## Baptist Church To Celebrate Its 50th Anniversary This Sunday

 Donley Receives Over Two-Inch Rainfall As Ice Storm Blasts PanhandleHOMECOMING AND OPEN HOUSE TO BE FEATURES


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Donley County Voters To Pass 0n Road Bond Issues Dec. 28--Total Sum Involved Is $\$ 565,000$


Bronchos To Play Post-Season Game Here Friday Night With Matador


Donley County Cotton Farmers To
Vote On December 7th 0n Cotton Marketing Quotas For 1941


DONLEY ESCAPES FURY OF STORM ON SUNDAY

SMITH BROS. FIRM SELLSREFINERY

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| bers of every tract in the county, made on new surveys, wil |  |  |
| then kept up by the county. |  |  |
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| The workers will be on this project about three months, and |  |  |
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| Workers are J. A. Warren, in charge J M Baker, and Mr |  |  |
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THE PROPosED HIGHWAY BoND ISSUE

In this issue of The Clarendon News will be found the first pub-
lication of the notice of a highway bond election for Donley County in lication of the notice of a highway bond election for Donley County in
the possible aggregate sum of $\$ 565,000$. The issue proposes to pave
two designated state highways, and one if and when designated, the bonds to be sold only when the state highway department does the con-
struction under the state bond assumption law - in other words, no taxes struction under the state bond assumption law-in oher words, no taxe
are to be levied in this county for the retirement of the bonds, since the state will take them over and pay them off from the one cent gasoline
tax set aside for the retirement of county bonds for state highway conThe News feels that this is one way, acceptable to the state highway department, whereby Donley County can have her North-South
highway promptly completed, and such other improvements as provided
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15,009 prescriptions for liquor were filled.
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