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## BROWN COUNTY GIRLS WIN SECOND PLACES IN AUSTIN CONTESTS

Each of the three Brown county students who entered the State Interscholastic League meet at Austin last week won second places. Lillybud Boenicke of the Brownwood high school won second place in the typewriting contest, with an accuracy score of 99.44 per cent. In the 15-minute test she typed 1565.8 gross words. The first place winner, Velma Adams of Amarillo, typed 1437.2 gross words with an accuracy score of 99.74. The two girls scored 181.16 and 183.75.

In June, Miss Boenicke will go to Chicago to enter the international typing contest. First five place winners in each state are eligible to enter.

## Workers Conference At Pleasant Valley Thursday, May 16th

The following program has been announced for the Brown county Baptist workers conference which will meet with the Pleasant Valley church Thursday, May 16th, beginning at 9:45 a. m. The morning service will be as follows:

Song service; "How We Got Our Bible," by Dr. Karl H. Moore; "Some Outstanding Women of the Bible," by Mrs. Julius P. King; "Some Outstanding Laymen of the Bible," by Rev. Edwin Wilson. Lunch followed by a business meeting will be held at 12 o'clock noon.

## FARMERS MARKETS

Old Toms	9c
Eggs, dozen	20c
Hay and Grain	
No. 1 Milling Wheat	95c
No. 2 Durum Wheat	90c
No. 2 Red Oats	55c
No. 2 Barley	75c
No. 2 White Corn	\$1.00
No. 2 Yellow Corn	95c
Mixed Corn	95c
No. 1 Johnson Grass, ton	14.00
No. 2 Milo, cwt.	\$1.95
Cotton	
Middling	10.75
Wool	22c and 23c

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A delegation will be sent by the Chamber of Commerce to Austin on May 14 to join other delegations at a hearing before the highway commission to ask paving of gaps in U. S. Highway 67. The committee for this trip includes F. S. Abney, Wendell Mayes, Chester Harrison and members of the commissioners court, County Judge A. E. Nabors and Commissioners E. S. Thompson, H. I. Stapp, J. A. Bettis and C. B. Palmer.

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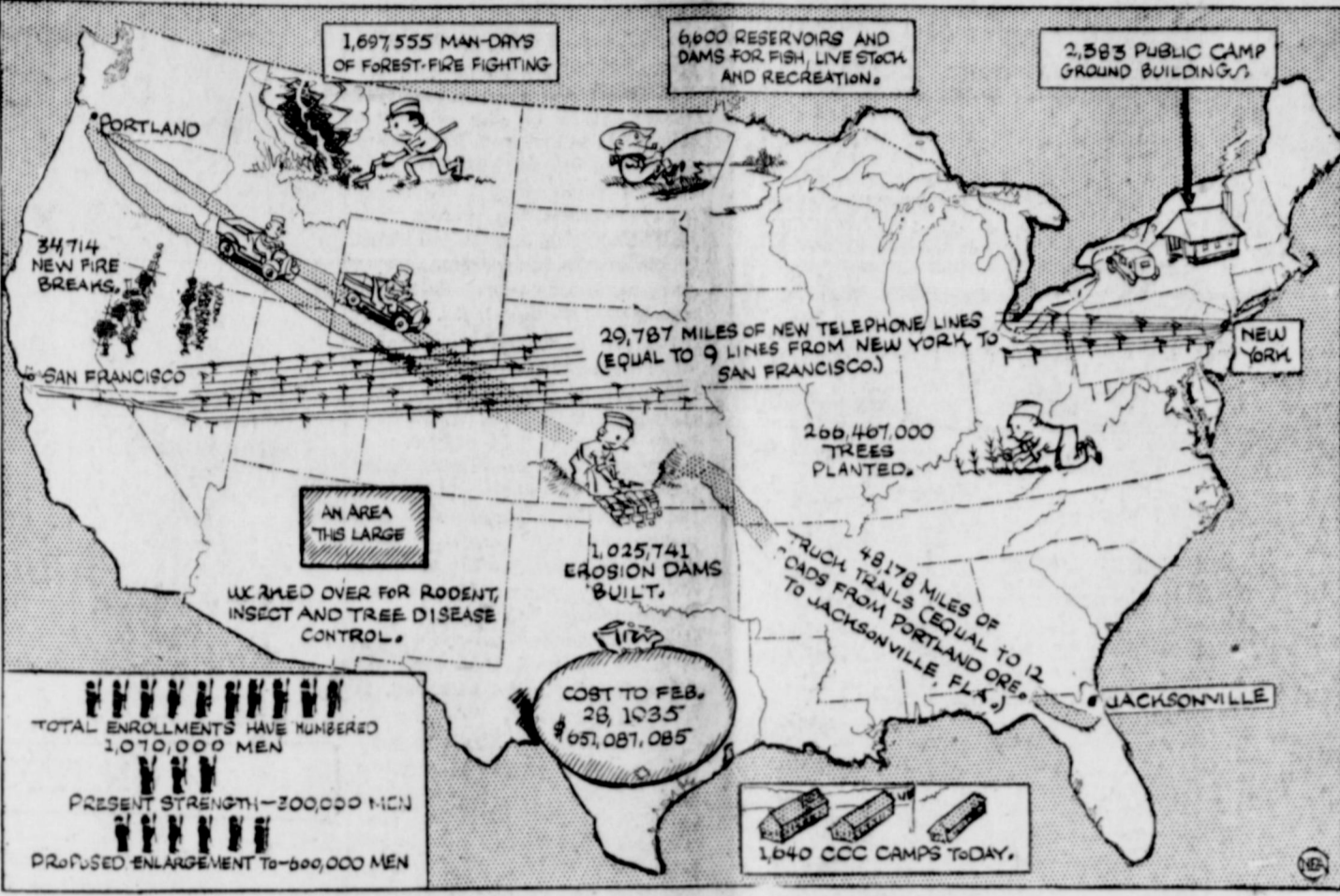
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## WHAT CCC HAS ACHIEVED IN TWO YEARS



Immediate enlargement of the Civilian Conservation Corps (CCC) from 300,000 to 600,000 young men calls attention to accomplishments of the first two years of CCC work. Here, based on official reports of Robert Fechner, director, is a graphic representation of some of the definite things done by the CCC, mostly in the nature of permanent improvements, total value of which Fechner estimates at more than \$325,000,000 to date. In addition, more than 3,000,000 dependents and families of CCC men have benefited by the money sent home by the 1,000,000 CCC men on the job at various times. With two years of "know-how" behind them, Director Fechner believes this summer's 600,000 men will be able to produce works of even greater permanent value.

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## DAVIS ARMORY BILL PASSES LEGISLATURE

An allotment of \$40,000 for each National Guard company for construction of an armory is proposed in a bill providing for the establishment of an armory board which has passed both houses of the state legislature. Senator E. M. Davis of Brownwood introduced the bill in the Senate.

The armory board provided for in the bill will handle funds for construction of National Guards armories in Texas cities if such funds are set aside from the public works appropriation. Numerous telegrams have been sent from here to Washington asking that National Guard armory funds be set aside.

## 110 MEN AT WORK ON PROJECTS IN COUNTY

With the resumption of relief projects Wednesday 110 men will be employed in the four precincts in Brown county, 30 in No. 1, 30 in No. 3, 20 in No. 4 and 20 in No. 2. The projects will include work on lateral roads and on the athletic field and grounds at Bangs school.

Brown county's relief allotment for May is \$14,720, which includes a balance carried over from April. County Administrator C. E. Boyett announced the allotment this week. The total allotment for the month is divided as follows: General relief and administrative payroll, \$15,718; school lunches, \$565; rural rehabilitation subsistence fund, \$2,380. The allotment does not include rural rehabilitation capital goods funds which will be announced later.

## DISTRICT ATHLETES SHOW UP WELL IN STATE TRACK MEET

District eight athletes won a total of ten points, half of the total scored by participants entered from region two, in the state track and field meet held in Austin last week. John Arthur Thomason, Brownwood high school's lone entry, won third place in the 120 high hurdles. Fitzgerald, Barbers Hill, and Lillard, Woodrow Wilson, Dallas, won first and second, respectively, in this event.

## BOAZ AND MOORE TO ADDRESS GRADUATES

Speakers for Brownwood High School graduation exercises are to be Bishop H. A. Boaz of Fort Worth, who will deliver the commencement address Monday night, May 27, and Dr. Karl H. Moore, pastor of First Baptist Church, who will deliver the baccalaureate sermon May 26.

Commencement exercises are to be held at Howard Payne auditorium. The baccalaureate service is to be held at First Methodist church. There are 133 prospective graduates in the senior class this year.

## RICHLAND SPRINGS OIL TEST PLANNED

A deep test for oil is to be made near Richland Springs within the next six weeks. Leases on a 40,000 to 50,000 track have been acquired and the lease calls for a well slated to go 2500 feet if oil or gas is not found at a lesser depth. Swansberger and associates of Oklahoma City are to drill the well.

If the log of the well shows up satisfactorily and nothing of value is found at the stated depth the well may progress to a depth of 3,000 feet. Curtis Norman, automobile dealer of Brady, and Ed Gibbons, Richland Springs ranchman, have been instrumental in securing the test for the Richland Springs area.

## Newspaper Men Of Heart Of Texas To Convene Saturday

Newspaper men from some 20 or 30 counties surrounding Brownwood will meet here Friday evening and Saturday for the convention of the Heart of Texas Press Association. The convention will start Friday night, with a dance on the roof of Hotel Brownwood, where all convention sessions will be held.

## SAFETY LANE WORK IS RESUMED HERE; TO RUN FOR WEEK

Activities of the safety lane, sponsored by the Lions club, which was in action here two days last week, were resumed Wednesday morning and will probably continue during the remainder of this week. Approximately 1,700 automobiles were inspected by the highway patrolmen conducting the safety lane here last week. Tickets were given to 284 defective cars the first day. Cars inspected later showed a smaller percentage of violations.

Those in charge of the inspection say that they hope to stay in Brownwood until every car in the city has been inspected.

## KP CONVENTION TO BE INVITED HERE

Delegates from the Brownwood Lodge, Knights of Pythias, to the grand lodge convention in Mineral Wells next week, will invite the 1936 convention of the grand lodge to be held in Brownwood, it was decided at the regular meeting of the lodge Monday night.

The convention attracts from 500 to 1000 delegates each year. It is one of the largest lodge gatherings in the state. The convention will be held this year Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, May 12, 13 and 14, at Mineral Wells, with some of the sessions at the KP home at Weatherford. Among those who have announced they will attend the grand lodge convention are the following members of the local lodge: Emmett Green, R. B. Craig, Jack Howard, Homer Huggins, C. H. Lankford.

