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\$2,000 A YEAR WILL BE ADDED TO COUNTY REVENUE BY NEW TAX

Brown county will receive approximately \$2000 per year additional revenue from taxes levied on coin machines, according to an estimate made by Tax Collector-Assessor Winston Palmer. The tax is levied by a law passed by the last Legislature which places a tax on all coin machines operated with coins of five cents or over.

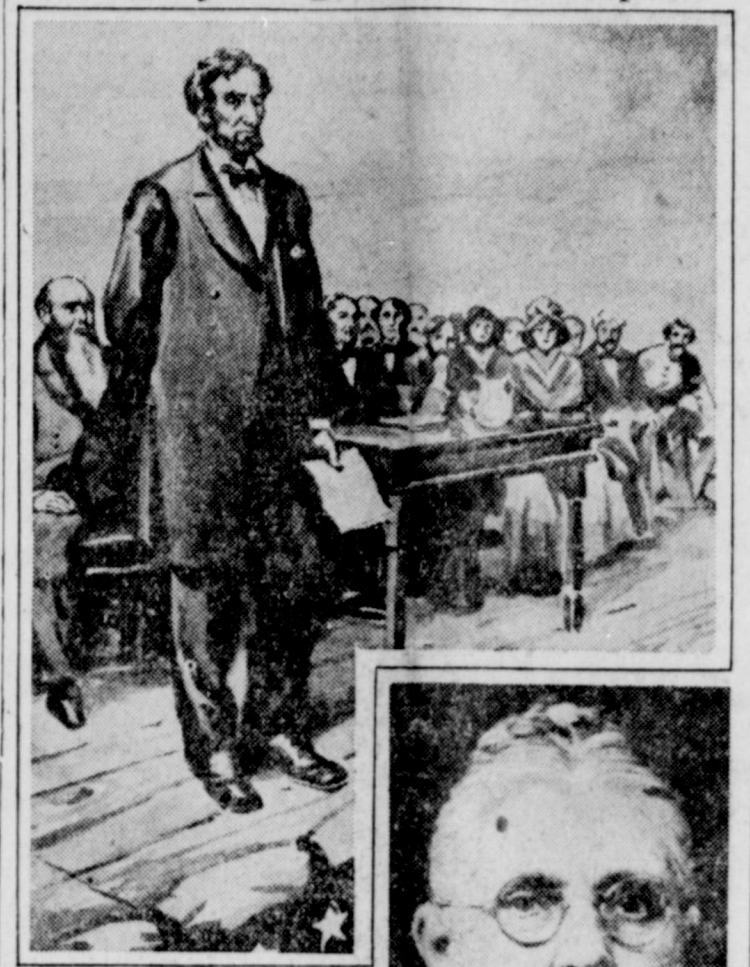
COUNTY HEALTH UNIT WOULD PROMOTE ECONOMY, WOOD SAYS

A standard county health unit here would have the advantage of greater economy and efficiency than is possible at present as well as providing for a balanced health program, according to Dr. Harold Wood of the State Health Department. Dr. Wood was here last week making a survey of conditions here with the establishment of such a unit in view.

FIREMEN ELECT NEW OFFICERS FOR YEAR

Brownwood Volunteer Fire Department re-elected its president, secretary and treasurer at the annual elections held Tuesday night at City Hall. Seaborn Jones was re-elected president. The other two re-elections were R. A. Snider, treasurer, and W. P. Denny, secretary.

Honor 'Last Woman' on Platform at Gettysburg as Lincoln Spoke



and that government of the people, by the people, for the people shall not perish from the earth. The only woman now living who claims to have sat on the speaker's platform and heard Abraham Lincoln thus complete his immortal Gettysburg Address is Mrs. America Viola Shoop of Sayre, Pa., shown at right. As an honored guest at the Gettysburg, Pa., Memorial Day exercises at the famed Civil War battlefield, she will tell of her experiences on that day nearly 72 years ago at the scene sketched here from the famous painting by Fletcher G. Ransom of Chicago.

BIRTHDAY FUNDS TO BE AUGMENTED FROM STATE ALLOTMENTS

The committee in charge of the President's Birthday Ball, held here last January, voted this week to recommend to the city that the funds be placed in custody of the state department of rehabilitation, a division of the state department of education, for use in restoring crippled children in Brown county. By placing the local funds, which approximate \$500, in the state department, the state will match the funds, dollar for dollar, and specify that the entire amount be spent in Brown county, under the direction of a local committee. In this way, twice the original amount, will be available for the work.

SOFT BALL LEAGUE IS ORGANIZED HERE

Opening games for the newly organized city softball league were played this week. The organization of the league was perfected at a meeting of league officials held Saturday afternoon and a playing schedule for the ten teams entered was adopted. Organizations entering teams in the league are: Coggin Avenue Baptist, First Baptist, First Methodist, Central Methodist, Knights of Pythias, Coca Cola, Lankford's Shoe Shop, Walker-Smith, Howard Payne and Texas Power & Light Company.

Sun Is Shining After Week Of Stormy Weather

Harvesting of grain crops in this section was resumed the first part of the week and a check-up revealed that the loss due to heavy rains was not nearly so great as had been previously estimated. Harvest, which was getting into full swing throughout the county, was interrupted by heavy rains which started Monday and continued all last week. Total precipitation for the week was 3.47 inches.

COURT RECESSES TO RESUME MONDAY WITH STANLEY WOOD CASE

District Court recessed Wednesday to resume trial of cases next Monday. Trials for all cases scheduled for the remainder of the week were reset for the week of July 15. Sixteen cases have been disposed of during the week. Leon Griffin, charged with theft, was given a five years suspended sentence. Roy Smith and Oley Malone, charged with theft, received an instructed verdict of not guilty.

TIME IS EXTENDED FOR APPLYING FOR COTTON EXEMPTION

The time limit for signing applications for allotment and tax exemption cotton certificates has been extended to include Saturday, June 22. Every cotton grower in Brown county, whether he has signed a cotton reduction contract or not, who wants to sell any cotton tax-free this fall must sign one of the applications. The time extension was made because of the rains and bad roads.

RAILWAY AGENTS ARE PLEASED AT INTEREST SHOWN IN RAIL WEEK

J. H. Fozey, Frisco agent, and M. P. Wegner, Santa Fe agent, were highly gratified with the response made by citizens and organizations to the celebration of Railroad Week. They expressed their appreciation for the efforts of all those who made the week a success, particularly stressing the excellent speeches made on the programs of the various organizations and schools.

M'CUCCOCH COUNTY TO JOIN COLEMAN IN ROAD CELEBRATION

Elaborate plans are being made for the celebration of the completion of Highway 16 to be held near the new Colorado river bridge late in July by McCulloch and Coleman counties. Efforts are being made to have Highway Commissioners Harry Hines and D. K. Martin, State Highway Engineer Gb Gilchrist and former Highway Commissioner W. R. Ely to attend.

Torrential rains over the watershed of the Llano River resulted in a 42 foot rise which washed out the new \$150,000 concrete and steel bridge on Highway No. 9 about 12 miles southeast of Mason Friday. Property loss in that section was heavy.

It was necessary to reroute traffic in all parts of the state following the loss of bridges and destruction of highways.

A group of young people from Presbyterian churches in Brownwood who were attending the annual Westminster Encampment at Kerrville last week were waterbound from Friday until Monday. Cut off from all highways that led into Brownwood, the party was forced to remain in Kerrville until the highways were made passable. They reported that many bridges and highways were washed away by heavy rains that fell all day Friday.

Water at the peak of the rise at Lake Brownwood was one foot, four inches deep in the spillway. Water began running through the spillway Sunday morning and reached its highest point Monday noon. This is the second time in the history of the lake that water has been high enough to run thru the spillway. The first time was on July 4, 1932, before the dam was completed.

