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## Last Imprint of a Deadly Trigger Finger



Fingerprints are being taken for the last time of "Pretty Boy" Floyd, the nation's No. 1 desperado by four members of the East Liverpool, O., police force, as the Oklahoma outlaw's bullet-riddled body lies in a morgue in the small river city. Floyd was shot to death by federal agents as he attempted to flee from his pursuers.

## \$150,000 IS SPENT HERE IN GOVERNMENT CATTLE PURCHASING

The completion of Brown county's last quota of 1,000 head in the government's drought relief cattle purchasing program in all probability will bring to a close this phase of the federal government's relief work in the county. C. W. Lehmburg, county agent, stated this week. The last of the 1,000 quota allotted the county for the past week was purchased Monday and as far as is known now, no more cattle will be bought by the government.

Funds set aside to take care of this extensive program have been expended and the only way that more funds can be secured is by an act of Congress.

The cattle purchasing program has meant much to Brown county farmers and stockmen, as well as to others. Almost 10,000 head of cattle were bought in the county, the sale of these bringing more than \$150,000 of federal money to the county.

## STATE SCHOOL HEAD IS MAIN SPEAKER AT CURRICULUM MEETING

With more than 175 teachers from every county in the Brownwood district attending and with L. A. Woods, state superintendent of instruction, as the chief speaker, the school curriculum revision conference held in Brownwood Tuesday was a most successful occasion. Supt. Woods came to Brownwood in place of J. W. O'Hannigan who was unable to attend the Brownwood meeting.

Throughout his address to the assembled teachers, the state superintendent stressed the needs of changes in current teaching methods and the need of a revised or changed curriculum. He blamed the present methods and present courses of study for the lack of interest in school work which results annually in the failure of more than 300,000 boys and girls of school age in Texas to remain in school until graduated. The endless routine of school curricula of today is also responsible for the fact that twenty per cent of those enrolled in Texas public schools are absent every day.

In referring to the 300,000 who do not attend school and the twenty per cent who are absent daily, Mr. Woods stated: "They are running up and down the alleys, and learning from other sources, learning things that tend to make them the wrong kind of citizens. This is one reason our penitentiary walls are bulging now and it is the best way to stop them from bulging in future years," he declared.

"The wealth of the state is not measured in oil, cotton, lands, stocks and bonds but in the lives of its individuals. All of our wealth or what we look on as wealth is due directly to human life. We are letting our wealth go when we use the present system of teaching and let our boys and girls, 20 per cent of them daily run loose," Mr. Woods said.

He told of the subjects that are now required by law, public school music, drawing, writing and others and said that he doubted if there were half a dozen present who could teach these subjects. He told of the requirement by law that all teachers have courses in the constitution, both state and national, as well as physical education, saying that he doubted if any present could successfully teach these subjects.

The remainder of the program included a 10-minute address by Superintendent E. J. Woodward of the Brownwood schools, on the tax amendment and a brief Centennial talk by T. R. Havins of the Howard Payne faculty. The afternoon program included talks by W. A. Stigler of the state department of education, also talks by Mrs. J. W. Trapp of Daniel Baker College, and John Bailey.

Grimes county farmers have taken in some of that premium money this fall too on their Acala cotton. According to County Agent Geo. A. Altgelt there are approximately 20,000 acres of that cotton in a bloc around Navasota which nets its growers around \$8 a bale premium for quality and staple. In the bottom lands of the county it has yielded from 250 to 300 pounds per acre.

## Crib Bandit's Last Refuge



Last hiding place of "Pretty Boy" Floyd was this corner crib on the Mrs. Ellen Conkle farm in the Columbiana county, Ohio, hills. Officers caught a glimpse of his legs, showing between the crib and the ground, and opened fire, killing him as he fled.

## Work On Flood Gate At Dam Is Now Completed

Rains Now Would Refill Lake Brownwood; Dam Mechanism Working Perfectly.

All repair work on the damaged flood gates at Lake Brownwood has been completed and officials of Brown County Water Improvement District No. 1 are now sitting by waiting for fall and winter rains and are truly hopeful that the precipitation will be plentiful. It is believed that the floodgates will never give any more trouble and that in the future they can be opened and closed at will without the slightest danger of either of the two sixteen-ton gates jamming while open.

Repairs on the damaged gates and conduits were begun September 22 and were completed early this week. In fact repairs to the gates, conduits and tracks were completed the latter part of last week. Only a few minor jobs remained for workmen to finish this week.

The public was extended an invitation to inspect the repaired gates and conduits Saturday afternoon and to see the gates raised and lowered. A large crowd of Brownwood citizens took advantage of this opportunity. The gates were closed late Saturday and a cut was made in the coffer dam above the gates, permitting water impounded to flow into the main channel and against the closed gates.

The north gate jammed while open last July and resulted in the loss of practically all of the 65,000 acre feet of water that had been impounded in the lake. The track on which the big gate operated twisted while the gate was open and engineers were unable to force the gate closed. New and heavier tracks have been installed and it is not likely that additional trouble will be experienced.

While the lake was empty and the two conduits were accessible, it was decided to line the mouths of them with sheet steel, thus preventing wear on them when the gates are opened in the future.

Edwin B. Phillips of Phillips & Phillips & Davies, manufacturers of the flood gates, Kenton, Ohio, was here Saturday to see the completion of the job and to inspect it. He said Brownwood had a fine dam and a fine job now and that the gates should never give trouble again. Two engineers from the factory, G. W. Wilson and Everett Sheldon, were here for a month supervising the repairs. Mr. Phillips and the two engineers left for Kenton Sunday.

## CORN-HOG CHECKS ARE DISTRIBUTED

County Agent C. W. Lehmburg has almost completed disposing of 254 government checks on the corn-hog program in this county. The checks totaling \$9,060.20 arrived earlier in the week.

The payment was made on a basis of \$2 per head for the hogs and 15 cents per bushel on corn. There will be an additional \$2 on hogs later in the year and a payment of \$1 to make the total \$5 per head for all hogs. Another 15 cents per bushel on the corn will be paid.

The first checks were for the full amount but the next payment will be less the expense of the pool and county operation on the program. The deduction will be figured and prorated among the ones getting the checks.

Coley, De Leon; Miss Florence E. Barrett, Hamilton; Miss Lucy Mae Ricks, Brady; Miss Alice Strawn, Dublin; Miss Bessie Edith Wynu, Coleman; Miss Agnes Hays, San Saba; Miss Eloise Langford, of Bangs; Miss Ruby Roark, Melvin; Mrs. Rose Monday, Blanket; Miss Margaret St. Clair, Buffalo; Miss Frances Beacon, Comanche; Miss Geraldine Chapman, May, and Miss Lois Stamper, Brownwood.

## WOODWARD ATTACKS TAX AMENDMENT IN SPEECH TO TEACHERS

Home economics teachers from this section of Texas attended an annual meeting in Brownwood Saturday, October 20. The conference opened with an address by E. J. Woodward, superintendent of Brownwood schools, in which Mr. Woodward attacked the proposed constitutional amendment to restrict taxation. Mr. Woodward spoke specifically of the results of the passage of the proposed amendments under discussion, terming them as detrimental and dangerous to the educational and economic advancement of the state. He expressed a belief that the objectionable amendments would not be passed in that educational workers and state wide organizations are working diligently to prevent passage of the amendments at the November 6th election.

Miss Bess Heflin, professor of education in the home making department of the University of Texas, and Miss Josephine Padral, supervisor of home making in the vocational home economics department of the state, were in charge of Saturday's conference.

Following Mr. Woodward's address, the informal conference got under way. Five topics which were discussed during the morning and afternoon sessions were: (1) The relationship of good planning and good methods to the success of the year's program. (2) The part that interest approaches play in good teaching. (3) The relationship of illustrative material to successful problem teaching. (4) Vitalizing home economics for the high school girl. (5) Personal traits of a successful teacher of home making.