## BROWNWOOD INVITES ROTARY CONFERENCE

The meeting place for the 1936 conference of the Forty-first district of Rotary International will be decided at an assembly of club president and secretaries some time this summer. At the 1935 conference, held at Midland this week, Rev. Karl H. Moore presented Brownwood's invitation for next year's meeting. District Governor Thomas H. Taylor presided at the conference. Others from here who attended the Midland meeting were Mrs. Karl H. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McKee, J. H. Farr and E. J. Woodward. Mrs. Moore was one of the entertainers on Tuesday's program, playing selections on the marimba. J. M. Wilson of Floydada was nominated for district governor to succeed Dr. Taylor, subject to ratification of the Rotary International Conference at Mexico, D. F., in June. Dr. Taylor was praised by the conference for his excellent and untiring work as district governor. He will continue as governor until July 1st.

## HISTORICAL GROUP TO MEET SATURDAY AT BAPTIST CHURCH

Sessions of the West Texas Historical Association, which is to meet here Saturday will be held in the auditorium of First Baptist church rather than at Howard Payne auditorium as was previously announced. The meeting will open with registration at 9:30. Lunch will be served at noon in the church basement. One of the largest attendances in the history of the association is expected at this meeting. All old timers of this section and public school teachers and their pupils have been invited to attend the sessions.

## C. P. KITCHEN NAMED STATE COMMANDER OF WAR VETERANS

C. P. Kitchen, Brownwood, was elected state commander of the United Spanish-American War Veterans, Department of Texas, at the annual encampment held at Corpus Christi this week. He has served as state senior-vice commander for the past year. San Angelo was selected as the next encampment city, at the meeting which opened Sunday and continued through Wednesday. Local people who attended the encampment at Corpus Christi are: Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Kitchen, E. F. Skerritt, commander of Joe Wheeler camp; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Camp and J. P. Bohlin.

## BROWN COUNTY RELAY CARNIVAL MAY 11TH

Entries from practically every school in the county will participate in a Brown County Relay Carnival to be held at Howard Payne park at 2 p. m. Saturday, May 11th. Boy Scout Troop No. 7 is sponsoring the carnival. C. P. Wesner is general chairman. The following contests will be held for four divisions: 50 yard dash, high jump, 75 yard dash, broad jump, 25 yard tawsack race, 25 yard potato race, one mile bicycle relay, 3-legged race, 220 yard relay and 440 yard relay. Prizes will be awarded to winners of first, second and third places in each of the contests.

## Classification Of Schools Of County Completed By Board

Two trustees were appointed for the Holder district at a meeting of the county trustees held this week. They are Mayfield Gibbs and Floyd Ribbie. Permission was granted the Indian Creek school district to dispose of the school building at Jordan Springs. The following classification of county schools was made by the board: Eleven grades: Cross Cut, Williams, Grosvenor, Blanket, Early May, Zephyr, Indian Creek and Brooksmith. Ten grades: Concord. Nine grades: Chapel Hill, Woodland Heights, Holder and Winchell. Eight grades: Mukewater. Seven grades: McDaniel, Clear Creek and Elkins. Elementary with three grades: Byrds. No classification was made of the Clio school, action being deferred to a later date.

## CHARGED WITH FORGERY

Theodore Bullard, charged with having forged the name of J. W. Smith on a check last August, was arrested in Kerrville last week and brought here by members of the sheriff's department. The check, which was for \$1.50, was given the Piggly Wiggly store on the square.

## NEW AUTOMOBILES REGISTERED

Week Ending May 9th, 1935

Number	Owner	Make	Purchased From
123-703	L. L. McCarroll, Bwd.	Ford	Weatherby Motor Co.
123-717	M. B. Healey, Brownwood	Chrysler	Holley-Langford Co.
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Commercial			
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## Bill For Sandy Land Station Is Before Governor

Experiment Station Measure Passes Legislature; Location Up To A. & M. College. The establishment of a sandy land experiment station for this section was practically assured with the favorable action of the House of Representatives this week on the bill providing for its establishment. The bill passed the senate several days ago, and only awaits the governor's signature to be put into effect.

The new agricultural experiment station will be located in one of five counties: Brown, Callahan, Eastland, Comanche or Erath, but will do experimental work designed to help farms of this entire section of the state. Decision on the location for the station will be made by the extension department of A. & M. College. It will be supported partly by state and partly by federal funds. Experiments will be carried on at the station to determine the best crops to be grown in sandy land and the best fertilizers to be used on this land. It is expected that work toward rehabilitating much of the sandy land which has been abandoned will be done.

## Service League Is Seeking Gifts Of Clothes, Bedding

An urgent plea for donations of clothing of any sort and for bedding of all kinds is being made by the Junior Service League, local charitable organization. Members of the League have requested that anyone who has discarded clothing or other articles which might be of use in the work of the organization notify Miss Marjorie Scott, phone 9-1, and the donations will be called for.

## Lucas and Chambers Are Farm Delegates

Farmers from all sections of the state will attend the national farmers meeting in Washington, D. C., next week. A special train will leave Dallas Sunday and return Friday. The purpose of the meeting is to express appreciation of farmers from all parts of the country for work of the AAA. H. G. Lucas of Brownwood and W. R. Chambers of May were named as delegates from Brown county at a meeting of Brown county farmers held at the courthouse last week.

## Zephyr Test Is Down 1,625 Feet

McDonald and Campbell's No. 1 Smith near Zephyr, deep test which is being watched with a great deal of interest over the state, was reported drilling at 1,625 feet this week in the Ordovician. The Ellenberger or Ordovician was topped at 1,485. The well is running 300 to 800 feet high on formation. The well will be drilled to 3,500 feet unless production in paying quantity is obtained at a lesser depth.

## Brown County Girls On ACC Honor Roll

The names of three Brown county students appeared on the last six-weeks period honor roll at Abilene Christian College. All three made highest grades in one or more subjects. They are: Vivian Day, English, two courses in home economics and education; Lucille Wilmeth, Bible, English and Latin; Mary Belle Timmins, home economics.

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Any error made in advertisements will be corrected upon being brought to the attention of the publishers, and the liability of this paper is limited to the amount of space consumed by the error in the advertisement.

Governor Allred has signed the \$3,000,000 Texas Centennial bill, and thereby loosed an active citizenship in Dallas, where the Central Celebration is to be held. The Governor's action, while coming on the last day on which he had to sign or veto the bill, did not come as a surprise, as Governor Allred was committed to a Centennial, and in a special message to the Legislature had urged action on the measure. The bill will become a law thirty days after adjournment of the Legislature, which is scheduled for Saturday of this week.

Progress Centennial

While the Governor's action in delaying final decision on the measure caused some anxiety on the part of Centennial advocates, both in and out of Dallas, it was not without justification. Governor Allred, along with many other taxpayers, had concern over where the money is to come from, since the Legislature made the appropriation without providing any method of raising the additional three million dollars. With the State already in the red and facing an additional deficit, three million dollars is a considerable sum to set aside for a Centennial celebration, when failure to provide means of raising the money means that for the present, at least, the sum must be added to the anticipated deficit.

The Governor's action in signing the bill passes the buck back to the Legislature. Theirs now is the responsibility for securing the funds for the big celebration.

With the present legislative session rapidly fading away, little hope is held that proper tax-raising legislation can be passed before the legislators leave for home. That means that a special session, already foreseen as a possibility, is practically assured, either in the late summer or early fall. The session probably would be necessary anyway, in event Texans repeal constitutional prohibition at the special election August 24, for without proper legislation the liquor situation would be in a state of chaos without legislative regulation.

Be that as it may, Texans generally are happy that the State is to have an adequate celebration of its hundredth birthday. Federal funds probably will be forthcoming to match the State funds, which will give the Centennial a working capital worthy of the occasion, and plans can go forward rapidly during the next few months.

A forceful example of the effect of cooperative work is contained in the announcement, made this week, that a soil erosion camp is practically assured for Brown county this summer. Under general direction of the Chamber of Commerce of Brownwood, various agencies have been working hard and continuously for nearly two years to bring about this accomplishment. And not to be overlooked are the splendid and successful efforts on the part of Congressman Charles L. South to secure the camp.

Soil Erosion

Soil erosion has cost this county countless thousands of dollars in the past several years. Farms that once produced ample crops have been abandoned or are being operated on a starvation basis, due to the washing away of the rich topsoil which contains all the substance upon which plant life can exist.

We are reminded again of the importance of this work through receipt of a copy of a letter written by L. D. Hillier, Democratic executive committeeman from this senatorial district, to Congressman South, newspaper editors, committeemen and other in this district. Says Mr. Hillier:

"In Brown county many farmers are producing only about one-fifth per acre of what they did 25 or 30 years ago; all have been injured seriously and productivity lessened by soil erosion and water wastage. This injury has been so serious and so general that it has lowered the standards of living of many of our best citizens, forced them to cultivate five acres to secure the cotton, feed or grain that should have been produced from one, and is gradually strangling our commercial, educational and governmental activities. Our entire social structure is endangered. Terracing and other soil erosion work would bring back the lost productivity and protect and preserve it for future generations also."

An effective presentation of the case. Soil erosion work properly carried on, and it will be properly carried on under the direction of the CCC camp, will be of inestimable benefit to Brown county farmers.

The Government is going to spend four billion, eight hundred and eighty million dollars on work relief and similar projects, just as soon as it is humanly possible to get the projects going. That money is going to be spent in an effort to relieve unemployment and to improve the county generally. How much of it will be spent in Brownwood and Brown county depends largely upon how actively and effectively the needs of this locality are presented to those in charge of spending the money.

Opportunities At Hand

Many projects badly needed in Brown county. Most of these come under the required subdivisions of activities in which the money is to be spent. Dismissing the \$880,000,000 that will be spent to provide direct relief while projects are gotten under way, here is the way the rest of the money will go:

Eight hundred million dollars for highways, roads, city streets and elimination of grade crossings.

Five hundred million dollars for water conservation, irrigation, reclaiming land, helping impoverished farmers and moving them to fertile land.

Ten million dollars for rural electrification.

Four hundred fifty million dollars for building homes and apartments.

Three hundred million dollars for work which educational, professional and clerical persons can do.

Six hundred million dollars to double the size of the CCC.

Three hundred fifty million dollars to plant forests, improve rivers and harbors, prevent soil erosion and dust storms.

Nine hundred million dollars to be loaned or given to States, cities or subdivisions for work-making projects.

An impressive list, from which Brown county should get a considerable portion for much-needed work.

You can not make a political omelet without breaking eggs. And no great power can safely rely on thickening its shell after the hammer begins to strike.—Albert Bushnell Hart.

War does not come because men want it, or don't want peace, but because they insist on policies which are incompatible.—Norman Angell.

All the ages of the world are bad.—Robert Frost.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson



BREEZES AT THE SEASHORE CHANGE DIRECTIONS TWICE DAILY. DURING THE DAY, THEY FLOW TOWARD THE SHORE; IN THE EVENING, THEY FLOW OUT TO SEA.



