning at 9:00 A. M.

Brownfield Schools To Open Sept. 9th

At a recent meeting of the school board the date of Sept. 9 was set as the opening day of school. A ruling was also passed making it necessary for children entering school for the first time to present birth certificate showing date of birth. No unders will be permitted to attend school unless a further ruling is made by the Board to that effect. Children must be six years of age by September 1, 1935 in order to attend school, unless arrangements are made to take care of unders, a thing that has not been done. It is utterly impossible to take care of unders with the present teaching force. Don't forget a BIRTH CERTIFICATE.

Lee E. Rice, of Meadow, has purchased the Holmes Bros. gin here, formerly known as the Harrison-McSpadden gin, and will overhaul and replace old parts and run it this season.

Big Rodeo Here Next Thursday and Friday

Every preparation is being made here for the big rodeo and celebration next Thursday and Friday August 29-30th. This exhibition of horsemanship and many other attractions will take place a mile northwest of the city on what will become the City-County park, which is the northeast quarter of the Arthur Sawyer section.

The rodeo and other amusements are to be under the direction of three local boys, Earnie Greenfield, Mays Jenkins and Charley Copeland. While the latter lives in Yoakum county now, he spent most of his youth in Terry county, in what is now the Johnson community. These men are all good ropers and riders themselves.

Good money will be offered in the following contests each day: Calf Roping, Wild Cow Milking, Bronc Riding, Cow Riding, and Horse Racing. There will be a free for all Shetland Pony Race, and Cowpony race. Also, a good baseball game each day. At night, there will be a dance on a platform with a good band.

Negotiations are now in progress with Texas Slim to bring his bunch of Mesquero Indians here for the two days. These Indians will wear full regalia of older days, and will be a sight in itself to many of the young people here who have never seen a real Indian. All they ask is a place to camp, as they are advertising their own big pow wow to take place on their reservation in September.

The merchants here are supporting the entertainment well, and will have some bargains for the people those days. Be sure to attend each of the two days.

Want Better Building And a Longer Term

The colored citizens of Brownfield are asking for a better school building and a longer school term. Such an article was handed in this week, but being rather lengthy and late in the week the Herald will undertake to give just a gist of the substance thereof.

They are not asking for a brick building, or even a stucco, but would be satisfied with a nice little frame building. They are also asking for a longer school term in order to give their children better advantages, and in order to be a drawing card to get new families of their own race, who will come here to make their homes.

They state rightly, that the class of negroes who blow in for the fall harvest and then leave are not the new citizens they want or desire, but the better class of honest colored folks who come here to make their homes, and find good schools and churches.

They state that Brownfield is a good town, and a desirable place for whites or blacks to live with good schools and buildings. But, they ask us white people, "would you want to live here even with a good salary if we had poor schools and buildings?" The article closes with the hope that the white citizens see to it that the colored people in the community are provided with better school facilities, and they in turn promise to work harder and make better citizens.

COTTON CROP ESTIMATED OVER 11 MILLION BALES

In its first estimate of the year's cotton crop, the Department of Agriculture Thursday last predicted a production of 11,798,000 bales of 500 pounds each, 2,100,000 bales above last year.

The condition of the crop and indicated production included; Louisiana 75 and 611,000; Texas 74 and 3,851,000.

J. C. Crownover of route one, is a new reader.

Much Complaint About The Courthouse Park

Several of the business men have in the past several weeks had a talk with us about the condition of the park of the public or courthouse square. Some have remarked that the place has been neglected long enough, and that the citizenship should have a talk with the Commissioners concerning it. Instead of being a beautiful park like it should be, some have described it to us as being more like some east Texas cow pasture.

The Herald is ready to admit that the place can and should be beautified, but with many other things before them, including taking care of indigents while alive, and the burial of man when death comes, not to mention thousands of dollars of delinquent taxes stacking up against the county, the Commissioners have had their hands full.

But with conditions improving, we believe we know the present court well enough to believe they will if funds are available, take steps toward the beautification of these grounds. It is true that there is much dead timber in the park that should be removed. It is also a fact that the old Wild Goose grass, or whatever it is should be replaced by bermuda or other lawn grasses, and we are sure that the water bill will be no higher for the lawn grass, and that the one who keeps the grass watered will not cost a great deal more than having the place plowed occasionally.

Our idea of the matter is that instead of making fun and making disparaging remarks, that a committee of the people of the town as well as representatives from the country communities, should meet with the Commissioners soon about the matter. It is perhaps too late to undertake the change this year, but things could be shaping themselves by next spring to start operations.

We have never found these men hard to deal with, and we are sure that they will do what they believe the people wish them to do.

Cotton Crop Estimated From 5000 Bales Up

The Herald man tried to get Frank Wier to make an estimate on the 1935 cotton crop one day this week. Frank is considered a good guesser and probably makes more trips over the county than anyone, but he just about balked on us this time. His estimate was over 5,000 to 50,000 bales.

He says that if cotton goes on like it is now, there is no telling how much cotton will be made. As we have 100,000 acres in cultivation, you can do your own figuring yourself, he says. He knows fields with a bale per acre on them now, and plenty with a half bale. But will it stick, Frank adds.

By the way, Frank is some flower enthusiast. We told you sometime ago that he was going to show you some real flowers this year. Well he says the Herald got him into a mess of trouble by publishing that as he has had to work like hell to make good. But he did, and they have some dahlias at Palace Drug Store that measure 8 to 10 inches across, and he had some that went 11 inches. He also brought them a beautiful bouquet of gladioli.

Frank don't claim to be a botanist, or a son of one, but he knows his okra with flowers, anyway.

Former Desdemonians To Hold Reunion Sun.

Former Desdemonia citizens, sometimes call Hog Town, will meet with Lubbock and other south plains citizens formerly of that place next Sunday at the County Park at Lubbock, for a picnic and reunion. The editor has a special invitation to attend, but as they did not promise to have any water out of Hog Creek, we refused to attend.

Dr. (Aesculapias) Moorhead and Col. Dick Carruth will lead the delegation of perhaps 100 including laws and in-laws, grands and great-grands from Terry county. We know these good people well enough to know that they will have one great time, even in Lubbock, if they don't drink anything stronger than lemonade, soda pop and iced tea.

Ed Arayn will likely leave Sunday for markets at Waco and Dallas, where he will purchase fall and winter stock for the Arayn Dry Goods store here.

Manager of Lubbock PCA Here Tuesday

Mr. Wade Cooper, manager of the Lubbock Production Credit Association, was here Tuesday, and paid a call on the Herald. Mr. Cooper informed us that he was trying to meet not only the farmers of his district, but all the newspapermen as well.

He stated that they had some 150 production loans in Terry county, and was seeking to double the amount next year. He stated that the association had abundance of money, which they wished to put out among the good south plains farmers for crop production, as well as help them buy livestock to feed out on the farm products.

Mr. Cooper was formerly with a Crosbyton bank, and he seems to understand the needs of farmers of this section. He stated that if he wished to buy a farm, he believed he would purchase one in Terry county, as it seemed to him like an average crop was produced in this county more regularly than any other county in this section.

15 Bus Loads of Teachers Through

Last week end, some 15 bus loads of teachers from the old South, passed through our city on their way home from a tour of an educational nature of the western states including a visit we understand to the International Exposition at San Diego, Calif. Each of these huge buses contained somewhere near 30 people, making a total of some 450 to 500 people. They were two days passing through as some had taken more time in New Mexico.

Of course, as usual, some of our premier salesmen had to run their thumbs under the "galluses" and tell the assembled rubbernecks all about the transportation of these buses. Red Tudor says and says, says he, "all those buses are powered by Ford V8's." Not to be outdone, Tom May lows as how they used Mobil-oil and Mobilgas.

Not being any more of our racketeers present, the conversation then drifted into legitimate channels.

Mrs. Dick McDuffie Has a Car Wreck

While on her way to Lubbock, Monday, a tire blew out when a rock was struck in the road, causing Mrs. Dick McDuffie to lose control of the car. It rolled over on its top and then rolled back. It was first reported here that the car turned over three or four times, but that was a mistake. This might have been supposed on account of the car being wrecked so badly.

Lady luck or guardian angels certainly were with them in this wreck, as the car contained not only Mrs. McDuffie and her sister, Mrs. Fred Youree and Mrs. Blue Graham, but some four or five little children. About the only hurts registered were a few skin abrasions and bruises.

Mr. McDuffie informed a Herald man that he had not found out whether he could salvage his car, or would have to buy a new one at that time.