The two big floodgates were not opened, but the two small service gates, which have been open since May 21, will be left open for the time being. Pecan Bayou has not been over seven feet above normal at any time, but it has been a running stream since the opening of the service gates.

The famous King ranch, close to Kingsville, Texas, is larger than the entire state of Delaware. This ranch, covering several counties and operated as a unit since the early fifties, has recently been divided among the King heirs.

Zephyr Girl Named Gold Star Member Of 4-H Girls Club

Kathryn Fisher of Zephyr has been selected as a Gold Star club girl to be honored at the Short course at College Station this summer. Miss Fisher won first place in the county and first in the district in the club girls' bedroom contest last year. A committee of the Cooperative Extension Work at College Station made the selection of the twenty-two club girls of the state to be honored as Gold Star girls. Others selected from this section of the state are Laverne Bernhard of Bosque county and Virginia Gibson of Eastland county. Miss Mayestic Malone, county home demonstration agent, announced Miss Fisher's selection.

NEW AUTOMOBILES REGISTERED Week Ending June 26, 1935

Table with columns: Number, Owner, Make, Purchased From. Lists vehicle registrations for various owners in Brownwood, Texas.

Work Is Rushed On New Grain Elevator

Construction work on the two-story Grain Growers Cooperative Association elevator is being rushed day and night to complete the job by June 25. The building, which is being erected on Belle Plain north of Frisco tracks, will contain nine rooms and is being built at a cost of \$4,000. W. P. Logan is manager of the association's elevator and is in charge of construction.

PETITION ASKS ELECTION ON LIGHT PLANT ISSUE; MATHEWS URGES FRIENDS NOT TO SIGN

DEVELOPMENTS moved fast this week in Brownwood's electric light and power controversy, with one group circulating petitions asking the city to call an election on the issue, and another backing the plea of R. O. Mathews for citizens not to sign the petitions. Mathews holds a franchise to erect a plant to serve Brownwood. The petition asks an election to determine if the franchise is allowed.

LOCAL NEGROES IN EMANCIPATION DAY CELEBRATION HERE

Local negroes celebrated June 19th, Emancipation Day, with a program given at Memorial Hall Wednesday night under the sponsorship of Service Company of the National Guard. The program included a play with vaudeville numbers between the acts followed by a dance.

Chester Harrison Suggested As New Ass'n Executive

Chester Harrison, secretary of Brownwood Chamber of Commerce was suggested as one of the prospective candidates for the position of secretary to the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association at a meeting of the association last week. Abe Mayer, San Angelo, president of the association, was instructed to employ a secretary at an annual salary not to exceed \$4,000.

Delegates At Conference City of Mexico

John Yantis left Brownwood Friday night for Mexico City to attend the conference of the Rotary International, which opened there Monday. Thomas H. Taylor, president of the association, was president of the conference. The 41st Rotary district meeting of the conference was held at the hotel. Delegates from the city of Mexico will return Monday.

FARMERS MARKETS

Table listing market prices for various agricultural products such as roosters, turkeys, old toms, eggs, and various types of wheat and corn.

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Brownwood's Regatta

Brownwood is offered the best opportunity in its history to inaugurate a series of annual events that will attract thousands of West Texans to this city each year through the holding of the regatta and water carnival at Lake Brownwood. It is an opportunity that comes incidental to having the great lake nearby, and while the lake was not intended primarily for recreational purposes, none can but applaud its enjoyment, to the fullest extent as a recreational center unsurpassed.

Brady draws thousands of people to the July Jubilee each year—it is an attraction that has become identified with the town, in which the citizens of Brady and all West Texas take a pride. Similarly, the Stamford Roundup and Rodeo is a Fourth of July event that attracts thousands of people to Jones county. These are excellent celebrations, and deserve the popularity they enjoy.

Brownwood has a distinct advantage in holding a celebration, however. Few, if any, other West Texas cities have facilities for holding a real water carnival, and certainly none can stage an event of the nature that is being planned for Lake Brownwood. The regatta, once its gets established, is certain to become a permanent high spot on the entertainment program for West Texans, and one that will grow in importance with the years.

Making plans for the regatta is an undertaking of great magnitude, especially this first year, when all of the plans must be new. It will take ingenuity, skill and lots of hard work. The committee in charge of the event is capable, is under splendid leadership, and certainly is equipped to handle the job. It will need the enthusiastic cooperation of every citizen of Brownwood, however. This cooperation The Banner is happy to pledge; we are willing and anxious to help in the plans in any way that we may be permitted.

Texas has not had, during the present generation, such an object lesson in the need for adequate flood control as that of the past week. Millions of dollars of property damage and the loss of several lives already has been the toll of the raging flood waters of several Texas rivers, and the complete story has not been told.

Brownwood would have experienced much property damage during the past few weeks but for the dam at Lake Brownwood, which held back the flood waters and permitted orderly release of the potential flood into the Pecan Bayou. No doubt the dam, for the second time in its short existence, justified the expenditure for its construction, even though the irrigation features are not completed. This does not mean, however, that efforts to complete the original four-fold purpose of the dam and lake should be slackened.

The Colorado river alone, according to estimates Thursday, has done nearly \$5,000,000 damage to property along its course as flood waters took a heavy toll from Marble Falls to the Gulf. The figure is almost exactly the estimated cost of construction of the huge Buchanan Dam, which would have held back most of the flood waters. The danger of the recurrence of such a flood makes the construction of this and similar dams along the Colorado and other Texas rivers a matter that should receive serious consideration.

Possibly it is well that the floods came at this time, rather than at a later, or even a much earlier, date. Right now, the Federal government is considering the expenditure of millions of dollars in projects of every nature. Primary among these are flood control projects, and the heavy loss, pointing out the pressing need in Texas, should be a means of focusing attention of those in authority on this work at a time when it can be done, and when funds for this purpose already are available.

While cities, counties and the state are busy repairing the heavy damage, governmental agencies in Texas should be busy preparing data showing the need for immediate action to prevent a recurrence of such a situation at any time in the future.

In estimating the damage done by the recent Texas floods, damage to existing construction and crops alone is figured. No one has taken into account the heavy damage to future crops. That damage, through soil erosion will amount to more than the millions that has been lost through buildings having been washed down stream, or growing crops uprooted, for it will extend throughout time and will be felt by the next generation and the next.

Soil erosion is costing Texans in normal times \$51,000,000 annually, according to figures compiled by experts. During flood periods such as we have just passed through, the damage for the year is more than doubled. It is a loss that cannot be reclaimed, no matter what steps are taken, for topsoil washed from Texas farms into the Gulf cannot be reclaimed, no matter how extensive, how sincere, how thorough are our methods.

The only way to prevent similar recurrences of such disasters to Texas farmers is through corrective measures. Soil erosion work such as is being undertaken by the government at the present time offers the opportunity to do much—not to restore what has been lost, but to prevent still further loss to Texas farms.

Brown county is fortunate that a government soil erosion camp soon is to be established in this county, to assist the farmers in combatting this, their worst natural enemy. It is to be hoped that most farms of the county are to be reached, and that the program will not be abandoned here until all possible good in this direction has been done.

Add smiles: As well protected as the top hole in the marble machines.—Edinburgh Valley Review.

About getting so that a diplomat can be described as the nation's outlying defense.—Dallas News.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson



AN EYELESS FISH THAT LIVES IN UNDERGROUND CAVERNS, DIES OF PNEUMONIA WHEN PLACED IN WARM WATER.