True Ghost Stories By Famous People

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By WILL IRWIN

"The 'Ghost of Washington Square' gave me many a night filled with clammy chills at No. 59 Washington Square," related Will Irwin, who is known to be such a shrewd and canny and skeptical reporter that he was asked to investigate and expose the seances of Signora Eusepia Paladino, the notorious psychic. "I might have attributed my nights of horror at No. 59 to a disordered digestion," continued Mr. Irwin, "had it not been that everyone who occupied my apartment had a similar ghostly experience."

"One morning at three o'clock I was awakened out of a sound sleep by a consciousness of some one bending over me. Three mornings in succession—always at the same hour and always without sound or sight of anyone, I was thus awakened. My nerves became unstrung. I moved to a hotel, then ashamed at my submission, I moved back to my flat. But I slept with every gas jet burning. The phenomenon recurred, but each time with less intensity."

"During an absence from New York I turned over my apartment to James Hopper. Mr. Hopper was wrathful, rather than grateful, for the shelter of my apartment. He had been made uncomfortable by the same visitation that I had experienced there. Moreover, he had bravely, in the dark, dared the ghost in an open encounter. The challenge had not been accepted."

"Samuel Hopkins Adams heard the story of my weird experience and he wanted to investigate matters under my troubled roof. Despite the fact that he was forewarned and that he is such an alert observer, he could only bear incoherent witness to the visitation."

"Later, while I was on a holiday, two elderly ladies who were former neighbors of mine in New England, asked to use my apartment during their two weeks' visit to New York. A friend of mine was to call for them early the second day of their visit to show them about town. He found them standing on the door-step, with valises in hand. They wouldn't stay another minute in Mr. Irwin's noisy, fearful apartment!"

"I could see only one thing to do. I would give up No. 59 Washington Square. It only estranged me from myself and my friends."

"I freed myself of the apartment and heard no further reports of it until one day a friend of mine who keeps a shop on the south side of the square told me that an old gentleman who wandered into her place had become reminiscent about the early days when Washington Square had been the potter's field, and when the gallows had stood upon the place of the present arch."

"Then dolefully pointing to my former abode, No. 59, she remarked, 'and that used to be the morgue.'"

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS



SALESMAN SAM BY SMALL



FRISCO TO SANTA FE

(San Angelo Morning Times) San Angelo and the adjacent section dependent upon the Santa Fe for rail service will hope that system will be able to consummate its reported plan for the acquisition of the Frisco line from Fort Worth to Menard via Brownwood. Such a move would shorten by more than 100 miles the present rail haul from San Angelo to Fort Worth and enable the Santa Fe to give this section transportation facilities that it now lacks.

For one reason and another previous attempts on the part of the Santa Fe to acquire the Frisco mileage west of Fort Worth have come to naught. The present plan in order to be successful, must meet with the approval of the Frisco receivers, bondholders' protective committee and overcome various and sundry other legal obstacles before it can become a fact. In the absence of formal announcement from Santa Fe authorities, it is to be assumed that those requirements have not been met, in full at least, as yet.

When and if the merger becomes effective, however, San Angelo can look forward with reasonable assurance to a six or seven hour schedule on passenger runs to and from Fort Worth. It will mean that mail and express which now arrives in this city at nine o'clock in the morning, can get here several hours earlier, in time for early morning delivery. The train which now leaves at 7:30 o'clock in the evening can be delayed several hours and still arrive in Fort Worth and Dallas at an early hour. Trains on the Sweetwater line and on the McCamey - Fort Stockton-Alpine run can likewise leave San Angelo at a much earlier hour, giving points thereon much improved service over that they now have. Similarly livestock movement to Fort Worth will be greatly expedited.

In view of the improved service, the Santa Fe can expect to get business that is now moving in other channels if it is successful in its move to acquire the Frisco line. So, it looks like a good move for everyone concerned.

The Grand Canal, or Yun Ho, of China, rambles for almost a thousand miles through the coastal plain of that country and is the longest artificial waterway in the world.

LOSEUD and COMEDY by DAN THOMAS — GEORGE SCARBO



ON TEXAS FARMS

Jasper—In a three month's campaign ending March 20, Jasper county farmers immunized 4000 pigs against hog cholera and checked a disease that had been raging in approximately ten communities for six months, according to S. W. Monroe, county agricultural agent. Seventeen practical farmers trained in the work participated in this campaign. According to reliable estimates of farmers, 3500 pigs died with the disease before it was brought under control. The campaign was conducted in connection with the farm meat supply program, the purpose of which is to insure an adequate meat supply for every farm home.

Seguin—Forty-two terraces, that if strung out would measure more than 10 miles in length, have been constructed this spring on the farm of Walter Drebbrodt, Guadalupe county farmer, according to S. Whitsett, county agricultural agent. Drebbrodt started terracing work three years ago and has utilized his spare time and the spare time of his men and teams in this construction. The terraces have been built in heavy black flint rock land with a grader, ditcher, Fresno and riding plow.

Crockett—Twenty Houston county farmers have blocked 1700 acres of land west of Crockett in a cooperative war on gophers, according to C. E. Bowles, county agricultural agent. Gallies across the fields, broken terraces, ruined orchards, and damaged pastures and crops are among the injuries caused by these gophers. More and more farms have been added to the block, as every farmer who cleans his own premises is anxious to have his neighbors join in the fight.

After the first poisoning, the block will be covered a second time and wherever a new mound is found, fresh poison bait will be put out.

Beaumont—Lack of enough space for a garden failed to interfere with the gardening plans of Mrs. C. D. Williams, members of the Groves Home Demonstration Club in Jefferson county, according to Miss Jessie V. Murdock, home demonstration agent. Mrs. Williams was so determined that she would have a plot of growing vegetables that she arranged to garden on shares with a neighbor for the use of the neighbor's land. She has already canned greens from her garden to supply her family's needs. Nineteen varieties of vegetables are growing in the garden.

Belton—Seven Bell county 4-H club girls and their sponsor each constructed hotbeds this spring to start slow maturing plants such as tomatoes, peppers, and cabbage for their spring gardens, according to Miss Lorena Dry, home demonstration agent. Margaret Malacott, 4-H club girl, reports making a hotbed six by six feet and covering it with a white duck top. The pit was dug the dimensions of the hotbed and 18 inches deep. Manure was thrown into the pit and tramped down well. Then about four inches of soil was placed over the manure. The cover was put on and the manure allowed to heat for a day or two before the seeds were sown.

Paducah—A closet large enough

Montgomery Ward Cooking School To Start Next Week

A cooking and canning school will be conducted at Montgomery Ward on Tuesday, May 14, thru Friday, with classes each day at 2 P. M. which will be open to the public. It was announced this week by Gene Mattox, store manager.

Instruction in the preparation of all types of food with special attention given to the use of the pressure cooker, will be given by a demonstrator. Local women's clubs and organizations have been invited to attend in groups.

To hold the family wardrobe has been constructed at a cash expense of only 55 cents by Mrs. John Henderson, Cottle county wardrobe demonstrator, according to Miss Louie Simpson, home demonstration agent.

Mrs. Henderson made the frame for her closet from discarded lumber on the farm; the rod she made from an old broom handle; and the walls were made from pasteboard boxes. She put the boxes on the outside wall to make it sand proof. After the walls were finished, white wrapping paper was used for papering to reflect the light. Paint for the shelves and calcimine for the outside walls were the only cash expenditure.

USED CARS

Further price reductions on our stock.

- 1933 Plymouth Coupe
1933 Chevrolet Coach
1932 Plymouth Coach
1930 Chevrolet Coach
1931 Chevrolet Coach

Several 1929 Ford Coupes, Coaches and Sedans.

Will Trade and Give Easy Terms

Patterson Motor Company THE HOUSE OF BARGAINS Next Door to City Hall

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express appreciation for the kindness shown us by our loved one. Your kindness makes sorrow easier to bear. You to know that we will ever remain a grateful remembrance of the floral offerings.

MR. and MRS. B. JOHNNY LEE BUSTER SHIELDS MR. and MRS. L. MR. and MRS. L.

Knitted Dresses

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Cleaned Safely, Lined Preserved, So Stays No Shrinking

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Program May 12

SUNDAY, MONDAY, WILLIAM POWELL GINGER ROGERS

WEDNESDAY THURSDAY JOAN BLONDEL William Gargan and Farrell

FRIDAY and SATURDAY JAMES CAGNEY in a drama of the war on gangland.

"G-Men" Extra: THELMA TODD and PATSY KELLY in "Three Chumps About"

SUNDAY and MONDAY CLAUDETTE COLBERT in "The Gilded Lily" Popeye Cartoons and "Radio Announcer's Revue"

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY JACK HOLT in "The Unwelcome Stranger" Irvin S. Cobb in "You Bitch Ducks" and "Tracking Explorer."

THURSDAY and FRIDAY BARBARA STANWYCK and Gene Raymond in "The Woman in Red" Ernest Truax in "His Day" and "We Do Our Part"

SATURDAY ONLY BUCK JONES in "The Crimson Trail" Color Cartoons and "Red"

ADULTS, 15c; CHILDREN

Decorate Veterans

Plans were discussed by the members of the I. O. O. F. Post 1313...

Nevins New Head Of Central Hardware Co.

E. F. Nevins, for many years a resident of Brownwood, and formerly connected with Armour & Company...

Mr. Nevins is well known in Brownwood. He is now rearranging the stock, making room for additional merchandise and changing the arrangement of the store.

While the store now is open for business, but formal opening will be held Saturday, May 13.

The first legal execution by electricity is said to have been that of William Kemmerer at Sing Sing prison, August 6, 1890.

EMPLOYABLE FARM FAMILIES ARE TAKEN FROM RELIEF ROLL

Adam R. Johnson, state director of the Texas Relief Commission, has sent instructions to County Administrator C. E. Boyett that county relief administrators will no longer be permitted to extend any form of relief funds to any employable farm family.

"A farm family," Mr. Johnson explained, "is one residing outside the limits of incorporated or unincorporated towns, villages and cities, and who depend upon farming operations for the major portion of their income. It is not intended to include in this group families who live on small plots of land which are sufficient only to produce a part of their sustenance requirements and upon which they can not produce a commercial crop."

Rural Rehabilitation Farm families henceforth may receive aid only in the form of advances through the rural rehabilitation corporation. County administrators were instructed to recall any work cards issued to rural families for work relief in May and to make advances secured by notes and mortgages, instead.

All families affected by this change immediately will become rural rehabilitation families, Mr. Johnson said, and will receive aid in the future from rural subsistence funds in accordance with their needs as established by case workers.

At the same time, administrators will contact all landlords at the earliest possible date to obtain waivers on the landlord's interest in the tenant's share of the crop. This procedure was adopted in order to secure advances which the rural corporation will make to the tenant.

"If a client transferred under these regulations, executing notes for them, and later it develops that a waiver form can not be obtained from the landlord or other creditors, then the case will be dropped completely from our records," Mr. Johnson declared. "In such instances the notes taken will be written off as a loss, but the client will receive no further advances after the date on which creditors refuse to execute waivers. Creditors will be notified when these cases are dropped from the records."