The objectives of the conference were to lead teachers to see the relationship of last year's conference material to that of this year; to develop an understanding of the need and the use of interest approaches in problem teaching; to give an insight into the kinds and uses of illustrative material in problem of teaching; to lead teachers to see the necessity of adapting home economics subject matter to meet local needs; to develop some ability to solve everyday problems of the class room that directly effects good teaching; and to create an interest in developing those personal traits essential for successful teaching of homemaking.

Home economics teachers taking part, in addition to Miss Padral and Miss Heflin were Miss Gertrude Johnson, Meridian; Miss Agnes Butttrill, San Saba; Miss Lois Cox, Goldthwaite; Miss Clova Earl Kennedy, Early High; Miss Artie A. Phillips, Dublin; Miss Lucie Mae Ricks, Brady; Miss Alice Strawn, Dublin; Miss Bessie Edith Wynu, Coleman; Miss Agnes Hays, San Saba; Miss Eloise Langford, of Bangs; Miss Ruby Roark, Melvin; Mrs. Rose Monday, Blanket; Miss Margaret St. Clair, Buffalo; Miss Frances Beacon, Comanche; Miss Geraldine Chapman, May, and Miss Lois Stamper, Brownwood.

## LOST CERTIFICATES MAY BE REPLACED IF AFFIDAVIT IS MADE

Producers who have lost their participation trust certificates in the Cotton Producers Pool may obtain an additional advance of two cents a pound or offer their certificates to the pool for sale without delay despite the loss of the certificates, under a plan announced today by Oscar Johnston, manager of the pool.

Producers who have lost their participation certificates—and requests for duplicates indicate a large number have been misplaced or destroyed—must execute an affidavit on a form furnished by the administration in order to receive a duplicate. If a producer has transferred his trust certificate to some other person who has lost it, both the producer and the person to whom the participation trust certificate was transferred must execute affidavits on forms furnished by the administration that the certificate was lost.

However, if either wants to apply for additional advance of two cents a pound or offer certificates to the pool for sale, but has lost the certificate, the affidavit or affidavits may be attached to the loan application blank or the offer to sell form. In this way, both matters will be handled in Washington at the same time and it will not be necessary to receive a duplicate certificate in advance. Of course, if investigation should show that the request for a duplicate certificate should not be granted, the loan application or the offer to sell would be turned down.

In cases of lost participation trust certificates, the owner of the certificates should contact his county agent for the necessary forms. County agents are sent the forms only upon request. If not available locally they may be obtained from the Claims Section, Office of Comptroller, Agricultural Adjustment Administration, Washington, D. C. All county agents have been sent forms which must be filled out if holders of participation trust certificates wish to obtain an additional advance of two cents a pound on their pooled cotton or if they wish to offer to sell.

## School Carnival At Blanket Saturday

A school carnival will be held at Blanket Saturday afternoon and night of this week, according to announcements received from Blanket school officials.

The carnival is being sponsored by the Blanket Parent - Teachers Association and will be held in the school's new gymnasium. The public is extended a cordial invitation to join the fun.

Every spring, the bob-o-link has a complete mc.

## GOOD PROGRESS IS MADE BY NATIONAL HOUSING PROGRAM

The program of the National Housing Act in Brownwood is making good progress, according to C. Smith Bell, chairman, who states that a number of Brownwood loan firms are qualifying themselves to make loans under the provisions of the act and others will qualify for this at an early date. Several Brownwood firms have already been approved to make the loans and within a short time the program will be in full swing, it is believed.

A complete list of the firms that qualify with the government to make the NHA loans will be announced within a short time and when this is done the program will get into full swing, it is stated. Members of the advisory board in Brownwood believe that a large number of people will take advantage of the opportunity offered them to improve their homes and business property with loans secured at a low rate of interest over a three year period. The loans are made by banks or loan concerns which are protected against loss up to twenty per cent by the government.

"The purpose of the modernization and improvement campaign is to overcome the many ill effects of five years of stagnation in the building industry," Bell said.

"As the direct result of the virtual collapse of the building industry quite a large percentage of the structures in Brownwood are greatly in need of repair. The same is true, of course, throughout the country. Many properties have reached a point where it is hardly worth making any effort to salvage them. Many are close to the border line. Prompt action will arrest the processes of obsolescence. Therefore, the Brownwood Better Housing Program presents a very practical aspect. It is prompted by nothing short of necessity for it is not within the meaning of good judgment to allow these property values to continue to depreciate.

"Simplicity of operation marks every phase of the Act's provisions, the more quickly to get property improvement action on a large scale with its resulting stimulation to industry and employment.

"The purpose of the Better Housing Program are sound, understandable and a bold acceptance of the challenge of depression conditions to millions of property owners with their investments of billions of dollars."

## Coggin Ward And Zephyr Play Tie

Coggin Ward school's football team played Zephyr to a scoreless tie Monday afternoon of this week, the game being played on the South Ward gridiron in Brownwood. Both teams threatened to score several times, each advancing the ball to within five yards of the goal line.

The Coggin team has played three games this season, winning one, losing one and tying two. Coggin lost to the Looney team 20 to 6, defeated South Ward 12 to 0 and then played the scoreless tie with Zephyr.

## Herring Well To Be Completed In Five or Six Days

S. C. Herring's No. 1 Doss in the Scott pool was drilling at 1,225 feet Thursday and barring unforeseen difficulty should be completed in five or six days. The well is 2,500 feet north of the No. 1 Scott, discovery well which is estimated making 50 barrels daily. The Ranger line was topped at 1,885 feet in the Scott and it was drilled to a total depth of 1,900 feet.

Herring's No. 1 Tullis (also known as George) is around 700 feet and eight-inch casing is being set. This well, located five miles northwest of Bangs, is to be drilled to the sand.

## COTTON POOL WILL CLOSE NOVEMBER 10

November 10 has been announced as the tentative closing date for the acceptance of certificates in the national tax-exemption certificates cotton pool by E. L. Deal, manager of the pool. In his announcement, Mr. Deal urges that all certificates be placed in the pool immediately.

In this county there has been a large number already placed in the pool and one shipment of certificates has been sent to Washington this week which includes over 54,000 pounds of cotton. The certificates have been coming in rapidly all week and it is thought that the total poundage will go well over the 100,000 mark.

All certificates must be taken to the office of County Agent C. W. Lehmburg where the proper blanks will be filled out. The amount being paid for cotton in the pool is four cents per pound. It is not necessary that the surplus poundage be placed in the pool and if the producer wishes it can be transferred locally.

## HIGHWAY 67 MEET WILL BE HELD IN DUBLIN OCTOBER 27

A called meeting of Highway 67 Association will be held in Dublin at 10 a. m. Monday, October 29, according to information received by Brownwood Chamber of Commerce officials from Dodd Price, of San Angelo, president of the association. A number of Brownwood representatives plan to attend the meeting.

Purpose of the called session is to appoint a committee to go before the State Highway Commission in November in an effort to secure a definite promise of desired paving on Highway 67.

Officers also will be elected for the association which has as its objective the promotion of the hard-surfacing of Federal Highway 67 from Dallas to Presidio, which coincides with the redesignated state highway 10 from Fort Worth west. Brownwood is one of the important cities on this route and this city has entertained meetings of the association in the past.

Golf clubs in this country cover approximately a half million acres.

## COTTON REDUCTION FOR 1935 ASSURED BY AAA OFFICIALS

The South's cotton growers were told Saturday by Secretary Wallace that there would be a crop limitation program for the staple in 1935.

The announcement, however, did not reveal the percentage of acreage reduction that would be required, nor how much the growers would receive for their curtailment.

Although no decision has been made, present indications are that the planting of about 31,000,000 acres will be the AAA goal for 1935 and that the terms of payment will be similar to those this year.

