

## POLITICAL RALLY AT HASKELL IN SPOTLIGHT CURRENT CAMPAIGN

### Interest Mounts As Candidates Enter Final Week

The spotlight of interest and candidates alike as the week of the political rally before the first primary election is the speaking program in Haskell county and district can be held in Rule to

in several races has largely within the past week the Rule political rally to focus attention on the number of hitherto "quiet" candidates.

Arrangements have been made for the large crowd expected at a public address system installed for the benefit of the candidates and their audience. The speakers will be allotted on the program for every candidate for district, and precinct of the county according to Walter Murphree, county attorney, who will be chairman during the evening. If desired, representatives of candidates for state posts will be given time on the program, Mr. Murphree said.

### Aldermen Observe Routine Session Monday

The routine business and session of the City Council occupied the session of the City Council in their regular meeting Monday night in the City Hall. Mayor John V. Davis, Ben Bagwell, John S. Rike and City Clerk Coburn answering the two aldermen were absent from the city, J. W. Ghoson and D. Montgomery.

### WILDCAT IN THROCKMORTON IS KILLED PRODUCER

Indicated Eight  
Miles East Haskell  
County Line

The principal interest in the development of this section of the deep wildcat district in southwestern Throckmorton county, Jones & Stasney, located Comanche No. 95, 18 miles east of Throckmorton and from the Haskell

was found in Marble Bluffs at 4,073-06 feet, with estimates running as high as 100 barrels. On a short gauge well, however, operators reported at 80 barrels per day. Treatment would be given to the well above the pay zone.

Average pool south of appointment marked operators to develop the pool. Formation corporation's No. 10, failed to pick up pay in Adams Branch No. 2800 feet, and the shut down Wednesday 3,900 feet awaiting or on is in the J. F. Moran No. 59, 900 feet west No. 2, Pardu, rated as a level producer.

W. V. Payne, Ben Bagwell, Killingsworth and Miller are visiting in Ft. Worth.

Martha Ann Jordan is a few days with her uncle, Mr. and Mrs. H. in Wichita Falls.

## DRIVER IS HELD AFTER ACCIDENT WEDNESDAY NIGHT

### One Man Injured When Car Overtakes En Route to Dance Hall

As the result of an automobile accident late Wednesday night near the Stamford city limits, and just inside Haskell county, one man was injured slightly and another, the driver of the machine, was held by Haskell county officers pending a full investigation Thursday.

Six occupants were thrown from the car when it swerved from the highway and struck loose gravel and overturned, officers learned. Sheriff Kemp, County Attorney Murphree and deputy sheriff Riley Lowellen investigated the wreck. They reported that W. C. Cummins, driver, and J. A. Yondell both of Oklahoma, accompanied by Emmett Harber, sign painter of Olney, had picked up three Haskell youths in Stamford and the group had started to a nearby dance hall north of Stamford. Harber was the only person hurt in the mishap, receiving a severe cut on the back of his neck from broken glass. The automobile was badly damaged.

First report of the accident made to officers were to the effect that the automobile driven by Cummins had sideswiped another car on the highway, but this was discredited by investigating officers.

## Revival Meeting Starts Friday At Plainview Church

A revival meeting, to begin Friday night, July 15th at the Plainview Baptist Church will be conducted by Rev. Grady Hammer according to announcement made this week.

Services will be held each night, and arrangements have been made to accommodate a large crowd during the series of services outlined. Closing date of the revival was not announced.

## Candidates Talk To Large Crowd In Mattson Section

Voters of the Mattson section northeast of Haskell gathered in large numbers Wednesday night when county candidates filled their speaking engagement in that community. With county attorney Walter M. Chison as chairman, every candidate for office in the county was assigned time on the program for brief talks. Several precinct candidates also appeared.

## Absentee Voting Exceeds Hundred Mark on Thursday

An average of twelve absentee ballots are being received daily in the County Clerk's office, with the total well above the one hundred mark Thursday afternoon, indicating advance interest in the outcome of the first primary to be held July 23.

Qualified voters who expect to be out of the county when the primary is held, will be permitted to cast absentee votes until Wednesday July 20, according to provisions of the state election law. Ballots may be secured upon written application to the Clerk's office.

Miss Joyce Grady of Roswell, New Mexico is visiting in the home of her uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bagwell.

## The Whole O'Daniel Family Campaigns



Three enthusiastic youngsters, Pat, Mike and Molly O'Daniel, of Fort Worth, are campaigning for their father, W. Lee O'Daniel, who is seeking the office of Governor of Texas. Their mother, Mrs. Merle O'Daniel stays at home and handles headquarters. Pat and Mike are musicians with the Hill Billy

## RETIRED PHYSICIAN DIES WEDNESDAY AT HOME OF SON

Funeral Rites Held Thursday  
Afternoon For Dr. B. D. Power

Dr. B. D. Power, 78, retired physician and father of Carl Power of this city, died Wednesday morning at 11:50 o'clock at the home of another son, Roy Power, 12 miles southwest of Stamford. Deceased had made his home with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Power in Haskell since 1933, and had gone to visit his son in Jones county some three weeks ago. He had been in failing health for several years, and paralysis was a contributing cause of his death.

Funeral services were held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Power Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock with the Rev. R. N. Huckabee, minister of the First Methodist Church officiating. Deceased had been a member of the Methodist church since young manhood.

Interment was in Willow Cemetery with arrangements in charge of Holden's Funeral Home.

Dr. Power was born Nov. 3, 1859 in Georgia, and after reaching manhood completed a college course to engage in the practice of medicine. He was an active practitioner in Tuscaloosa, Ala. for a number of years, and later followed his profession in Howe, Oklahoma, over a long period. He had been a resident of Texas since 1929.

## Abilene, Haskell Colored Fighters On Card Tuesday

Abilene and Haskell colored fighters will be featured in an inter-district tournament here on Tuesday night in the Firemen's outdoor arena.

Ten members compose the Abilene team, according to Reuben Price, colored promoter of this city who is in charge of the meet. Price states that at least eight three-round bouts will be staged, and more if opponents for all members of the Abilene team can be secured.

## Appeal Made for Payment Cemetery Association Dues

Have you visited our cemetery lately and noticed how the grass and weeds have grown? They give our cemetery a very desecrated and unsightly appearance.

## W. Lee O'Daniel Will Speak In Haskell Tuesday Morning

## GOVERNOR ALLRED IS APPOINTED TO HIGH COURT POST

### Commission As Judge South Texas District Given By President Roosevelt

Governor James V. Allred Monday was appointed federal judge of the newly created South Texas district which includes a total of 44 counties.

The appointment was announced by President Franklin D. Roosevelt during his 30-minute speech at Wichita Falls, when the chief executive stopped in that city en route to San Francisco. The president handed Allred his commission while the two stood on the rear platform of Roosevelt's special train.

Governor Allred probably will resign early this fall after the democratic primaries to assume his new post. In a statement Tuesday morning, Allred said he did not know whether he would finish his second term as Governor, but usually well informed sources express the opinion he might step out in September.

If he did resign, Lieutenant-Governor Walter F. Woodall, a candidate for attorney general, would become governor and serve until a man to be elected this summer and fall was inaugurated in January.

## SMALL CROWD HEARS JAMES A. FERGUSON HERE ON WEDNESDAY

### Bell County Candidate For Governor Brief Visitor In Haskell

James A. Ferguson of Bell county, candidate for Governor, addressed a small crowd on the courthouse lawn Wednesday afternoon. Ferguson, a cousin of former Governor James E. Ferguson, was concluding a tour of West Texas in the interest of his candidacy.

Ferguson dubbed himself a "plain dirt farmer" acquainted with the problems of farmers and workmen. He read his platform, in which he favored abolishing of needless boards and commissions connected with the state government that would result in a "saving of fifty million dollars a year" provision for tenant farm purchases through cooperative lending by the state and national governments of money at 1 percent interest repayable over a period of forty years, and the payment in full of all pensions to the aged who could qualify under provisions of the state constitution.

Mr. Ferguson was introduced by a companion on his speaking tour. In the introduction, the speaker singled out two of Ferguson's opponents, McCraw and O'Daniel for spirited criticism.

## Amateur Rodeo Will Be Feature of Seymour Celebration

Rodeo performers, dancers, parades, old settlers' reunion, chuck wagon meals, and other entertainment are in store for those who visit the Seymour Cowboys' and Old Settlers' Reunion, to be held in that city next Wednesday and Thursday, July 20-21.

The rodeo, which will be strictly amateur this year, will have two performances daily, at 2:00 and 8:00 p. m., on the turf field on the hill east of Seymour. A new grandstand has been built this year to take care of the crowds, which were almost too large to handle last year at some performances.

## Lions Club Heads To Map Plans For Remainder Summer

Officers and directors of the Lions Club will meet in the Tonkawa Coffee Shop tonight for the purpose of discussing plans for club activities during the summer months. Several important matters will be brought up for consideration, and Dr. J. G. Vaughter, president of the organization, urges all members of the board of directors to attend.



James V. Allred, Texas' 38-year-old Governor, Monday was appointed as Federal Judge for a newly-created South Texas district. Governor Allred was handed his commission by President Roosevelt in Wichita Falls Monday afternoon.

## BRAVES TO TACKLE TAHOKA TEAM HERE SUNDAY AFTERNOON

### Locals Expect To Present Reconditioned Team In Line-Up

Baseball fans of this section are promised their money's worth Sunday afternoon at Fair Park, when the Braves are scheduled to play the Iron Mountain aggregation from Tahoka, field manager Tommy Hall announced Wednesday.

The locals, suffering several defeats during the current season, have been "reconditioned" to an appreciable extent, Hall said, and will be able to send a dependable team on the field Sunday afternoon. In the pitchers box as starter will be Hall or Archie Pittman, it was announced.

Infield for the locals will be strengthened by Sammy Johnson, erstwhile Brave shortstop who has been absent from previous line-ups. The pitching staff will also have plenty of material if needed, and the general lineup will provide many of the oldsters on the Braves pennant-winning club, Hall said.

The game will be called at 3:00 o'clock, at Fair Park.

## Eagle Rank Is Awarded Member of Scout Troop 35

One Scout was advanced to the highest rank in Scouting, and eight merit badges were issued to two members of Troop 35 in the regular monthly Court of Honor for the troop held Tuesday night, July 5th.

Roy McClintock was advanced to the rank of Eagle Scout after successfully passing the required tests. Young McClintock is believed the youngest Eagle Scout in Texas.

## Ralph Duncan, C-C Secretary, Suffers From Heart Stroke

Ralph Duncan, Chamber of Commerce secretary, has been confined to his bed since Tuesday afternoon, when he was stricken with a severe heart attack. Although his condition is not serious, physicians have advised a period of several weeks rest. During Duncan's absence the C. C. office will be in charge of Mrs. Frankie Dorris Bynum as assistant secretary, and M. P. Vanoy, secretary of the Fair association.