The Usual Practice Explaining the new regulations, Mr. Johnson said it is in line with the long established method of furnishing sharecroppers. "This is what bankers and other creditors always have done," he said. "Our former practice of furnishing the tenant with subsistence needs as an outright grant just encouraged creditors to allow the relief administration to finance the making of their crops. This new regulation will help to correct the situation and dignify the aid extended farmers by eliminating the outright relief grant."

Goodyear Dealers In Meeting Here

J. A. Bailey, branch manager of the Dallas office of the Goodyear Tire Co. and A. B. Hill, assistant branch manager, were in charge of a district meeting of Goodyear tire dealers held here Monday. The meeting opened with a luncheon at Hotel Brownwood and continued throughout the afternoon.

Bailey and F. W. McConkey, Jr., district sales manager from Akron, Ohio, were speakers on the program. The program closed with the showing of films featuring Goodyear tires and life-guard tubes.

Dealers from Brown, McCulloch, Coleman, San Saba, Mills, Comanche and Erath counties were at the meeting, which is one of a series of ten meetings being held out of the Dallas office.

Margaret Denman To Represent Brownwood In Home Town Contest

Margaret Denman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Denman, will represent Brownwood in the Home Town Contest at the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention to be held at Plainview May 13-15. This is the second successive year Margaret has won first place in local tryouts for the contest.

Iris Seales won second place in the tryouts held at high school auditorium last week. Lillebud Boenicke won third. Judges for the contest were Henry Gibbs, Rufus Stanley and H. Glidden Wilson.

An English chemist has developed a paint for outdoor use that is so affected by the sun's rays that it appears black in the day-time and white at night.

MAKING Smart CLOTHES

This is going to be a cape spring, and here is a cape so cleverly designed that it is becoming to almost everyone. Even if you think you aren't the type for capes!

The cape as a matter of fact, snaps off, and you can wear the outfit as a suit on warmer days.

Navy blue is a good color to choose for it because, no matter how many spring seasons you have worn navy, you can't choose anything smarter for spring. This season, we are wearing lots of excit-



Black 6135

ing colors with navy—colors we haven't dared to combine before. For instance, chamois yellow hats and scarfs. Lettuce-leaf green for a blouse and natural for your hat and gloves. And always, remember starched white pique for your blouse, a sailor for your head, doo-skin gloves, and a red carnation in your button-hole. That for your gayest and sunniest spring days.

This is a Butterick Pattern and may be purchased at your local department store.

Figures in French 'Lindbergh Kidnap'



Because of similarity in a number of details, France compares the kidnaping of 4-year-old Nicole Du Thilleuil (top) from the home of her army colonel father at Chaumont to America's famous Lindbergh case. Gabriel Sorey (below), as convict, was seized for questioning about the crime. In spite of a nation wide hunt, no trace of the girl or her body has been found.

My Beauty Hint

By DOROTHY DARE (Screen Actress)

You can rest your entire set of nerves through resting your feet. As a dancer, I know. Whenever



your nerves seem jangled and on edge, spend a few moments massaging your feet, or bathe them in warm water, afterwards rubbing them with a soothing cream.

MARBLE BOARDS ARE PLACED UNDER COVER FOLLOWING WARNING

Most of the marble machines that have been operating in Brownwood were removed this week and the few remaining machines bore placards announcing that they were to be operated for pleasure only as the result of County Attorney Scott's announcement that marble machines were to be abolished in this county.

Despite pleas of machine operators that they be allowed to continue the use of the machines for the remainder of the week Scott announced that not only would machines found in operation be confiscated but that the owners of the establishments in which they were found would be liable to prosecution.

The declaration from the offices of the County Attorney and the sheriff came following their receipt of a 19 page ruling from the Attorney General's department relative to the operation of the tables. The ruling was signed by Vernon Coe, Pat M. Neff, Jr., assistants in the Attorney General's office, and by Attorney General William McCraw.

A part of the ruling is as follows: "It is, accordingly, our opinion, and you are so advised, that any table, bank, wheel or device of any character, design, or construction whatsoever, with or without name when used, kept or exhibited for the purpose of gaming is a gaming device within the contemplation and meaning of Article 619, Penal Code, whether the games played thereon involves pure skill, pure chance, or a combination of skill and chance. And this conclusion follows, whether or not the stake award, or prize, for which a coin or other consideration is hazarded, comes in the form of an automatic release of money by such machine, or device, or an automatic release of tokens which can be used to renew the play upon such machine or device, or to be redeemed, in cash or merchandise by the keeper or dealer, rather than by such machine or device."

"Of course, it necessarily follows from this conclusion that such machines or devices, when established to be gaming devices under Article 619, Penal Code, are subject to condemnation and destruction by order of court, under procedure outlined by Article 636, 637 and 638, of the Penal Code; Mills vs. Browning, 59 S. W. (2nd) 219. And the person knowingly permitting such gaming table or device to remain in his possession, or on the premises under his control, or of which he is owner, to be used for gaming purposes, is under Article 639, Penal Code, subject to prosecution."

A group of coin machine operators and others interested in the machines met with Attorney Scott Monday afternoon, at which time Scott convinced the operators that he really meant business. He told the operators that he had nothing to say other than that he would, through the proper legal channels, have any machine found in operation confiscated and taken before the district judge to determine whether it could be operated. He also pointed out that each day the machine operated he would consider it a separate offense.

In reply to their request for a test case, he replied that he would not make a test case, but if anyone were arrested it would be a case, as he planned to stop operation of marble tables in Brownwood.

One of the world's rarest stamps the one-cent magneta of 1856 issued by British Guiana, once exchanged hands for the sum of \$38,000.

Glass of a greenish hue, invented in Germany for greenhouses, is said to admit a light that speeds germination of seeds planted beneath it.

F. F. Winners To Go To Stephenville

Winners in the district contests of the Future Farmers of America held at Junior high school here last week will represent the Brownwood district at the Area No. 4 contests to be held at Stephenville Saturday.

May won the chapter conducting contest. Brownwood won the district contests for this district. Clarence Childress and J. D. Dancy are the debating team, and Lowell Pouncey represents the chapter in public speaking.

Each team in the chapter conducting contest is made up of ten boys, who are chapter officers. Bangs was second in this contest. Brownwood, third, Winters fourth and Santa Anna fifth.

Service Company To Meet Friday Night

Captain Rex Galtner has called a meeting of Service Company to be held at Memorial Hall Friday night from 7:30 to 8 o'clock.

Captain Galtner was in Fort Worth Monday where he stood regimental inspection in a brigade problem in the absence of the regimental supply officer, Jack Jones.

Scotland registered the deaths of 13 reputed centenarians in that country in 1935.



Everywhere . . . People Judge You by Your HAT Our modern process cleans thoroughly, keeps firmness, Revives Shine, Restores Shape DYEING And CLEANING PHONE 154 Emmett Evans Henry P. Taylor

Concert Given By Bands; Orchestra

The three musical organizations of Brownwood senior and junior high schools gave a concert at senior high school auditorium Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. W. R. Parker, director of band music in the schools, was in charge of the program which included both semi-classical and popular selections.

The program was divided into

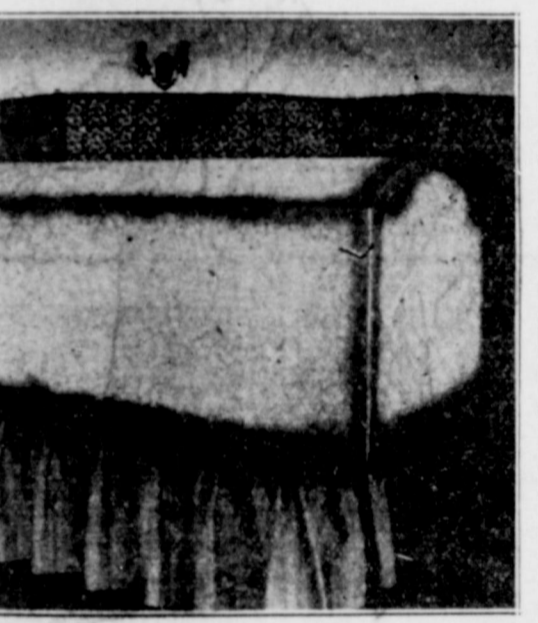
three parts with selections played by the Junior High Band, the Senior High Band and the Senior High Orchestra.

Solo numbers were given by Billy Wood Johnson, Robert Boyce, Billy Lehmborg and Burton Denman. One selection was given by a brass quartette for which instruments were played by Anita Joy Lindsay, Maxine Faulkinberry, June Turner and Elaine Parker.

There are 37 petroleum refineries in Canada.

Advertisement for Goodyear tires featuring 'G-3' tires and '43% MORE MILES' claim. Includes text: 'GET THE NEW GOOD YEAR G-3 FOR QUICKER STOPS', '43% MORE MILES of REAL Non-Skid Safety—yet YOU pay nothing extra', 'Safety Tire & Battery Co.', 'Road Service—Willard and Exide Batteries', 'D. C. PRATT Brownwood Phone 913', 'YES! WE SELL GOODYEAR TIRES ON TIME'.

Advertisement for Brownbilt shoes. Text: 'This Spring... Look to Brownbilts to Satisfactorily Supply Your Shoe Needs!', '\$4.95', '\$2.95 - \$3.95', 'We have the shoes you like! Nationally known Brownbilts... famous for their rich leathers, comfortable lasts and good styles! Come in for yours now!', 'LEVERIDGE'S BROWNbilt Shoe Store BROWNWOOD'.



There was a time when excessive costs limited the use of burial vaults to the more expensive funerals

Advertisement for Morris Burial Vault. Text: 'But Today The handsome, waterproof, rust resisting receptacle pictured above and known as the MORRIS BURIAL VAULT'.

is used exclusively in every burial service directed by us. No longer is it necessary to consign the body of a departed one to the grave in an ordinary pine box. The Morris Vault is secure and its protection is offered all who may be called upon to bear the burden of burial. No distinction is made as to price... a vault is a part of each service.

Advertisement for Austin-Morris Funeral Home. Text: 'Austin-Morris FUNERAL HOME Phone 303'.

Large advertisement for Austin Mill & Grain Co. Cake Flour. Text: 'Austin Mill & Grain Co. Cake Flour The All Purpose Flour', 'Through all of the 41 years we have been milling CAKE FLOUR quality has never been sacrificed in the interest of price. CAKE FLOUR is milled from clean, selected wheat... The scientific processing of Cake Flour meets all Pure Food requirements.', 'In using CAKE FLOUR you can be assured that you are using the very highest grade that can be bought, and the saving is no small item.', 'Austin Mill & Grain Co. Millers of Cake Flour for 41 Years', 'Phones 14 and 694 Brownwood, Texas'.

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1934 Chevrolet Coach
New Tires—
Paint Brown—
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A Good Buy in a Chevrolet
Convenient Terms

Serving You Faithfully For 14 Years

Weatherby Motor Co.