Brownfield Ass'n WMU to Meet Here

The annual meeting of Women's Missionary Union of Brownfield Association will be held at Brownfield Baptist church August 27. The program will begin promptly at 10 A. M. and will include addresses by Mrs. Martha Forbes of Seminole first president and organizer of the W. M. U., and Mrs. J. B. Walker of Tahoka also a former president. Reports from local President's will be heard and an address by Miss U. E. Roark of Plainview.

Lunch will be served at the church at the noon hour.

The program for the afternoon includes reports from all local chapters and address by Mrs. G. W. McDonald of Plainview.

It is hoped that all chapters and charter members of the union will attend. These will be published during the President's report.

Dr. R. B. Pariah, local dentist, sent us a very cooling scum, called Pariah's, Canada, last week. It is a very "moist" scene, too, and is supposed to be a fall in a river.

Statement by Retiring Relief Administrator

I take this means of expressing my appreciation to the entire citizenship of Terry county for the hearty cooperation given me during the past two years that I have served the Texas Relief Commission in Terry county. Never have I seen a better spirit of friendliness and of cooperation than of that shown by the people of Terry county.

I have enjoyed to the utmost working with you and for you, and though at times things would look gloomy, with your help I have always managed to obtain for Terry county the most relief possible from the Austin office. I feel that without your help we would not have been able to have received the amount of relief we have in the past two years.

I am told by the Austin Officials that Terry county has received more relief per capita during the past two years than any county in the State of Texas, and I contribute this fact to the hearty cooperation given me by the business men of Brownfield, the County Officials of Terry county and the relief clients at large.

I feel that you the people of Terry county should feel proud of what you have done toward securing aid for those who have been in need.

I am sure I made mistakes as Administrator of Terry county, but I give you my sincere word that those mistakes have been honest mistakes and at all times I have put forth a sincere effort to obtain for Terry county our share of relief money.

Again, my friends I thank you from the bottom of my heart for your friendliness, your cooperation made manifest toward me and it is with sincere regret that I am leaving you as Administrator of Terry county.

Your friend,
P. R. Cates

Visual Education Part Of School Program

Plans are going forward whereby the local schools will introduce an elaborate plan of visual education. A picture machine is to be purchased and is to be used throughout the grades and high school as a teaching aid and for entertainment. The plan calls for some two hundred reels of pictures of the educational type and fifty or more of the entertainment type. The machine will be of the 16mm variety and will be in a portable case so that it will be available at any time any place. The University of Colorado, University of Kansas, University of Texas, Y. M. C. A., Bureau of Mines, and several commercial moving picture concerns will be involved in the venture. Only a small amount invested in a camera ticket will finance the entire set-up.

Electric Clocks Will Now Run Correctly

Essie Jones, city manager, stated this week that electric clocks would run correctly on the current here with very little attention, should any one want to install them. They run on very little current, and can be purchased at from about \$3.50 up.

He also remarked that if the current was turned off or only a minute or two, the clock would take care of itself, regaining the lost time. But if a plug blew, and the current was off several minutes, it might have to be reset.

Recent legislation has changed the age at which a child must enter school from eight to seven and has increased this age from fourteen to sixteen. In other words, children must enter school at the beginning of the term if they are between the ages of seven and seventeen and must attend continuously for 129 days.

Compulsory School Attendance Raised

By special agreement with the federal authorities the local school has begun on renovating the school building. Fearing that any delay might hinder too much the progress of inside work, seven workmen were put to work inside the junior high school building. They will tabernacle the walls and paint and varnish the woodwork. It will require only some three or four days to complete the work thus laid out.

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The Official Paper of Terry County and the City of Brownfield.

The West Texas Press Association in session at Big Spring the past week end did one commendable thing: They took a pot shot at an east Texas jurist that set himself up as a dictator and who would throttle a free press.

Mayor Wines tells us that the new law concerning itinerant merchants that blow in when the shekles are plentiful and leave before tax paying time will be met this year by the tax collector with his palm upward.

Sharley Shurnal Guy tries to get us in a scrap with the County-Wide News at Littlefield over the fly question. As the publisher is either too stingy to exchange, or does not deem our journal in his class, we respectively refrain from the mixup.

We notice the editors of two of our exchange newspapers, are carrying a large cigarette advertisement, as all other weeklies over the state have been doing.

Just owing to whose ox is gored. Lots of people are mighty moral until money begins to jingle. The rattle of money will attract the attention of our best "christian gentleman" editors.

A man said to us, upon hearing of the death of Will Rogers, that Terry county could better lose him than one of our best farmers. We replied that we didn't think so.

TRY CHISHOLM'S for Good Things to Eat BROWNFIELD

"BIGGEST SPECIAL LIST of the SEASON"

For Quality Meats and Economical Prices We Take Our Hats OFF to No One.

See Prices on Our Window Before You Buy!

country after all." We have no one that we know of that could make the cynic, the snob, the haughty see themselves as others see them.

Herbert Hoover dropped off in Chicago on his way to New York to attend some kind of a Republican pow-wow, and handed out an interview to the press which was nothing more than a 1936 presidential bid.

We notice where our old friend, A. Judd of Lubbock, tried to fill the entrails of that hungry bunch of Hubbock Shurnal-Amulancers with water-millon recently. Well, here's a warning to that force that works for Guy.

In colonial days a trip from El Paso to San Antonio by stage coach or horseback required approximately a week.

During the intervening years the methods and means of travel have been so revolutionized that a similar trip today consumes only a fraction of the time taken then.

As transportation has passed from the horse and wagon period to gas and electricity it has meant a rising and heavy toll of life on the highways.

Recent advances in science and medicine give much promise that these tragedies among young people and persons in the prime of life can be greatly lessened.

For fifty years rest has been used in the "cure" of tuberculosis but it has only been in recent years that it has been accepted as the foundation of treatment.

Few diseases have been surrounded by so many fallacies and half-truths

Commissioners Name Election Officials

County Judge Raymond Simms handed us the following list of election officers for each county box. These officers will hold their places until another Commissioners Court is elected, and they in turn appoint election officers, we understand.

- Voting Box No. 1: A. M. Brownfield, Fred Smith, Tom May, C. J. Smith.
Box No. 2: E. L. Redford, R. E. Self, A. T. Fowler, A. C. Finley.
Box No. 3: Ben Broughton, J. J. Whitley.
Box No. 4: W. E. Winn, B. O. Black, B. T. Nolen, W. H. Key.
Box No. 5: C. W. Collins, I. A. Lowe.
Box No. 6: R. H. Timmons, H. C. Zorn, G. B. Jones, T. C. Lucas.
Box No. 7: E. R. Norton, Irvin Oliver.
Box No. 8: W. J. Baldwin, J. A. Forrester.
Box No. 9: C. P. Buchanan, N. F. Lovelace.
Box No. 10: J. O. Wheatley, W. E. Johnson.
Box No. 11: W. F. Christy, J. A. Drennan, W. B. Benton, J. C. Johnson.
Box No. 12: C. J. Bonham, W. L. Willingham.
Box No. 13: H. L. Hollman, N. A. Lindsey.
Box No. 14: G. C. Ashenbeck, G. D. Gore.
Box No. 15: T. C. Hogue, W. L. Bandy.
Box No. 16: J. R. Garrison, S. W. Welcher.
Box No. 17: C. L. Buckner, G. C. Zachery.
Box No. 18: O. E. Pollock, Peck Milner.
Box No. 19: Jimmie Thomason, Chas. Leonard.
Box No. 20: W. B. Martin, C. H. Morton.
Box No. 21: L. C. Hester, Jewel Bell.

INFANT BURIED

Funeral services for Stephen Edward Corkran infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Crusy Corkran of Artesia, who died at the family home at Artesia Sunday evening at 4 p. m. were held Monday afternoon from the Schulers Funeral Home at 2 p. m. Rev. LeRoy Thompson pastor of the Presbyterian church, officiated and music was furnished by Miss Harriet Poorbaugh.

The infant was born at Roswell on April 17 of this year. Aside its parents, survivors are a brother Charles 4, and grandparents, Mrs. Ora Corkran of Roswell and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Shelton of Brownfield, Tex. Interment was made at South Park in the Corkran family plot with Schulers Funeral home directing.

Elder M. V. Showalter of Abilene, filled the pulpit at the church of Christ, Sunday. Many years ago, he was president of the old Lockney College, and some of his pupils live here now.

Mrs. Floyd Fry and little daughter were down from Lubbock the past week end visiting with old friends.

as tuberculosis. Much has been done by science and the agencies engaged in the tuberculosis prevention program to dispel outworn beliefs and secure the acceptance of sound knowledge and practice.