S. Hassen made a business trip to Sulphur, Okla. the first part of the week.

## Largest Crowd of Present Campaign Is Predicted Here For Event

W. Lee O'Daniel, Fort Worth manufacturer and candidate for governor, is bringing his campaign to Haskell County Tuesday, July 19, when he speaks before a county-wide rally in Haskell at 10 a. m.

O'Daniel supporters in Haskell county are predicting the largest crowd of the present campaign for the occasion and invitations are extended to the voters of surrounding communities to come to Haskell for the meeting.

Since opening his campaign in Waco, June 13, the candidate has spoken to more than 750,000 people. Record breaking crowds have met him at every stop. Mr. O'Daniel is advocating a business administration of the state's affairs at Austin. He sponsors the enforcement of the present old age pension plan as enacted into law by the vote of the people and promises to do his best to take the state government away from the professional politicians and turn it back to the people.

From Haskell the candidate will continue the concluding week before election with four more speeches Tuesday, appearing in Seymour at 12:45 p. m., where he will broadcast over a statewide radio network; Olney at 3 p. m., Graham at 5 p. m., and Jacksboro at 8 p. m., where he will again broadcast at 9:45 p. m.

## Gospel Meeting at Church of Christ to Begin Wednesday

Evangelist Fred McClung of Ft. Worth is to begin a meeting with the local church of Christ next Wednesday night at eight-thirty. This is the regular annual meeting for this church, and is considered by the members and friends of this congregation to be the greatest event of the year. Great crowds usually attend, and this year's meeting is looked forward to with great hopes.

Mr. McClung held the meeting last year, and those who heard him will be glad to hear him again. His uncle, Claude McClung held a meeting here a few years back, while Mr. Thurman preached for the church. He is a young man, ex-student of Abilene Christian College, and is full of zeal. He preaches purity of life, and he lives it.

The services will be held in the open air behind the church building. The singing will be conducted by the minister of the church, J. G. Malphurs. Everyone is urged to attend and take part in the singing, and enjoy the preaching.

## THOMPSON RALLY WILL BE STAGED HERE SATURDAY

### Judge Harvey Harris, of Wichita Falls To Be Speaker

Haskell friends and supporters of Ernest O. Thompson are arranging for a political rally in behalf of his candidacy for Governor, to be held in this city Saturday afternoon.

Judge Harvey Harris of Wichita Falls will be the principal speaker for the gathering, and will speak at 2:30 o'clock on the courthouse lawn. Emory Menefer, chairman of the local "Thompson for Governor" Club, is in charge of arrangements for the rally.

Col. Thompson, former Amarillo mayor, is gaining wide support in all sections of the state in his campaign for Governor. Local supporters declare Judge Harris in his talk here Saturday will outline Thompson's platform and discuss other issues in the race.

At 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon Judge Harris will speak in Rule in the interest of Thompson's candidacy.

County Agent, G. R. and Mrs. Shumann and children are in College Station this week where Mr. Shumann is attending the short course offered by A. & M.



# Brief News Items From Rochester

Miss Faye Kelley of Rule spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Cardell Henry.

Frances Kaigler and Frances Myers of Haskell and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Shaver, Mr. and Mrs. Cathey Bagwell and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kay spent the third and fourth at Lake Kemp.

The 42 club meets with Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Bragg.

The 42 Club entertained their husbands at the home of Mrs. E. Hob Smith on the lawn. An attractive plate of ice cream topped with a cherry and cake were served to the following: Messrs. and Mesdames Bob Speck, V. Alvis, J. O. Emory, Mark Wadzeck, Charles Kay, H. Christensen, Reeder Smith, Mansell Bragg, Tom Murphy, Cathey Bagwell, G. Hicks, North Buckner and Mrs. Marion Wicks, Mrs. McCarty, and E. Hob Smith and the hostesses, Mr. W. J. Bragg and Mrs. E. Hob Smith.

Mr. G. F. Mullino of Haskell was in Rochester Monday.

### Candidates Speak In Rochester Friday Night

A large crowd gathered in Rochester last Friday night to hear the candidates speak. A loud speaker was set up so everyone could hear.

### Theatre Opens In Rochester

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Pardue of Mineral Wells have recently moved to Rochester to open the Rex Theatre.

Mrs. A. M. Reeves is visiting her daughter Mrs. Daw King in Pampa.

Miss Maxine Bragg of Sweetwater is spending her vacation with her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bragg.

Mrs. Doris Ray Brown who has been working in the Modernistic Beauty Shop at Haskell is now in Rochester working in the Service Beauty Shop at Smith's Drug Store.

Mrs. Hut Corley who operates the Service Beauty Shop in Rochester has recently opened a new shop The Beauty Shop, in Knox City.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Grinstead and Mr. and Mrs. Pardell Henry look a picnic dinner and spent the day at Scott's Crossing last Monday.

### Miss Jerrine Cooner Becomes Bride of Mr. Mansell Bragg

Traditional wedding music and decorative appointments of unusual beauty provided an appropriate setting for the Friday evening recitation of nuptial vows by Miss Jerrine Cooner of O'Brien and Mr. Mansell Bragg of Rochester. The wedding ceremony was performed at 8:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Cooner of O'Brien. Rev. J. L. Ponder, pastor of the First Baptist Church officiated.

The wedding party entered the

reception room and stood before the beautifully decorated altar of pink carnations and fern and candelabra with tall lighted tapers for the service.

Preceding the ceremony Miss Peggy Stephens of Spur sang "Trust In Me" and "I Love You Truly" accompanied at the piano by Miss Chellie Sue Bragg. Mr. Tommie Greer played "London-derry Air" on his violin.

The bride wore a powder blue crepe dress with a blue lace bolero and navy accessories. She carried a bouquet of talisman rose buds and babies breath.

The bride's only attendant was her sister Mrs. Bruce Browning of Quitaque.

The best man was Mr. E. Hob Smith of Rochester.

An informal reception was held after the wedding and the bride's cake and erin punch were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. E. Hob Smith, Wilson Brown, J. E. Mansell, W. J. Bragg and Misses Maxine, Chellie Sue and Genevieve Bragg, and Mr. and Mrs. Terry Robertson and Terry Sue, Dickie and Beverly Robertson of Rochester, and Mrs. B. W. Snody Benjamin, and Mr. and Mrs. Clint Wharton and Wardene Wharton of O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cooner and La Rue and Jim Bob Cooner of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Lee and LaVarse Lee of Spur, Mrs. W. R. Weaver, Mrs. O. C. Arthur, Mrs. E. M. Bailey, Peggy Stephens of Spur and Mrs. Bill Richey and Jane and Mrs. J. W. Martin of Haskell, Mrs. M. H. McCarty and Mrs. Bruce Browning, Quitaque, Mrs. O. E. Roberts and Alwyn Roberts, Victoria, and Rev. J. L. Ponder, Rochester.

Mrs. Bragg is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Cooner of O'Brien. She finished school at Haskell High School and then attended Simmons University at Abilene and Texas Tech at Lubbock.

Mr. Bragg is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bragg of Rochester. After finishing his work in the Rochester High School he attended NTSTC at Arlington. He is now in Mansell Bros. Store at Rochester where he and his wife will make their future home.

### Miss Evanel Arnold Entertained With Swimming Party

Miss Evanel Arnold of Snyder was entertained with a swimming party at Davis' Swimming Pool last Thursday night. Those present were: Marjorie Sue Kay, Dalia Dean Wadzeck, Eva Barbee, Crystallena Dabney, Lucyle Malpus and R. A. Shaver, J. P. Wadzeck, Freddie Hicks, Monty Penman, Allen Lowery and Mr. and Mrs. Mark Wadzeck.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Buie of Stamford spent the week-end with her mother Mrs. A. M. Penman.

Misses Marjorie Sue Kay, Dalia Dean Wadzeck, Eva Barbee and Crystallena Dabney spent last week-end with Miss Evanel Arnold at Snyder.

# Good Painting Dependent Upon Several Factors

Keeping wood satisfactorily painted depends on three things, good paint, good painting, and good maintenance. The majority of people consider that buildings usually look best when kept well painted and, if they can afford it, are willing to spend money for the purpose. Chemists at the U. S. Forest Products Laboratory, Madison, Wis., state that good paint maintenance not only keeps buildings looking well, keeps surfaces smooth, but it also gives the property a look of prosperity, encourages general tidiness of the premises, and gives the owner a well-deserved feeling of pride in his property.

Exterior painting may be done in any season of the year during which the painter can work with reasonable comfort. Obviously, paint should not be applied when it is raining or foggy and the surface should be allowed to dry after rain, fog, or dew before continuing to paint. During cold, damp weather paints harden more slowly than they do in warm, dry weather. A sudden drop in temperature while the coating is hardening may make it wrinkle or it may cause dew to form on the fresh paint and damage it. Coatings applied during late fall or winter are likely to become more seriously soiled as time passes than coatings applied in the spring or summer. On the other hand, during the summer, insects and seeds sometimes become embedded in fresh paint and disfigure it.

Once the building has been painted, future repainting should be done with the same kind of paint used the first time. Changing kinds of paint for successive paint jobs often leads to abnormally early failure and unsatisfactory forms of failure of the new job. The renewed coating consists of the new paint plus what is left of the old paint and, unless there is past experience with the combination to judge by, no one can tell what the result will be. Certain repainting combinations that have repeatedly been observed by the Forest Products Laboratory to cause abnormal and usually unsatisfactory developments are white paints over yellow ochre primer or paint, white paints over colored pigment paints such as red, brown, green or black, pure white lead paint over mixed pigment paints that have not aged for a very long time, enamelled paints over softener house paints of the ordinary types, and ordinary types, and ordinary house paints over enamelled paints.

Joe Harrison of Kitcheneh, Ont., Can., claims the world's nonstop chairrocking championship. Recently he rocked continuously for 55 hours and 15 seconds.

The bride at a wedding in Epseom, Eng., was given away by her mother, while her father served as best man.

# Gigantic Steel Bridge Over Neches River at Port Arthur Open This Month

(By Robert M. Hayes, In The Dallas News)

Traditions of a city built on courageous but hazardous speculation will be upheld fittingly next month when the \$2,750,000 steel bridge over the Neches River is opened to traffic. A colorful civic celebration will mark the new mile-stone in Port Arthur's picturesque history.

Arthur Stilwell, who followed a hunch in founding the city nearly fifty years ago, and John (Bet-a-Million) Gates, daredevil speculator of the nineties, undoubtedly would have beamed their approval of the huge project which rivals anything of its kind in the South. For the Neches bridge, towering 230 feet above the surrounding marshland, is the highest in the South and the sixth highest in the Nation.

Financed by the public works administration, the Texas Highway Department and Jefferson County, the structure is higher than the Brooklyn Bridge or Huey Long Bridge over the Mississippi at New Orleans. It is a mile and a half long and has ample clearance for ocean-going vessels on the river it spans.