Sales — Service Phone 208. Fisk at Adams

May

C. J. Brewer and C. C. Robson had business in Rising Star Monday.

Frank Robertson of Rising Star was in May Monday on business. Three of our teachers, Miss Elizabeth Robertson, Miss Erma J. McBride and Miss Geraldine Chapman visited friends in Sweetwater Saturday and Sunday.

Charley Lappe and family of Blanket visited relatives here Sunday.

Burton Bailey and family of Bheckenridge spent Sunday night and Monday with relatives.

H. M. Killion and wife returned Tuesday night from Savana, Mo., where they had been on business.

Rev. J. L. Smart of Brownwood was in May on business Monday. Mrs. Hollis of Paris spent one day last week with her brother, L. A. Jernigan.

Mrs. Dr. McDaniel visited in Stephenville last Sunday.

Mukewater

We received the finest rain of the season Friday night and Saturday.

Mr. Herman Cox, wife and family visited relatives in our community Saturday and Sunday. A number of our citizens attended the baptizing at the First Baptist church in Brownwood Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Edgar Owen announces he will preach a special sermon for mothers at the school building Sunday afternoon, May 12. The public is cordially invited.

Mr. L. L. Sanderson was a recent Brownwood visitor.

Miss Charlotte Rucker was a guest in the home of Mr. Luther Bruton and wife Sunday.

Dock Hendrick and family of Valera were visitors in the Cal Fritz home Thursday evening.

Our school closed a very successful term Friday, May 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ryan of Brownwood were visitors in our community Sunday afternoon.

Farmers are very busy this week preparing to plant cotton.

The Mukewater Tigers lost a one sided game to the Concord team Monday afternoon. The score was Concord 11, Mukewater 0.

The Mukewater P. T. A. presented a three-act comedy drama at the school building Friday evening. The proceeds amounted to \$14.

News of Brown County Communities

Ebony

Ebony will hold its annual picnic Saturday, May 18. Come and have a good time. There will be all sorts of amusement besides that good old barbecue dinner.

Ebony school will close Friday, May 17. There will be a closing day program on Thursday night, May 16. The principal number will be a three act play, "The Poor Married Man."

All are rejoicing over the good rain which fell here Friday night and Saturday.

There was Sunday School and communion service Sunday, but no preaching. Brother Caldwell failed to get here, on account of the bad weather, we suppose.

The seventh grade was busy taking standardized tests Tuesday. Hubert Reeves and Charlie Griffin were summoned to serve on the grand jury this week.

J. R. Reeves, student at Indian Creek, and Lucian McCoy of Indian Creek visited the school Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Crowder and Billie Burl Crowder visited Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Briley Sunday after church.

Mrs. C. M. Chessnut of Cross Cut visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Haynes Tuesday.

Miss Vivian Day of Abilene Christian College spent the week-end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wilmeth and Mrs. Nellie Malone attended the picnic meet at Locker. They report a very enjoyable time and were loud in their praises of the dinner served there.

Misses Geraldine and Maxine McCaleb of Abilene Christian College spent the week-end with Miss Vivian Day and attended church here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Clements and daughters, Ruth and Etta, Mrs. Mildred Roberts, Miss Evelyn Reeves, Lillard and Gene Wilmeth, Norman Chesser, Elvin Ketchum, Mrs. J. R. Briley, Mrs. Earl Day, Dale Reid and Noel Haynes attended the play, "Closed Lips," at Indian Creek Thursday. There were probably others who went from here. The play was one of the best we have ever seen. It was very sweet and touching, and was well acted. Miss Evelyn Mashburn and Miss Erlene Day, two Ebony girls, were in the play.

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Blanket

Mr. Walker Hicks, who is working at Hamilton, was here over Sunday visiting his family.

Mesdames Chenuat and Sol Baker were visiting friends in Brownwood last Wednesday.

Uncle Tom Rupe is still very ill at his home on North Main street.

Mr. Roy Bird left last week to spend the summer on the ranch with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Bird, who reside near Brady.

Rev. and Mrs. Joe Warlick of Dallas, who were guests last Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Creath Dabney, returned to their home Monday. Mrs. Warlick will be remembered by her many friends in this community as Miss Lucy Dabney.

Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Smoot of Comanche were here Sunday night and attended the band and glee club concert at the Methodist church.

Mrs. Verna Hanks and daughters of Wichita Falls were the weekend guest in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Curry.

The band and glee club concert, given at the Methodist church Sunday night, under the able direction of Prof. Graham Smoot and Miss June Alcorn, was enjoyed by a full house.

Mrs. Lolette Howell and children of Brownwood are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Abraham.

Miss Johnnie Lou Rice, a school teacher of Bowser, went to Placid Friday afternoon to visit her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerrel Lord spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cowart Saturday night, and little daughter, Minnie Ola, went home with them and spent Sunday night.

Mr. Bud and Lon Minica spent Monday morning in the J. E. Cowart home.

Mrs. Evelyn and Margaret Levisay and Lonzoeta Swart, who are attending school in Brownwood, were here Sunday visiting home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Moore and Ian Moore, all of Sweetwater, were the weekend guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Moore.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Will Franklin regret to hear of the loss of their brother house containing 200 chicks Monday morning by fire.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Stewart spent first Monday in Comanche transacting business and visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lambert, who have been here visiting relatives for the past two weeks, have returned to their home in Fort Worth.

The Woman's Federation Club of Blanket met March 29 at the home of Mrs. J. A. Bettis with the Presbyterian ladies as hostesses.

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All of the farmers enjoyed a nice rain which fell Friday and Saturday.

Unfortunately Mr. Powell turned his truck over while returning from Brownwood Thursday and broke his arm. No one else was hurt.

The P. T. A. women played indoor baseball at the Bowser school house Friday afternoon.

Mr. Lon Minica and son, Pruet, made a business trip to Brownwood Thursday.

Mrs. Marvin Hinsley and Mrs. Owen Bushwar were visitors in the J. E. Cowart home Saturday.

Mr. Homer Pruet and Mr. Hersey Sikes have returned from Odessa where they had been employed.

Mr. Willard Patrick has the measles, but is improving nicely. Mr. Carl White spent Saturday night in the Minica home.

Mr. Bud Minica spent Saturday night with Mr. Maurice White.

Misses Maurine White and Mary Ellen Smith went fishing Sunday in the Martin tank. Both reported an enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Holcomb spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Reed Powell, Mrs. Holcomb's parents.

Mrs. Lolette Howell and children of Brownwood are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Abraham.

Miss Johnnie Lou Rice, a school teacher of Bowser, went to Placid Friday afternoon to visit her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerrel Lord spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cowart Saturday night, and little daughter, Minnie Ola, went home with them and spent Sunday night.

Mr. Bud and Lon Minica spent Monday morning in the J. E. Cowart home.

Mrs. Evelyn and Margaret Levisay and Lonzoeta Swart, who are attending school in Brownwood, were here Sunday visiting home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Moore and Ian Moore, all of Sweetwater, were the weekend guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Moore.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Will Franklin regret to hear of the loss of their brother house containing 200 chicks Monday morning by fire.

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Rev. Sidebottom Is Conducting Services At 900 Austin Ave.

Services conducted by Rev. Ike T. Sidebottom are being held in a store building at 900 Austin Avenue, until a permanent location is selected. The regular meetings each week will include Wednesday prayer service, Friday night Bible study, regular Bible school at 9:45

a. m. followed by preaching services at 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. on Sunday.

Several Brownwood men are associated with Mr. Sidebottom in this work. H. H. Thomas had been elected chairman of the congregation and Wm. S. Evans secretary and treasurer.

Meetings were held at the home of J. H. Montgomery prior to the time they were moved to the store building.

Willow Springs

Brother C. V. Carroll of Brownwood preached at Rock Church Sunday morning and evening. Everyone enjoyed hearing him very much.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Iva Mae Kennedy, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lappe, to Mr. Dalmond Nixon of Llano. They will make their home at Llano.

Mr. and Mrs. Lappe and children attended the wedding at Llano last Wednesday night.

Monday evening Mrs. Nixon was honored with a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. John Reeves. She received many nice and useful presents. We wish for them much joy, happiness and prosperity in their new home.

Mr. W. A. Porter is some better after a week's illness. Mr. and Mrs. children were shopping in Brownwood last night.

Mr. and Mrs. shopping in Brownwood last night. Don't forget the Church next Sunday. The cemetery will be next Wednesday. Come.



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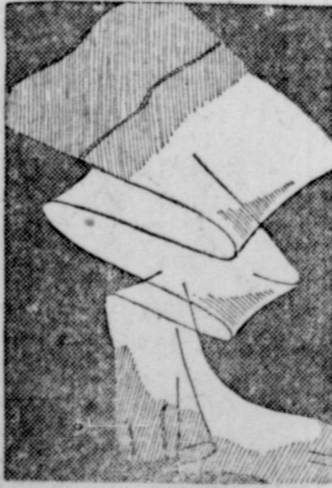
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SHOW PROGRAM MARCH REPORT

Departments of the agriculture work in the district show a total of 201 school students and 201 in March. These...

Boy Scout News

Camp Billy Gibbons. Scouts! We have some good news for you. District Commissioner C. L. Pouncey, and Scoutmaster Dan Gill have promised to head up the handicraft program for camp this summer...

Livestock Shipments

Stock shipments the past few days have included: Bryan Yeager, 655 head to Sal-yards and Cassidy, Kansas. Lacy Bros., 343 head to Crosson, Texas.

John T. Yantis, 100 to Matfield Green, Kansas. Bryan Yeager, 75 head to Palaski, Tennessee, sold to a feeder there.

Johnson Is Added To Relief Board

Announcement of the appointment of J. Edward Johnson, local attorney, on the Brown County Relief Board was received this week.

Other members of the local board are: Chester Harrison, president; F. S. Abney, L. G. Porter of Bangs and W. Lee Watson.

It has been estimated that 350 tons of root fell in London during 1930. It is a criminal offense to be seen in the company of a well-known criminal, according to an Australian law.

Don't Interrupt Joan's Studying



"Now, how should I express this line?" "There's a good chance for a laugh." Just peek into the study of Joan Crawford, but don't let her know you're looking, or she'll emote even worse than she's shown emoting in these two candid camera pictures.

PECAN GROWERS HOLD MEETING AT LOCKER

The spring meeting and demonstration of the West Texas Pecan Growers Association was held Tuesday, May 7, at Locker, in San Saba county, with more than 75 pecan growers in attendance.

C. B. Nickels of the Bureau of Entomology station at Brownwood, and Joe Hamilton of the Bureau of Plant Industry pecan experiment station in Brownwood, were on the morning program. Other speakers included J. T. Kelley of the state department of agriculture, Austin, and J. F. Roseborough, extension horticulturist, A. & M. College.

A barbecue was served at noon by people of the Locker community, after which demonstrations in spraying and budding were given, and a number of near-by pecan orchards visited.