With the advance already made against the disease we can feel confident that wider acceptance of the newest weapons will hasten the day when tuberculosis will be a minor health problem.

Helps Babies Rest Ends Colic Pains Aids Digestion

When your baby tosses about, cries in pain and cannot sleep, why not get at the cause with McGee's Baby Elixir. It neutralizes indigestion acid, ends gas cramps and colic pains and then helps them become cheerful again.

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NOTICE

Will be in east Texas and Oklahoma after Sept. 1st. Those who may have graves in that section that needs to be shelled and markers erected, would be glad to figure with you before I leave.

J. B. Butler

A Description of Brownfield, Texas

We wrote a description of Brownfield and section for the State Highway Department, and after finishing the article, it looked good enough for publication in these columns. So here goes:

NAME: Named for A. M. Brownfield, pioneer ranchman, on a land included in his ranch.

SLOGAN: Greatest corn market in West Texas.

ALTITUDE: 3200 feet above sea level.

POPULATION, Area: Approximately 2500; some 1000 acres. ACCESSER VALUATIONS: Now \$900,000 and 75c rate. Reduced from \$1,300,000 and \$1.50 since 1930.

BUILDING PERMITS: Values unknown, as no record kept except within fire area. Between 30 and 35 residence built in the past 8 months, and six brick and tile business houses. Residences from very modest to pretentious.

POSTAL RECEIPTS: From July 1, 1934 to June 30, 1935, the postal receipts were \$13,147.53.

One feed mill that makes all kinds of mixed feed for live stock and poultry, as well as bolted meal for table use. One of the largest single industries is the W. R. Hearst feeding operation here in which nearly 10,000 head of steers are shipped in from old Mexico, and fed on products of the local farms, mostly corn, maize, feterita and bundle sorghums.

No historic or scenic attractions very close, except several so-called alkali lakes. City-county is preparing to build a lovely park of 120 acres on Lost Draw, just northwest of Brownfield, most expenses of which will be met by a WPA grant.

All principal Protestant denominations are represented here with 7 church buildings, including one colored.

Brownfield has a fully accredited high and grade school, with an enrollment of about 900, and some 23 teachers. Buildings and grounds valued at some \$200,000. There are three civic clubs; Maids and Matrons study club; also Rotary and Lions. An emergency landing field. About 275 telephones. Several miles of water mains, and a fine sewerage system and disposal plant.

We were told at the City Hall that in the percentage of new electric and water meters installed in the 12 months ending June 30th

IN MEMORIAM

In the late afternoon of August 6th, the little life of Betty Jo, one year old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Stewart, was lifted in the arms of an angel to a happier home on high.

She was born in New Mexico, on August 1, 1934, and had only been in Brownfield a very short while, but long enough to wind herself into the hearts of all relatives and people who knew her.

Inspiring Opportunities

LUBBOCK, Texas, Aug. 13, 1935. Many young people are now finding opportunities in banks wholesale houses, with various government recovery agencies, and other big employers as a result of a few pleasant months spent in Draughon's Business College of this city, according to the Employment Report just released.

In one PWA office alone a number of graduates have accepted excellent positions, with attractive beginning salaries, during the past few days; and hundreds of other office workers will be needed by this and other government agencies as projects develop.

With business and crop conditions the most promising in many years, young people with foresight to prepare will find the opportunities of a life-time awaiting them through the far-reaching Draughon placement facilities.

Those who are interested in business careers are invited to write for Catalog C showing training and time required, low cost, methods of placing graduates, a long list of recent placements, and starting date classes. A post card will do.

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Office in County Atty's Office Brownfield, Texas

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Brownfield Lodge NO. 983, A. F. & A. M. Meets 2nd Monday night, each month, at Masonic Hall. Fred Smith, W. M. J. D. Miller, Sec.

530 I. O. O. F. Brownfield Lodge No. Meets every Tuesday night in the Odd Fellow Hall. Visiting Brothers always welcome. Gay Price, N. G. Jack Bailey, Secretary.

Lubbock Sanitarium & Clinic
Dr. J. T. Krueger Surgery and Consultation
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Dr. M. C. Overton Diseases of Children
Dr. J. P. Lattimore General Medicine
Dr. F. B. Malone Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat
Dr. J. H. Stiles Surgery
Dr. H. C. Maxwell General Medicine
Dr. Jerome H. Smith X-Ray and Laboratory
Dr. Olan Key Obstetrics
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USED CAR 1933 Master Six Chevrolet, first class mechanical condition, good upholstery, good finish, good tires. Will trade for livestock or take livestock as down payment with good terms on balance. See Leo Holmes, Brownfield State Bank. 3c

WANTED a man attendant to care for a cripple, is not ill with disease. Apply at A. L. Turner residence, 401 East Hill street, city tlc.

WE WILL have a factory man with us Saturday, Aug. 24, 1 P. M. to 6 P. M., who will talk and show you the J. I. Case tractor. We urge that all Case owners and all others who might be interested, come and be with us. Bowers Bros. 1tc.

KNOCK hay fever, asthma, catarrh by inhaling Pine Oil; rub on bleeding gums and pyorrhea. Zimmerman's Salve gets piles and eczema. Sold at Alexander Drug, city; Carter Drug, Ropesville; Pendleton Grocery, Wellman; Meadow Drug, at Meadow. 4p.

TRAILER for sale. Also good milk cow. See Jack Benton at Miller Bar. Station. 2p.

For Sale or trade: Two school ponies. Also battery radio. See N. R. Butcher, Rt. 3, Brownfield Tex. 3p

In market for good mules. See Lee Smith city. 44 tc

GOOD Milk Cow for sale. See Hudgens & Knight tlc

FOR RENT to girls or men and wife a nice south upstairs room; large closet; joins bathroom. See A. J. Stricklin, Sr.

CANNING beets and pumpkins now ready at the A. Judd water vegetable farm south of Lubbock 2 1/2 miles on the State Highway. See J. L. Cruce, City. tlc.

SEE the Faultless Sewing Machine at the Brownfield. tlc

FIVE Room home for sale in 1st addition to Brownfield. Bargain. About half down; balance 12 mos. Ap- ply at Herald office. tlc

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UNION X-RAYS

The Baptist revival closed Sunday after a very successful series of services. There were a number of additions to the church. The baptismal service was conducted at Mr. Holmes residence, Sunday afternoon.

There were a number of visitors attended services at Union Saturday night, and Sunday. The writer did not learn their names, nevertheless, we welcome at all times, visitors other communities to our services of worship.

Mr. Nelson Groves has been quite sick the past week but is improving at present.

Mr. L. L. Brock's sister from Lubbock visited her over the last week end.

The baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luker has been very ill but is improving at this writing.

Messrs Wendell and Arthur Lee Stephens and families of Brownfield visited their parents Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Stephens.

Mrs. Melvin Ray and little daughter have been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Fielder.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Draper and son, Billy and Mrs. J. B. Draper were

present in the cream Good cream which is clean will keep longer than dirty cream. The type of sediment present will also have considerable effect upon the keeping qualities of cream.

The following kinds of sediment of animal or plant origin may be found in cream: barnyard manure, flies, ants, straw, feathers, dirt, and even small rodents.

The presence of any of this foreign matter in cream is rather conclusive proof that the producer has been very careless in the production and handling of his cream, and this type of cream should be condemned as being unfit for human consumption. In some cases its presence is due to lack of information as to correct methods, and in others it is due to a general lack of observing sanitary methods. The first is more easily remedied than the second.

Types of Sediment: How Sediment Gets into Cream and How to Best Prevent its Entrance: Barnyard manure usually gets into the milk during the milking period. The cow gets manure on her flanks and udder by lying down in a dirty barn lot and if the cow is not properly cleaned and the udder and teats washed before milking, quantities of the dried manure will fall into the milk pail. While proper straining will eliminate the insoluble portion of this filth, part of it will dissolve, imparting the milk a characteristic cowy flavor. Proper sanitary observations such as keeping the barn and barn lot clean, using small-top buckets, and washing the cows' teats and udder before milking will eliminate this difficulty.

The presence of cow hairs may be prevented by keeping the cow's udder and flanks clipped, and by brushing the flanks and thighs before milking; the use of small-top buckets will also help in eliminating these hairs. Cotton disk filters will eliminate them

entirely from the milk as the can-not pass through the cotton strainer pad.