True Ghost Stories

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By JANE COWL Actress

"Heaven knows we mortals can not guess the elaborate workings of the subconscious mind, nor of mental telepathy nor of psychic forces!" exclaimed Jane Cowl, the brilliant actress. "Every now and then we see an obvious example of their powers, but most of the times we are in complete darkness about their intricacies."

"When I was a child, I was early impressed with an example of psychic warning," continued Miss Cowl, as she scanned the rows of books of mystery in the book store which she was visiting.

"One day, while my grandmother Julia, my mother's mother, was ill, I visited her. She lay in her great carved walnut bed, an invalid, helpless, bedridden. For years she had not been able to move from that bed. Above her was a huge painting in a weighty carved frame, all parts of the massive, ugly decorative scheme of the day."

"Suddenly Grandmother Julia astounded us by jumping from her bed and running to the middle of the room."

"We asked what was the trouble, the cause for her unexpected act. My sister called to me, my sister called me!" she exclaimed.

"Just then the weighty picture fell from the wall upon her bed, and its glass shattered into hundreds of pieces."

"If grandmother had been in her bed the heavy thing would have doubtless killed her."

"It would seem that the spirit of her sister, who was in another city at the time, warned her of her danger, and sustained her with unexpected strength to jump from her bed. Perhaps not, but it is plausible the spirits of our friends and relatives can visit us in other forms than physical," concluded Miss Cowl, as she discovered a book on criminology which she wanted to read and to which she turned her keen attention.

Vespucci's First Voyage Amerigo Vespucci, also known as Amerigo Vespucci, is said to have made his first voyage of discovery in 1497. It is believed that he landed in Honduras and was thus the first white man to set foot on the mainland of the western continent. He is the man who gave Venezuela its name. The word means "Little Venice."

Cars and Roads The state of California has as many private cars as England and France combined. New York is the only American state which has more cars than California. There are more than a million miles of roads in the United States.

Robertson county had terraced 3,806 acres of land in 1935 by the end of April. Relief labor has been used and the commissioners' court furnished machinery at actual cost of operation.

CARDENAS TAKES CHARGE

(Dallas News)

Whatever may be the individual American's partisan sympathies in Mexico, there should be general recognition of the practical necessity which has induced President Cardenas to assert his paramount authority. The open break with former President Calles is admittedly on the question of rule. Calles, the strong man of the last Revolution, an iron-handed President, is no longer in office. The question seems to be simply whether the nominal head of Mexico should be the actual ruler, or whether he should defer in policy and control to the man who is now a private citizen. Cardenas answers with emphatic insistence on the first alternative and events have apparently shaped themselves to his wishes. Calles leaves the capital, apparently with good grace.

This side the border the news service view that Cardenas's assumption of real power is a swing further left if true, may be viewed with alarm. The fact does not lessen American recognition that Mexico has the right of self-determination and that it must go its own way. The rightist leanings of the new cabinet is an indication that fear may be groundless.

There is the comforting reflection, too, that sooner or later necessity moves Mexico back toward the right. It is difficult to glance at present Mexico, rapidly rehabilitating its foreign trade and encouraging such tourist development as is represented by the convention of International Rotary at the moment of the Cardenas-Calles break, and to recognize in it the Mexico of turbulence and descent.

That there is discontent now, of course, true. The deep-seated religious question alone is enough to furnish an inordinate amount of that. Yet whether Cardenas rules or another, Mexico is best served by strong government whose executive makes the decisions.

HURT IN CAR CRASH

Fred Grady, Brownwood, was injured Sunday night when the automobile in which he was riding overturned between Brownwood and Bangs. He is receiving treatment for scalp and head wounds at Medical Arts Hospital. His condition is not reported serious.

The Japanese typhoon of September, 1934, did damage estimated at \$145,000,000.

CLOSEUP and COMEDY

By DAN THOMAS — GEORGE SCARBO



JOE BROWN WORKED AS A CIRCUS ACROBAT FOR \$1.50 A WEEK WHEN HE WAS EIGHT YEARS OLD.

WILLIAM HOPKINS OWNS A LARGE FARM IN CONNECTICUT TO WHICH SHE GOES FOR A REST BETWEEN PICTURES IN HOLLYWOOD.

ON TEXAS FARMS

Bronson — R. C. Anderson, a 4-H club boy from Sabine county, took six acres of cotton, five acres of corn, two acres of peas, and one-half acre of tomatoes for his club demonstrations.

By June 4, he had sold \$134.40 worth of tomatoes from the one-half acre. He broke his tomato ground early in the fall, leaving the land in a good state of cultivation. The tomato plants were kept in a hotbed during the cold weather, later transferred to the coldframe. R. C. set his plants out in the field early, fertilized and cultivated them carefully; result, success. His other crops are all in good condition.

Port Lavaca — Perry L. Haskin, Jr., 4-H club boy from Calhoun county, reports that he has produced 5,000 pounds of Irish potatoes on one-half acre of land. His net profit is \$85.65 and he has a second crop of grain sorghums growing for his helper calf. Perry says that he will plant one acre next year.

Corsicana — W. C. Pierce, a feed crop demonstrator of Navarro county, reports that stock beets have been a life-saver to his stock of hogs during the winter of 1934-35.

As a result of drought, his corn and other feed crops were almost an entire failure and had it not been for a crop of stock beets that were planted early in the spring of 1934 and harvested in November, he would have had to go out of the hog business.

Mr. Pierce produces enough hogs each year to supply meat and lard for himself and three families who reside on his two farms. He advised that since the first of March his brood sows and pigs have been kept on pasture and stock beets

supplemented with seed meal and bran once daily.

Crockett — "One water, but I have vegetables canned all year," Mrs. Everett, pantry demonstrator, told the Houston demonstration speaker, lan.

Mrs. Morgan has 60 cans of English of greens, 50 jars of glasses of jelly which ned this year. She green beans and corn.

Medicine Mounds — Berry of Medicine Hardeman county has from a 55 gallon oil tub steady. A tub connected with the barrel serves for the coat of white enamel tub and it was installed screened porch over was and curtains for wash table with the ment finished the tub.

Richmond — Although gather much out of den, Adele Wehring, Cottonwood girls' home tion club of Port Bend not discouraged.

She went ahead and spring garden from ports that she has pounds of fresh vegadele had a surplus of she canned 13 quarts were small and they early beans. The value den worth to date is \$1

Nazarene Church Leases Property

The local Nazarene has leased the building, Fundamental Church definite period. J. V. cently purchased the deed of trust sale. The includes both the church parsonage.

The congregations of mentalist and Nazarene will worship together

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POLITICAL ELECTRIC SERVICE is knocking at your door!

Shall Your Local Electric Service Become a Federal Political Football?

Unless the Wheeler-Rayburn Bill, now pending in Congress, is defeated your local electric service and rates will be regulated and controlled by political officeholders in Washington.

Instead of private ownership with its local control, local citizenship, local taxpaying, it would be "remote control" by Federal commissions and bureaucrats.

It would make of the electric industry with its half a million employees, a political football, to be kicked about, with the electric user the loser.

Taxes have already been increased more than a billion and a half dollars during the past twelve months. Additional Federal bureau activities mean even greater tax burdens... FOR YOU!

The Wheeler-Rayburn Bill would not only end local regulation and increase cost of government but it would greatly handicap and hinder your local electric company. It would abolish the holding companies which have been one of the most important factors in the building of our excellent record of reductions and good service.

Because of the drastic provisions of the Bill many of the local companies would not be able to survive and government ownership would undoubtedly follow. It would be the first step toward national socialism.

As in all such socialistic ventures, the people would pay the bills in higher rates, poor service, or in higher taxes... sometimes all three. To create more jobs and bring back better days government must encourage private ownership; investments must be protected; individual rights must not be destroyed.