The fact that an adjustment program for cotton would be continued in 1935 apparently has been taken for granted in the South. About the only disclosure in the announcement Saturday was that producers who did not sign the 1934-35 contract would be given an opportunity to join next year's program.

The statement issued Saturday emphasized that the Secretary's announcement was not the formal proclamation required by the cotton act. This must be issued not later than December 1. It will tell the farmer just how many acres he is to retire from cultivation and how much he is to be paid for it.

One reason for the statement asserting there would be a voluntary adjustment program for 1935 was to prevent any misunderstanding between this plan and the Bankhead cotton control act.

The latter measure, intended to limit cotton production through attacks on all sales above a specific quantity, will be effective next year only if two-thirds of the South's cotton growers vote in favor of its application in 1935.

There will be no referendum on the voluntary plan, since the cotton farmers who reduced this year are under contract to reduce in 1935.

Cotton blocs are becoming more popular each year. Lamar county is working to establish the bloc system more completely, basing the effort on the success of the existing one-variety gin communities in the county. County Agent A. L. Edmalston points out that some farmers in the county have reported premiums that ran as high as \$7 a bale.

## Camp Will Move Into Park At Lake Nov. 4

Work Nearing Completion: 250 Men Will Occupy 45 Buildings.

Members of the long awaited camp allotted to Brownwood Park at Lake Brownwood by the government will arrive in Brownwood by train at 5:30 a. m. on November 4, from Tecumseh, Okla., according to latest word received in Brownwood. It is to be moved from its present location at Tecumseh, Okla., to the new location at Brownwood. The move will be made in several stages. Brownwood officials feel certain there will be no additional expense.

Information regarding the park and camp in Brownwood also about Brownwood houses and other local buildings.

The camp will include 250 employees and a staff of officers. It is to be an extensive project of improvement at the park. The spending of several hundred dollars a month in wages has been pointed out.

Progress is being made in the construction of buildings at the park for the camp. Work is under the direction of R. J. Harrison. To date 45 buildings have been completed and a complete water system has been installed.

## DOCKET FACES OCTOBER COURT TERM

The docket for the October term of the judicial district court begins in Brownwood October 21, includes 213 cases on the docket and appearance of counsel is the first to confront the court. The docket has just been completed by District Clerk Allen D. Phillips and the criminal docket prepared within the next few days, Mr. Forsythe stated Wednesday.

Of the cases on the court's docket have been on the docket since 1929 while many others filed two and three years ago. Various reasons have been given as causes of the congestion.

Civil suits on file include divorce, suits on notes, disbursements and other matters. The Real Estate-Land Title Trust Company has the largest number of suits on the current docket. This company having filed suits against many Brownwood citizens. They are suits in connection with paying contracts on Brownwood Street and Austin Avenue.

## P. W. Yearbook Issued To Members

Year books for 1934-35 have been completed and distributed to members of the Brownwood Business and Professional Women's Club.

The year book contains the names of club officers, committee members and committee members. A list of the entire membership of the club. It also includes a list of the programs for the year, a list of state and national officials and the constitution and by-laws of the local organization.

## FARMERS MARKETS

Prices quoted in Brownwood, Thursday, October 25:

Old Tomatoes, doz.	35c
Vegetables, doz.	35c
Orchard run, lb.	8c
Butter and Cream	1.00-1.50
1 lb. butter fat...16c and 18c	
Poultry and Eggs	
10 Hens	8c
10 Hens	6c
Under 2 1/2 lbs.	9c-11c
7c and 9c	

No. 1 Turkeys	5c
No. 2 Turkeys	5c
Old Toms	6c
Eggs, dozen	20c
Hay and Grains	
No. 1 Milling Wheat	85c
No. 2 Durum	82c
No. 2 Red Oats	49c
No. 2 White Corn	85c
No. 2 Yellow Corn	83c
Mixed Corn	80c
No. 1 Johnson Grass, ton	14.00
No. 2 Barley	70c
No. 2 Milo, cwt.	1.75
Middling	12.45
Strict Middling	12.80

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#### "Pretty Boy" Is Gone

There is an element of gratification in the news of the week that "Pretty Boy" Floyd no longer is at large. He was killed by Federal officers Monday, when he refused to halt at their bidding, and thus relinquished his title as "Public Enemy No. 1" to another young outlaw, known as "Baby Face" Nelson.

The killing of Floyd, and the capture of Adam Richetti, his associate, is further evidence of the determination upon the part of the Department of Justice to rid this country of outlaws of the Floyd type. First Clyde Barrow, then John Dillinger, and now Floyd have met death before the guns of government agents.

It is ruthless business, this shooting down of men, even though they are outlaws, and there is sympathy due the wife and handsome little boy whose pictures adorned newspapers throughout the country this week, along those with the bandit head of the family, "Pretty Boy."

Yet this seems to be the only way to stamp out this type of outlawry. The only method the government can use to combat this type of crime is to meet death with death. And in doing so, the government is protecting its citizens in a way they have not been protected in many years.

It is interesting to note that, while solving kidnaping and similar crimes as a part of the day's business, the government agents have not conducted wholesale man hunts. Floyd went practically unharmed for several months, aside from the constant watch being made by local officers throughout the Mid-west, while the government bent its major energies upon the capture of John Dillinger. With Dillinger out of the way, and Floyd placed first on the list, he did not long survive the vigilant hunt conducted by the Department of Justice.

For the first time this country has a nation-wide crime detection department worthy of the name, and it is getting results.

#### Centennial Sectionalism

As the special session of the Texas Legislature gets into another week with no action on the Texas Centennial appropriation bill, it becomes more evident that it is going to be difficult for Centennial backers to get any satisfactory legislation out of the present session. Possibly it was too much to expect a special session to agree upon any one measure of such importance.

The main trouble at present is the rabid sectionalism that is tearing the entire Centennial structure to shreds. Each section of the state seems to be wanting to get a part of the spoils—to stage some part of the birthday party—to commemorate some local event of more or less statewide interest and importance.

It seems to us that the present session should content itself to making one appropriation for the central observance at Dallas. That would assure a Centennial observance on a statewide scale. Then if secondary celebrations are to be state financed, there will be ample time for secondary appropriations when the regular session meets in January. But the time is short for the major observation, and action should be taken at once so that the Dallas committee can go ahead with its plans.

#### Limiting Taxation

Numerous communications have been received by The Banner during the past few weeks in opposition to adoption of the tax limitation amendment to the State Constitution. The amendment is to be voted on, along with seven others, at the general election November 6.

Opposition is based largely upon the theory that education will suffer through adoption of the tax limitation amendment. We favor liberal appropriations for all educational activities of the state, and believe that education should get its just share of the tax money. We believe, too, that education has fared well at the hands of those directing the spending of the taxpayers' money. This is as it should be.

With tax limitations, we see no danger that the order of things will be changed. We do not believe that education will be handicapped seriously through limiting the amount of taxes that can be collected.

To us it appears to be a simple matter of whether the people of Texas want a limit on the amount of taxes that can be received by the state, or wish to continue to see their tax burden mount with each succeeding year. Those who wish economy in government and reasonable curb on the mounting tax bill should vote in favor of the amendment—it is number 3 on the list of eight suggested changes.

#### Connecting Nations

The suggestion has been made, and a worthy one it is, that the three regional chambers of commerce join in a celebration of the completion of the Laredo-Mexico City highway, which will connect the two nations with an all-weather highway, opening the southern republic to automobile travel the year round. Completion of the highway is scheduled for sometime within the next few months.

Completion of the highway not only will make Mexico City, one of the most interesting capitals of the world, accessible to American automobile tourists, but also will result in worth-while tourist business for the United States from the south. Obviously, Texas will benefit greatly from the new highway.

While we in West Texas are rather far removed from the Mexican border, the completion of highways traversing this section means that at least a part of the travel to and from Mexico City will benefit West Texas, and it is logical that this section should join in the movement to publicise the completion of the major highway link.