Ants, flies, feathers, small rodents, etc., most of these types of sediment gain entrance after the cream has been separated and while it is being held on the farm prior to delivery to the buying station. Its presence indicates carelessness in handling the cream. Cream should be stored in either a stone crock or well tinned can. The crock or can should have a loose fitting lid which will come down over the top side of the can or crock. The practice of tying a muslin cloth over the top of the cream can will prevent the entrance of small red ants, dust and sand.

Sometimes the sediment pad will show small and rather uniform-sized lumps of curd. Usually this indicates that the cream is of high acid or has been held at a high temperature, or both. Frequent stirring of the cream during cooling, again just before delivery will assist materially in remedying the defect. While it is not as serious as the other types of sediment it does prevent an accurate butter fat test from being made because a representative sample cannot be taken.

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S. K. Grimes has a rabbit foot for sale. He claims it was killed in a colored cemetery on a Friday night, by moon light, and is the left hind foot. Also, has all other features that makes it real valuable. He says it is worth \$25, but will sacrifice for \$10. Can be seen on his watch chain for a charm. (Adv.)

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SEDIMENT IN CREAM

Prof. K. M. Renner
Texas Technological College

While the amount of sediment in cream cannot always be used as a measure of quality, it does serve as a good indicator for the care that was used in producing and handling the cream on the farm. The sediment disk presents indisputable evidence, not only to the cream buyer but also to the producer, of the relative cleanliness of the cream. While a clean sediment disk may not mean that the cream is first grade, it does show that the producer is using care in keeping his cows and utensils clean. There is considerable correlation between the keeping quality of cream and the amount of sediment

Gomez News

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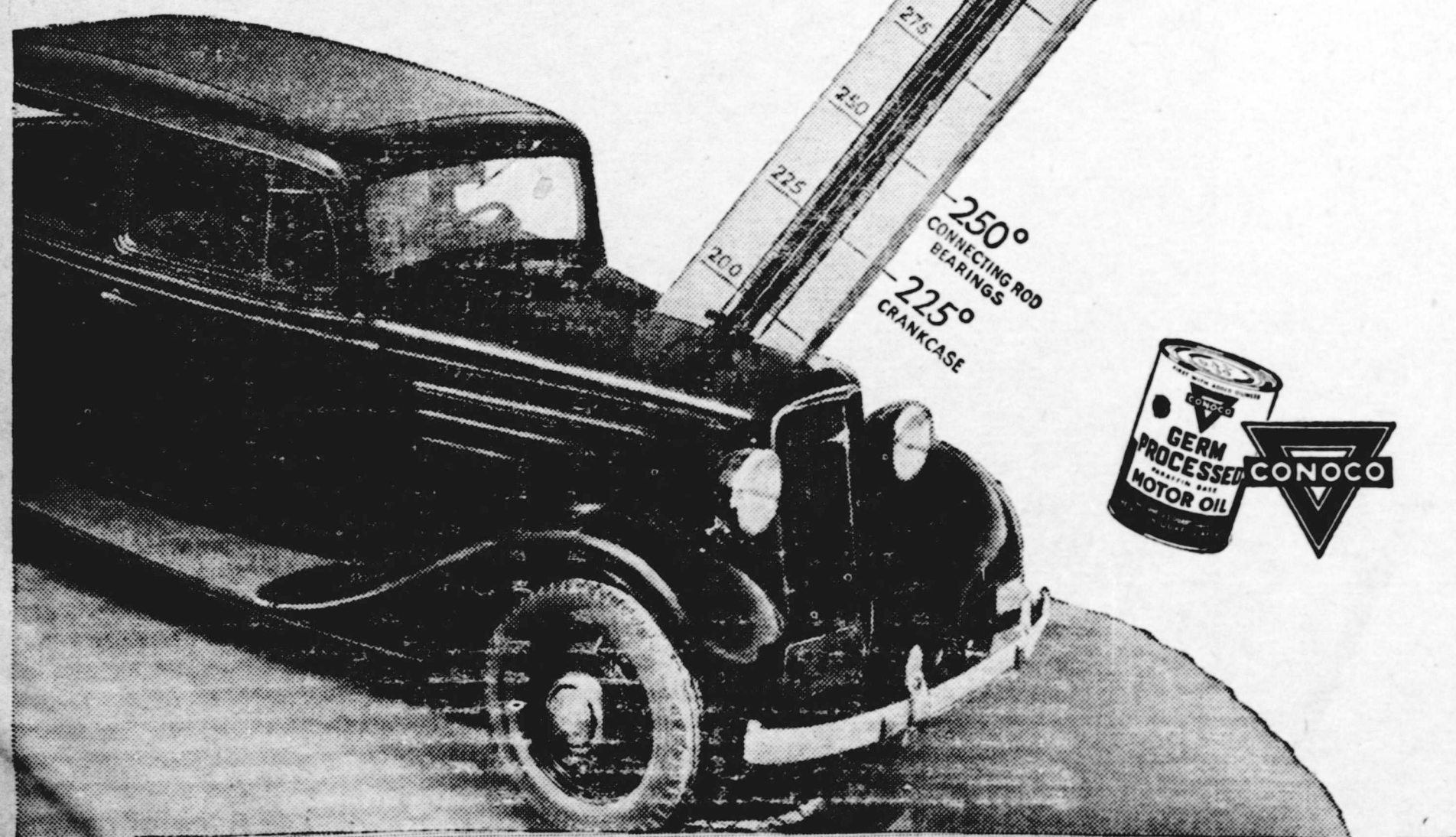
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CONTINENTAL OIL COMPANY'S 60th ANNIVERSARY

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Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Sexton Sr., and children are visiting friends and relatives in and near Breckenridge this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Howe had as their guest, last week, Mrs. Howe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Baker of Wellman.

Mr. Wayne Rose, who has been visiting with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lee returned to his home at Burkburnett, Monday.

Mr. Wayne Doss left Sunday for Mineral Wells, where he will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Fox and little son, of Lahey, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Fulton, Friday evening.

Mrs. Cora Snyder and daughter have moved to Brownfield. We are sorry to lose them from our midst.

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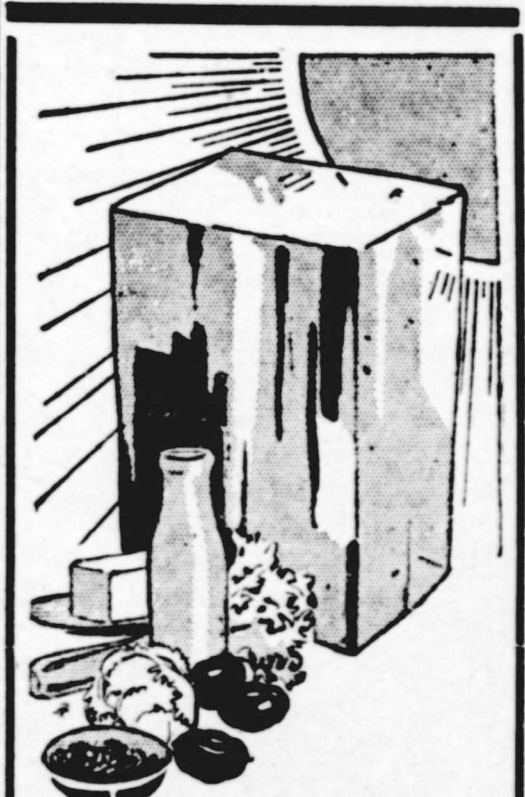
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HOMINY, gallon can		33c
SALT, 3 pound package		6c
CAKE FLOUR (Snosheen) pkg.		25c
Tomatoes	No. 2 Can	7c
BEANS, Pintos, 3 lb. package		21c
MACARONI or SPAGHETTI, pkg.		4c
RICE, bulk, 3 1/2 lb. bag		21c
Corn Flakes, pkg.		9c
SUPER SUDS, package		9c
CRACKERS, 2 pound box		22c
SAUSAGE, Vienna, can		7c
LYE, Hooker's, can		7c
PINEAPPLE, No. 1 can, crush or slice		9c
SYRUP, Velva Crystal White, gallon		65c
RAISINS, 2 pound package		16c
Sweet Spanish ONIONS, Lb.		3c
CABBAGE, pound		3c
SPUDS, New Crop Idaho Triumphs, lb.		3c
ORANGES, medium size, dozen		18c
CHEESE, Longhorn, lb.		22c
STEAK, 7-cuts, lb.		16c
BOLOGNA, lb.		16c
CHUCK ROAST, lb.		14c
BARBECUE STEW, lb.		16c
AMERICAN CHEESE, lb.		31c
HAMBURGER MEAT, lb.		12 1/2c
Dressed Fryers, lb.	35c	Catfish, lb. 25c

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WEST SIDE CAFE

Buford and Reba Wayne Milner went to Abernathy with their cousin Miss Ruby Hobson, to visit this week. Miss Hobson has been visiting in the Milner home several days.