If you are in accord, you can help by writing to your Congressman in Washington, advising him you are opposed to the Wheeler-Rayburn Bill.

Texas Power & Light Co.

SCENES FROM THE PASSION PLAY



Above is a scene from the Passion Play, to be shown at the Memorial Auditorium, Brownwood, Thursday and Friday nights under auspices of the Brownwood Kiwanis Club. The performance starts at 8:15 o'clock each evening. The play is in English.

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MORTUARY

WATKINS—Jimmie Rodgers Watkins, one year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Watkins, died at the family residence, 915 Victoria street, at 6:30 p. m. Tuesday. Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at Cox cemetery with Rev. Mr. Burleson officiating. Interment was there with White & London Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. Jimmie Watkins was born in Brownwood June 13, 1934.

Surviving are his parents, one brother, Robert Harvey, and a sister, Alla Mae. His grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Watkins of Brownwood and Pete Leach of Millburn also survive.

RUSSELL—Rolle Edward Russell, five-day-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Arch Russell of Winchell, died at the family residence Sunday at 8 p. m. Funeral services were held Monday morning at Winchell with Rev. Keese officiating. Burial was at Winchell with Mitcham Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. The child is survived by his parents, one brother, 18 months old, and a sister, six years of age; also by his grandmothers, Mrs. Annie Russell of Winchell and Mrs. Mary Pounds of Abilene.

CANADY—John James Canady, 77, pioneer citizen of this section, died in a local hospital Saturday at 7:15 p. m. after an illness of about one week. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 at the Baptist church at Mullin with Revs. L. F. Cooper and Vann officiating. Interment was in Mullin cemetery with White & London

Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Canady was born in Alabama November 14, 1858. He came to Texas with his parents while a small boy, settling at Freemont. In 1891 he moved to Brown county and lived near Zephyr until 1908 when he moved to Goldthwaite, later going to Mullin where he has lived since.

Mr. Canady married Miss Sarah J. Caskey at Bremond, Texas, February 2, 1881. His wife survives him.

He was a member of the Baptist church for more than 45 years.

Survivors other than his wife are one brother, W. J. Canady of Jones Prairie, Texas, and the following children: Mrs. Willie Sanders of Mullin; O. J. Canady of Mullin, Mrs. J. L. Pickens of Lometa and R. P. Canady of Ballinger.

New Gun Club To Held Meet July 4

The newly organized Oil Belt Gun Club is planning an open shoot to be held July 4, near Eastland. Invitations are being mailed to all shooters of the southwest.

A modern range with facilities for all kinds of shooting was recently completed on the Ed Castleberry lease, eight miles north of Eastland on highway 67, according to an announcement sent to Brownwood by R. L. Allen of Eastland, secretary of the club. Visitors are welcome at the range any time.

PAGE ELECTED COACH

Clem Page, Howard Payne athlete and 1935 graduate of the college, has been elected coach and teacher in the Freer, Texas, school. Page was a regular member and star of the 1934 Yellow Jacket football team and he also lettered in track the past year.

Approximately 100,000 people live in subterranean dwellings in northern Africa.

Chandler Charges Batteries for 39¢; Sells Sealed Quarts Oil for 11¢.

My Beauty Hint



By KATHERINE WILLIAMS (Screen Actress)

To match your rouge perfectly, pinch your cheek lightly and then match the rouge with this spot. In this way you will never offend by a garish shade. The most important thing to remember is that the day of "obvious" rouging has passed.

Lions Will Attend Santa Anna Meeting

Members of the Lions club will attend the district meeting of Lions to be held Tuesday evening at Santa Anna instead of holding their regular noon luncheon here next week. Attendance at the Santa Anna meeting will count on their attendance record.

New officers of the club will be installed at the July 2 meeting. Officers to be installed include: Dr. Roy Hallum, president; G. F. McKay, first vice president; Sterling Holloway, second vice president; Oswald Daugherty, secretary-treasurer; William Hemphill, tall twister; W. B. Healer, lion tamer; W. D. Armstrong and Tom Denman, directors.

FOR SALE

Duroc pigs. See Earl Fitzgerald or phone 386.

MAKING Smart CLOTHES

Here's a double-duty dress so grand that you wonder why somebody didn't think of it before. The dress, when the jacket is buttoned, looks like a classic smart shirt-waist frock. But the jacket is attached to the belt and when you unbutton it and slip it off, you



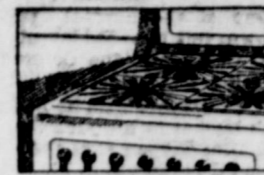
have a darling halter-top active sports dress. Isn't this a good idea?

Make it of seersucker or linen and it will be the perfect country club costume. Jacket off for tennis—jacket on for luncheon. Some bright mind has christened this "the Jacketeer," so tell that to anybody who asks you. This is a Butterick Pattern, available in sizes 12 to 20, and it is only 35¢. You can purchase it at the pattern counter of your favorite department store.

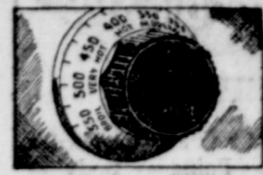
COMPLETING TAX ROLLS

T. M. Cain of the Thomas Y. Pickett Company of Dallas, was in Brownwood this week completing Brown county's oil, gas and public utility tax rolls which were turned over to the board of equalization. Mr. Cain, a utility tax specialist, has been doing this work here for a number of years.

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The black fluid obtained from ink sacs of the octopus or certain species of cuttlefish is used in manufacture of "sepia ink," a rich, reddish brown ink used extensively in water coloring.

Tennis Tournament For City Launched

The city tennis tournament opened this week with thirty players entering for the first rounds of singles play, which started Wednesday morning.

Doobles play will begin Friday with finals to be held the latter part of next week. Semi-finals and finals in singles and doubles will be played on the Daniel Baker courts.

Cummings museum, London, contains an elaborate display of witches' remedies collected from Londoners in the last few years.

Safety Factor Is Important Phase Of Treadprinting

Public consciousness of the fact that motoring is no safer than the tires which equip the automobile, has been aroused by the campaign launched by Goodyear in a safety drive to check up on tires that are dangerous.

Dramatized by the treadprint plan, by the inspection stories of Joseph A. Faurot, fingerprinting and crime expert, who made a survey for the tire company, and carried through to careful individual inspection of the tires on cars of customers, a definite, well-planned program to eliminate the unsafe tire equipment on highways this summer has been producing results.

"Certainly it is a plan to help business," said D. C. Pratt of Safety Tire & Battery Co., local Goodyear dealer. "But it is more than that. It is a worthwhile safety measure we Goodyear dealers believe will pay big dividends in lives saved, accidents prevented and general safety improvement right when it is needed most—at the peak of the year's biggest driving season.

"The treadprint operation provides a quick, simple, but positive proof of the exact condition of the tires on the car, and this check-up is offered without obligation," Mr. Pratt said.

RAIL EMPLOYEES' SCHOOL

All transportation department employees of the Santa Fe here are receiving instructions and examinations in the rules and regulations governing their duties in a four day school conducted at the Santa Fe yards.

Work Starts Soon On New CCC Camp

Work will begin soon on the barracks for the 250-man soil erosion CCC camp to be moved into Brown county in July. Site approved for the camp is 12 acres of the C. L. McCartney land on the west side of Fourth street at Avenue L.

The camp will carry on an extensive program of soil conservation work including the building of terraces and small check dams.

Mukewater

We received a heavy rain Thursday night and another one Friday that interfered with the grain harvesting.

Mrs. L. A. Bagley and granddaughter, Annie Mae, were weekend visitors of Mrs. Bagley's son, R. B. Bagley, and family of Early High.

Miss Iva Bee Bartlett of Comanche is visiting her chum, Miss Billie Louise McCamey.