It has been suggested that Vice President John Garner, as representative of the Federal government, be invited to take a major part in the celebration, and this suggestion has met with the approval of Progressive Texans, Inc., original sponsors of the proposed event.

Incidentally, both Rotary and Lions international conventions are scheduled to meet in Mexico City in 1935, an important factor in increasing interest in travel to Mexico.

To sue an honest but unfortunate debtor, who was not able to pay a debt, was condemned as an outrage in early Texas colonies.

The first Masonic Convention ever held upon the soil of Texas was composed of five men and met at San Felipe in 1828.

### THIS CURIOUS WORLD

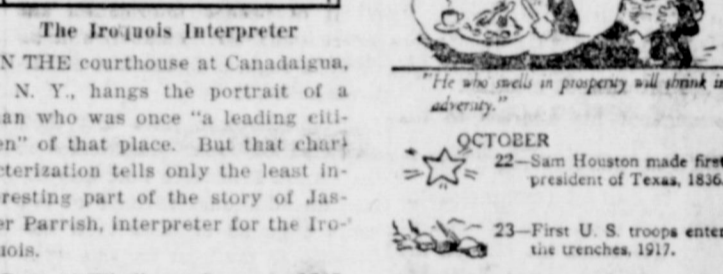
By William Ferguson



THE PHALAROPE SPINS ABOUT IN SWIFT REVOLUTIONS AS IT FEEDS. THIS STIRS UP THE WATER AND BRINGS AQUATIC LIFE TO THE SURFACE, WHERE IT IS DEVOURD BY THE BIRD



TEN MEADOW MICE TO EACH ACRE, IN A 100 ACRE MEADOW, WILL EAT 11 TONS OF GRASS YEARLY.



A TORNADO CAN TAKE A TIGHT-FITTING CORK OUT OF A BOTTLE.

### Fifty Famous Frontiersmen

By Elmo Scott Watson

#### The Iroquois Interpreter

IN THE courthouse at Canandaigua, N. Y., hangs the portrait of a man who was once "a leading citizen" of that place. But that characterization tells only the least interesting part of the story of Jasper Parrish, interpreter for the Iroquois.

Born at Windham, Conn., in 1767, as a boy he was taken by his parents to the headwaters of the Delaware River in New York where they were living at the outbreak of the Revolution. In 1778 eleven-year-old Jasper was carried away by a raiding party of Munsiee Indians who sold him a few months later for \$20 to a Delaware Indian family. For the next two years he lived as an Indian boy and learned to speak the Delaware tongue.

At that time the Delawares were under the domination of the Iroquois, or Six Nations, and after the defeat of the Iroquois by General Sullivan in 1779 some of the Delawares accompanied their masters to Fort Niagara. There Jasper was sold again for \$20, this time to a Mohawk called Capt. David Hill. For the next five years he lived among the Mohawks, learning their tongue as he had learned the Munsiee and the Delaware and finally been adopted into the tribe.

After the Revolution, under the terms of the treaty of 1784 between the Six Nations and the United States by which the Iroquois agreed to give up their white prisoners, young Parrish was set free and traced his long-lost family to Goshen, N. Y., where he joined them.

By 1792 the Iroquois were becoming restless under the increasing pressure of white settlement and President Washington appointed Gen. Israel Chapin of Massachusetts as agent to them. Needing an interpreter and learning that young Parrish not only was skilled in all the six dialects of the Iroquois but that he had their confidence and love as well, Chapin appointed him official interpreter.

In 1803 President Jefferson appointed Parrish sub-agent to the Six Nations and so well did he perform the tasks of that office that he was continued in it during the next administrations—those of Madison, Monroe, Adams and Jackson—a record of continuous service by an Indian agent which has few, if any, equals. It was mainly due to Parrish's influence over the Iroquois that they remained loyal to the United States, instead of joining the British, at the outbreak of the War of 1812, and to the day of his death in 1836 Parrish held their esteem and used it to promote better relations between red men and white.

The founder of the Mormon Church, Joseph Smith, was once an Ohio bank officer.

### THE BANNER'S SCRAP BOOK

#### THE PRICE OF WAR

(Star-Clapper, Traer, Ia.) Several pages of the Congressional Record show just what the World War cost us in money and men without a single dollar or acre of land from the millions and millions of loot divided at the treaty of Versailles.

According to the best statistics obtainable, the World War cost 30,000,000 lives and four hundred billion dollars in property. With that amount we could have built a \$2,500 house, furnished this house with \$1,000 worth of furniture, and placed it on five acres of land worth \$100 an acre and given all this to each and every family in the United States, Canada, Australia, England, Wales, Ireland, Scotland, France, Belgium, Germany and Russia. After doing this there would have been enough money left to give to each city of 20,000 inhabitants and over in all the countries named a \$5,000 library and a \$10,000,000 university. And then out of the balance we could still have sufficient money to set aside a sum at 5 per cent interest which would pay for all time to come a \$1,000 yearly salary each for an army of 125,000 teachers, and in addition to this pay the same salary to each of an army of 125,000 nurses. And after having done all this we could still have enough left out of our \$500,000,000,000 to buy up all France and Belgium possess—that is, every French and Belgium farm, home, factory, church, railroad, street car—in fact, everything of value in those two countries in 1914.

But what would the poor armament people do for a living?

The will that finds the way was with Mrs. S. H. Dittmore, Tom Green county home demonstration club woman, who subirrigated her rose cutting bed with old tin cans and rooted 15 bushes in spite of the drouth.

Using an old fashioned floral scroll design Mrs. M. H. Aiken, home industries demonstrator of Kleberg county, has made to order a hooked cover with which to upholster the fireside seat of a customer in Corpus Christi. The colors were selected when the order was given and harmonize with those of a large hooked rag ordered at the same time.

### CLOSEUP and COMEDY

by DAN THOMAS — GEORGE SCARBO



### ON TEXAS FARMS

Mason—Radishes, beans, carrots, beets, and lettuce have been planted in a fall garden by Helen Walker, garden demonstrator for the Grit 4-H Club in Mason county, according to Miss Leah Cox, home demonstration agent. Helen realizes her garden is a factor in reducing the grocery bill and is necessary for obtaining the type of food needed by her family so that meat and bread will not make up too large a part of their daily ration. Helen also plans to can some of her surplus products.

Rusk—With four tomato juice demonstrators in Cherokee county and several more planning to get their tomato juice standardized, the home demonstration club women of that county plan to furnish regular customers and two cafes with supplies of tomato juice next year, according to Miss Irene Price, home demonstration agent. Mrs. Tom Pugh, Mrs. J. T. Brown, Mrs. A. I. McIver, and Mrs. L. L. Rogers have had their tomato juice standardized by the home industries specialist of the Extension Service.

Kingsville—Green tomatoes, onions, cauliflower, peppers, and cucumbers have been fermented in brine by Miss Lola Massey, pickle demonstrator for the Midway Home Demonstration Club in Kleberg county, and will be made into mixed pickles, Miss Effie McClane, home demonstration agent, says. Miss Massey brined each kind of vegetable separately, freshened it, and made it into sour pickles by allowing it to stand in vinegar for two weeks. These were made into spiced sweet pickles and packed.

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### Political Announcements

- The Banner is authorized to announce the following Democratic nominees subject to the action of the General Election, November 6, 1934.
- For Congress: CHARLES L. SOUTH
  - For State Senator: E. M. DAVIS
  - For Representative: COURTNEY GRAY
  - For District Attorney: A. O. NEWMAN
  - For County Judge: A. E. NABORS
  - For County Clerk: W. E. (Bill) BURLISON
  - For Sheriff: JACK HALLMARK
  - For Tax Assessor and Collector: T. W. (Winston) PALMER
  - For County Superintendent: F. D. PIERCE
  - For Commissioner, Freehold: E. S. THOMPSON

cabbage have been contracted for the Galveston County Truckers' Association for cooperation in car lots to be marketed, according to J. D. farm demonstration agent, amount will probably be \$2,000. Mr. Yeary estimates, as far as the Island and Bolivar Counties were not at the meeting, inquiries are coming in from outlying sections of the county adjacent territory.