Rev. Jolly of Freeport who, with his family is vacationing in our town filled the pulpit of the Baptist church at Meadow last Sunday.

J. T. Auburg and sons, Burdett and Paul went to Prairie View, New Mexico, Tuesday to a picnic.

If it can be welded—

We can weld it—

We can weld anything but the BREAK OF DAY and a BROKEN HEART.

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POTTED MEAT, 3 cans for	10c
DRY PRUNES, lb.	10c
RINSO, large package	21c
4 lb. RAISINS, pkg.	29c
RICE, 3 lb.	19c
LINEN MOP, each	24c
HOMINY, No. 2 1/2 can	10c
KRAUT, No. 2 1/2 can	10c
BLACKBERRIES, No. 2 can	9c
K. C. BAKING POWDER, 25 oz.	19c

Who is Going to Kill Cock Robin?

Were the Adjustment Administration to pass out, it might be through any of the three exits—murder, suicide, or death from natural causes. Let us ask first, if this champion who took the field to win higher prices for the farmer now so weak of constitution or so crippled by external wounds or internal ailments that he is about to take to his bed and give up the ghost? Or, is he tired of life and seeking to find an easy way out?

"We may safely dismiss either of these fates as being clearly outside the range of nearby possibilities. Henry Wallace and M. L. Wilson, Chester Davis and Howard Tolley, and all the rest of the administrative stay of the AAA make up a living and healthy body, vital and courageous to the last degree, as full of hope and confidence in the soundness and potential efficacy of this scheme of agricultural adjustment as they ever were, and their strength increased and toughened by the hard knocks and sternest experiment that they have had during the past two years.

"They are not sick or weary, or ready to let AAA lie down and die. If death comes, it will be because some outside party kills it.

"Let us then try a little detective work, and see who has a motive for getting rid of the AAA, or who has been stalking it with evident intent to kill. It is not difficult to see whom we need to line up as possible suspects. Farmers could slay the AAA. The 'handlers' (processors and distributors) could. Consumers could. The Congress could. The Supreme Court could.

Certainly Not Farmers or Congress
"Some people will tell you that farmers themselves are sick of AAA 'regimentation', are disappointed with the benefits received as compared with the disadvantages or inconvenience of participating in production adjustment or market adjustment plans, and are ready to see the whole thing scrapped.

"They could accomplish that result in either one of two ways—by all writing their Senators and representatives, or sending big delegations to Washington demanding that Congress repeal the act instead of continuing it and improving it with amendments. There have been individual protests,

to be sure, but I have not seen any large or influential delegations of farmers coming to Washington to protest.

"On the contrary, while Congress was considering the amendments, it was waited upon by one farmers' delegation in support of this supplementary legislation; it got the reports of the votes of farmers out in the country overwhelmingly in favor of the continuation of the wheat program, the tobacco program, and a sign-up of corn-hog contracts heavier than ever; and it found rye producers clamoring to be included in the provisions of the act."

From "Is the AAA Doomed?" by Edwin G. Nourse, Director Institute of Economics, Brookings Institution, —The Farm Journal, August, 1935.

IS ROSWELL NEARING ITS DAY OF DOOM?

Is Roswell and the Pecos Valley due to "sink into the earth and be swept by a 20-foot wall of water?"

Such conjectures have been running rampant through the city since Dame Rumor let loose a suggestion that such would be the case—and at no later date than next Thursday.

Where this rumor originated is not known exactly—except that it is believed to have been started by some "seer" who previously predicted such catastrophes as the Los Angeles earthquake, Morro Castle fire and Senator Bronson Cutting's death!

And odd as it may seem some persons in the city have taken to the hills with the vague idea there might be some truth—far fetched as it is—in the prediction.

But the majority of those who have heard the oft-repeated rumor have shown small if any interest in the matter.

However, one ranchman declared if such a wall of water sweeps the Pecos Valley, danged if I don't bring my cows in from the ranch for a drink.—Roswell Dispatch.

It is reported in the papers that Paul F. Lawlis, former superintendent of the local schools, has purchased a gin in Hockley county, and will run it instead of teaching.

Cecil O'Neal of route one, handed in the coin the past week just before his time expired. We wish we had about 700 others as prompt as Cecil. It would be a real pleasure to run a newspaper then.

FDIC Profits \$4,716,409 After Paying Losses

The one branch of the "new deal" which has met with almost universal approval is the insurance of deposits in banks by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation. The only criticism for this new deal feature has come from the big banking institution of the country.

When the insurance feature was first inaugurated for bank deposits there was considerable uneasiness as to its success. It was feared by many and freely predicted by its opponents that the expense of insuring the deposits in unsound banks would be so heavy and the losses so great that the corporation would be forced either to increase its rates to such an extent as to make it prohibitory or go into bankruptcy.

The report for the first year of the operation of this institution has just been made public and contains some interesting information. It shows that instead of the insurance of bank deposits being a hazardous business, the insurance corporation made a profit of \$4,716,409, after paying all losses in 19 closed banks. The annual report of the corporation shows that it closed its fiscal year with 14,279 of the country's 15,801 banks enrolled as members with approximately \$18,000,000,000 of the 41 billions of deposits in the member banks fully protected by federal insurance.

DUNG BEETLES ARE MORE THAN "JUST TUMBLEBUGS"

To the casual observer dung beetles are "just tumblebugs." But to those who know them they are marvels of ingenuity, efficient housekeepers, friends of the cattle raiser, and careful parents, the mother beetle of some species showing extreme solicitude for her children.

These beetles, so called because they live in, feed on and make balls from dung—both for food and as nests for their eggs—show many variations in making and placing the balls, and in caring for the young beetles. Some species roll a ball for an hour or more, and then bury it, digging around the ball until it disappears. From this activity they get the name "tumblebug."

The female of one species makes two types of burrows, one for feeding and one for rearing progeny. The latter burrow is larger and deeper. Into it she moves a flat mass of dung. From this the oval or round eggballs—an inch or less in diameter and 4 to 6 in number—are molded. In them the eggs are laid. The female plugs the opening of the burrow and remains inside, hovering over and polishing the balls until the eggs hatch. She then guards the young beetles until they emerge as adults, a period of 2 months or more.

The female of another species plasters a dungball with earth to a thickness of about one-fourth inch, except at one point, where it is applied more thickly. Here, in a small cavity, the egg is laid. Entomologists in the Bureau of Agriculture of the U. S. government marvel at the skill with which this clumsy beetle builds a beautiful ball, makes the smooth egg cavity, and then caps it without crushing the fragile egg.

By their disturbance of cattle manure, the breeding medium of the horn fly, the beetle exercises a natural control over the fly. By their burrowing, they interchange soils and incorporate organic matter. And in the need, their ingenuity sometimes is their death. In long dry periods many of the balls harden and become cells in which the young beetles are imprisoned and die.

DIRECTORS OF PAN-PLAINS DAIRY SHOW TO MEET

PLAINVIEW, August 20.—Directors of the Panhandle-Plains Dairy Show and many county agricultural agents, will gather in Plainview Friday afternoon, August 30, for the purpose of deciding on dates, committees, educational programs, and making general plans for the ninth annual dairy show. The meeting will be held in the Chamber of Commerce office and President H. B. Hales of Amarillo will preside.

An executive committee to handle details of the 1936 show will be named, and superintendents of the various departments will be selected at the Plainview meeting. Possibilities of a horse show, a rodeo, and other entertainment features will be discussed. The meeting begins at one o'clock and will be dismissed in sufficient time for all those who desire to do so to attend the meeting of the ex-students of A. & M. College in the evening.

J. M. Hill Jr., of the U. S. Biological Dept., was down this week on business.

Harmony Happenings

Sunday school was well attended Sunday. Rev. Patterson began the meeting, which is to last through the week and possible longer.

Bro. Horn preached to a well filled house Sunday night. He will bring a message at 11 o'clock each day and 8:15 each night. Glad to welcome those who came from other communities and towns.

Rev. Strickland of Abilene conducted the singing.

Mrs. John Gracey is entertaining her daughter and husband, of Tyler this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Hobbs and family and Miss Minnie and Raelen Wise were dinner guests in the John Garter home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Stone and Miss Ora Ruth Hobbs were visitors in the Whitefield home Sunday.