Completion of the bridge forms a new link in H-287—the hug-the-coast route—between Port Arthur and Orange and offers an imposing introduction to Texas for tourists entering the State by the southeast corner. The gradual grade of the bridge gives motorists an unobstructed view of 1,000 feet ahead at any point on the structure.

### Inspired by His Brownies

Arthur Stilwell's hunch led to the founding of Port Arthur was inspired by a dream. A prominent and influential railroad builder, he had conceived long before the idea of extending a railroad route from the Middle West to the Gulf of Mexico. But his plans did not take definite shape until brownies appeared to him in a dream and pointed out the site of Port Arthur, which was to become the terminus.

Stilwell's Brownies played an unquestioned and significant role in the town's development. He admitted publicly that the dream had been a deciding influence and he put much faith in the vision. At any rate, he forged ahead with his plans, undeterred by the money panic of 1893 that threatened to paralyze all industry.

A brilliant exploitation campaign brought Port Arthur named in honor of its founder—into being in 1896. Brochures describing in glowing terms the allurements of the new city were spread over the country. A land and townsites were laid out and water and drainage projects undertaken. A massive wooden hotel was built to care for the expected flood of homesekers.

In his expensive selling campaign, Stilwell did not overlook the agricultural possibilities of the area. An agricultural expert imported from California conducted a demonstration farm to show the possibilities of the soil and his findings were given wide publicity. Farmers from as far away as New England flocked to Port Arthur to buy land for \$20 an acre.

Channel Opened in '99

With the construction of the new railroad—the Kansas City, Pittsburg & Gulf—to its southern terminal, there remained the problem of creating a deep water connection with the Gulf ten miles away. The first channel, a shallow one in comparison with the present depth of thirty-two feet, was completed December 28, 1899. The first vessel to pass through the canal and load at Port Arthur was the Saint Oswald, under the command of Capt. William B. Curtis.

How long Port Arthur could have maintained the lively industrial pace set by its founder is a matter of conjecture. But it seems that Stilwell's brownies were possessed of an intuition or foresight that is denied mortals. The city was scarcely 5 years old when a new development at its very back door changed the economic map of the Nation and put Port Arthur in the world limelight.

It was on a chilly morning in January, 1901, that a deafening roar from Spindletop, ten miles north, heralded the discovery of a major oil field in Texas. Lucas gusher, spewing a six-inch stream of oil 200 feet, flowed unchecked nine days while drillers pondered how to control the output.

The discovery of oil at Spindletop hastened the city's growth beyond Stilwell's fondest dreams. Port Arthur and Beaumont became the local point of the oil industry.

Bet-a-Million Hooks a Tarpon

A small refinery was built at Port Arthur by the Guffey and Gailey interests. Later another plant was built by what is now the Texas Company. The few crude skills of the Guffey Company have developed since into the huge plant of the Gulf Oil Corporation, largest refining unit in the world. The Gulf plant has a capacity of 120,000 barrels a day and employs, normally, a force of 4,500. The Texas Company plant has a capacity of 75,000 barrels and an operating personnel of 3,500.

A lucky fishing trip brought one of the most colorful figures

of the financial world into the Port Arthur picture. Bet-a-Million Gates, who got his start by introducing and selling barbed wire in the West, was first attracted to Port Arthur because of its excellent fishing waters. On one of his fishing trips the financier, taken in tow by tilwell, hooked a large tarpon. The incident sold him on the virtues of the coast town.

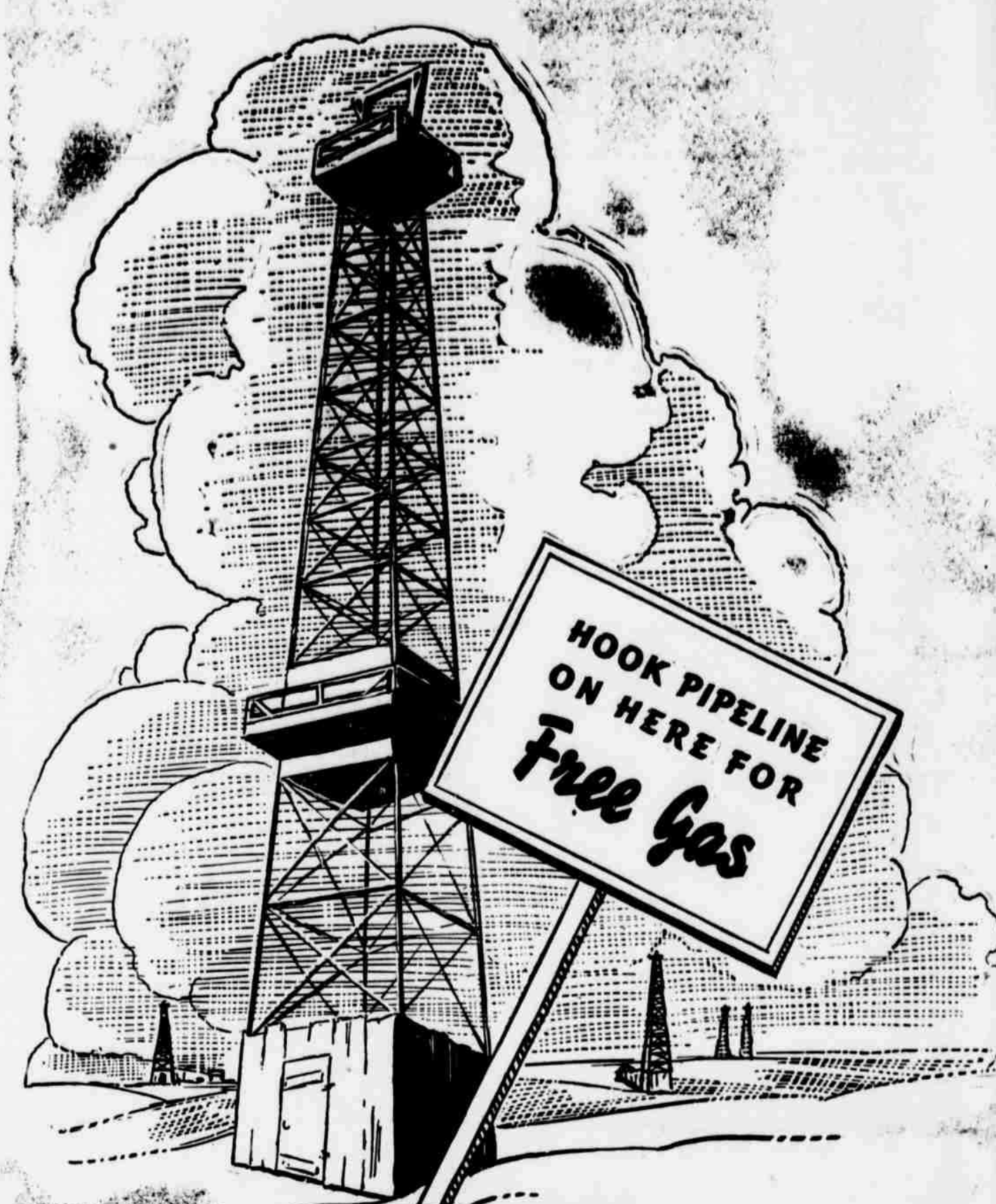
There's an interesting story about Gates that centered in Texas and involved, indirectly, his later connection with Port Arthur interests. When Gates started as a fence salesman, barbed wire was something new. Confident that the Texas cattle country would be a fruitful field for operations, he moved into San Antonio, where he would be within easy access of the stockmen.

The barbed wire idea didn't go over so well at first. Gates, eg-

ers of the merit of his strung up three strands of wire around the town and invited ranchers to bring wildest steers. The demonstration was a spectacular success. The stockmen clamored for

to convince prospect-

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# IF gas cost nothing AT THE WELL

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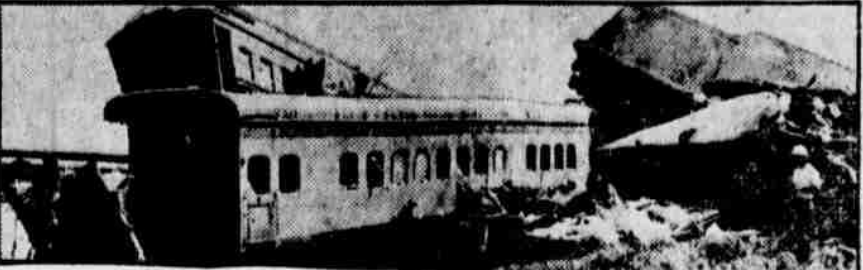
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**People and Spots in the Late News**



**PRODIGAL "BABE" RETURNS . . .** George Herman Ruth, fence-busting Bambino of several years ago, came back to his first love, baseball, when he signed as Brooklyn Dodger coach at \$15,000 a year; speculation is already rife on his chances of becoming manager in the future.



**WRECK TAKES BIG TOLL . . .** Estimated dead or missing reached 42 persons as crack Olympian limited crash through flood-weakened bridge into creek at Miles City, Mont., piling up railroad cars like broken toys.



**CREPE WITHOUT TEARS . . .** Clips of gold kid leaves on diagonal line of bodice add smart touch to this dress of black crepe, style critics agreed. The pert black velvet hat is faced with dull gros-grain silk.

**MANGANESE SITUATION IMPROVED . . .** With war scares threatening availability of "No. 1 strategic mineral" from Russia and other far points, Cuba's advance to third rank among supplying countries, in tonnage shipped, commanded growing attention. Photo shows Cuban manganese being piled at Baltimore.



**CRACKS NAZI SPY CASE . . .** Leon G. Turrou, who adopts disguises such as that he is pictured wearing here, resigned from "G-men" because of ill health after uncovering alleged German spy ring, 18 members of which were indicted for stealing U. S. military secrets.



**BIG DIPPER—AND HOW . . .** "Digging in" for new industrial speed-up was this new electric shovel at Wilmington, Ill., which requires nine stories of machinery to operate and picks up 32 cubic yards of coal. Made of aluminum, it's one-third as heavy as steel, but strong enough to support terrific weight.

**Irby**  
The health of this community is good at this writing. Gus Swenson and Lew Ivy of Throckmorton were in our midst Sunday.

Mrs. Allow Peiser spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Steiwert. Mr. and Mrs. William Von Con-ten returned from San Angelo, after spending a week there with relatives and friends. Paul Fisher of Stamford spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Peiser.

**OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE FARMERS & MERCHANTS STATE BANK**  
at Haskell, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1938, published in the Haskell Free Press, a newspaper printed and published at Haskell, State of Texas, on the 13th day of July, 1938.

Lloyd Key of Dallas spent Friday evening in the home of Mr. George Moeller. Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart and children of Mattson, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Klose, Mr. and Mrs. Erich Optz of Mattson, Mr. and

**ANNOUNCES CHANGE IN NAME OF BEAUTY SHOP**  
Mrs. Talma Fraley, beauty shop operator of the city, announces a change in the name of her shop, from the Dolores Beauty Shop to "The Talma Beauty Salon." Mrs. Fraley recently completed a course in beauty work in an Abilene school, and is a licensed beautician. She invites the women of Haskell to visit the salon, located in the West Side Barber Shop.