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### GROSVENOR CLUB HAS ACHIEVEMENT PROGRAM

The Grosvenor Home Demonstration Club Monday observed achievement day with an all-day program which was attended by more people, these representing home demonstration clubs in ten counties. Features of the program were a very attractive exhibit, reports on the part of the club during the past year, a basket dinner, songs and a play. The meeting was held in the club house with Mrs. L. E. Malone, president of the Grosvenor Home Demonstration Club, presiding.

Annual interest in the textile exhibit were two dresses which were the ingenuity and resourcefulness of many Brown County club women. One of these was a dress made by Mrs. A. M. Byrd from 100-pound sugar sacks. The other was a dress made by Mrs. Purry, for her daughter, from cigar sacks. The buttons for this dress were made from a cigar box, and the dress was beautifully and artistically made.

The exhibit contained all the latest showing of mats, hooked rugs, spreads and other articles. The canned goods display was one of the interesting features of the exhibit.

A general club report was read by Mrs. Ray Strawn, the secretary. Reports were also made by Mrs. Byrd, yard demonstrator, Mrs. Arla Hallford, wardrobe demonstrator, and Mrs. A. M. Byrd, secretary.

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### Golden Wedding Anniversary Is Observed Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Malone, of 2209 Avenue B, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Sunday, October 22, with four of their five children, and a number of other relatives and friends, present to share the occasion with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Malone were married in Crockett, October 22, 1884, and during their early married life moved to Haskell where they resided until coming to Brownwood in 1918. Mr. and Mrs. Malone have five children living, four daughters and one son, and twelve grandchildren. Three of their children died during childhood.

Guests in their home Sunday to join them for the celebration were: Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Fouts, Miss Geraldine Fouts and Miss Gayle Roberts of Haskell, Rev. and Mrs. B. H. Terrel and son, Jackie, of Westover, and Mrs. Malone's two sisters, Mrs. T. J. Clark of Silver Valley, and Mrs. R. S. Garrett and daughter, Miss Ruby Garrett, of Coleman. Miss Tressie Malone and Mrs. Carl Salter, Jr., both of this city, are other daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Malone, who were present Sunday. The son, R. E. Malone of San Diego, California, was unable to attend.

### National Cotton Pool Is Far Short

In a communication received today from College Station we are advised that the manager of the National Pool of Cotton Certificates stated on October 22nd that the pool is short ONE-HALF MILLION BALES. Producers who have surplus certificates are urged to surrender them to the pool at once if they want to dispose of them. The tentative date for closing the pool is November 19th.

The telegram also states that the expense of the pool is less than one dollar per bale and that the producers will receive net Nineteen Dollars per bale or possibly some better than this figure. They also advise that settlement for all certificates sold will be made immediately after the closing of the pool. Do not wait until the last day to bring in your surplus certificates but bring them now as we cannot wait until the last day for all of them.

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### Franklin Roosevelt, LL.D.



President Roosevelt added another to his long list of degrees when William and Mary College of Williamsburg, Va., conferred an honorary Doctorate of Laws upon him during ceremonies inducting John Stewart Bryan as the new head of the institution. The President is shown receiving congratulations of college officials as his new academic regalia is being slipped over his head.

### Commissioners Fix Terracing Charges

Brown County Commissioners Court met in regular session Monday of this week but no business of major importance came before the court for action. The commissioners fixed a definite charge Monday for terracing and dirt work to be done for private citizens with county equipment. For terracing with a grader and engine the cost will be \$2.50 per hour and for dirt work with wheelers and engine the charge will be \$3.00 per hour.

The court approved the quarterly report of Peace Justice E. T. Perkinson and approved the monthly expense account of County Clerk W. E. Burleson. Election judges for Anderson, precinct No. 31 and Dullin, precinct No. 25 were named. At Anderson Pat Anderson was named to replace Philip Anderson and at Dullin Sam I. Lowe and George Willson were named as officers.

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### Cheaper Electric Rates Are Granted To City by T.P. & L.

The city of Brownwood, through her duly elected councilmen, decided Tuesday night not to enter the electric business as had been planned and took no action on bids for construction of an electric line from the city pump station to city hall.

The offer of the Texas Power & Light Company, through W. P. Murphey, manager of the Brownwood district, to reclassify city hall and the Soldiers & Sailors Memorial Hall, thereby saving the city about \$30 a month in electric bills, was accepted by councilmen, thus ending the city's threat to enter the electric business. The average monthly bill for electricity used at city hall, at memorial hall and for operation of the city's traffic light system will be reduced from about \$79 to \$49.

Other public utilities came in for discussion at the meeting when council took up the matter of what some termed a "gas war." City officials said they had received numerous reports that local gas companies were cutting rates to obtain business. Mayor W. H. Thompson was instructed to confer with City Attorney R. L. McCaugh and officials of the two gas companies in attempting to work out a schedule of rates.

The moon sometimes rises at absolutely the same time for a great number of evenings in succession in Norway and Sweden.

Whale hunters of the Olympic Peninsula tie bladders to their whale harpoons to keep the victims from diving too far.

More than 250,000 acres of wheat planted for winter grazing purposes alone, in the South Plains area of the State, insures pretty good pickings for work stock there in spite of the drouth-made feed shortage.

Jack Broad, president of Daniel Baker Ex-Students Association, and Allen Davis, also a leader among ex-students, with Billie Dillin, representing the present student body of the college, are in charge of preliminary arrangements. They expect to announce a complete program within a short while.

The McMurry-Daniel Baker game—the final game of the year for the Billies on home soil—will be played Saturday afternoon, November 10th.

### MAKING Smart CLOTHES

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### Fundamentalists To Open New Church On November Eleventh

November 11th has been designated as the opening date for the Fundamentalist Methodist church of Brownwood. Invitations will go out throughout the country and everybody will be invited to attend an all-day meeting on this date. Pastors, evangelists, church members, non-church members. In fact, everybody will be invited to be present.

The work has been done primarily by volunteer labor. The people of the community have been kind in cooperating to the fullest extent to make possible this church building. R. E. Call is the architect, M. L. Langford is the contractor or supervisor, S. M. (Slim) Birmingham has been given the rock work and has already begun to construct the building out of cobble stone. The major portion of this beautiful cobble stone is furnished by Creel Grady from his places at Indian Creek and Edkins. The building committee is composed of the following: J. V. Hinkle, Wm. S. Evans, V. H. Huckaby, E. H. Jackson, R. H. Laferty, J. H. Montgomery, Lawrence Moore, R. L. Roberts, Floyd Willford, C. C. Carmichael, and M. C. Townsend, Jr.

Centoria, Neb., had a newspaper for three years although the town never existed. The paper was published to promote the idea of moving the American capital to the site of Old Fort Kearney and calling it "Centoria."

of fur or fur cloth, is a new and different shape. It may be worn close under the chin as it's shown or may be pulled forward to ripple in the front as it is split in the center back. The large fur pockets are also new, as is the center front closing that goes straight up to the chin.

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### My Beauty Hint

By JANICE JARRATT (Screen Actress)  
"Beauty is truth, truth beauty," is more than a poetic quotation.



JANICE JARRATT  
The sparing use of cosmetics is an easy way to pursue "truth and beauty" simultaneously.

### Chiefs Inspecting County Schools For State Aid Quotas

Miss Opal Gilstrap, district deputy state superintendent, and County Superintendent F. D. Pierce spent all of this week visiting and inspecting schools of Brown county to determine the amount of state aid that each school is entitled to for industrial use and to help in paying teachers' salaries.