The association meets annually in Brownwood, so members can inspect the work of the two pecan stations here. The meeting will be held the latter part of July or early in August.

Attending the Tuesday meeting from Brownwood were: Mr. Nickels, Mr. Hamilton, H. G. Lucas, Brooke S. Ramey, J. T. McDonald, B. M. Ballard and Wendell Mayes.

Huge trees in Brazilian forests are felled by beetles, which dig a furrow around the trunk, going deeper and deeper until the tree falls. These insects destroy much valuable timber each year.

Reward Offered

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Chas. Gibbs New Furniture Man At Montgomery Ward

Tom McKinney, formerly in charge of the furniture department of Montgomery Ward's has been transferred to the company's Laredo, Texas, store. Mr. McKinney and his family left for Laredo Saturday.

Chas. Gibbs from San Angelo has been employed to succeed Mr. McKinney. He has been with Montgomery Wards for more than three years and is thoroughly familiar with the department which he is to head.

The company store at Big Spring is being remodeled this week. J. O. Bryant, senior department head in the Brownwood store, is there assisting in the work.

DEMONSTRATION CLUBS

BUFFALO

The Buffalo Home Demonstration club met Tuesday, May 7, in the home of Miss Myrtice Graves. Miss Myrtice Graves had charge of the program and some very interesting talks were given on Mother's Day.

After the program Miss Alice Glenn, Young county demonstration agent, talked to the club members about garden insects.

Refreshments of cake and ice cream were served to twelve visitors and eleven members.

The next meeting will be with Miss Fern Raggsdale Tuesday, May 21, who will give a demonstration on tufted bedsprings. Reporter.

"Hail, Hail, the Gang's All Here" was composed by Sir Arthur Sullivan, who also composed "The Lost Chord," and "Onward, Christian Soldiers."

Bring your Eggs and old Hens and trade for Baby Chicks, J. E. Hill Feed Store and Hatchery.

Texas History Is Told In Pageant

Brownwood high school students presented a pageant depicting the history of Texas under six flags at last week's meeting of the Rotary club. Miss Frances Hyde, assisted by other instructors in the high school, directed the pageant.

Students taking part in the pageant were Hortense Lacey, Lila Marie Shaw, Richard Hanna, Emma Kathryn Hall, Bill Newby, Loreta Chenoweth, Frank Sweet, Charlie Davis, Willis Denman, Murray Sayle, Pauline Cadenhead, Adrian Robbins, Loreta Rodgers, Ellen Yantis, Margaret Prude, Dorothy Dozier.

The stage arrangement was under the direction of W. H. Keeling and John Wood, with others from the manual training department. Costumes were designed by Miss Edith Scrimgeour, librarian; light by J. Herbert Raggsdale. Boy Scouts assisting with the flags were Lowell Pouncey and Bill Foster. Miss Lois Stamper directed the back stage activities and Miss Willie Rae McDonald attended to the makeup.



Appearance Does Count Men's SUITS When Dry Cleaned Often Longer Look Better, Wear Longer Evans DYEING And CLEANING PHONE 154 Emmett Evans Henry P. Taylor

INVESTORS WOULD BE LOSERS IF UTILITY BILL PASSES SENATE

Hearings on the Wheeler-Rayburn public utility holding company bill are being held daily at Washington by the Senate Interstate Commerce Committee. Proponents have concluded their testimony and the hearing is now being devoted to the presentation of facts by opponents.

S. R. Inch, president of the Electric Bond and Share Company, told the Senate committee that statements that owners of securities of the holding companies will lose nothing and that real values will be retained are incorrect and misleading. He said that passage of the Wheeler-Rayburn bill would cause millions of men, women and children to lose billions of dollars in investments in utilities.

Investors Would Suffer. "This legislation as now proposed, I think, will inevitably destroy tremendous values of sound investments, dislocate two major industries—gas and electric—and engender new fears as to the future of private capital in all lines of business in the country," he said.

The Electric Bond and Share head said that the way back to recovery is through the re-establishment of business confidence which will permit private tax-paying capital to go to work again.

Mr. Inch pointed out the contrast in this forceful fashion: "The alternative is the expenditure of immense sums of public money to accomplish something private capital can do better, the further destruction of the sources of government taxes, the imposition upon the people of a new social order under the guise of regulation and the wanton destruction of investors and investments alike."

Transfers Control. Mr. Inch pointed out that the Wheeler-Rayburn bill would take away local regulation and centralize this power in Washington and

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that the effects of the bill would handicap financing of operating companies. He presented a series of charts showing how taxes and food prices have been going up while the cost of electricity has been going down steadily.

Association of the Texas Power & Light Company with the Electric Bond and Share Company during the past quarter of a century has resulted in lower rates and more extensive and better service for electric users in Texas, he declared in presenting a series of charts to back up his statements.

Texas Rates Lower. In using the Texas Power & Light Company as one example in his chart presentation, Mr. Inch showed that electric rates had been cut considerably through association of the company with the Electric Bond and Share Company. One of these charts gave figures on rate reductions of the company as a whole while another chart showed reductions in a few specific towns. Other charts showed that many Texas towns today have electric service that had no service prior to the building of the transmission lines of the Texas Power & Light Company.

Production of malt syrup in this country during 1927 was 459,000,000 pounds.

The moment a camel loses its footing in a stream, it turns on its side and exerts no effort to save itself from drowning. The chance of being caught in the path of a tornado is as compared with being caught in the path of an automobile is only 1 to 625,000.

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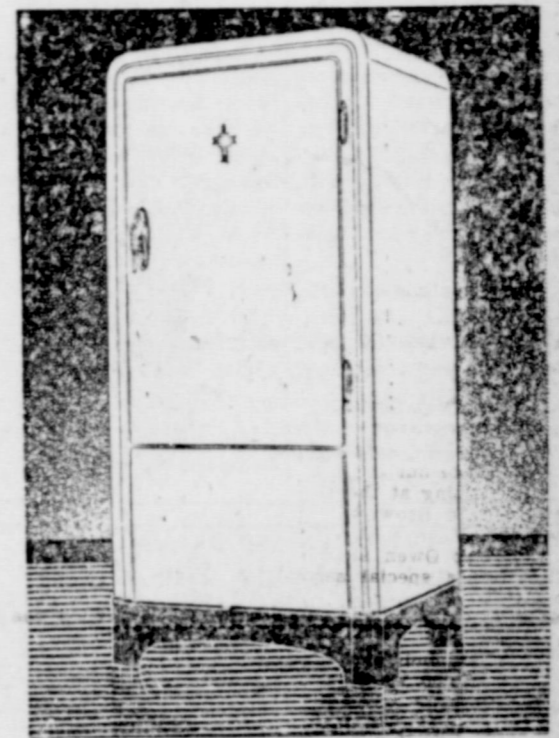
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### TWO HELD FOLLOWING DEATH OF PROMINENT RESIDENT OF TALPA

Stanley Wood, 31, and Louis Reis, 20, both of Talpa, are being held on a murder charge following their confession of the alleged murder of W. F. Brown, 40, prominent Talpa citizen. The confession was made to District Attorney A. O. Newman. The two men were arrested in a cafe in Ballinger Saturday night.

Brown's body was found in his car in a ditch between Talpa and Valera Saturday morning. His head had been crushed and wounds over his eyes apparently had been made with a blunt instrument.

The arrest was made by Sheriff Frank Mills of Coleman county who said that Brown was killed with an automobile jack handle and his body was conveyed 15 miles to Blackwell Hill, near Voss, where his car, containing the body, was run into a ditch with the throttle open.

The men took \$167 from Brown's body, but did not find a roll containing approximately \$1,750 which he was carrying tied under his arm pit. All the money taken was recovered by the officers.

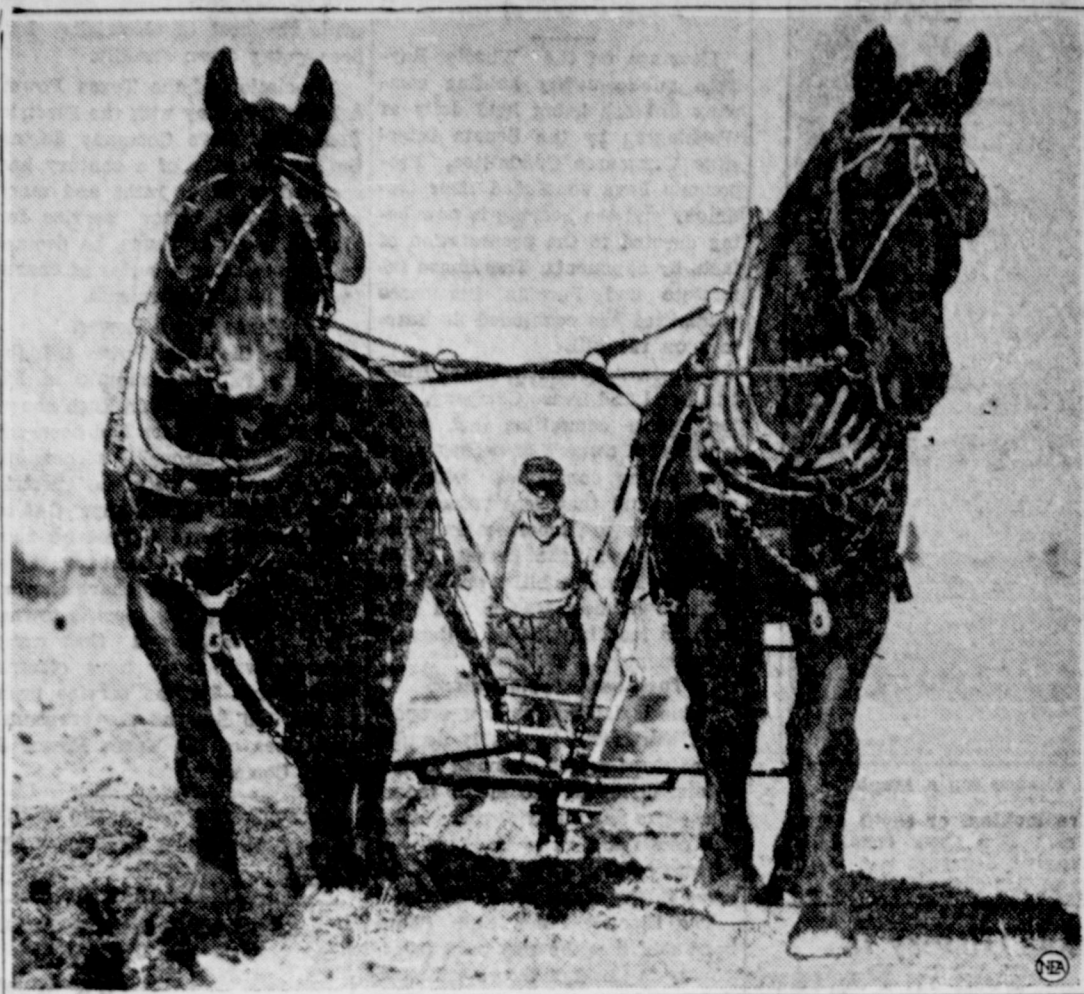
Wood and Reis are being held in Coleman county jail without bond following formal charges of murder made late Sunday afternoon. A special term of the grand jury of the 35th Judicial District court will probably be called to investigate the murder. The case will probably be tried in that district court rather than in the 119th district because of District Attorney Newman's work on the case.