Mr. Martin Loudermilk from Blanket is a guest in the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Cal Fritz.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete White of Concord were Sunday guests in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. White.

Kill Fritz and family were recent visitors of Clay Browder and family of Rocky Creek community.

M. K. Clark and family visited relatives in Rising Star Sunday.

J. E. Hallford of Bangs and Em Hallford of Tuscola visited in our community Friday.

Eva Dee Hallford spent Saturday night and Sunday in the home of her grandparents, J. E. Hallford and wife, of Bangs.

Ray and M. C. Bagley were business visitors in Brownwood Friday.

On Thursday afternoon, June 14, at 6 o'clock in the home of Rev. and Mrs. I. V. Garrison, Mr. Lawrence Lee Sanderson and Miss Arlie Brooks were united in holy bonds of matrimony.

The charming young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brooks, the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Sanderson Sr. Both the bride and groom were reared in this community and have a host of friends.

Immediately after the ceremony they arrived at the home of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Riordan, where bountiful supper was spread in honor of the occasion.

Their many friends wish for the young couple a long, happy, prosperous life together.

Mrs. Roy Vaughn and baby have returned to their home in Brownwood after a short visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. White, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert White of Dallas were visitors of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. White, the last of the week.

Sunday, June 23, is regular time for the singing at the school building. The public has a hearty invitation to meet with us.

S. J. Cox was a Sunday visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cal Fritz.

Gap Creek

Rain, rain, and more rain! We sure have been having lots of rain.

Farmers are having quite a time getting their grain cut.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Powers and children and Mrs. W. T. Powers visited Sunday in the home of Mrs. M. E. Soucey.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Stewart spent a while Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Adkisson and family.

Mr. Neal Davis and Mr. Charlie Dunn were in this community last Monday on business.

Mrs. Solie Faulkner visited Mrs. G. W. Faulkner of Blanket last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Heptinstall of near Sidney spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Heptinstall.

Rail Branch

We had another rain last night. Crops are looking fine and most every one has lots of garden stuff to eat and the housewives as busy as canning.

Mr. J. W. Eubanks spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. W. Wadkins and returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Wadkins made a business trip to Brownwood last Monday. While there they visited Mr. and Mrs. Grady Ayes and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Crow.

Mr. Manus Strawn, Mr. Driskill and several others of this community were attending to business in Brownwood the first of the week.

Mr. Howard Strawn has been spending a few days with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson.

Almost every one is cutting grain. Sure hope they make good grain crops.

Mr. Henry Williams and little daughter of Brownwood returned home with Mr. and Mrs. W. Wadkins last Wednesday. Mr. Williams went back to town Saturday afternoon but Clara Francis remained for an indefinite stay.

Mr. John Thompson and nephews spent Monday afternoon with Mr. Johnny Suttles.

Well news is about as scarce as hens' teeth. All you can hear is rain and work.

Statistics reveal that the average mental age of the United States is that of a 15-year-old youngster.

A burglar who broke into the office of a Berlin lawyer carried off seven volumes of the criminal code.

Boy Scout News

Camp Registrations.

Registrations for Camp Billy Gibbons are now being received at the Council Office and as the Scout sends in his registration he is sent a Camp Billy Gibbons Cap free of charge.

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Swimming—All old Scouts will remember "Toots" Gilliam, who was in camp in 1933. He has promised to be with us this year, conditionally. Of course the slogan at the swimming pool will be "Every Scout a Swimmer."

National Jamboree. Good news has just been received at the Scout office whereby the Jamboree Scouts will not need to bother about cots and extra blankets because the government will furnish these.

Another welcome news item to these Scouts is that there will be no dish washing in camp. Paper dishes will be used exclusively.

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SHERWIN-WILLIAMS PAINTS

FEDERAL SAVINGS PLAN EXPLAINED TO C. OF C. DIRECTORS

Sam W. Borden of Washington explained the government's plan for organization of Federal Savings and Loan Association to directors of the Brownwood chamber of commerce at the weekly luncheon Wednesday. Such an association for Brownwood is in the process of formation.

J. H. McKee appeared before the directors as a representative of residents of his neighborhood protesting the location of the CCC soil erosion camp at Fourth street and Avenue L, on the McCartney tract. He pointed out that the camp site is adjacent to the only restricted residential district in Brownwood, and said he and his neighbors would rather see Brown county lose the soil erosion camp than have it located near his home. Mr. McKee lives on Elizabeth Drive, an extension of Second street.

He was appointed chairman of a committee to investigate suitable other locations for the camp.

JENKINS SPRINGS REUNION

Prizes are to be offered the person attending from the greatest distance and to the oldest person present at a school reunion to be held at Jenkins Springs June 29-30. A big brush arbor has been built for the reunion, which will be attended by school teachers, ex-students and their friends.

Stories of long ago told by both pupils and teachers will be featured on the program, which will also include musical numbers and dialogues.

Basket lunch will be spread at noon Sunday. Each family is asked to bring enough lunch for the family and extra for two other persons so that people coming from a long distance can be cared for.

Lyric Sun., Mon., Tues.

WILL ROGERS portrays the funniest role he has yet attempted in Fox Film's latest laugh round-up, "Doubting Thomas," in which ALISON SKIPWORTH plays the part of an eye-rolling amateur impresario.

Vernon Taylor Wins In Firemen's Event

Vernon Taylor, captain of the Brownwood Fire Department's racing team, won first place in the one-man gold medal trophy event at the Texas State Firemen's and Fire Marshals' Convention at El Paso last week. The racing team did not place in the races, in which Cameron won first place.

Fort Worth was selected as the 1935 convention city.

ATTENDING CONVENTION

Dr. Mollie W. Armstrong, local optometrist, is attending the National Optometrical Association convention in Florida this week. Dr. Armstrong is editor of the Texas Optometrist, monthly publication of the Texas association. She will assist the Texas delegates in their efforts to bring the national convention to Texas in 1936.

Teaching Award Is Given Former Local Boy By Red Cross

A Certificate of Appreciation from the American Red Cross has been received here for Clarence McKinney, formerly of Brownwood, for work done in teaching life saving. The certificate was one of the four approved in Texas at the last semi-annual meeting of the national central committee of the Red Cross in Washington, D. C., and is awarded for 100 hours of service each year for three years.

The certificate was received here by Hilton Gilliam, chairman of the life saving committee of Brown County Chapter, and forwarded to McKinney, who now lives in Dallas. McKinney's work here included teaching life saving at Camp Billy Gibbons Boy Scout camp last summer.

Underwriters Elect Officers

The Heart of Texas Association of Life Underwriters elected officers for the next year at a called meeting held at Hotel Brownwood Thursday night. J. L. Breazeale was elected president. Other officers elected were:

R. L. Patterson, vice-president; Roy B. McGuire, secretary-treasurer; W. N. Hawkins of Coleman, national committee man; J. A. Tibbetts, state director; Dan L. Garrett, Lee Meek, Joe Biagg, and Frank Reese of Coleman, directors.

Time of monthly meetings was changed from noon every first Monday to 8 p. m. every first Friday.

Officials Get Data On PWA Loan Forms

Rules and regulations governing applications for loan under the new PWA program were discussed and explained at a meeting of city officials of Texas held at Fort Worth Wednesday.

City officials from here who attended the meeting are: Mayor W. H. Thompson and Aldermen Edward B. Henley, Jr., and Marvin J. Flowers.

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FEDERAL GOVERNMENT ASSISTS IN FORMING SAVINGS ASSOCIATION

Organization of the Brownwood Federal Savings and Loan Association, a governmental supervised financial organization, was under way this week under the direction of Sam W. Borden of Washington, field organizer for the Federal Home Loan Bank Board. Regional offices for the bank board are at Little Rock, Arkansas.