Last week Miss Gilstrap and Mr. Pierce announced their itinerary for the week and this was followed by them this week. The week's inspection tour began with visits to Bangs, Mukewater, Concord and Clear Creek schools Monday. The tour will be completed next Monday with visits to Holder, Clio and Chapel Hill schools.

Miss Gilstrap will announce the amount of state aid that each school will receive immediately after she has completed her report to the state department of education.

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### FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA

MAY

Fifty members of the May Future Farmers of America chapter attended the State Fair in Dallas Saturday, October 20. The group remained in Dallas until about noon Sunday and on their way home stopped in Fort Worth for a visit to the stockyards and packing plants in that city.

This was the first trip to either Fort Worth or Dallas for about thirty members of the May group. Each will be required to write a theme about the trip.

Ten Green Hands from May and eight from Brownwood were initiated in the Future Farmers degree at a district meeting held in Brownwood Wednesday night, October 17. The next district meeting will be held in Brownwood November 13 at which time district officers will be elected. An officers training school will be held following the district meeting.

Sidney FFA Attends Dallas Fair.

Twenty-seven vocational boys from Sidney spent an enjoyable week-end at the Dallas Fair. Mr. Douglas and Mr. Cooper, advisors, accompanied them. In the milk and cream judging contest Sidney entered both events. Thurston La Roque, Myles Franklin and G. H. Hillin judged milk. Wayne Merritt, Billie Jo Douglas, and Dall Steel judged cream.

Out of the State FFA booth there were only two from Comanche FFA district that placed. G. H. Hillin placed third with his cotton which won a prize of two dollars. This cotton was on exhibit at the Sidney FFA exhibit and at the De Leon Fair of school year.

For the first six weeks the Sidney chapter has completed 400 points out of 1200 set for the year.

They are: Attend summer campment at Cisco, hold local exhibit, attend Dallas fair—100 per cent members pay dues.

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**Bangs**

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith and sons, Choice and Carl, and Wayne Porter of Austin spent Saturday night and Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. McIntosh.

Avery Stewart and M. B. Coppie made a business visit to New Mexico the first of the week.

Rev. Garrison of Medina preached both morning and evening at the Baptist Church Sunday.

The revival meeting at the Methodist Church in which Rev. Frank Turner of Cisco did the preaching, came to a close Sunday night. Rev. Turner brought some very timely messages and the meeting was helpful in many ways. The people were drawn closer to the Lord.

Friends of Miss Ted Medley are glad to learn of her recent marriage to Mr. Avery McLaughlin of Blanket. Miss Medley was a former Bangs girl and the best wishes of Bangs friends follow her in her choice through life.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Lanford of Abilene spent Sunday with their parents. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lanford.

Mr. and Mrs. Rice Foreman of Rockwood visited their uncle and aunt. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Foreman, Saturday.

Mrs. Wesley Mask is able to be up after several days.

Hope Schutze and sister, Miss Ima Gene, of Abilene spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Schulz.

Mrs. C. C. Wilson, M. L. Lanford and I. R. Preston visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Vincent at Coleman Monday.

Announcement has been received here of a son born to Mr. and Mrs. Boyd at San Diego, California. Mrs. Boyd will be remembered as Miss Verlie Maud Brooks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brooks.

Miss Mildred Dickerson returned last week from Central Texas hospital where she underwent a major operation and is convalescing in the home of Dr. and Mrs. T. D. Holder.

Mrs. Eliza Sullivan has gone to Lubbock for a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Will Triplett.

The revival meeting at the Presbyterian began Sunday. The Rev. W. H. Foster of Brownwood and Rev. Hester of San Angelo doing the preaching.

L. Shaffer of Sweetwater spent Sunday and Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Foreman.

Mrs. J. F. Gaines and Mrs. W. W. Laymen spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. E. P. Swindall at Blanket.

Mrs. G. W. Welch is improving after several days illness.

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**Zephyr**

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shelton and family of Brooksmith were the guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Shelton, Sunday.

Mr. Hilton Dabney returned to San Angelo Monday after a week's visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Dabney.

Misses Mary Belle Shelton and Daphne Lee Van Zandt were shopping in Brownwood Saturday.

Mrs. A. J. Baker left Friday for Levelland to visit her daughter, Mrs. Johnnie Hallford. She left there Sunday morning for Bakersfield, California, where she will visit relatives for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Matson were Brownwood shoppers Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Underwood and daughter, Esther, were visiting relatives in Mullin Saturday.

Mrs. Mollie Glass is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Van Zandt of Brownwood were the guests of her Grandmother, Petty Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Clayton were shopping in Brownwood Monday.

Mr. S. M. Braddock of San Angelo was the guest of his mother, Mrs. Mary Braddock, Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Belvin and family of Brownwood were visiting here Sunday with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hallmark and daughter, Lillie Mae, of Brownwood were visiting here Sunday.

Miss Iva Mae Reasoner of Brownwood is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Reasoner this week.

Mr. Harvey Kessler and Mr. William Dabney entertained the young people's class of the Methodist church with a weiner roast Thursday night on Blanket Creek. Everybody reported a nice time. Those present were Misses Mae Van Zandt, Novoye Shelton, Alma McArthur, Ernestine Durham, Mrs. Dorothy O'Brian, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Herton, Messrs. James and Alben Kessler, Herman Hollinsworth, Hilton and A. B. Dabney, Lyn and Bob Coffey and Franklin Timmins.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Morris, Mr. J. C. Morris and Mr. J. M. Renfro were in Brownwood Monday shopping.

Mr. W. P. Timmins, Mr. Horace Yates and Mr. Ira Beatty were in Brownwood Monday on business.

Mr. Charles Hollinsworth and son, Herman, and Miss Novyce Shelton were Brownwood visitors Monday morning.

The home demonstration club will give a social Friday night, October 26th, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Timmins. Every one invited to attend.

The ladies will also meet Wednesday, October 31, and have a demonstration in Christmas cooking at Mrs. W. F. Timmins.

Mrs. M. H. Gilberth, Mrs. L. V. Kimmons and Miss Esther Underwood attended the club meeting in Grosvenor Monday.

The school will have a Halloween carnival Saturday night, October 27th, at the school house. Every one invited to attend.

Misses Daphne Lee Van Zandt and Mary Belle Shelton were the guests of Mrs. Jim Rachel of Brownwood Saturday.

Mrs. George Petty was a Brownwood shopper Tuesday.

Miss Kate Fields, sponsor of the senior class, entertained the seniors Thursday night with a weiner roast on Blanket Creek. Those present were Miss Mary Helen Little, Mr. Driskill Pettit, Miss Ernestine Crutsinger, Mr. Harold Locke, Miss June Locke, Mr. Robert Cobb, Miss Daphne Lee Van Zandt, Mr. Wilson Driskill, Miss Dorothy Nell Baker, Theron Higgins, Annie Lee Hallmark, Mr. Leslie Griffin and Mr. Alec Edwards.

The sophomores had a weiner roast Saturday night. Those present were Misses Mary Belle Shelton, Katherine Couch, Alma McArthur, Mae Van Zandt, Mrs. Dorothy O'Brian, Messrs. Herman Locke, Darwin Cornelius, Bert Green, Kenneth McKenzie and Rolan Jenkins.

Miss Lula Cunningham gave Miss Kate Fields a surprise birthday handkerchief shower last Sunday afternoon. Those present were Misses Mae Van Zandt, June and Lucille Locks, Mary Belle Shelton, Daphne Lee Van Zandt, Dorothy Nell Baker, Erma Nell McKinney.

**Early High Notes**

School began here again Monday and is progressing nicely with no new cases of fever that the writer has heard of up to this writing—Tuesday night.

Anly Robinson accompanied by Davy Cunningham and George Griggs, were transacting business in Blanket Monday night.