Federal services for Brown were held in Brownwood Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock from Mitcham Funeral Chapel. Rev. B. B. Edmiston of Bangs, assisted by Rev. H. S. Goodenough of Brownwood, officiated. Interment was in Greenleaf cemetery.

W. F. Brown was the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Brown, and a brother of Mrs. E. J. Weatherby, Mrs. Delva Sneed, Mrs. Skiles and Mrs. Louis Spurlock of this city.

William Fred Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Brown, was born on January 10, 1896, in Mills coun-

### HOPE STIRS ANEW IN THE GOOD EARTH



Despite drought and dust and disappointment, the farmer never loses hope, which seems to spring from the soil each year as surely as the buds and blossoms. Here is just one of the 10,000,000 American farmers who are now bucking down to the job of feeding the rest of their countrymen in the coming year. He's John Van Trujen, beginning his 16th year of spring plowing near Enumclaw, Washington, and his words "There is still a living in the ground" are an echo from the whole of rural America.

ty, near Goldthwaite. He was married to Miss Eulabelle Hale of Talpa on December 20, 1921. Besides his wife and parents, he is survived by four sisters, Mrs. Louise Spurlock, Mrs. Mary Skiles, Mrs. Myrtle Weatherby and Mrs. Delva Sneed, all of Brownwood, and a brother, Leonard Brown of Seminole, Oklahoma.

Mr. Brown had lived in the Talpa community for the past 25 years having been engaged in the ranching business at the time of his death. He was a member of the Methodist church.

### CENTENNIAL BILL SIGNED BY ALLRED; WORK HAS STARTED

Gov. James V. Allred's signature on the bill appropriating \$3,000,000 of the state funds for the Centennial exposition removed the final obstacle, lack of funds, to the fulfillment of the plans made for Texas' big birthday party to be held next year.

Centennial executives were jubilant when notified that Allred had signed the bill. Work will begin at once on preparations for the Centennial as only a few months remain before time for the 1936 celebration. Grounds must be condemned, buildings erected, exhibits secured and arrangements made for all the special attractions that go with a big exposition.

Major activities will be centered at Dallas, but the whole state is participating in what executives hope to be a real world's fair.

Bills calling for federal participation in the exposition will probably be introduced in congress soon. They have been written for some time ready for introduction as soon as the state appropriation was provided. Original plans were to seek a \$1,000,000 appropriation but some sponsors of the bill favor seeking an appropriation of \$5,000,000.

A budget approved by the executive committee of the Centennial Exposition calls for expenditure of \$11,000,000 for buildings and other equipment.

The bill signed by Gov. Allred allots \$1,200,000 for buildings and equipment for the Dallas exposition, and the remainder of the \$3,000,000 for other features of the

statewide celebration.

Among the allotments were \$500,000 for advertising; \$250,000 for a permanent memorial at the Alamo in San Antonio and a similar amount for a memorial at the San Jacinto battlefield where Sam Houston defeated the Mexican general, Santa Anna; and \$225,000 to equip the American Legion Historical Museum at Austin. Smaller amounts were allotted for celebrations and memorials at other places of significance in Texas' history under six flags.

### B. H. S. Senior Class Play Friday Night

All is in readiness for the presentation of "Big Brother," a three-act comedy drama, by the senior class of Brownwood High School at Howard Payne auditorium Friday night, May 10, at 8 p. m., according to announcement today. Work on the production has been going forward for several weeks.

The cast of characters in order of their appearance is: John Crew, played by Hal Cherry; Lyle Crewe, Willis Denman; Mrs. Crewe, Bobbie Hornburg; Hortense Morton, Fay Frachisour; Sidney Chalmers, Robert Parris; Henry A. Morton, Richard Hanna; Alice Mehrens, Frances Ellis; Janet Laird, Ellen Yantis.

The staff of production is: Miss Willie Ray McDonald, direction; stage, Miss Marjorie Gresham; house, Joe L. Wiley; band, W. R. Parker; glee club, Miss Gail Arnold.

Numbers between acts will be presented by the high school band, the high school glee club and a boys double quartet.

A matinee for ward school students only will be presented at the college auditorium at 4:15 Friday afternoon.

Between 3 and 5 in the afternoon is the usual time for occurrence of tornadoes, according to calculations.

### Only Tiger Hunter Can Win Merry



The next husband of twice-married, thrill-seeking Merry Fahney, above, must prove his love by going tiger hunting with her, she declares the patent medicine heiress who has been in aviation, movie, and elopement spotlights. Merry admits she has lost her heart to a Chicagoan who's getting a divorce, but says he won't win her hand till he plays the hero role. She won't tell the name of her No. 3 candidate, because "it might spoil the divorce."

### Traveling Men To Convene In Dallas

A number of Brownwood traveling men are to attend the annual meeting of the United Commercial Travelers of Texas which is to be held at Dallas Friday and Saturday of this week.

Hal H. Cherry is grand counselor of the organization. B. R. Mason, member of the state finance committee, and Tom E. Denman, secretary of the local council, are past grand counselors.

The heating plant of the Mulberry school in California's Imperial Valley operates on the waters of a hot spring.

Canada produced 42,250,000 lbs. of grapes in 1933, as compared with 49,694,000 pounds in the preceding year.

Mules used in California's mines are accustomed to having a cud of tobacco to chew before going to work.

Plants develop fever when they aren't feeling well, according to experiments by experts at College Station, Texas.

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### Brookesmith School Will Close May 24

The Brookesmith school will close Friday, May 24, it was announced this week.

The baccalaureate services will be held at the school auditorium Sunday, May 26, and commencement exercises Monday, May 27, at 8 p. m. at the school auditorium.

The Brookesmith school is one of the best in the county, having seven affiliated credits. Homer Starnes is superintendent and Howard Harris principal.

### W. R. Parker Again Named Band Teacher

W. R. Parker, teacher of band music in the Brownwood public schools, was reelected by the board of trustees for the next term at a meeting of the board of trustees Monday night. His work was highly commended by the school board, and he was reelected with an increase in salary for the coming year.

### \$250 STURGEON



These fishermen, on Kelley's Island, near San Antonio, pulled up the largest fish ever caught in Lake Brownwood. The fish, a United States side of national boundary, net produced a 175-pound roon. The fish yielded \$275, valued at \$2 a pound—equals worth \$100.

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"We had not heard about Mrs. Howard's 'Tableaux Vivant.' I presume it's because we do 'not take the papers' (Western). Poor dear Mrs. H. How I do pity her, for not having the whole town to see it. Russell is greatly to blame and the sweet, dear young men who constituted part and parcel of the tableaux—the young men of parts—they must have been sorely disappointed too, by not having the whole of the fair to see them. No doubt they thought that where they were standing wrapt in costume of 'Rob Roy'—the 'Corsair' of Byron — and 'Hamlet or Henry' of Shakespeare, that they only required to have been born in those days—to have made just such characters! What a disappointment!

"Has not the fame of the ladies fair at Lavaca reached you? For that was in the papers, Vide 'Lavaca Herald.' We did not attend. It was too hot to go in open boats but all the ladies around about went, including Mrs. Van, and they all came back sick. They had dolls babies and pin cushions—post-office for the delivery of letters, and a menagerie of animals behind a curtain which consisted of an old rooster with one eye, a turkey buzzard, a polecat (without the musk however) and the 'Wild Man of the Woods'—the latter was shown by handing the gentleman (only one admitted at a time) a looking glass. Mr. O. Rely took up a watermelon (which Mrs. O.R. said they raised in your garden) as his contribution, and it was sold at auction in the room and purchased by Maj. Storrs—at quite a round sum, one silver dollar, and I presume he has the seed. I think Mrs. O. R. told me it weighed 48 pounds. Speaking of Maj. Storrs, I must inform you that he left the Point on yesterday, 'bag and baggage' for Lavaca. The old gentleman told me he had not paid expenses selling the 'essence of corn' for sometime past—that there was rather too few there now, since Mr. Pretty Man and others have died and left who lived by 'suction' and it devolved upon him to go to the Mountain—if the Mountain would not come to him—hence has purchased a few billiard tables of Mr. Forbes in Lavaca and intends for the future to keep some rolling balls whilst others are 'imbibing'—and in that way he thinks he will force business and better his pecuniary affairs. Alas, for poor Mrs. Van! She will not now have a boarder and she sometimes speaks of moving to where she can educate Julia, and sometimes of moving to the farm for the purpose of giving Julia an opportunity to milk the cows, and the old gentleman, her husband, a chance to exercise himself by making corn and potatoes as she fears he may die of apoplexy from mere inanition, for you know he has a short neck. The O'Reillys speak of moving too. I think Mrs. O. R. has declined going to Saratoga Springs this summer as the season is too far advanced and it's so unpleasant travelling by sea. Mr. Hansen speaks of removing also, I believe farther up the Finlinsua as Peter Brown calls it. Our great city is in the same category. Nearly everybody has left or intends leaving, except the General and the Doctor who are supported from Uncle Sam's crib, the latter as deputy collector, at a salary of \$600 per annum. Tarleton Tucker will go to the main land to start a stock ranch. There will be then left only the doctor's family and old Mrs. Roberts and her daughter, within the town proper. Rose lives on the outward edge and just below him John Tucker is building a house of shell and lime, which promises to be quite a snug cottage. My sheet is out. Shall I go on to a new one?"

"No, I do not think it is well to write any more as all the gossip has been detailed and when that is done all's done. Mr. Clow has written lengthfully enough to excuse my silence. Remember me to Mrs. E. Mrs. H. and Mary. My best wishes for the health of yours and yours. In return write Mr. C. as long a letter as he sends."

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AS LONG AS THERE EXISTS IN THIS WORLD THAT WE CALL CIVILIZED, A SYSTEM WHEREBY MEN AND WOMEN, EVEN AFTER THEY HAVE PAID THE PENALTY OF THE LAW AND EXPRIATED THEIR OFFENSES IN FULL, ARE HOUND-ED AND PERSECUTED WHEREVER THEY GO—THIS STORY WILL NOT HAVE BEEN TOLD IN VAIN.