Mrs. Floyd returned from the Lubbock sanitarium Sat. where she underwent an operation on her eyes. Hope she will soon be able to be with us again.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Hobbs enjoyed the day with Mr. and Mrs. Wise, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jones had as their guest Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Davis.

Mr. Evans of Brownfield attended services last night.

Crops are needing rain, especially on the lighter land. Corn canning seems to be the problem the ladies have to solve this week.

Mr. Charlie Lee visited with John Otis Garner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Bingham spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Oden Miller.

DANGERS OF LIGHTNING

Dr. G. C. Simpson, of the British Meteorological Office, believes a passenger in a modern auto is comparatively safe from lightning. Even though the car is struck the passengers are seldom injured, he says. He further explains that the tallest object in any particular neighborhood is the most likely to be struck by lightning. The tallest tree in a forest is the most apt to draw a bolt, and for this same reason a man on a level beach or field where there are no trees or other tall objects is in particular danger.

Tom Hooton and family of Lamesa were here over Sunday visiting with his sister, Mrs. W. W. Ditto and family.

Will Richardson and family of Montague county, are here visiting their old friends, T. C. and J. W. Hogue.

How Quick Can You Stop Your Automobile?

Some time ago a questionnaire was submitted to the motorist by the city of Memphis concerning the distance necessary for stopping cars going at given speeds. The survey demonstrated that the average driver has an exceedingly poor conception of stopping distances—and that he believes he can bring his car to a halt in a much shorter space than is actually required.

For example, drivers were asked how many feet would be needed to stop a car with four wheel brakes moving at a speed of 40 miles an hour on an ordinary highway. Two per cent of the drivers answered tenfeet or less; 15.9 per cent answered 11 to 20 feet; the heaviest majority, 23.2 per cent answered 21 to 30 feet, and 14.1 per cent answered 51 to 60 feet.

The true answer is 80 feet—and it was given by less than 6 per cent of the drivers. Only a minority of motorists realize that, no matter how good a car's brakes, it is impossible to stop within fifty feet—that a car going 40 miles an hour will skid farther than that with locked wheels.

Memphis has provided a good example showing that we vitally need continuous and intensified "schooling" for drivers—and that the driver who has operated a car for twenty years should be given attention as well as the beginner.

Adequate knowledge of the limitation and capabilities of the motor car is a fundamental of accident prevention.

VENTRILOQUISM NOT MAGIC

Some stage performers have developed into such expert ventriloquists that it appears as if their voices were coming from a distance, the roof, the audience or the dummy they hold up on their lap. This has given rise to the delusion that such persons "throw their voices." But as a matter of fact the voice is not "thrown" but is muffled in the throat, that is, the performer talks without moving the lips or face muscles and by directing the attention to certain objects he creates the illusion that the voice is coming from that point. It is an art which most anyone can master if he or she has the patience to stand before the mirror and practice speaking words and sentences without face movement. Words containing b, f, m, p, or v, are the hardest but even these may be made to understand after continued practice.—Pathfinder.

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In 1932 the State of Wisconsin levied a sales tax ranging from \$25.00 to \$1,000.00 on all manufacturers, wholesalers and retailers of Oleomargarine which is made from cotton seed, some of which possible came from Kent county. This tax was levied to keep out cottonseed oil products raised in the Southern states in favor of Wisconsin milk products.

Just recently the press notifies us that Wisconsin has levied a \$0.15 tax on oleomargarine which absolutely bars from the state of Wisconsin one of the chief products raised in Texas and other southern states. This is a direct slap against the southern grown food products.

The southern states are now organizing to build a trade war against Wisconsin products of all kinds until this tax levy or duty is repealed. The milk companies as well as the shoe, paper and other manufacturers are beginning to sit up and take notice, they are beginning to fight this tax bill as some of them claim that on recent visits to the southern states they have not sold enough milk and other

HELPFUL HINTS

Milk bottles should always be carefully washed and dried before placing them in the refrigerator or ice box.

Shoulder straps of underthings can be prevented from always slipping off by sewing a short piece of tape to the seam and putting a snap fastener on the loose end of the tape and the shoulder strap.

All meals should be planned so as to use up left-overs.

To measure a cupful, tablespoonful fill the utensil full and level off with a knife.

Equal parts of ammonia and spirits of turpentine will take paint out of clothing.

Mrs. Etta Thurman and children, of the Hunter community, visited in Plainview the past week. Mrs. Mildred Thurman, of that city, returned home with her for a short visit.

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Our 23 Year Column

HERALD BUYS A HOME, greets the reader on the first page of the issue of August 23, 1912, which was also the editor's 32nd birthday. The home for the Herald had been purchased from Tom F. Hunter, who made a mighty close race for Gov. of Texas last year. We gave him a 12 gauge pump shotgun on the down payment. The building was a little two room dwelling, that had been the pioneer home of Dick Brownfield, from which we removed the petition and made a printing office. We borrowed a lot from W. G. Hardin to set it down on. A program of the Terry County Teachers Institute was printed, and it contained many

names of pioneer teachers of this city and county. Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Hargett were Lubbock visitors. A. P. Seitz and daughter, Mrs. Rufus Lanier of Lubbock, were here visiting their son and brother, Vernon and family. Mr. and Mrs. Keeter were here from Crosbyton, visiting the E. L. Duke family. Mrs. Sawyer and daughter, Miss Nettie, had just returned from a trip to Colorado state. Earl Hargett, who had been working on a railroad in Colorado, returned home. Thomas Brooks had returned from Snyder. Miss Ivy Harper entertained the Needle club. Rev. J. W. Thomas had returned from holding a revival in Lynn county. Louis Hargett was thrown from a bronc and hurt. Prof. Peck had made a final claim on his

place in New Mexico. John Burnett had purchased a bunch of yearlings in Fisher county. Hugh Snodgrass' team became scared at a coyote, and ran away, throwing Miss Dolores Hill out and injuring her. J. C. Patterson, Loop stockman was up. Harry Braidfoot had the misfortune to fall from a barrel while hanging meat. A meat hook caught him in the ear, ripping it out. Dr. Ellis sewed it up. Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Brooks of Bertram, Texas, were visiting the M. B. Sawyer family. Mr. Brooks was editor of the Bertram Banner. Clay Hughes had returned from San Diego, Calif., where he had been making his home. John Waltrip of the Groves community brought in some mighty fine Elberta and Mamie Ross peaches.

DECLARES ADMINISTRATION MAKING HONEST EFFORT

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17—Critics of the administration's farm policy were answered today by Chairman Marvin Jones (D-Tex.) of the house agricultural committee who said the program is a sincere effort to bring agriculture out of chaos. He said the amendments to the AAA just adopted by congress "will go a long way toward perfecting a farm program."

Goes Long Way
"They will go a long way toward making it more workable and allowing for a generous supply of all commodities of the farm to be available at all times," said Jones in a radio address. "I believe they will contribute materially to the welfare of the country."
"We hear cries of regimentation," Jones continued, "but I believe you will agree with me that giving the farmers equal rights in the period of great emergency through which we have been passing is not regimentation."

Sincere Effort
"It is nothing more than a sincere effort to bring agriculture out of the chaos into which it had plunged and to treat it like something more than an unwanted orphan."

Would Not Have Fallen
"If there had been none of these things the farmer would not have fallen into the deplorable state in which he found himself at the beginning of the present administration," Jones said.
"There can be no sound objection to quality for agriculture. The entire country is interested in a balanced condition. In restoring the purchasing power of the farmer, business conditions are being restored and a new market is being furnished for the manufactured products of our land."

Texas Has 9000 Taxing Authorities

AUSTIN, Aug. 19.—"Texas has nearly nine thousand local taxing authorities bearing heavily on the taxpayer," said State Auditor Orville S. Carpenter today about the recent "Report on Taxes and Indebtedness of Local Units of Government in Texas for 1934."

"In spite of the present trend toward efficiency in government and elimination of duplication between departments, we find in this State cities, counties, schools, water districts, road districts, irrigation districts and many others, all assessing and collecting taxes on the same property. As a result most property owners must render the same property to several assessors and pay taxes to several collectors," Carpenter said.

The number of local taxing authorities seems increasing. A similar survey made by Moore Lynn, former state auditor, for the year 1932 showed at that time 8,742 tax districts. He called attention to the "present chaotic conditions" then existing in local taxation matters," Carpenter said.
"The survey just completed for the year 1934 shows 8,936 local taxing units, an increase of 194 in two years," he stated.
In the 8,936 districts an enormous taxpayers' debt of three-fifths of a billion dollars has been built up. The actual figure in 1934 was \$670,442,179, with sinking funds deducted, he said.