Arthur Hardin and Paul Sawyer have returned from a prospecting trip to Roswell, New Mexico.

Mrs. Buran Stone of Grosvenor spent Wednesday of last week here with Mrs. Pat Anderson.

Mrs. Hutchins of Hulbert, Ok., is here for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Lottie Parker. The two sisters not having seen each other for eight years.

Mrs. Clifford Parker and children of Indian Creek visited here a few days ago with her mother, Mrs. J. A. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Cull Earp and son, Jack, of this place, Mrs. Lee Earp and two children, Bobbie Lou and Don Lee, of Brownwood, and Truman Henderson of Colorado, Texas, were sight seeing at Lake Brownwood Tuesday of this week.

Miss Johnnie Proffit has returned to her home at Anson, Jones county, after several weeks visit here with her sisters, Mrs. Zora Staley and Mrs. Ernest Newsome.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chrane have recently moved to Brownwood. They together with Joe Boyd and family were visiting in this community Sunday afternoon.

Ben and Clint Tongate were in Dallas last week attending the Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Alexander of San Antonio are here for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Willie McElshinger.

Mrs. J. W. Vernon and son, Arthur, visited relatives at Rising Star last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Griggs and children visited for a while Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Burgh Stewart and listened to a good radio program and were treated to ice cream.

Miss Agnes Staley is visiting friends at Anson, Texas.

Z. A. Chisholm returned home from Dallas last Saturday where he had been on business.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. J. W. Vernon Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Claude Kilgore of the Zephyr community and Mr. and Mrs. Purris Williams and two children of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. George Chisholm and two children of Bronte spent the week-end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Zora Chisholm.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sawyer announce the arrival of a baby boy. Miss Lydia Skiles spent the week-end in Dallas and attended the Fair.

Friends here of Delbert Stewart will be glad to hear he has returned from Dallas and that the piece of steel was removed from his eye without injuring his eyesight.

Dances were given here last week in the homes of Bill Black and Reuben Starkey.

Mrs. Gertrude Benton and little son, Carol, of Coleman are here for an extended visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Clark of Coleman visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cull Earp and Truman Henderson visited for a while with Mr. and Mrs. George Griggs Monday night and made two gallons of cream.

**Indian Creek**

The Indian Creek football team 'lost 27-0 in a game with Cherokee here Friday afternoon.

Maurand Grady of Lubbock has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Grady.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hawthorne entertained Friday night with a musical.

Charles Stewart of Blanket visited friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ludlow Allen and children and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Olson and children attended church at Brownwood Sunday morning.

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Crackers, 2 lb. box .....	18c	25 Pounds .....	1.29
COFFEE, Bulk, 2 Lbs. ....	25c	10 Pounds .....	52c
STEAK, Veal, 2 Lbs. ....	15c	COCOANUT, Bulk, lb. ....	19c
Pork Sausage, 2 Lbs. ....	25c	JELLO, White Swan .....	5c
SALT PORK, Lean, Lb. ....	18c	BEEF ROAST, Lb. ....	6c
		OLEOMARGARINE, lb. ....	14c
		PORK ROAST, Lb. ....	12c

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We've had no rain yet. Everything is dry.

Messrs. Alex Parks and King of Gorman was at Mr. J. A. Waldrip's last Wednesday.

Peanut threshing is about over and the crops are light because of the dry weather.

Peanut hay is a good price with very little for sale.

Cecil Shults of Rising Star was a business visitor here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Waldrip and sons of Leroy were business visitors here Monday.

Horace and Willis Taylor are on a cotton picking trip.

Dave Miller of Leanders is stopping with his sister, Mrs. E. M. Kennedy.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clark and daughter, Mrs. Ruth Holland, from near Miles were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Wade Clark and other relatives.

Mrs. A. B. Owens and daughters are moving to Gorman Friday.

E. N. Waldrip of Stephenville visited his brother, J. A. Waldrip, one evening last week.

Miss Dorothy Hancock and Miss Rose Breedlove, teachers in the Santo school, were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hancock.

Mrs. F. B. Weaver, we are glad to note, is up again after a severe illness.

Mrs. E. R. Patterson is able to be about again after an operation some weeks ago in a Gorman sanitarium.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Newton are leaving soon for an extended visit with relatives in Arkansas.

Mr. J. M. Kennedy has been having trouble with drilling a well. He decided to dig the same well and found a good supply of water at sixty feet.

Messrs. Raymond West and Floyd Allen went to Arkansas last Friday to move Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Allen to this community, where they will live next year.

Mr. Judkins of Eastland and Dick Brown of Rising Star were in the community Sunday.

**Ebony**

A. J. Caldwell of Howard Payne College at Brownwood preached here Saturday night, Sunday morning and Sunday night. He left an appointment for next third Sunday.

Mrs. Mac Chestnut of Vernon is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Haynes.

Mrs. Mildred R. Roberts has gone to San Antonio where she has accepted a position in a physician's office.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Reeves left this week for Red River where Mr. Reeves has charge of a pecan crop.

Cecil Crowder who has been working at San Angelo, came in Saturday to spend a few days with home folks.

Mrs. Irene Reeves has received a message from Port Arthur that her brother, John Philen, is very critically ill. Josh grew up here and has many friends who regret to hear of his illness.

Miss Marie Wilmeth of Brownwood and Ralph Wilmeth of Milburn spent the week-end at home.

Mack Reynolds is drilling for water on the Cutberth place.

Clayton Egger of Howard Payne College spent the week-end at home.

Stanley Reeves has received word that his mother, Mrs. Sarah Ann Reeves, is very ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Sam Hodges, at Texhoma. Mrs. Reeves is a pioneer of this community and is greatly beloved by her old friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Tillman Smith and children have moved on the Austin Cawyer place for the present.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cloud have moved to the Sawyer's place made vacant by the Smiths.

Mrs. P. R. Reid, Dale Reid, Neel and Pauline Haynes were guests for a birthday dinner honoring Miss Odene Russell at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wood Roberts Sunday.

DeWitt Reeves and Brother Jodie Caldwell were the guests of Lillard Wilmeth Sunday after church.

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### The Proposed Constitutional Changes

A Discussion of The Amendments To Be Voted on in November  
By DALE MILLER, In The Texas Weekly.

Miller's Note—Following is a discussion of the proposed amendments to the state constitution. The amendments will be voted on at the general election, November 6, in the articles originally appearing in The Texas Weekly.

IV. The introductory article in the proposed amendments, a brief summary of each of the amendments, except one, and in the admission of the amendment that it "must bear further scrutiny before a definite decision is here expressed." Details of each of the amendments have been undertaken and, in the meantime, a questionnaire proposal—Senate Joint Resolution No. 16—has been subjected to that necessary further scrutiny. And careful study has convinced me that it is an undesirable measure and should be defeated.

Joint Resolution No. 16 is usually referred to as the amendment which would give the Legislature power to classify property for taxation.

It is, however, more in nature than its simple text would indicate, and it would delegate to the Legislature the power to perhaps even its projectors to amend Section 1 of Article VII to read as follows, the heavy words representing the proposed additions to the text: "Taxation of all real property and to be equal and uniform as to all reasonable classifications of property; and occupancy and income taxes; except limitations upon counties, cities, towns, or villages, etc. Taxation of real property shall be equal and uniform. The Legislature may by general law make reasonable classification of all property other than real property for the purpose of taxation, and may impose different rates thereon; provided that taxation of all property in any county shall be equal and uniform."

The first effect of this amendment is that it would open new fields of taxation; or, more simply speaking, it would simply add new taxes to the same heavily burdened fields. In the present increased taxation would be the result, and no matter by what device it is called, "classification of property" it may be called, extra burden of taxation will be borne by the average citizen as he bears practically every other tax burden.