CHAPTER I Jean Valjean "Jean Valjean, when you come into this Court, you are guilty until you prove yourself innocent—you have failed to do this, and there is nothing for me to do but to pass sentence on you according to the law—"

The matter-of-fact voice of the wearied judge holds the interest of the filled courtroom. The scene is Faverolles, France. The time, 1816. The defendant is a fresh, clean-shaven, good-looking countryman of about twenty-five. He is staring wild-eyed and bewildered at the judge. Jean suddenly realizes that it is his last chance to speak. Words and half-broken sentences bubble to his lips and he beats the bars in front of him in agony. "I didn't mean to steal—you don't know what it means to be hungry—you don't know what it means to be out of work. I've tried and tried—I've walked twenty miles a day to find work—no work, no bread. I wouldn't do anything wrong if I could help it, everybody knows that. I didn't mean to steal—I was only hungry, I tell you—hungry! Hungry!"



A missed stroke meant a cruel blow

his voice trails off. Prisoner No. 2906 "You're 2906, aren't you? Get a move on!"

Jean starts and moves hesitatingly forward. Rough jailers on the prison ship bend his head and thrust it down on a wooden block. A metal collar is gripped around his neck. Not expecting it, he nearly chokes. The two hoops are brought together in the back, a rivet is placed in position and a red-hot scale flies from the rivet as it is sealed permanently.

The newly-appointed head-warder, Javert, is standing at the entrance to the galley watching the prisoners shoring-up decks with beams. He is a stolid, heavy, stupid-looking man but has the eye of a fanatic. Recently risen from the ranks, he is a stickler for carrying out the law to the letter. "Over-erfed bulldog," perhaps describes him best.

A warning cry rings out. A beam is about to fall and threatens to crush a man. Jean comes up and with his back lifts the beam with a great effort and holds it. Others lift the man out. "We'll have to remove his collar, M. Javert; his neck's injured." Javert shakes his head. "Sorry. Regulations. Only the doctor can give that order."

"But the doctor's away ashore, sir."

"That's too bad." Looking at the wounded man, "He'll have to wait. Whilst I'm in charge here regulations, good or bad or indifferent, will be carried out—to the letter."

Five years in the galleys saw the final degradation of Jean—hideous, to be quite a snug cottage. My sheet is out. Shall I go on to a new one?"

Silver a "One Take" Star Powell and Rogers A Sleuthing Team In Society Thriller



Silver, the famous white-horse belonging to Buck Jones, Universal outdoor and adventure star appearing in "Rocky Rhodes," Sunday at the Queen Theatre, is becoming known as a "one take" actor, which means that any scene in which he plays needs to be filmed only once.

Jones gives the animal one rehearsal and Silver then goes on through with his instructions to the letter. If the scene needs to be retaken, it is usually the fault of technicians, the director or one of the players working with him.

An inexperienced person should never attempt to train horses because the animals, like human beings, have different intellectual capacities, according to Buck Jones who has trained many horses. He spent years before he found Silver, who plays a leading role and performs many tricks in "Rocky Rhodes."

LEARN MATTRESS MAKING Instructions on mattress making were given to 14 women at an all-day school held in the office of Miss Mayesie Malone, county home demonstration agent, last week. Several bedroom demonstrators from clubs throughout the county were present for the school.

CONDUCTS REVIVAL Dr. M. E. Davis, head of the Bible department at Howard Payne College, returned last week from San Benito where he had been conducting a two-weeks revival. While in the Valley Dr. Davis also spoke at Rio Hondo, Edinburg, Mercedes and Brownsville.

SCHOOL BUYS TWO LOTS Two lots, located directly behind the junior high school on Rozan street, were bought by Brownwood Independent School District at sheriff's sale this week. A bid of \$225.20 was entered for the school by R. R. Holloway. The lots were being sold for delinquent taxes.

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NOTICE OF ELECTION TO CONSOLIDATE DISTRICTS THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF BROWN.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the 25th day of May, A. D. 1935, at the High School Building in Zephyr Common Consolidated Rural High School District No. 39, of this county, to determine whether a majority of the legally qualified voters of that district desire to consolidate the said district with the Pompey Creek Common School District No. 15, in Mills County, Texas, thereby forming the Zephyr County Line Common Consolidated Rural High School District No. 39 in Brown and Mills Counties, Texas.

M. N. Cobb has been appointed presiding officer for said election and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same, and he shall within five days after said election has been held make due return thereof to the commissioners court of this county as is required by law for holding a general election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and County and who are resident qualified voters in said district shall be entitled to vote at said election and all voters who favor the consolidation of the aforementioned school districts shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "For Consolidation."

And those opposed to such consolidation shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "Against the Consolidation." Dated the 30th day of April, A. D. 1935. A. E. NABORS, County Judge of Brown County, Texas.

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A mad urge to set fires has led Carl Peterson, above, self-styled "genius, but a dangerous neurotic, a fiend," to a jail cell, with a murder charge impending. A slight, dreamy, blond man of 22, son of wealth, Peterson, police say, confessed he set more than 50 fires in Chicago, in one of which an aged crippled woman died.

One bulb of the Viceroy tulip once sold in Holland for two lasts of wheat, four or rye, four fat oxen, three fat swine, 12 fat sheep, two hogheads of wine, four tons of beer, two tons of butter, 1000 pounds of cheese, a bed, a suit of clothes, and a silver beaker.

## MORTUARY

**SHIELDS**—The untimely death of Loyce Gwinn Shields, age seventeen, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Shields, of Brooksmith, Sunday, April 28, 1933, cast a pall of grief over the people throughout the community. He was fatally injured in an accident Saturday night, April 27, while driving south on Highway 23 with Lawrence and Wesley Churchill. Their car collided head-on with another car coming from the south, injuring more or less all the occupants of both cars. Loyce was rushed to the Central Texas Hospital in Brownwood, where, despite the aid of skilled medical science, he died at 12:45 P. M. Sunday.

Funeral services were held at 3:00 o'clock Monday afternoon at the First Baptist Church in Brownwood, conducted by Rev. Homer Starnes, superintendent of the Brooksmith High School, assisted by Rev. W. I. Newton, Dr. Karl Moore and Brother Richardson, of Brownwood. Interment was made in Greenleaf cemetery, with White & London Funeral Home in charge of the services.

Out of respect for Loyce, who was a student in the High School, both schools in Brooksmith were dismissed for the entire day Monday so the students might attend the funeral, which they did almost in a body. Loyce, who was born and reared at Brooksmith, was the first student of the school to pass away who attended here all his school life. He was well liked by the entire student body and was known and liked by everyone in the Brooksmith community and in the adjoining communities where he was almost as well known. All business houses in Brooksmith were closed Monday and almost everybody in the community and many from other communities attended the funeral in Brownwood. The lavish gifts of beautiful flowers were befitting evidence of the esteem in which Loyce was held by his fellow students and the people of the entire community.

Relatives from out of the county who attended the funeral were: Mr. Wayne Shields and Mrs. Ozment of Temple, and Mrs. Doctor Garrett of Santa Anna. The active pall bearers, who were either fellow students or ex-students of the high school, were Hope Nunn, Mutt Hester, Irby T. Petsick, John Allen, Howard Bailey, Marvin Edwards, Aubrey Avenger and Allison Avenger. There were nineteen honorary pall bearers.

Had he lived, Loyce would have been eighteen years of age July 12, 1935. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Shields; two brothers, Johnny Lee and Buster; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Smith, his maternal grandparents, of Brooksmith, and many other relatives of lesser degree here and elsewhere.

**RUPE**—W. T. "Uncle Tom" Rupe, 81, pioneer citizen of Blanket, died at his home in Blanket Tuesday night after a forty days illness. Funeral services were held in Blanket Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the residence. Rev. Z. T. Blanton assisted by Rev. J. B. Henderson officiated. Burial was in Rock Creek cemetery with White & London Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Rupe had been a citizen in the Blanket community for 63 years.

He was born at Gonzales, Texas, December 10, 1853. The family moved to Bell county when he was a child and later to Refugio county, where he grew to early manhood. In 1872, sixty-three years ago, he moved to Brown county, living on a farm near Blanket until eighteen years ago. For the last eighteen years he and his sister had made their home in Blanket. He was never married. He was a member of Odd Fellows, the Woodman of the World and the Masons. The Masons were in charge of the services at the grave.

Mr. Rupe is survived by his sister, Miss Alice Rupe and by a niece and four nephews, Mrs. J. B. Chilton, Comanche; Del Beeman, Fort Stockton; Gerald Beeman, Harper, Texas; Eugene Beeman, El Paso, and Rupe Beeman, Seattle, Washington.

**TATUM**—Mrs. Delphine Marie Tatum died at her home in Brownwood Wednesday night. Funeral services were held at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon from First Baptist Church with Dr. Karl H. Moore officiating. Interment was in Greenleaf cemetery with Austin-Morris Funeral home in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Tatum was born in Brownwood on April 28, 1912, and lived all her life here. She attended Brownwood public schools and was very popular among the younger set.

She was the daughter of Mrs. Mary Crundwell of Brownwood. She was married on September 13, 1933, to E. J. Tatum.

She is survived by her husband, her mother, one sister, Mrs. Alynne Boyson, of Fort Worth, and a brother, William Crundwell of Brownwood.

**JONES**—J. C. Jones, 50, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. M. L. Langford, 1810 Avenue B, Thursday morning. The body was taken to Paint Rock Thursday where the funeral will be held at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon. Rev. J. W. Sailors will conduct the funeral service.

Mr. Jones, a citizen of Paint Rock for the last thirty years, and a prominent rancher and farmer of Concho county, had been at the home of his daughter in Brownwood since last November. He had many friends in Brownwood who were always glad to see him and talk with him. "He was of a lovable and sweet disposition and everybody loved him. Truly he knew old gracefully," said one of his friends today.

Mr. Jones was born in Alabama. Coming to Texas in early life he lived for twenty-five years at McGregor, moving thirty years ago to Paint Rock. He was for many years a deacon in the Baptist church.

Surviving Mr. Jones are three daughters and one son, as follows: Mrs. M. L. Langford, Brownwood; Mrs. J. T. Parrish, Ballinger; Miss Willie Jones, Paint Rock; and J. S. Jones, Ballinger.

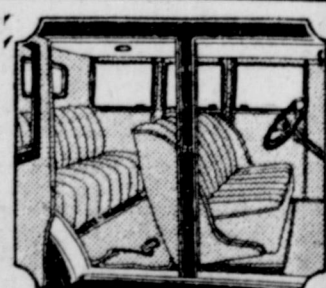
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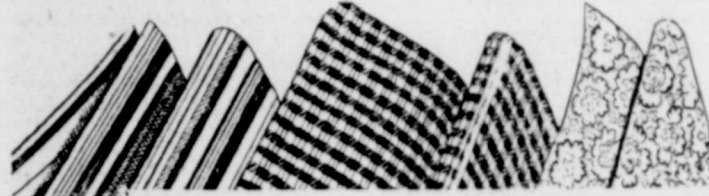


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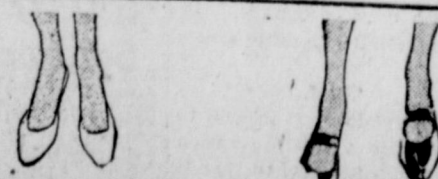


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