**Resources**  
Loans and discounts, on personal or collateral security \$129,647.37  
Loans secured by real estate 14,969.16  
Overdrafts 1,083.55  
Securities of U. S., any State or political subdivision thereof 851.08  
Customers' bonds held for safekeeping 100.00  
Banking House 8,000.00  
Furniture and Fixtures 2,000.00  
Real Estate owned, other than banking house 28,102.62  
Cash and due from approved reserve agents 49,617.33  
Other Resources (Itemize) 11,121.02

**Dr. Gertrude Robinson**  
Graduate Chiropractor  
Cahill Insurance Bldg.  
Telephone Office 108  
Residence 14 Sunday—By call or Appointment

Breaking his previous record for banana eating, Mervyn Walm-ley of Coraki, Australia, recently devoured 52 helpings of the fruit in 20 minutes.

**GRAND TOTAL** \$245,492.13

**Liabilities**  
Capital Stock \$25,000.00  
Income debentures sold 20,000.00  
Total Capital Structure 45,000.00  
Undivided Profits, net 2,500.84  
Due to banks and bankers, subject to check 9,960.00  
Individual Deposits subject to check, including time deposits due in 30 days 187,023.39  
Cashier's Checks Outstanding 907.93  
Customers Bond deposited for safekeeping 100.00

**GRAND TOTAL** \$245,492.13

State of Texas, County of Haskell: We, J. T. Hester, as President and Ira Hester, as Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

J. T. Hester—Pres.  
Ira Hester—Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of July, A. D., 1938.

Theron Cahill, Notary Public, Haskell County, Texas.  
Correct—Attest:  
W. M. Reid,  
W. P. Crouch,  
T. C. Cahill

—Director.  
Miss Lois Holmesly spent a few days this week with her cousin, Miss Wilma Pearl Reid of Rochester.

**PERKINS-TIMBERLAKE COMPANY**  
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**July Clearance**

These Shoes are values you can't overlook. They have been reduced for final clearance. Values to \$3.98. July Clearance—  
**\$1.00**

Just received new shipment of this Batiste in printed patterns that are lovely. For July Clearance—  
**11c**

Ladies Summer Gloves in fabric colors or white, navy, beige, black. These gloves are regular 39c values. July Clearance—  
**19c**

De Leon Hats reduced for July Clearance in two large groups. Take your choice—  
**25c and 50c**

One rack of Ladies Dresses to go on sale Friday and Saturday. This lot includes values you will be surprised at. Dresses that originally sold up to \$5.95. July Clearance—  
**\$1.98**

Remnant Sale Friday and Saturday. Table piled high of these short lengths. As you already know we sell them at just one-half of the original price.

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- All-Silent, All-Steel Bodies
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Haskell, Texas



# SOCIETY

## Family Reunion Held In Chamberlain Home July 4

During the week-end of July 4th the children of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Chamberlain gathered at the home of their parents for their annual family get-together. For the first time since 1924 all of the children were present, as were most of the grandchildren. Most of the children spent the night of the 3rd with their parents. From then until Tuesday morning when the last car drove away it was the same united family under parental care filled with merriment and a tinge of saddest sadness.

The children present were M. T. Chamberlain, of Benjamin, Mrs. D. S. Gregory, of Lubbock, Linda Hunter of Houston, Stella H. L. Chamberlain of Goree, Mrs. Trav Irick of Pilot Point, Lon Chamberlain of Littlefield, Mrs. A. F. Williamson of Lubbock, Jack Chamberlain of Shreveport, La., with those who have ever remained under the parental roof.

Among others present besides the families of the children were Mrs. Athene Morton and daughter of Denton, Buster Chamberlain and family of Goree, Billie Moore and family of Goree, Mrs. Raymond Lawrence of Phoenix, Ariz., Jackie Middleton, of Kansas City; Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Chamberlain of Munday, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Frey and Norman of Goree, Uncle Harry Williamson of Goree, Mr. and Mrs. Vaughan Williamson and family of Goree, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Goodwin of Haskell, and Bill Chamberlain of Goree.

## Miss Francis Morris Becomes Bride of W. H. Walton

Announcement has been received in Haskell of the marriage of Miss Francis Morris of Spur to W. H. Walton of that city. Miss Walton is the daughter of Mrs. Kate Morris and formerly lived in Haskell. After a short wedding trip, the young couple will reside in Spur where Mr. Walton is connected with a lumber company.

Miss Juanita Mansell of Chattanooga, Oklahoma and Miss Dorothy Golden of Hollister, Oklahoma are visiting their grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Mansell of Dad's Cafe.

## Mrs. Marvin Bryan Honors Daughters With Party

Mrs. Marvin Bryan honored her daughters, Dolores and Barbara with a birthday party, Tuesday afternoon. The occasion was Dolores' birthday, but since they will be visiting their grandparents on Barbara's birthday, July 18, a joint party was given. Rubber balls were given as party favors. Two large pink birthday cakes with white candles centered the dining table. These were served with ice cream and candies to Ann Catherine Rike, Sonny Alford, Temple Williams, Sue and Mary Jean Sellers, Happy and Linda Hunter of Houston, Stella Frierson, Jabe Richey, Jane Bradford, Mary Beth Payne, Joan Berry, Billy Louise Herndon, Charlene McGregor, Catherine Davis, Anita Jo Pitman, Nancy Ratliff, Jackie Brashier, Mary Magdalene, and Freddie Frierson.

## Tuesday Bridge Club Meets With Mrs. Murchison

The Tuesday Bridge club and guests met with Mrs. Walter Murchison this week. Zinnias and roses were attractively arranged in the entertaining rooms. After games of contract, Mrs. Bert Welsh was given high score prize for members, and Mrs. Theron Cahill high score for guests. A salad plate was served to: Mmes. Bert Welsh, Virgil Reynolds, Clay Smith, French Robertson, T. W. Williams, Ben Charlie Chapman, Hill Oates, Theron Cahill, Gordon Phillips, Ernest Kimbrough, and J. G. Vaughter.

## Haskell People Attend Funeral In Ralls

C. W. Bledsoe, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Allen Adams and Mrs. J. H. Lawson attended the funeral services of Mrs. McLaughlin in Ralls Tuesday. Mrs. McLaughlin, her husband and grandson, Ralph McLaughlin, also a grandson of Mr. Bledsoe's, were in an automobile accident last Sunday which caused the death of Mrs. McLaughlin. The other occupants of the car received only minor cuts and bruises.

READ THE WANT ADS!

## Will Conduct Meeting Here



## Bluebonnet Home Demonstration Club to Have Picnic

Next Monday afternoon, July 18 the Bluebonnet Home Demonstration club is sponsoring a picnic and Fried Chicken Supper with all the trimmings. We have invited as our guests for the afternoon the chamber of commerce and fire boys with their wives. An hour of entertainment is planned. All are expected to have a small sum of 25c a plate in order to raise funds for our next year's budget. This will include a trip to the farmers short course encampment expenses, also expense affair and many other things that will arise during the year. —Assistant Reporter.

## Home From Hospital

Mrs. P. J. White was removed from the Abilene Sanitarium Monday afternoon in a Jones, Cox ambulance after having had a major operation several days ago.

Wilma Kuenster is visiting in Stamford this week, the guest of Miss Paula Mae Walker.

Fred W. McClung, of Ft. Worth, the evangelist for the gospel meeting which begins with the church of Christ next Wednesday night.

## Grass Fire Spreads to Small Barn

Slight damage to a small barn and surrounding fences resulted from a grass fire Wednesday afternoon at the Bob Herrin home in the northwest part of the city. Firemen were called to extinguish the blaze when the fire spread to the small building.

## Around Our Town

Jack Richey of Abilene was a Haskell visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. J. T. Wilson and children are spending the week in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Sullivan of Weichert were in Haskell, Monday.

Otis Golden of Munday was a business visitor in Haskell, Monday.

Sheriff Giles Kemp made a business trip to Anson Thursday morning.

Courtney Hunt and J. U. Fields were in Wichita Falls, Monday.

J. W. Roberts of Munday was a visitor in Haskell Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. O. M. Guest is on a vacation trip to Mineral Wells, Cisco and Dallas.

Miss Maydell Smith of Seymour visited Miss Josephine Parrish this past week.

Miss Jerry Bradshaw of Roby is spending the week in the home of W. C. Pippen.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Welsh and children, Collins and Rosemary went to Dallas, Wednesday to

Mrs. R. V. Robertson has returned home after a brief visit with relatives in Seymour.

Lewis Robertson and Dude Hutchinson of Wichita Falls visited Haskell friends during the week-end.

Mrs. O. M. Parker of Roby has returned home after a visit with her brother G. R. Couch who is critically ill.

Mrs. Wallace Irwin of Midland is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Mullino.

Mrs. P. J. White is in Hendricks Memorial Hospital in Abilene where she has undergone a major operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Powers and sons were called Tuesday to the bedside of Mr. Power's father who

is seriously ill at the home of a son in Anson.

Mrs. W. S. Britton returned Tuesday from El Paso, where she has spent several weeks with relatives and friends in that city.

Miss Barbara Lee Jordan is a guest in the home of relatives and friends in Burkburnett this week, where she will visit for several days.

Mrs. Marvin Bryan and children, Dolores and Barbara left Thursday for a two-weeks visit with relatives in Austin and Galveston.

Mrs. Jack Duncan and daughter, Paul Duncan and daughter, and Mrs. J. E. Duncan of Stamford visited Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Duncan this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Dake and children of Quanah visited last week in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dake and their sister, Mrs. A. E. Stocks and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Hutchinson of Wichita Falls were week-end guests in the home of Mrs. Hutchinson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Maxwell and other relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bethel Dake of Gladewater spent the Fourth of July holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Dake and other relatives and friends in this city.

Henry Lancaster of Abilene, formerly engaged in the tailoring business in Haskell, spent several hours here Tuesday afternoon renewing acquaintance with old friends.

Henry Reitman, assistant branch manager and Jack Whisenant, sales-manager for International Harvester Co., are here at the Haskell Implement Co. from Sweetwater this week.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Ratliff this week end were their children, Mr. and Mrs. David Ratliff and son of Longview and Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Ratliff from Spur who also visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. McGregor.

## Local Druggist

Buys large quantity of BROWN'S LOTION and GUARANTEES it to relieve ITCH, ATHLETES FOOT, POISON IVY, BAD FOOT ODOR, etc., 60c and \$1.00 at

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The only slip at this price with all these THREE FEATURES



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34 years old; married; two daughters. Business experience and training qualifies him for the office. Promises if elected to stay on the job at all times and conduct business of the office in a dependable and economical manner.