Mr. Borden stated Thursday that half the required \$50,000 local capital has been subscribed, and he felt that the remainder would be subscribed before the end of the week.

Under the terms of organization, local communities are required to subscribe \$50,000 in shares before the government will grant a permit for the bank to be formed. Once that amount is subscribed, the federal government immediately places into the organization three dollars for every dollar subscribed locally. Thus, when the bank begins operation, it has \$50,000 subscribed by local shareholders, and \$150,000 subscribed by the government.

The purpose of the bank is to make loans to local people who wish to refinance their homes, or business property, build new homes, repair homes, or other similar construction work.

The organization will be governed by a board of directors composed of local shareholders. They will determine the policy and the rate of interest charged borrowers.

All shares in the association will be guaranteed by the government up to \$5,000.

College's Finances Are To Be Directed By Service Bureau

The Southwestern Service Bureau at Brownwood, a department of Howard Payne College to handle the financial affairs of the institution, has been issued a charter by the state. The incorporators are W. A. Bell, Brooke S. Ramey and Douglas Coalson, and the bureau is benevolent in purpose with no capital stock.

The bureau will effect no change in the administration of affairs of the college, according to an announcement made by Mr. Coalson.

Ginkgo trees, which have survived since the age of dinosaurs, have no close relatives in the entire vegetable kingdom.

Plant now for trench silo filling. Three tons per cow is what will be needed. Cane or grain sorghum can be planted on the oat stubble if there is enough moisture.

Of the four forms of sales tax, the retail sales tax is the most prevalent.

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CHAPTER 5
GONE BEFORE
... Jean...
... "Where is he now?"
... "I didn't until this happened. I never thought of leaving you. No one could have been happier than I. I'll go to England—I'll forget him somehow. I will—I swear I will."
... Jean clutches at this last straw. He tries to persuade himself and her that it is best to go. His one idea is to get her away—rush the journey before she can have time to think.
... "Of course, if I could do anything for him, I would—yet you know I would not. We don't even know where he is, and if we stay here they'll arrest me and heaven knows what will happen to you. No it's best for us to go, isn't it? We can make all inquiries about him from England—that's best—isn't it?"
... Coste nods half-heartedly.
... The door to the street is pushed back violently and Eponine staggers in, panting and exhausted.
... "I've run halfway across Paris with all the gendarmes and police in France on my trail—and I'm not mistaken there's still a couple on the corner waiting—please."
... "Who are you?" asked Jean.
... "I've come to see a girl—called Cosette. I've a note for her—from Marius."
... "Marius?"
... "Yes, the only man who ever...



"I can't go. I can't leave him. I love him."
... "Now (continuing), when will this Cosette be back?"
... "She's here—but I'm trying to get her to go to England tonight."
... "England? And he's never to see her again perhaps?" To her it is a flash of hope that she may be able to part these two.
... "If we tell her where he is she will want to go to him."
... "She couldn't get there. You might, but she couldn't."
... Plans to Rescue Marius
... "Why should I go to him?"
... "Don't you want to save him—for your daughter?"
... "Why should I? She belongs to me—I have a right—she's all I have—why, he may be beyond help already. Nothing to be gained, nothing. I tell you. What's this boy to me that I should risk my life—for him?"
... Eponine looks up at him and nods. Then adds in a quiet voice:
... "I know just how you feel, but it seems that they love each other. What are we going to do about that, you and I? That defents us both, doesn't it? Well, shall I tell her or will you?"
... He looks down at Eponine. The cunning, crafty look in his eyes goes away. This girl has the courage and is showing him the only way out for him to take.
... A knock at the door interrupts them. A coachman comes in and announces the horses in readiness for the flight to Calais. Jean is between Eponine and the coachman. He looks from one to the other. He decides.
... "Cosette! Cosette!" (then to Eponine) "Can you show me the way as we get him out?"
... "I know the way in, but heaven knows if we'll ever get him out."
... Jean is now galvanized into action.
... "Cosette!" he repeats as the girl appears in the doorway of the room where she has completed her packing, "we've found Marius! We are going to him now!"
... "Let me go with you!" gasps Cosette eagerly.
... "It's impossible—you must stay here."
... He dismisses the coachman with a word as he and Eponine disappear through the door into the streets of terror.
... (To Be Continued)

THE EARLY HISTORY OF TEXAS

AS SHOWN FROM THE AUSTIN PAPERS

(Note: This is one of a series of articles taken from the three hundred special collections of family archives in the University of Texas Library. The collections cover all periods of Texas history, from the earliest days of the Spanish missionaries in the province of Texas, through the colonial era, to the present. This series of articles presents interesting excerpts from a number of these family collections, some chosen for their intrinsic significance in the development of the empire of Texas, others for their purely human interest in portraying personalities, economic conditions and social intercourse.)

The lure of the Southwest called many men of vigor and daring in the days when the Republic of Texas flew its own flag. One of these was James Buckner Barry of North Carolina, a descendant of men who had fought for independence in both hemispheres. He himself served in three Texas armies and his deeds have become traditions in the history of the commonwealth.

Barry was methodical enough to keep his military papers and military post order book; his diary, covering several years prior to the Civil War; and his official and personal correspondence. When he died, December, 1866, at his home in Walnut Springs, he left all his papers to his son, Kossuth Barry. This son several years ago presented these papers to the archives of the University of Texas.

In the introduction to Barry's memoirs, entitled "Buck Barry," James K. Greer said of him:

"As a Ranger with Hays he met the Mexican, as a sheriff he encountered outlaws, as a frontiersman he fought Indians, as a stock farmer he was the Nemesis of horse thieves, as a ranchman he experienced the annoyance of the fence cutter, and as a Texan and southerner he saw four years of the most grueling, the most undesirable type of military service. On the other hand, he served as a faithful county civil officer, legislator, and village postmaster. Nor did life in the great period of adventure before, during and after the Civil War prevent his frequent attendance on the services of the circuit rider and the occasional camp meeting in his section of the state. No writer of western stories has created better fiction of adventure than this quiet, unassuming, early settler lived."

The letters and official documents Barry preserved, which are now deposited in the family archives division of the University Library, touch all phases of his career. Among these papers are many which deal with Indian affairs. Barry was in charge of Company C, at Camp Cooper, and the orders he received from his superiors with regard to treatment of the Indians indicate the necessity for remaining on friendly terms with the red men and at the same time protecting the whites from their depredations.

On June 18, 1861, Barry was instructed in Special Orders No. 49, issued by Col. H. E. McCulloch, as follows:

"Company C commanded by Captain James B. Barry will continue at Camp Cooper, Capt. Barry will command that post until further orders.

"This company will cover the country from its post to the Willow Springs on the road to the camp on Red River and will keep a detachment of 20 men under a lieutenant on a branch at or near the road two or three miles beyond the Brazos to be relieved by similar detachments every two weeks if practicable and will keep up weekly scouts in small parties from the post to that detachment by starting the scouts on each Friday morning, directing them to meet the detachment certainly on the next day; the detachment will send a scout on to the Willow Spring on Sunday so as to meet and spend each Sunday night at that place with the scouts from the Red River command.

"This company will also send out such larger scouts above (from northwest to northeast) this post as its commander may think proper in order to keep the Indians out of its country and chastise any that may be found in it. It will also furnish escorts to all wagons or trains passing to and from the stations on Red River and Camp Colorado as far as the first camp or detachment on each side of them, directing the troops stationed at these points to send escorts on to the next camps so that every wagon or train passing with supplies or our troops may be properly guarded against Indians. This company will cooperate with the

KEEP OFF THE BUGS

By DR. CLYDE C. HAMILTON
Rutgers University

Three-fourths of the species of animal life consist of insects. A single plant, under some conditions, may easily have from 50,000 to 100,000 insects upon it, so abundant are the number of individuals of any one kind.