The Rotarians and families had a watermelon feast Monday night on the grass in front of the high school building.

J. J. Lane was in from the ranch. Harris News: Rev. Jameson was to hold a revival but had not put in his appearance. He was a newlywed. W. A. Potts and Roy Harris were drilling a well near Sligo for W. K. Dickenson, of Lubbock. Ellington Bros. were in Lubbock after fencing material.

Gomez Dots: The meeting at the church of Christ had closed. Emmett Green's buggy got into a badly washed out road, spilling himself and his companions, Misses Ergie Rambo and Nora Wolfarth. Houston Shepherd ran into a broken sucker rod, which broke off in his cheek. Dr. Ellis removed the piece of wood. A cowboy on the TFM ranch threw a slicker to another cowboy when rain started. His horse became frightened, "broke into", and started pitching, throwing the rider and the horse fell on him. Dr. Ellis was called to treat the man. (Note: Now count up the horse and buggy accidents recorded in this issue. They almost equal our present weekly auto accidents.) Wagons were on the road for lumber to build a warehouse for A. P. Moore. Lots of visitors and prospectors coming in. A brother from Lorraine was visiting Grandpa Black. All houses were rented but three. Mrs. Armstrong of Kansas City, was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hays on the ranch. Simon Holgate left for market. Mrs. Will Snodgrass and children were visiting in Oklahoma. All for this week.

WIFE AND HUSBAND SEPARATED FOR 54 YEARS

Through the autobiography he had written Capt. L. V. Arnold, a Texas cattleman, and his bride were reunited after 54 years of separation. Both have been married since and Annie, now 70, is a great-grandmother. In her childhood Annie was stolen by Indians and lived with them until Arnold a husky cowboy of 17, bought her from the chief. They were married and she was reunited with her family, only to be separated from her young husband when her father took the 16-year old bride with them on moving into the next county. Each thought the other lost and married again. Then a short time ago Annie, who was known as "Queen Bee," had to go to a hospital and during convalescence was given Captain Arnold's book to read. She recognized herself in it and hastily sent word from San Angelo, Tex., where she then was, to Fort Worth. Her former bridegroom, now a police officer there, hastened to her. Rewedding bells were heard soon after.—Pathfinder.

A FISH STORY

We were of the opinion that some of the local fishermen were the biggest liars in the country until we stumbled across this little yarn which recently appeared in New Era.
It seems that a certain young friend whose acquaintance you may have had the pleasure of having made, had been tramping over hill and dale for hours in his quest for a target in the form of game he tells us, but quite without result. As the sun's dimming rays threatened to leave, our friend resolved to call it a day with hopes for better luck next time.
Enroute home, so he tells us, he came to a small stream bridged by a log upon which he set out to cross. Just as he approached the middle of the log he sighted two deer, one on each bank a short distance upstream. He immediately cocked his rifle, aiming at a rock which protruded mid-stream in the vicinity of the deer. He fired and, if we are to believe his yarn, hit the rock thus splitting the bullet which killed both deer; the buttons on his coat flew hither and thither killing two grouse which were perched in a near-by tree; our friend fell into the water. After having climbed upon the bank he discovered a trout in each pocket, an otter clinging to his tie, and a grown beaver in his hand.

Same fellows have all the luck!

LIFE SPAN 105 YEARS

Commenting on that much discussed question of how long the human of future generations can expect to live, the Journal of the American Medical Association placed the figure at 105 years. This future normal span was arrived at simply. Animals live five times as long as it takes them to reach full skeletal maturity. The human requires 21 years to develop, and five times that equal 105 years. It was pointed out that science has done much to lengthen life by conquering disease, but that a great deal is still up to the individual. Environment and a careful regard for the laws of hygiene are important, and so is the individual's mental conduct. Anger and other passions must be avoided, and contentment and optimism are essential.

A BRIGHT BOY

The story is going around about a football player in a small college who was unusually dumb. To the surprise of everyone he passed all of his work, including the rather stiff chemistry course, thereby becoming eligible for the big game.
One of the instructors asked the chemistry professor how it was possible that he passed chemistry. The chemistry professor said: "I decided that I would let him pass if he answered 50% of the questions correctly."
"I asked him two questions—one he answered wrong, one he answered right. Therefore, I let him pass."
"The first question was: 'What color is blue vitriol?' He answered, 'Pink.' The other question was: 'How do you make sulphuric acid?' He answered that he didn't know. That time he was right."

Rev. Strickland of Abilene who is holding a revival for the Baptist people of Union, was in to see us last Saturday. He comes from a noted family of Comanche county, several of which are preachers and song leaders for revivals.
Mr. and Mrs. John B. Burns of Rotan, were up last week end visiting their daughter, Mrs. Syl Tankersley.
Editor Willard Bright of Seagraves News was upon business last Saturday.
Atty. T. L. Price of Post, was over this week on business. He was former district attorney of this district. He has been offered a position as assistant to Federal District Attorney Clyde O. Eastus, but has not decided to accept.

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Settle to Explain Texas Securities Act

AUSTIN, August 19.—Secretary of State Gerald C. Mann has announced the appointment of Representative J. Doyle Settle of Lubbock as chairman of an educational committee in Lubbock, Gaines, Dawson, Yoakum, Terry, Cochran, Hockley and Crosby counties to acquaint the public with the provisions of the new Texas Securities Act passed by the 44th Legislature.
The new law was designed to protect, insofar as possible, the investing public from depredations of racketeers and gypsters in the Securities field.
Prior to the enactment of the new law conditions in Texas in the various Securities rackets were described as deplorable, Secretary Mann asserted. Under the new law all dealers, salesmen and agents are required to be registered and licensed by the State. Strict penal provisions were also written into the measure.
Representative Settle was active in his support of the measure and will be available for speaking engagements before the various civic and luncheon clubs of his district.

METHODIST MEETING TO START AT GOMEZ

Large and interested audiences are hearing Evangelist O. M. Reynolds daily at 11 A. M. and 8:30 P. M., in the revival at the church of Christ at Meadow, which opened last Friday night. Up to Tuesday night there had been five baptisms and one restoration, and prospects for many more additions.
Otis Gatewood of Abilene visited the revival and preached a stirring sermon. He is a Meadow boy who has made good, and will be a senior in ACC this coming term. The revival will continue through next Sunday night.
We are requested to announce that the Methodist revival will start at Gomez at 11 o'clock Sunday, and will be conducted by Rev. Billie Peterfield. Rev. Ed Tharp of this city is pastor.
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Weekly Church and Social Happenings

BAPTIST ELECT OFFICERS FOR ANOTHER YEAR

Twenty members of the Baptist Missionary Society met at the Baptist Parsonage Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock in a general meeting. Mrs. Davis led a Devotional. Afterwards a business meeting was held and the following officers were elected: Mrs. L. J. Dunn was reelected President, Mrs. Wayne Brown Recording Sec., Mrs. J. C. Bond Corresponding Sec. Plans were made for the all day associational meeting to be at the Baptist church next Monday, all charter members of the Missionary Society are urged to be present, their subject for the play will be "Beginning."

Next Monday north circle will meet with Mrs. K. W. Howell, south circle with Mrs. Jess Smith, young matrons with Mrs. Wayne Brown.

METHODIST STUDIED NUMBERS, MONDAY

The 1st six chapters of Numbers were studied Monday at 3 o'clock at the church, when nine members of the Methodist Missionary Society met at the church. Mrs. Cook led the lesson.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Kendrick and baby left Tuesday for a weeks vacation at Brady.

Minnie Lou Heald of Floydada is visiting Virgella Nan Dunn this week.

PICNIC SUPPER ON LAWN AT CRUCE HOME

Last Tuesday evening Messers and Mesdames J. L. Cruce and W. H. Collins, entertained with a steak barbecue. The affair was in the backyard of the Cruce home which was lighted, and seated, an ideal place for a picnic. Potato salad, pickles, iced tea and bread, were served with the barbecue, attending were: Messers and Mesdames Edgar Self, Hayden Griffin, McClellan, J. B. Knight, Jack Stricklin Sr., Claude Hudgens, Dick McDuffie, W. B. Downing and Lawrence Stewart.

MRS. L. E. McCLISH HOSTESS TO CLUB

On Wednesday of last week Mrs. Loyd McClish was hostess to the Priscilla Needle Club. Members attending were: Mesdames Arch Fowler R. M. Kendrick, S. H. Holgate, E. B. Thomas, Walter Gracey, Mrs. Daugherty and Mrs. Henry from Ralls, were guest. Ice cream and cake were served.