Miss Elsie Gholson is visiting friends in Wichita Falls and Childress this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Graham had their nephew, Jack Robinson of Stamford as a guest last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Skipworth and children left Tuesday morning for a two-weeks vacation in Ruidosa, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Duncan, Mrs. Bert Welsh and son, Collins, Miss Ruth Welsh and Theron Cahill went to Wichita Falls, Monday.

## FEDERAL LAND BANK LOANS

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## FIRST Anniversary SALES

One year ago Clover Farm Stores opened in this Community. We know of better way to express our appreciation to our many customers and friends their loyalty in the past year than to invite them to join us in celebrating anniversary.

We have made our stores ready for this gala event by restocking our shelves with merchandise bought especially for this sale, and these many savings be passed on to you. . . Come in and see for yourself.

We thank you for your patronage of the past and hope to continue to do so. Sincerely yours, HENRY ATKEISON.

Pure Cane SUGAR	10 lb. cloth bag	49c	Standard Tomatoes	
POST TOASTIES	13 oz. pkg. — Limit	8c	No. 2 Can	6
Clover Farm PORK & BEANS	16 oz. can—Limit 6 Cans	4 1/2c	Limit—Not Sold	Al
Q. and Q. MACARONI	3-6 oz. pkgs.	10c	Clover Farm Peaches	
American SARDINES	3-1-4s Cans	10c	2 No. 2 1-2 Cans	35

Family Style BEEF ROAST	lb.	15c	Dry Salt JOWLS	10c	
Tender Juicy ROUND STEAK	lb.	25c			
Fresh Ground BEEF	2 lbs.	25c	Armour's SALAMI	1-2 lb.	14c

Fancy Bananas	Pound	4c	Large Select CANTALOUPEs	3 for	10c	
			Fancy White Rose POTATOES	8 lbs.	19c	
			Fancy LETTUCE	2 Heads	9c	
			CABBAGE	3c	LEMONS	3c Doz.

This Sale Friday and Saturday, July 15-16

## FOODS CLOVER FARM STORES MEATS

# Two-for-One SALE!

## Think of It!

Our entire stock of brand new Summer Silk and Sheer Nelly Don Dresses goes on sale this week-end. You can buy two Dresses, regular \$14.95 each, for the small sum of \$1.00 additional.

A clean sweep! Closing out all Nelly Don new Summer Dresses! Just think of it, you will have an opportunity to buy a real value in Nelly Don dresses regardless of what price from \$1.95 to \$14.95 for only \$1.00 additional.

We have 200 Nelly Don Dresses on hand in all sizes from the small size 10, to 44. The low prices we have on these dresses will sell them fast, so be here early to get your choice of these great savings.



And here is the way we are going to sell them.

Regular Price of One Dress	Two Dresses	Buy Two Dresses For	Your Saving
\$1.95	\$3.90	\$2.95	95c
\$2.95	\$5.90	\$3.95	\$1.95
\$3.95	\$7.90	\$4.95	\$2.95
\$5.95	\$11.90	\$6.95	\$4.95
\$7.95	\$15.90	\$8.95	\$7.95
\$10.95	\$21.90	\$11.95	\$9.95
\$14.95	\$29.90	\$15.95	\$13.95

Please Note: Only Two Dresses To A Customer. No Try-On—No Exchange—and No Refund.

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## Still Coughing?

No matter how many medicines you have tried for your cough, chest cold, or bronchial irritation, you can get relief now with Creomulsion. Serious trouble may be brewing and you cannot afford to take a chance with any remedy less potent than Creomulsion, which goes right to the seat of the trouble and aids nature to soothe and heal the inflamed mucous membranes and to loosen and expel the germ-laden phlegm. Even if other remedies have failed, don't be discouraged, try Creomulsion. Your druggist is authorized to refund your money if you are not thoroughly satisfied with the benefits obtained from the very first bottle. Creomulsion is one word—not two, and it has no hyphen in it. Ask for it plainly, see that the name on the bottle is Creomulsion, and you'll get the genuine product and the relief you want. (Adv.)



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5.25-17... 93¢/week

### Nation's Debt Up To An Average of \$285 Per Capita

The Treasury reported that the public debt rose in the past year to an average of \$285.70 for every man, woman and child in the nation.

This was \$4.07 more than the amount owned per person a year ago.

Final figures on the Government's fiscal year, which ended Thursday night, showed the debt totaled \$37,164,740.15. This was \$740,126,583 more than the total a year ago. Interest payments on the obligation during the year required \$926,280,713 — nearly a seventh of all the Government's expenses.

The Treasury listed as the public debt only its own direct obligations. In addition, it said the Government had contingent liabilities of \$4,925,000,000, or \$82,000,000 more than a year ago. These liabilities, officials explained, were in the form of guarantees as to principal and interest on the outstanding obligations of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, the Home Owners' Loan Corporation, and other Federal corporations.

The increase in the public debt during the year resulted from Government borrowing to meet a deficit—the eighth in a row, but the smallest since the depression began.

Deducting the "bookkeeping entries" for debt retirement from expenditures, to obtain what President Roosevelt calls a "layman's" figure, the net deficit in the year just ended was \$1,459,248,100, compared with \$2,707,347,110 in the previous annum.

Many long and short-term records were produced by the 1938 figure. On March 12, before income tax collections and other factors reduced it, the public debt reached an all-time high of \$37,814,000,000. Receipts were the greatest in 18 years and income taxes alone were the largest in 17 years.

National defense costs amounted to the unprecedented percentage total of \$974,157,233, and international tension caused even larger funds to be provided for this year.

A year ago the business slump had not yet developed, and relief expenditures were reduced. WPA spent in the last 12 months \$1,472,499,478—barely more than the amount provided for the first seven months of the new fiscal year. The 1938 WPA cost was \$424,000,000, less than that of the previous year.

Comparing the 1938 and 1937 fiscal years, the official figures also show federal public works spending increased \$154,000,000 outlays of regular departments increased \$60,000,000. Social Security Administration costs and grants to states increased \$7108,000,000. Agricultural Adjustment outlays decreased \$165,000,000, in-

### Texas Offerings To New Industry Studied By Steel

Important recent trends in the steel industry, tending to put steel selling competition on more of a "geographical" basis than ever before, serve to focus new attention on Texas' attractions for decentralizing industry, says a report of the All-South Development Council.

C. E. Wright, editor of Iron Age, is quoted in the report as estimating that Southern Steel Mills "will enjoy wider markets geographically for their products under the new pricing system, and some producers may be forced to shift to Southern territory because of freight and wage considerations, and water transportation will be employed more to offset costs."

He was referring to abandonment of the multiple "basing point" system for steel prices to consumers—in effect since 1924 when the Federal Trade Commission outlawed the old "Pittsburgh plus" system, under which Pittsburgh was the sole basing point. Recent sweeping changes involve creation of a large number of new basing points, so that proximity of mill to consumption point will for the first time become a price factor. Until now, steel producers have quoted prices f. o. b. the nearest basing point and adding the freight from that location to the delivery point, even when the producing mill itself was closer to the consumption point.

With steel producers, as Editor Wright says, being forced to "shift to Southern territory because of freight and wage considerations" under the new pricing system, the question of choosing the most advantageous locations has this industry carefully scanning the southern field and evaluating labor, market, taxation and transportation factors: the report points out. Aggressive, factual merchandising of such of these advantages as Texas has to offer, if combined with official reassurance of the state's receptiveness to new industry, could put

### Synthetic Fiber Fabrics Replace Cotton Materials

Cotton producers face a problem of competition that will probably be as far reaching in its effects as the decline of foreign markets," states W. E. Morgan, economist of the Extension Service of Texas A. and M. College.

"I refer to the comparatively recent development of fabrics produced from synthetic fibers."

The 20 year trend is per capita consumption of cotton and rayon shows a sharp increase in the use of the latter fabric.

From 1918 to 1929 per capita cotton consumption in the United States remained fairly constant and in 1929 stood at 29.4 pounds compared to 1.08 pounds for rayon. After 1929 cotton consumption dropped sharply but returned in 1936 and 1937 to near the 1929 level. Rayon consumption, on the other hand, has increased steadily since 1918 and at present is nearly twice as high as in 1929.

Cotton prices through the 20 year period have declined in about the same manner as rayon consumption increased, but, according to Morgan, it should not be inferred that the increased use of rayon is solely responsible for the downward trend in cotton prices.

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A new Army order forbids enlisted men's marrying unless they can prove they can support their wives. A regulation like that applied to the civilian population would make rough sledding for Dan Cupid.

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New Crop HONEY 1-2 gallon comb	59c
Sam Houston COFFEE 1 lb. can with glass	22c
Royal GELATIN 3 pkgs.	16c
Heinz Ripe Olives, 9 oz. can	23c
Monarch Grapefruit Sections, 20 oz. can	15c

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Per Pound	25c	Calf LIVER	15c
Per Pound	29c	Fleischmann's YEAST	3c

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Brisket or **RIB ROAST pound 11c**

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<b>CAMAY</b> FREE 3 IN PRIZES	<b>OXYDOL</b> 19c	<b>IVORY SOAP</b> 12c 7c
Phillips <b>PORK &amp; BEANS</b> Full lb. cans 5c	Del Monte <b>PINEAPPLE JUICE</b> Large 46 oz. can 29c	Maxwell House <b>TEA</b> 1-2 lb. box 38c
Cortez <b>TUNA FISH</b> Flat Cans 14c	Chum <b>SALMON</b> Tall Can 10c	<b>MATCHES</b> 6 Box Cartons 19c
W. Lee O'Daniels <b>HILL BILLY FLOUR</b> 48 lb. 1.63	Super-Creamed <b>CRISCO</b> 3 lbs. 53c	<b>OVALTINE</b> The Marvelous Drink Brings Health to Millions. Chocolate or Unflavored Reg. 60c Can Reg. \$1.00
<b>Fresh Firm TOMATOES</b> 2 lbs. 5c	Thompson Seedless <b>GRAPES</b> 2 pounds 25c	<b>QUALITY MEAT VALUES</b>
<b>CHERRIES</b> 2 pounds 25c	<b>PLUMS AND APRICOTS</b> doz. 10c	Plain or Seven <b>STEAK</b> Pound 15c
<b>LETTUCE</b> Each 5c	<b>FRESH FIRM HEADS</b>	Dressed <b>FRYERS</b> Cut Up Ready To Fry 35c
		Armour's <b>SLICED BACON</b> Pound 19c
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## Peace and Good Will

We have done a lot of talking of late about the unfortified frontier between the United States and Canada, and about the "century of peace" between the two nations. But mostly we haven't bothered to find out much about the background of this phenomenon; we seem to figure that Americans and Canadians are just naturally nice virtuous that other peoples and that their perennial friendship is the logical result of that fact.

A bit of this unknown background is being unfolded currently in a pleasant little celebration at an old windmill on the St. Lawrence river a mile east of Prescott, Ont.