A complete generation of some forms of insects may develop within six to 10 days and they grow and reproduce so rapidly that tremendous numbers may appear almost overnight.

The control of these dangerous little organisms, therefore, cannot be overlooked by the efficient gardener.

This grotesque creature is the familiar grasshopper. It represents a group of insects that bite off, chew, and swallow bits of solid, green food. Notice that the mouth parts used in biting work from the side of the head.



Drawing after Crosby and Leonard. Courtesy MacMillan

The tarnished plant bug, above, uses a different method in obtaining its food. Its mouth parts are slender, long, and needle-like and joined in a tube.

An expedition against the Indians will be made from Fort Belknap, with not less than fifty men and two commissioned officers, to the plains, at the head of Peaskiner. The command will leave Fort Belknap on, or about the 2nd day of February next.

An expedition against the Indians will be made from Camp Cooper commencing on the 15th day of February next to the Plains on the head of Big Wichita river, then by way of the head of Main or North Fork of Brazos river to Camp Cooper. The command will consist of not less than fifty men and two commissioned officers.

A scout will also be made from Camp Colorado to the Plains, at the head of the Double Mountain Fork of the Brazos, commencing on the 12th day of February next, with as great a number as the condition of the command will allow.

The expedition from Fort Chadbourne will be of such numbers as the commanding officer may find consistent with the condition of the animals at his post; will leave the post on the 10th day of February and extend to the Plains at the head of the Colorado River.

The scout from Fort McKavett will extend northwest about the head waters of the streams flowing to the Concho and as far as the Concho river. The commanding officer will direct the number of men and will start the scout on the 5th day of February next.

With this outline of the expedition desired to be made, I expect the respective commanders to regulate the time of making them and to use the best possible manner, their experience in and information of the country, as well as their judgment and discretion in fitting and directing the most efficient expedition.

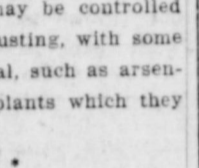
The points indicated will be reached by the different commanders but the routes to and from them will be designated by the respective commanders, who will report to headquarters of the regiment the result of the scout.

The weather is so variable and uncertain in our climate as to be almost unendurable at times, and especially so in the section of the country to which these expeditions are directed and it may be well to remark that commanders of scouts will prevent as far as possible, such exposure and suffering as would permanently injure the health or expose the lives of the troops.

Commanding officers are required to keep the troops under their command as constantly employed scouting the country as the condition of their horses will permit.

I shall direct the general movement of troops until a field officer is assigned to immediate and active service with the troops of the line.

It is my greatest desire that, by the time of the departure of our regiment from the frontier, the settlements may be undisturbed by Indians and a feeling of security established in every house and I earnestly and confidentially ask the hearty and vigorous cooperation



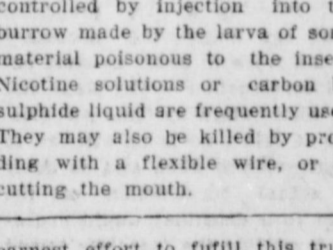
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The white spots in photo, above, are Mexican mealy bugs, the black spots the lady-bird beetle, a predator. Mealy bugs are also sucking insects, but their bodies and egg masses are covered with a white, powdery or woolly, wax-like material that makes the mealy difficult to wet and kill with contact sprays.

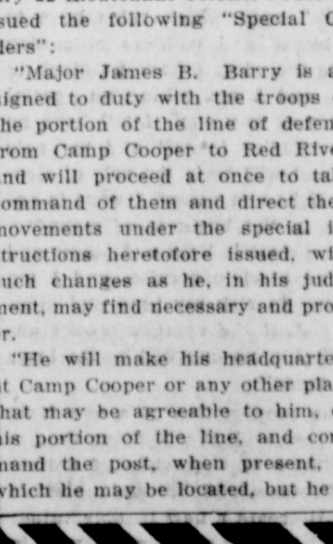
Flowering plants badly infested with these pests should be destroyed entirely or should have the injured parts cut out and destroyed. Plants worth saving may be freed by thorough and repeated spraying with contact sprays, such as nicotine and soap, or summer white oil sprays.



The larva, or young, of the wood leopard moth bores its way inside the stems of many wood plants, as shown above. Such insects must be controlled by injection into the burrow made by the larva of some material poisonous to the insect. Nicotine solutions or carbon bisulphide liquid are frequently used. They may also be killed by prodding with a flexible wire, or by cutting the mouth.



The praying mantis, above, is one of the most spectacular of the predators. The more inconspicuous parasites and predators are usually the most beneficial.



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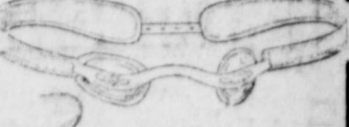
entirely free to enter actively into the duties of field service at any time he may think proper and command the troops in person.

"It is earnestly hoped and confidentially expected that the troops on that portion of the line, as well as any other in the regiment with which he may be thrown, will yield strict obedience to his orders and that his service with them will be pleasant and agreeable to all. I have the fullest confidence in his ability and fitness for the position he holds in the regiment."

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PETITION ASKS--

(Continued from page 1)

qualified voters of the city will sign the petitions before June 30. Meanwhile, Mathews forwarded a letter outlining his position to all voters in Brownwood, urging them not to sign the petitions, which he charged were being circulated by Texas Power and Light Company, present holders of the local light franchise. This was denied by officials of the company. Mathews' letter was followed by a statement from him, urging his friends not to sign the petitions, and requesting all who had signed one of the petitions and who did not want their names presented to the city council to ask that their names be withdrawn from the petition.

THE PETITION

To the Honorable Mayor and City Council of the City of Brownwood, Texas: The signers of this petition have been advised that the City Council of the City of Brownwood, Texas, by an ordinance passed and finally approved January 22nd, 1935, granted to R. O. Mathews a franchise for the use and occupancy of the streets and alleys of the City of Brownwood for an electric light and power plant and distributing system, providing that said ordinance should become effective twenty days from the last publication thereof. We are further advised that said ordinance granting said franchise has been published in the Brownwood Bulletin, a daily newspaper published in Brownwood, Texas, the second and last publication thereof having been made in the issue of Monday, June 10th, 1935.

In pursuance and by virtue of the Statutes of the State of Texas and the provisions of Section 13 of the amended charter of the City of Brownwood, the undersigned qualified voters of the city of Brownwood, as shown by the poll tax rolls for the year 1934, do hereby by most respectfully petition and request Your Honorable Body to order an election as provided by said Statutes and the amended charter of the City of Brownwood, in accordance therewith, at which election the qualified voters of the city of Brownwood may have the privilege of voting for or against the proposed franchise as set forth in detail in said ordinance, as passed by Your Honorable Body and published as aforesaid. Respectfully submitted and requested.

THE LETTER

A petition is being circulated requesting the City Council to call an election to determine whether or not the users of electric light and power want a competitive plant here. The City Council, after months of deliberation, and with all the facts before them, have seen fit to grant this franchise. I have spent quite a sum of money in purchasing a site, preparing plans and doing the necessary ground work in order to start actual construction of the plant and the distribution system. An election at this time is an attempt to throttle competition, and so delay the actual construction of the plant to a date that would probably invalidate the franchise issued to me. This election, if called, will be an unnecessary expense to the citizens of Brownwood.