Miss Mozelle Treadaway spent last week at Canyon and Plainview. At Canyon she attended the "Observing in the Demonstration School of Teachers," at the Teachers College. She visited Mesdames John Shinn and Boyce Cardwell at Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Herod are spending a ten day vacation in New Mex.

KENDRICK FAMILY HOLD REUNION AT BIG SPRING

Last Saturday and Sunday the Kendrick's had a family reunion at Big Spring, at the city park. On Sunday a big chicken dinner with every thing that goes to make up a lovely meal was enjoyed by Messers and Mesdames Jenkins, West Brook; R. M. Kendrick, Richard, and Spencer Kendrick and baby, Brownfield; O. L. Stice and daughter, Barbara Ann, Midland; Will Jenkins, Abertnath; Mrs. Mack Harper and three girls of Colorado City; Mrs. Mattie Young of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Rodgers of West Point; Mr. and Mrs. Leon Counts, Anson; W. A. Kendrick and Osie Kendrick, West Brook; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rankin and baby, Anson; Guest were Mr. and Mrs. Bert Cash and Mrs. Perbenter of Post; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Palmer of West Brook; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stringer and two sons of Tye and Mr. and Mrs. John Scudday and two sons, of Forsans.

CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Little Miss Valda Ruth Milner was six years old Tuesday, August 20. She invited twelve little friends to play different tiny tots games and to drink punch and eat ice cream with her. The guest were: Richard and Christine McDuffie, Patsy Ruth Carter, Jean Craig, Jackie Jacobson, Eleanor Jean Miller, Billie Jo Tittle, Alfred and Billie Bond, Billie Harold Milner.

BELL-MOORE

Herbert Milton Bell Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Milton Bell of Marshall, Texas, and Miss Dorothy Regina Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Moore of Houston, Texas, were married Thursday morning, August 15, at 11:30 o'clock in Austin.

They were accompanied by several students of the University of Texas. Mrs. Bell will receive her Master of Arts degree from the University of Texas next week.

Mr. Bell who is a graduate of the Marshall high school has been working and attending school at the University in Austin for the past several months.

The couple will be at home at 2001 Whites Ave., Austin, Texas.

Mr. Bell is a nephew of Will Alf Bell of Brownfield.

MRS. C. H. HESTER RETURNS FROM VACATION

Mrs. C. H. Hester of Brownfield with her grandmother, Myrna Hester of Meadow, recently returned from a month's vacation.

They visited Mrs. Hester's son in Corsicana and a son in Marshall. A week was spent with each son and the remainder of the time was spent in Louisiana with Mrs. Hester's sister, Mrs. F. M. Brown.

The two sisters enjoyed the time together very much. They visited many of their friends and relatives. Mrs. Hester was able to see her old home place, where she and her husband reared their children until they came to Texas. The home is the same as it was when they moved away. The granddaughter enjoyed this as much as anything else, except the watermelons that they ate while there.

The visitors traveled in a T model Ford in La., therefore they were able to see everything as they went. A fishing trip was enjoyed at the Luda Creek, and the old fishing place D'arbone River, was visited. The granddaughter visited a sawmill at Waskom, Texas, and a jug mill at Marshall.

Everything that she saw was interesting and new to her.

Many other things of interest were the negroes, red bugs, watermelons, the woods of pine and taking many pictures.

The trip was worth while in many ways. It was very educational to Myrna, and will never be forgotten by either of the visitors.

Mrs. Ada Wilkins and children Bonnie and Harold are visiting Mrs. Wilkins parents Dr. and Mrs. Cates at Ackerly this week.

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Far Reaching Social Securities Bill Appr'd

Washington, August 15.—President Roosevelt Wednesday signed the social security bill, launching the New Deal's vast program to protect millions against poverty in their old age and in times of future unemployment.

Championed by Mr. Roosevelt to help "Americans meet some of the major economic hazards of life," and described by him as representing "a cornerstone in a structure which is being built but is by no means complete," the measure:

1. Provides for federal contributions of up to \$15 per month per person, starting soon, to help states pension their most needy aged residents.
2. Establishes a great national annuity system by which an estimated 25,000,000 workers and their employers will be taxed billions of dollars through the years and will be paid \$10 to \$85 a month by the government when they are 65 and jobless.

3. Creates joint-state federal unemployment insurance systems to provide limited benefits in times of future unemployment.
4. Assists the states immediately in caring for dependent mothers and children, the blind and the ill.

About \$100,000,000 of federal funds are called for to finance the federal share of immediate assistance to the aged and to mothers, children and the blind. Congress is expected to appropriate the actual funds before adjourning this session.

FUNDAMENTALIST BAPTIST HOLDING REVIVAL

The denomination, usually called Fundamentalists Baptist, and occasionally referred to as Frank Norris Baptist, are holding a revival now at the city tabernacle.

We understand the meeting may be continued for two weeks. They have several members in the city and scattered throughout Terry county.

A home town boy who made good is here. We refer to Thomas Brooks, who as a high school lad got a job with the Santa Fe railroad engineering crew that built in here in 1917. Thomas was good in figures and soon learned the transit. For many years he has been considered one of the best engineers in the country. He has a nice home in Los Angeles. He and family are here visiting his sister, Mrs. Maury Lewis and family.

Uncle Jimmie Green brought a man to the office Tuesday, which he probably thought we would not know. It was Rev. J. E. Anderson who was Baptist pastor here in the early 20's. J. E. is here to see about taking Rev. J. M. Hale's place, and we hope he gets it as they don't make better men; men who work more for the community, visits the sick, etc. We told him if he could push some of these Baptists over and make them vote right, he would come back to Brownfield.

J. H. (Jimmie) O'Conner is again batching. This time the Mrs. left him for a trip to Tennessee to visit relatives. The old boy is getting rather thin. Some of you ladies invite him out for a meal or two.

W. H. Collins is remodeling his home on east Main. He is having a concrete foundation put in, rearranging the front and stuccoing the entire building. When complete, it is going to be one of the prettiest homes in town. The stucco will be white.

County Attorney Joe McGowan and family, spent the past week-end at Ruidoso, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tiernan have returned from a vacation spent at Ruidoso, N. M. Jack is an employee of the Alexander Drug.

Sheriff Jess Smith and family returned home last Friday from California, where they took in the San Diego fair and other things of interest on the coast. He killed two birds with one stone, as he picked up a young man out there wanted here for selling mortgaged property or some such charge.

Dick McDuffie and family returned Sunday from a visit to relatives at Dallas and Waxahachie.

G. T. Webber and family of Perry, Okla., are here the guest of his brother, Dr. G. S. Webber and family. Mr. Webber stated to us that he and a party of men passed through this section many years ago, and thought the country worthless, and at that time he could have bought land almost for a song and sung it him self. He wishes now that he had sung a little bit, anyway.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Webber and family of Perry, Okla., visited his brother and family from Monday until Saturday of this week. Tuesday G. T. Webber and family also Mr. and Mrs. G. S. and Glen Webber visited the Carlsbad cavern.

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See whirlwind Ken Maynard in one of his best westerns with plenty of action and thrills.

General Motors declared a nice dividend the other day, and in doing so Mr. Solan, who heads this large corporation, stated that a "liberal dividend policy would continue as long as the administration didn't pull adverse surprises." There you are, big corporations telling our Congress and President what to do and "if you don't do as we say, we will slice dividend payments and tell the stockholders it is your (Democrats) fault and to cast their votes in the coming presidential election for a Republican etc." Pretty nice threat. We have within the confines of the United States corporations that are almost as big as our government. The lineup is that other corporations will make similar statements when declaring extra dividend disbursements and all of these corporations figure they have something like nine million shareholders, which they figure would mean that many votes against FDR. In other words, they propose to buy the votes of their stockholders with an extra dividend payment. We have been telling you all along that big corporations have a strange hold on everything in this country and they will fight to the last ditch to retain that power and will emerge from the battle victorious unless we stand square behind our President in his fight against this monopoly.—Lockney Beacon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Carpenter left Sunday morning to spend some two weeks on a vacation in New Mexico. They will visit Mrs. Carpenter's sister at Hatch, also will go to Hot Springs and other places of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Pope Pool visited relatives at Big Spring, Saturday and Sunday last.

Hardware Salesman—Yes, madam, these knives represent the greatest value we have at the price. They are very good-looking, as you can see for yourself, and they are guaranteed to last until they are worn out. Customer—But will they cut? Salesman—Now that you have asked me that question, I am bound to say that they will not—but that is their own fault.

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