It seems that in 1838 a band of some 300 Americans crossed the border, bent on destroying a garrison of British regulars at Fort Wellington, in the town of Prescott. Regulations between Canada and England were somewhat strained at the time, and a considerable faction in Canada was seeking independence; the Americans, for one reason or another were out to see that the Canadian revolutionists got their wish.

So the invasion took place. It fizzled rapidly. The attack on Fort Wellington failed, the Americans established themselves in the old stone windmill, the British laid siege to the place, and after a couple of days of fighting the Americans surrendered. A few of the leaders were hanged and the rest were imprisoned; and that was all there was to it.

All this sounds very remote and unreal today. Even at the time it failed to make much of a stir, apparently; and it is worth recalling now only because it indicates the worth-mixed of peace between the two nations is something that had to be worked for.

That peace didn't just grow out of the natural goodness of Americans and Canadians, and it didn't come because the two peoples never had anything to quarrel about.

Americans and Canadians were originally no more disposed to be chummy than any other folk. They had their troubles and they shed blood over them. The War of 1812 was caused in good part by an American desire to annex Canada; and as late as 1838 the antagonism flared up in this half-forgotten battle of the stone windmill.

Now a century of peace which is built on that kind of foundation really means something. It means that two nations which really try to live in peace can do so; that old hatreds, suspicions and jealousies really can be snuffed, and that men of good will can silence the war-mongers if they actually make the effort.

Which, in a world that seems too tired to make the effort to live at peace, is something well worth remembering.

## Flunking Bees

It's a safe bet that the nation's school children confined their newspaper reading to the comic page during the recent New York convention of the National Education Association, and that's a shame—in a way.

There was one news story out of the convention that would have brightened a rainy afternoon for many and many a lad. Some of the convention's delegates—school teachers, of course—held a couple of word bees. One was a spelling bee, the other pronunciation bee.

The 20 teachers who embarked on the spelling bee floundered and sank in 20 minutes flat. The last five to remain standing were awarded dictionaries. But this was a session of dazzling brilliance compared to the pronunciation bee. Of the 10 who entered this contest, 10 flunked.

A Harvard professor made quite an impression on the other day for American students to adopt "the skeptical attitude," as a habit of mind. He won't have to do any more urging along this line if the news about the word bees gets around.

Maybe you'd better burn this after you've read it, just for the sake of preserving cordial student-teacher relations in your local classrooms.

## Barnyard Revelations

The world of ideas is plugging around at such a dizzy rate these days that the average man can't hope to keep abreast of the times any more.

It seems scarcely more than a few months ago that science was throwing all kinds of derisive remarks at the pig, Remember Achilles, the porker who had a nervous breakdown trying to get out of an electrified maze? It turns out now that Achilles wasn't a typical pig after all.

New experiments with other pigs demonstrate, according to the latest dispatches, that actually the porker is practically one of the mental giants of the barnyard. Tests show that, compared to some of his farm acquaintances, the pig learns to avoid an electric barrier faster than a professional lightning calculator. A cow is shamefully slow in catching on. A horse isn't a great deal better at it.

Do you suppose there's some kind of lesson to be derived from this? Science certainly wouldn't study this kind of thing out just for the fun of studying. But it's also announced that sheep and chickens don't have to be smart; they're naturally insulated. There doesn't seem to be any kind of a lesson acceptable to adult intelligence in that at all.

In Madison, Wis., it is illegal for any dog owner to allow the dog to worry any squirrel in the capital park.

Mark Forsythe of Glasgow complained to the police that Miss Ethel Dugan tried to kiss him whenever they met.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Greenlaw and their 13 children, of Greenlaw, Me., consume more than two pecks of potatoes a day.

As a demonstration of the food value of eggs, T. S. Easton, high school principal of Florida, Ore., ate two dozen raw eggs before his class.

Friends affixed to the bridal car of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bowman of Chicago an additional license plate reading "WE R 1."

Formally charged with "singing out of tune and using rough language in church" Clyde Hinchman of Odrian, W. Va., was placed in jail.

Women in the harems of the Far East are distinguished by scent. A new wife is at once taken to the master of fragrance, who after a careful study of her personality, works out a formula for a perfume that will thereafter identify her.

a "jazz band"; something entirely new in a political campaign. I wonder what Joe Bailey or Jim Hogg, if they were living, would think of such procedure. Had some two-by-four politician used such methods as opponents against those intellectual giants during their hey day, I wonder what the results would have been.

It seems that the chief benefactor of such methods of campaigning is completely unknown in political or civic affairs until his announcement for the office of Governor. His only asset was that of a good entertainer. That he had for several years produced a good entertaining program over the radio no one can deny, neither can one dispute the fact that his programs were above the average. Yet no one can say that such were produced as a character building program. Such were given the people strictly with a commercial viewpoint, that of increasing the sale of a certain commodity. That he entertained the people while he increased the sales of his commodity is all that can be said in his favor.

This man may be the best material that ever offered himself to the people of Texas for the office of Governor; he might make us forget Jim Hogg and other patriotic of days when we had a little liberty of thought and action; he might pull us out of all the financial bog-holes; and send us traveling upon the highways of success and prosperity; yet what assurance have we that he even holds the interest of Texas at heart. He has only paid one poll tax since coming into Texas from his "Yankee" home. Before I could vote for him or anyone else not being a citizen of Texas longer than he has there is quite a lot of information necessary to satisfy my unconstructed rebel conscience.

In the first place why did he not take more interest in the affairs of Texas previous to his announcement for Governor? Why did he fail to pay his poll taxes and how could he pay his personal property taxes without paying poll taxes that is if he possessed personal property. If he had no personal property at all what right has he to expect consideration at the hands of the people. Why did he so suddenly become interested in the welfare of the people of Texas.

In the next place just what is the status quo of the milling company he works for? Is it a link of a chain in a milling monopoly? The monopolies that control farm commodities are the most dangerous trusts in America today, and none surpass that of the flour milling industry. Let him clear that point, if it is a chain just what kind of an understanding is there between the candidate and the mooply he works for? Will he sever the connection and work in the interest of the people; can a human being forget old connections to that extent?

Then is he qualified for the position he seeks at the hands of the citizens of Texas? How could he be when he never took interest enough in the affairs of the state to pay the school children his poll tax money? Has he ever voted in the state? Remember he has only been in the state thirteen years and only once has he paid his poll tax. Where is his interest? The fact that he is a good entertainer and flour salesman does not show that he has the interest of Texas at heart or that he has any executive qualifications whatever. Sales ability does not show that he has a rule salesmanship and executive ability run in different channels, and the best of salesmen never succeed in executive positions. If this man has executive ability why did not those who know him best place him in the position as head of the company when death left the place vacant some time back. They did not see fit to entrust the affairs of the company in his hands. Then is it not a fact that at that time his "yankee" superiority complex felt a slight sting and due to that he left the employ of the company and became the radio showman of a competitor?

In conclusion what does this man know about governmental affairs? He has never made a study of such; he has ever felt interest enough in the cause of education to pay his just dues to the school children of Texas; his own associates did not trust his executive ability. Then is it not high time for the people of Texas to take time to pause and consider before making such a plunge as turning the affairs of the state over to this man to run and manage for a period of two years? An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure. People be very considerate before you cast your vote to entrust the destiny of the state in the hands of this unknown quantity and quality.

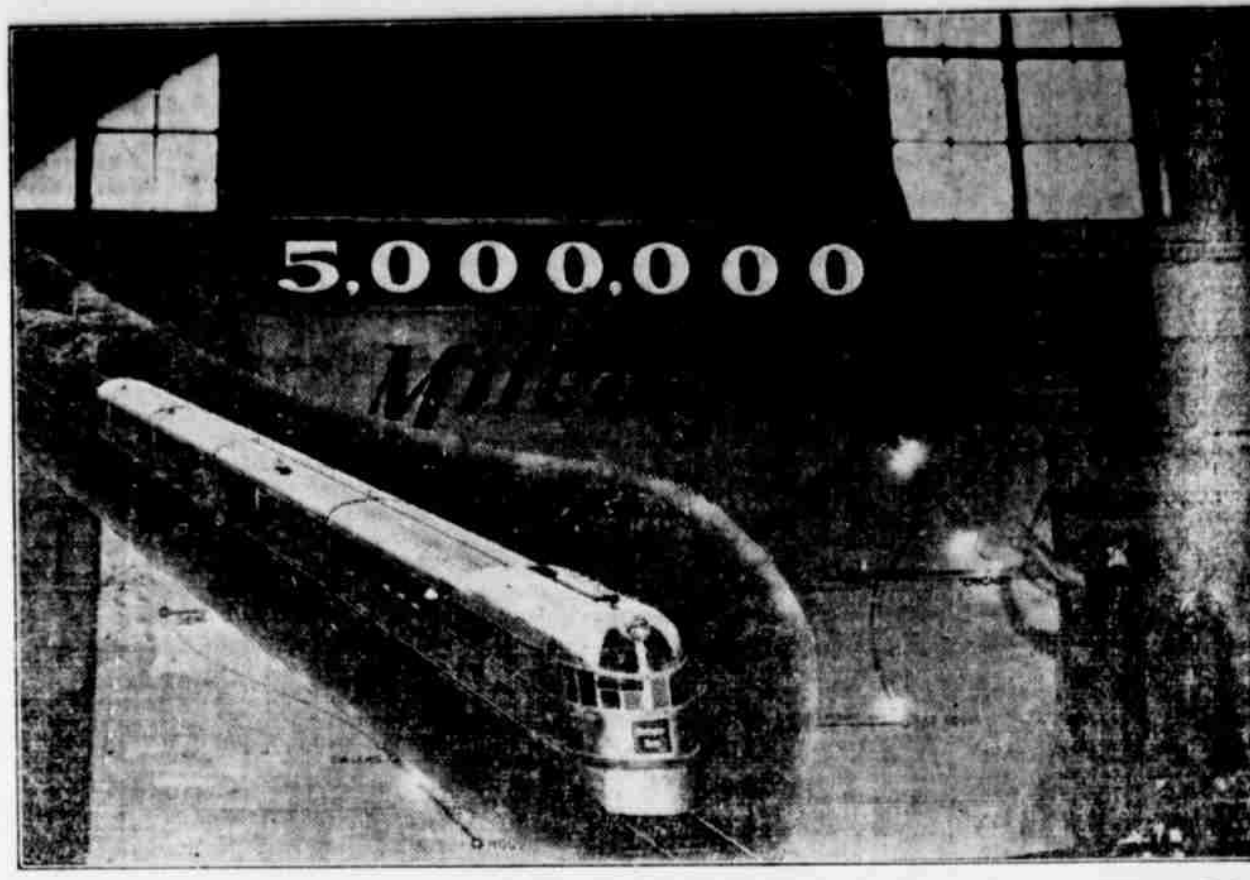
A. C. Chamberlain.