It is my intention to build a highly efficient electric light and power plant, with no "watered stock" upon which rates have to be based, and with no promotion costs included. I have no stock to sell, and I am asking no special favors of any one. I will have no merchandise to sell and my sole interest will be in the sale of electric light and power. I want to engage in the business of manufacturing electric light and power and selling electric service, and I am willing to risk my time and money, and, if the venture proves unprofitable, no one will be the loser but myself.

The construction of a new light and power plant will mean the expenditure of thousands of dollars for Brownwood labor and material; it will create a new taxable value; it will provide employment year in and year out for trained help, and it will place one of the absolute necessities of life on a competitive basis, and you or your town, stand no chance to lose.

The City of Brownwood is blocked by an existing injunction from installing its own light and power plant, even if the voters should vote bonds for that purpose. If I, a Brownwood citizen, using Brownwood money and employing Brownwood people, and keeping every dollar of the revenues from the

plant in your and my town, see fit to construct and operate this plant, I believe it is my right to do so without inference from the Texas Power & Light Company.

I am offering an initial rate reduction of ten per cent in existing light and power rates now on file with the City Commission. If the present rate schedule is lowered more than ten per cent I propose to meet the reduction. The fact that I am building the plant will account for any lowering of rates, and on that I bid for your favorable consideration of my claim for your patronage.

Yours truly,
R. O. MATHEWS.

You have competition in your business. Did anyone ever petition the governing body to let a general election decide whether you or your competitor should be allowed to do business? Certainly not. Then let us have the same sense of fair play about public utilities.

Dance Planned At CCC Camp

Enrollees of CCC Company 872, at Lake Brownwood will sponsor a dance in the camp mess hall Saturday night, June 29, 1935, according to Lieut. Benj. H. Tolbert, Company commander. No dance will be held at the camp this week-end as has been rumored throughout Brownwood, he added.

All young ladies of Brownwood or vicinity who wish to attend the dance are cordially invited to do, Lieut. Tolbert said. Arrangements are being made to provide transportation both to and from the camp for visiting young ladies. Beginning at 7:00 p. m., trucks will be available to transport the ladies to the Turner - Wright boat landing, where water transportation will be furnished.

Soft wood is often much harder than hard wood.

Elks Lodge Asked To Give Up Charter

Action on whether or not the charter of Brownwood Elks Lodge will be turned in will be taken at a called meeting of the lodge soon. A letter has been received from lodge headquarters in Chicago requesting that the charter be turned in since the local lodge is not operating under rules and regulations of the Grand Lodge.

One of the rules is that meetings be held twice a month, which rule has not been observed by the local organization.

PRIDDY PICNIC

Announcement was made this week that dates for a picnic at Priddy which had been announced as July 12 and 13 have been changed to the next week-end, July 19 and 20. Walter J. Marwitz, postmaster at Priddy, announced the change of dates.

PASSION PLAY TO BE GIVEN IN ENGLISH AT AUDITORIUM ON THURSDAY, FRIDAY NIGHTS

The great European Passion Play opens Thursday evening at the Memorial Hall for a run of two performances. One performance will be given on Thursday and one on Friday evening at 8:15 o'clock. The Brownwood Kiwanis Club is

sponsoring the play. This company played in Brownwood in 1929 but at that time the play was given in the German and those who were not familiar with the German language could not draw a true conception and enlightenment of the play as it was presented.

In 1931 the company received calls from throughout the United States to translate the version into the English so that the American public may better understand the story. This revision was made by Dr. Alfred E. Wolff and those who attend the play here will have unfolded before them a new understanding of this most beloved story of the Bible.

The company will present the oldest of all Passion Play dramas, that of Freiburg, Germany. The first religious dramatization ever presented to the world was presented in the small village of Freiburg in the year of 1264. This was the basic script that all plays have been based on since that time.

The play opens with an exemplification of the Triumphal Entry into Jerusalem of the Savior on Good Friday. This furnishes a most colorful opening for the play, as more than 150 take part in this first scene, as the Savior enters the gates of the city and is accepted and acclaimed by the people of the streets. Also the various healing scenes appear in this opening. The play will present many spectacular and impressive scenes.

The Garden of Gethsemane, as the Master meets with his disciples in prayer in the garden; the court of the Sanhedrin where the Savior is judged upon in the court of the high council after the betrayal of Judas; Christ before Pilate; the court of King Herod, are impressive.

The Last Supper scene is one of the most colorful scenes of the entire performance as the Master meets with his disciples, in what was to be their last communion together. In this scene the deep love and devotion is truly depicted as the Savior humbly washed the feet of his followers as a token of this deep love. The Crucifixion and Resurrection scenes, that will be enacted on the stage, will climax this great production, and those who have the privilege of witnessing, will have portrayed before them a drama that should live forever in their hearts.

This famous company has now been touring the United States and Canada for the past seven years and has not had one period of idleness, since the first showing in the United States. This is a world's record and one that the company

can be justly proud of. Only the complete acceptance and endorsement of the cities that the company has played, could such a record be made possible.

Reserved seat tickets are on sale at the ticket headquarters in the Renfro-McMinn Drug Store and will be sold at this location until seven o'clock each evening. At that time the ticket office will open at the Memorial Hall where the play is to be staged. The curtain will open promptly at 8:15 o'clock each evening.

C. B. Paul of the Passion Play company inspected the auditorium this week and assured the committee from the Kiwanis Club that the acoustics of the hall will not in any way hamper the enjoyment of hearing. These players have made a study for years of voice control in the open and have played in some of the largest stadiums in the nation and have won acclaim for their voices.

It was the original intention of the company to play in the open at the Howard Payne College Athletic Stadium, but due to the uncertainty of weather conditions at this season of the year, and rather than risk the failure of the presentation they moved the play indoors to the Memorial Hall.

A large massed choir of all the church choirs in the city will furnish the music for the presentation. Over 100 voices will give one of the most outstanding renditions to ever be heard in the city. Mrs. Robert Hall has been directing the rehearsals throughout the past few weeks and will direct the massed choir throughout the performances.

JUNE 29TH TAX DEADLINE

The heavy penalty of eight per cent and six per cent interest will be added to all unpaid state and county taxes at the close of this month. County Tax Assessor-Collector Winston Palmer urges all citizens who owe delinquent taxes to pay them immediately and avoid the added penalty and interest.

July 31 is the deadline on city taxes.

STUDY GUIDES FOR 'NO HOMEWORK' PLAN TO BE PUBLISHED

Arthur Maberry, superintendent of the Bangs school, announced in Washington last week that negotiations are under way with the Ditto Company of Chicago to publish study guide sheets in the nationally known "No Homework" curriculum. Maberry introduced the plan in the Bangs schools last year with outstanding success. Mrs. Maberry is preparing the sheets for publication.

"The study sheet for English," Mr. Maberry said, "will be designed to be the most practical and entirely functional to actual life. Students will be taught the thing itself and then how to use it in actual life."

"History in the study sheet will be in actual units, as will be all other subjects. Units in world history, for example, will be 'History and Its Beginning'; 'Government from the First Family Through American Democracy'; 'Industry Through the Ages'; 'Commerce Then and Now'; 'Religions of the World in All Times'; 'Living and Making Society and Culture.' Each unit will be a complete story running from its beginning to the present time."

Mr. and Mrs. Maberry are spending the summer months in northern and eastern states where Mr. Maberry is scheduled to confer with a number of educational leaders. While in Chicago he received latest materials and information for use in visual education in the Bangs school next year.

Child Recovering From Poison Effects

Agatha Wilson, 17-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Wilson of the Jordan Springs community is reported as recovering from effects of poison accidentally taken about noon Monday. She is receiving treatment in Central Texas hospital.

Harvey L. Kelly of Goldthwaite is receiving treatment for a broken left arm and crushed elbow. He was injured when an automobile in which he was riding overturned Monday afternoon near Goldthwaite.

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