## LETTERS From Our Readers

Time is bringing to a close another by-annual political campaign. This campaign is different to those we have been accustomed to there is practically no difference in the issues advocated by the respective candidates; the ever present issue of economy in its customary general terms of pre-revolutionary war days is receiving its attention with very little specific promises. There is some difference in regard to the Old Age Assistance program with more emphasis placed on receiving the support of the aged than in relieving the deplorable condition that has developed in carrying out the Constitutional mandate.

The principle difference in this campaign and previous ones within our knowledge is the method of campaigning. In the days gone by men depended upon their ability and personality to secure an audience and support. Today personality counts but little, the radio has eliminated that equation. Some two or three candidates have fallen upon the method of securing a crowd by the use of

## Zephyrs Pass 5 Million Mile Mark



FIVE million miles of regular passenger service was completed by the fleet of eight Zephyr trains of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad, June 21, 1938, at 6:07 P. M., Central Standard Time.

Miss Adelyn E. Lutz and Albert Cotsworth, Jr., passenger traffic manager of the C. B. & Q., are pictured examining the huge speedometer erected in Chicago's Union Station to celebrate the occasion. Inset is the famous Pioneer Zephyr, first of the Burlington fleet.

Built by the Edward G. Budd Manufacturing Company of Philadelphia, builders of light-weight, stainless steel railcars, the fleet compiled the enviable record with the "availability for service" figure being approximately 95 per cent, in spite of the extremely fast schedules the trains observe.

The grand total of five million service miles is made up of the following mileage records between Zephyr terminals: Chicago-Twin Cities, two trains, 2,007,743; Chicago-Denver, two trains, 1,512,549; Lincoln-Omaha-Kansas City, 547,701; Houston-Dallas-Fort Worth, 353,940; St. Louis-Kansas City, 308,673; St. Louis-Burlington, 270,294.

When the five million mile mark was reached the eight trains were running in six different states. Their combined current schedule calls for 5,903 miles per day—more than two million miles a year.

## If You Were As Strong As An Ant

"He hung on like a bulldog!" It's a common phrase but if one wants to express tenacity one ought to say: "He hung on like an ant!"

When it comes to a study of "javalogy" in an ant you've really got something. One observer who watched a dead grasshopper being dragged along by an ant weighed the bodies of both. He found that the ant was dragging a load of 60 times its own weight. This is equivalent to a man whose weight is 150 pounds dragging a load of 4-1-2 tons, or a horse weighing 1,200, a load of 36 tons.

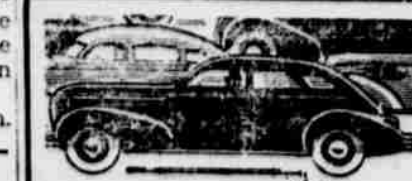
An Australian ant, while suspending itself by its feet, supported in its jaws a pair of gloves that were more than 1,100 times its own weight. To equal this a 150-pound man would have to support in his teeth a weight of 82 tons while hanging on his toes from a horizontal bar.

When fighting ants once get a good grip they never let go, mutilation or death failing to loosen their grip. Even when their heads are cut off, the jaws still remain clamped to the bodies of their adversaries. Professor Wheeler told of a colony of harvesting ants, almost every one of which had several ant heads dangling from its legs, the bodies having been bitten off.

An African ant has a broad, flat head with crescent-shaped jaws which it buries in the flesh of its victim and in so doing literally stands on its head. The only remedy is for a person to strip and pull the ants off individually and usually each one picked off takes with it a piece of flesh. The terrible biting power of ants is used by natives in the most revolting forms of torture. Twenty-five years ago I was in a village of the Philippines when an American soldier had been captured by Moro natives. They had buried him up to his neck in an ant hill—Roy Chapman Andrews in This Week Magazine.

When a Canadian gentleman offered his lower berth ticket to an elderly woman, saying he did it out of respect for her age, she bawled him out and threw the ticket in his face.

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Are your gums irritated? Do they itch? Do they burn? Do you get "LETO'S" falls to satisfy. Gums cause you annoyance? Drug-OATES DRUG STORE



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William Stanton of Sheboygan, Wis., is mad because his right to vote has been questioned. He admits he was born in Ireland and never naturalized, but thinks his residence in the United States since 1830 should be sufficient. He is 113 years old, and came to America at the age of 6.

## Political Announcements

The Free Press is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July.

**For Railroad Commissioner:** C. V. TERRELL.  
**For State Representative:** A. H. KING of Throckmorton, COURTNEY HUNT of Haskell County.

**For District Attorney, 39th Judicial District:** BEN CHARLIE CHAPMAN. (Second Term)  
**For District Clerk:** MRS. HETTIE WILLIAMS. LEWIS (Shorty) SHERMAN.  
**For County Clerk:** ROY RATLIFF. JASON W. (Jake) SMITH. (Re-election).

**For County Judge:** J. C. DAVIS, JR. CHARLIE CONNER. (Re-election).

**For Sheriff:** GILES KEMP. (Re-election). OLEN DOTSON. MART CLIFTON.

**For County Attorney:** WALTER MURCHISON. (Second Term)  
**For Tax Assessor-Collector:** MIKE B. WATSON. (Re-election). M. E. (Elgin) CAROTHERS. HALLIE CHAPMAN.

**For County Superintendent:** MATT GRAHAM. (Second Term). THOS. B. ROBERSON.

**For County Treasurer:** WILLIE LANE. BYRON G. WRIGHT. (Re-election). MRS. A. D. LEWIS.

**For Commissioner, Precinct 1:** AB HUTCHENS. (Re-election). W. E. WELSH  
**For Commissioner, Prec. No. 2:** T. M. (Tom) MAPES. (Re-election). I. A. LEONARD. R. B. GUESS.

**For Commissioner Prec. 3:** JNO. R. WATSON. P. G. (Buck) KENDRICK. (Re-election). S. D. (Punch) PHILIPS.  
**For Commissioner Prec. 4:** R. H. (Bill) RIFE. (Second-term)

**For Justice of Peace, Prec. 1:** E. T. (BRUCE) CLIFT. (Second Term). ERNEST MARION.  
**For Constable, Precinct 1:** W. H. (Bill) HALL. J. H. IVY. (Second Term). W. M. (Bill) BARNETT. C. L. BIRD.  
**For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1:** A. M. WILLIAMSON. (Second term)  
**For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 2 (Weinert):** R. H. JONES. (Second Term). M. F. MEDLEY

Joe Meacham is in Lubbock this week attending the Band Master Clinic offered by Lubbock Tech.

## SMITTY'S SPECIAL

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## Olney Woman To Death With Detroit

Fire destroyed a two miles north of Olney day morning, burning Mrs. William Tullis, wife of one of the principal story of the two building, said his wife on the balcony, then into the flames. Tullis burns and bruises. Firemen recovered body.

The roadhouse was over the line in An. Mr. and Mrs. Tullis there from Graham.

An unusual midget brook, who is only 40 inches tall, and weighs 100 lbs. He isn't a side-show but a practicing lawyer, and claims to be the smallest member of the profession in the world. He admitted to the bar last year.

An impressive school is that of Bondsman, Neb., who was secretary and treasurer high school graduates was also conceded to be the most popular handsomest, and the likely to succeed. In fact he was the only member.

On leaving his first time since he when he broke his leg Oscar Anderson of Ill., slipped on an ice broke the same leg place.

Because her husband come home in the dead stand at the foot of the recite Poe's mourning. Mrs. Andrew Darling N. J., sued for a divorce.

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**SMITTY'S**  
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**Steel—**  
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County with a total capacity of 351,000 barrels a day. This is believed to be the greatest concentration of oil refining activity in the world. The storage capacity of numerous tank farms in the county totals 61,135,000 barrels.  
 More than 2,500 ocean-going vessels each year pass up the Port Arthur ship canal. Another important trade route serving the city is the Intracoastal Canal, which connects with the Mississippi River and its tributaries.  
 Under construction at Port Arthur is a \$500,000 lakefront reclamation project which will make possible the reclamation of several hundred acres of partially submerged land along the shore of Lake Sabine fronting the city. On this reclaimed area the city plans to construct an airport and large amusement park.  
 Eastport, Maine, a town of 4,000 population, has neither a Smith nor a Jones listed in its telephone directory.

**Brief News Items From Weinert**

**Picture Show Well Attended**  
 The free picture show, each Saturday at the King theatre, which is sponsored by the Weinert merchants, lasted all Saturday afternoon, and was crowded to its capacity. The grown folks as well as the children attended. Mr. Bailey King has supervision of it and puts on a good show, according to those who attend.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Sileger and family who spent the 4th with their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. C. Stuegler have returned to their home in Wonds, Texas.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Lacey Finley and family of Hale Center were recent visitors to Weinert.  
 Mrs. G. W. McCarty of South Bend is a guest this week of her niece, Mrs. John Reeves.  
 Mrs. M. E. Cook has returned from a two-weeks visit at Elbert. Rev. Walter Copeland filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church Sunday, July 10.  
 Mr. A. Mayfield of the Cottonwood community was in town Saturday. Mr. Mayfield recently built a couple of nice houses on his farm, one of which is his home and he will begin two more this week.  
 Mrs. Payne Hattox was a business visitor in Munday Friday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Rals Loe of Denning Chapel community were buying groceries in Weinert Saturday and seeing the show. They went on to Munday, to shop for dry goods.  
 Miss Lenora Scott and Leo Scott of the Lightfoot farm were shopping in Weinert Saturday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Clark Melton of Lake Creek community were in Weinert Saturday.  
 Mrs. Mae Caddell of Hobbs, N. M., a former resident of Weinert is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Frank Owen and Mr. Owen.  
 The Sunshine Quartette of Weinert composed of Mesdames Frank West, Rals Loe, C. Winchester and Miss Christine Raines, sang at Stamford Sunday, July 10.  
 Mr. George J. Kemper of the State Highway Department at Abilene was visiting relatives in Weinert Monday.  
 Mrs. Preston Derr was taken to the Stamford Sanitarium last week—she is not able to be brought to her home at this date.  
 Rev. and Mrs. Henderson were among those who have visited her since she has been there.  
 Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Johnston spent Sunday in Wichita Falls, guests of Mr. Johnston's parents. He says great preparation had been made for the entertainment of the President of the United States, who stopped for a short period there Monday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Sullivan and Mrs. Henry Monke were in Munday Sunday.  
 Miss Alpha Mary Monke has returned from a two weeks visit with friends in Childress.  
**Methodist Missionary Society Meets**  
 The weekly meeting of the Weinert Missionary Society was held at the church Monday, July 11 and heard another interesting lesson from the Mission Study book, *Rebuilding Rural America*. Those present were Mesdames Edgar Davis, Vernon Henderson, Guy Jenkins, Edwin Alexander, Preston Weinert, Rex Murray, J. W. Medley, Jess Owens and H. Weinert.  
 Miss Dorothy Mae Thaurwhanger a registered nurse of the Stamford Sanitarium, visited Miss Burnice Baird this week.  
 Otis Burnett and Roy Gilbreath of the Rexall Drug Store in Munday were business visitors in Weinert Wednesday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. H. Weinert and Preston Weinert were in Stamford Thursday to attend the funeral of Mr. Charles L. Carter, a retired locomotive engineer of the Wichita Valley R. R., who died at his home in Stamford Tuesday, July 5th of a heart ailment.  
 Mrs. M. M. Pounds of Mobeile is a guest of her sister, Mrs. J. M. Furrh. Mrs. Bounds is a former resident of this county. She moved from Rochester to the Plains several years ago. She has been spending several weeks with her children at Rochester before coming here.  
 Philip Wayne Cadenhead has

and operated by J. W. King of this place has installed an up-to-date cooling system. Mr. King believes in giving his public the best. His show is equipped with the latest sound machines. Just come in any Saturday afternoon out of the heat and enjoy a FREE SHOW.

**Curry Chapel**

We had 65 present for Sunday school Sunday morning.  
 Also a large crowd out for singing Sunday night. The Sunshine Quartette did not come, but we had good singing.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Hallie Chapman of Haskell were visitors in our singing Sunday night.  
 We are always glad to welcome visitors.  
 Mrs. Caddell of Hobbs, New Mexico is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Frank Oman and attended Sunday school and singing here Sunday.  
 Mrs. Aubrey Shelley of the Plains is visiting relatives in our community and was also with us Sunday night.  
 Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tolliver, Mr. and Mrs. Ammons, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oman and children, Carl, and Marvin; E. W. Kreger, Jr., Misses Marguerite and Elsie Tolliver attended the singing in Stamford Sunday p. m.  
 Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Jeter spent the week end with their son in Throckmorton County.  
 Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Caloway spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Jack Rich of Seymour.  
 Grandma Parks has returned from a visit with relatives in Montague county.  
 J. B. Dunnon made a trip to Houston last week.  
 Mrs. Fred Monke made a trip to the South Coast last week.  
 Next Saturday night and Sunday is our regular preaching day's. Our pastor will not be with us, as he is in a meeting at Plainview, but said he would have someone to fill his appointment each service. Sunday school Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. We hope to see a good crowd out.

Edward H. Davidson, 53, of Syracuse, N. Y., has earned his livelihood the past 35 years by posing as a mechanical man.  
 Bruce Kupuska, 28, of Chicago, travels over the country kissing girls as research work in a serious study of the art of kissing.  
 After losing eight ribs in an operation for a lung ailment, Patrick Mahoney of Fort Worth, Texas, had them mounted on cardboard and put on display beside his bed in a hospital.  
 James Madison was the first President to wear long trousers while in office.

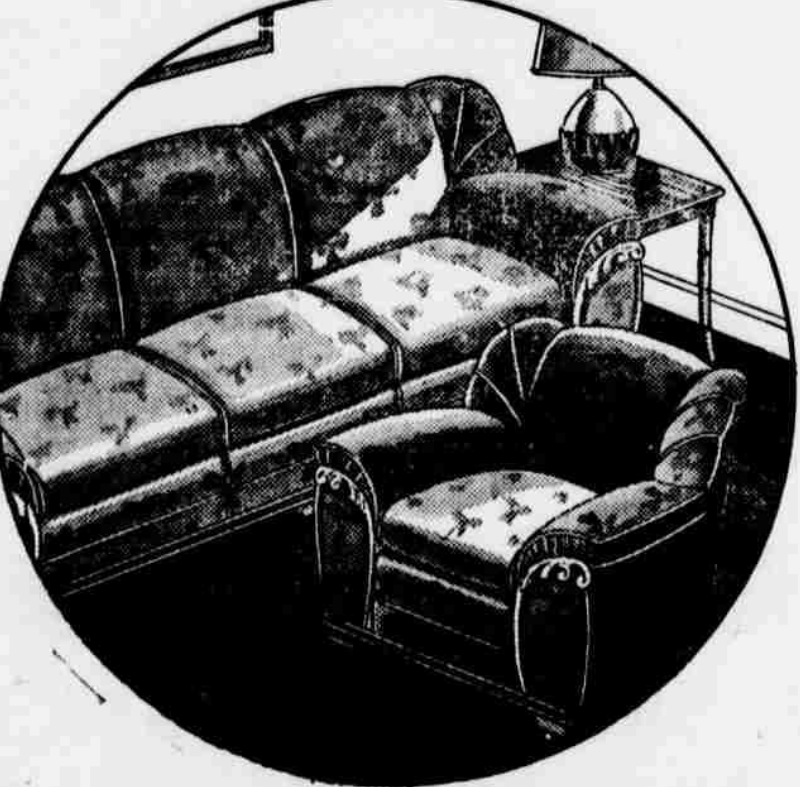
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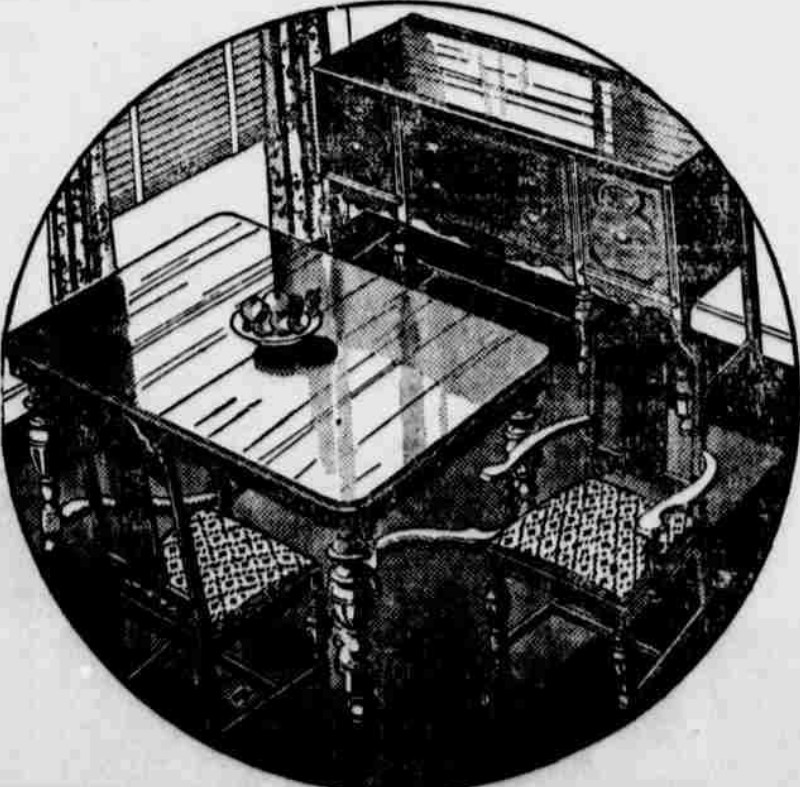
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returned from a trip to Kerrville, where he went for a 4th of July Rodeo, with Mr. Rex Felker of Hardin Simmons University. On their return from the Kerrville Rodeo they stopped over in Brady for the Rodeo and both Mr. Felker and Philip entertained with trick roping and Philip sang several cowboy songs at each place.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Cowen of the Union Chapel community were in Weinert Friday.  
 Mr. Frank Spencer of the Curry Chapel community was in Weinert Friday.

**Go to Luaders for Christian Camp Activities**

Reverend Vernon Henderson, Methodist pastor of Weinert-Union Chapel left Monday, July 11th, with a group of boys and girls, where he will have charge of one of the study courses.  
 Others from Weinert attending these courses are Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Griffith and Clay Peggy Palmer, Harlan Weinert, Bernard Cooley, Philip Wayne Cadenhead.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Ramond Lisles left Monday for an extension trip through Wyoming, Idaho and other states.

**Singing at O'Brien**

The West Side Singing Convention will meet at O'Brien, the 3rd Sunday in July.

**Methodist Revival Begins**

The annual revival meeting of the Methodist church, will begin here Sunday, July 17, with Rev. Longino doing the preaching. The motion picture here owned

Mr. and Mrs. James Smilling of Ft. Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Berry of Smithville are guests of Mrs. J. M. Williams, Miss Jew Williams and other relatives this week.  
 Mr. Smilling is a brother of Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Berry, is a niece.

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LAWN MOWER GRINDING—We can recension and re-sharpen the blades of your lawnmower and make it run like new. O. V. Milstead Repair Shop, Munday, Texas, 5c

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Both Texas and Oklahoma experiment stations have done research work on creep feeding, and will send their bulletins explaining the procedure and the results in detail on request. Since the farmer or ranchman is interested only in selling his crops and livestock to the best advantage, his own circumstances must decide whether creep feeding is a desirable practice.

In general terms it may be said that creep feeding is always profitable if the grain feed is home grown, and especially so if the calves are to be sold as feeders. In Bee county, Texas, the creep fed feeder calves sold in the fall of 1937 weighed an average of 100 pounds more than other calves under the same range conditions, and sold at a better price per hundred, paying handsomely for the grain consumed. On good pastures the contrast is not so great. One Oklahoma experiment station showing a difference of only 39 pounds. The difference in price in favor of the creep fed calves, however, would have still paid for the grain at market prices.

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## Fifteen Counties Enter WTCC Soil, Water Competition

Fifteen counties have entered the West Texas Chamber of Commerce soil and water utilization contest since the first annual competition, offering \$1,000 in cash prizes, was launched June 15. Other counties are being organized and additional entries are being received daily.

Counties which have filed official entries are Midland, Wichita, Throckmorton, King, Borden, Fisher, Taylor, Floyd, Jack, Dawson, Lynn, Dickens, Jones, Palo Pinto and Scurry.

Farm and ranch land in these 15 counties totals almost 8,000,000 acres. Other counties which have organized for the contest whose entry blanks have not yet been received will carry the contest from one end of the WTCC's farming territory to the other—from Dallam county on the north to Blanco county on the south. H. S. Hilburn, Plainview, WTCC president, says the contest is being proclaimed as one of the largest and most important in the state.

unusually green and abundant outwashed meal or pea-sized cake should compose one-seventh to one-fifth of the ration. A small amount of limestone flour or finely ground oyster shell in the ration is advisable, and bone meal may be mixed with the salt in equal parts to advantage. The self feeder should be placed near the watering place.

Those not familiar with self-feeders and creep-feeding practices can get helpful bulletins through county agents.

gest and finest projects ever attempted by this or any regional organization. "For weeks now, enthusiastic reports have been pouring in from every nook and corner of the vast West Texas territory—showing in an impressive manner that West Texans are seriously concerned with the problem of soil and water conservation," he said.

"We are naturally pleased by the fine response which has come to us from farmers and business men alike," says D. A. Bandede, WTCC manager. "Their interest in this contest makes us believe that they are willing to put up a 'real scrap' to maintain for West Texas the title of 'Raw Materials Capital of the World.' They have seen what has happened in the past to other prosperous sections which failed to recognize the importance of soil conservation."

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