If for other reasons than the amendment would have the effect of increasing taxation when the trend of public service would be in the direction of reducing economies in government increased taxation should be necessary, the proposed amendment should be rejected. What is needed in Texas is not increased taxation to permit expenditures increased expenditures to permit increased taxation.

It is not my purpose in explaining the dangers of this amendment to ignore some features which might be desirable. Some advocates, for example, point out that there are vendor's lien notes, stocks, bonds, and so on, which largely escape taxation now, and that the real purpose of this amendment is to give the Legislature power to tax this sort of property effectively. Now that may be perfectly true, but the fact that this is an entirely different aspect of the amendment from that which has just been discussed constitutes a strong argument that this particular measure is too broad and indefinite. One feels constrained to ask why the proposal did not specifically name the particular articles which were escaping taxation now but which should be taxed instead of claiming authority to make classifications of all property for taxation.

But an unusual fact is that no constitutional amendment should be necessary to tax vendor's lien notes. Why would it not be possible

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### DEBATE PROSPECTS ARE ENCOURAGING

Prospects for outstanding debate teams in Brownwood High School are unusually good this year.

Several people attended the meeting at Cottonwood last week. They are having some good services up there. The meeting will last this week and if nothing happens it will start in the Rail Branch community next week.

Mr. Robert Kestler and son and Mr. Wilburn Watkins made a business trip to Brownwood Monday, the 15th.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Mayben went to Cross Plains last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Byrd returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Manus Strawn and Mrs. Wilburn Watkins spent Monday eve in Grosvenor.

Mrs. C. C. Hounshell visited her mother, Mrs. Byrd, of Grosvenor last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wallace have moved to Bangs. Sorry to lose our neighbors.

Brother Lee and son, Mr. King and Mr. Dick Moore visited the Rail Branch Sunday school Sunday evening and Brother Lee preached for us.

### Rail Branch ALLRED FAVORS ONE AMENDMENT, OPPOSES ONE AT FORT WORTH

Fulfilling a campaign pledge to talk frankly with the people about the problems of government, Governor-designate James V. Allred delivered a second address in explanation of proposed constitutional amendments relative to taxation, at Fort Worth Thursday morning.

"With a \$12,000,000 treasury deficit this state is facing a financial crisis," Allred said. "The present Legislative Special Session is being urged to appropriate many millions more. Add to this the ever mounting relief burdens and surely every citizen must realize that something must be done to equalize oppressive tax burdens."

"Real estate and other tangible property simply cannot bear any further increase of the tax load," declared Allred. "Not only that, but the existing tax burden on tangible property and real estate must be materially reduced."

"While real estate and tangible property represent only half of the wealth of the state it bears 97 percent of the tax burden. The other half such as stock, bonds, money, notes, mortgages and other intangible wealth bears only 3 percent of the tax burden. This is decidedly unfair," Allred said.

"This grave injustice in our tax system can be righted on November 6th if the oppressed taxpayers will vote for the constitutional amendment that appears first on the ballot, Amendment No. 1 authorizes a classification of property for tax purposes and will enable the Legislature to add untold millions to the tax rolls that now escape altogether."

"Amendment No. 1 should not be confused with Amendment No. 3 on the ballot. Amendment No. 3 seeks to place a per capita limit upon state revenues and expenditures. If this amendment had been in force the past two years it would have reduced state revenues approximately \$10,000,000. That would have been ruinous to our schools and vital governmental agencies. Every friend of the public schools and of efficient state government is against Amendment No. 3."

"I urge that the people be not deceived about these proposed amendments," Allred said. "Amendment No. 1 should be adopted and Amendment No. 3 should be defeated. The moneyed interests and designing politicians are trying to confuse the people either with the slogan 'swat them all,' or with the absurd statement that Amendment

is against Amendment No. 3. This is not only a gross misstatement, but it is also a deliberate attempt to deceive the people. The fact is that Amendment No. 1 is a measure which will do nothing to increase the tax burden on real estate and tangible property, but it will enable the Legislature to add untold millions to the tax rolls that now escape altogether. This is a measure which will do nothing to increase the tax burden on real estate and tangible property, but it will enable the Legislature to add untold millions to the tax rolls that now escape altogether."

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### Gap Creek CENTRAL CHURCH TO HAVE 12TH BIRTHDAY

Still continues dry and hot. We would be glad to see a norther and rain also.

Central Methodist Church, in Brownwood, will observe its twelfth anniversary Sunday, November 5th, with a program featuring old time methods of worship. Men and women will sit on separate sides of the church as they did in the old days and every one who can will come to church Sunday morning in wagon, buggy or horseback.

Rev. R. O. Sory, presiding elder of the Brownwood district, will preach at the morning service. Rev. Sory plans to ride horseback to church, carrying his Bible in a saddle pocket as the old time circuit riders did.

Mr. Haddon and Ben Ratto of Blanket were in this community Saturday on business.

Mr. Aubrey Crawford and wife are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Alpha Baker.

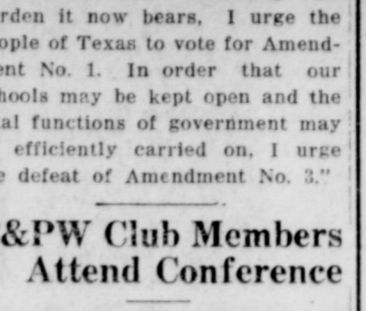
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Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Faulkner spent Friday night of last week with their sister, Mrs. Nora Porter, of Sidney.

Mr. Frank Hardin of San Angelo spent last week with his aunt, Mrs. Mary Soucey.

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**Cabbage**, Fancy Grade, lb. 3c | **Spuds**, 10 lb. bag, No. 1 18c

**Yams**, No. 1 Fancy, bu. \$1.25 | **Crackers**, 2 Lb. Box 18c

**Peanut Butter**, quart 28c | **Corn Flakes**, large size 10c

**Brown Sugar**, 4 lb. Bag 25c | **Powered Sugar**, 2 lb. Bag 15c

**No. 2 Tomatoes**, can 10c | **No. 2 Corn**, can 10c

**Gallon Peaches**, can 48c | **Gallon Plums**, can 48c

**Gallon Can Apples**, can 48c | **Gallon Blackberries**, 48c

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**WIFE CHARGED WITH MURDER IN DEATH OF J. M. FARMER FRIDAY**

J. M. Farmer, 45, employee at the Williams Dairy, near Brownwood, is dead and his wife is being held on a charge of murder as the result of a shooting at their home shortly after noon Friday, October 19. An examining trial for Mrs. Farmer on charges of murder was held Saturday morning before Justice E. T. Perkinson, who, after the testimony of several persons had been taken, ordered the woman held under \$10,000 bond for the next Brown county grand jury which convenes October 29. Mrs. Farmer had not made bond and has been held in jail since the shooting.

According to all available information Mr. Farmer was shot about 1 o'clock Friday afternoon as he slept. He was struck in the back by the full charge of a twelve gauge shotgun fired at close range. He lived until 5:40 Friday afternoon and before dying was able to make a brief statement to officers. His statement was, "I was lying on the bed asleep when someone shot me. My wife said, 'Now damn you, I have got you.'"

Immediately following the shooting Mrs. Farmer caught a ride to the city and went direct to the city police station where she advised officers that she had shot her husband with a shotgun. Officers went immediately to the Williams Dairy and found Farmer who was struggling to reach a telephone. He was rushed to the hospital in a White & London ambulance.

In a written statement made shortly after the shooting, Mrs. Farmer said that three months ago, John M. Jr., 15, had been forced to leave home by his father and had not been allowed to return home since. Mrs. Farmer said she asked her husband Friday morning to let the boy return but he refused, she said. "That thing can't ever come on this place again and you are going to leave if I have to get a whole army to run you off," Mrs. Farmer said her husband told her when she asked him to let her son return. Mrs. Farmer said that her husband had beaten her on numerous occasions. In describing the shooting, Mrs. Farmer said that her husband lay down across the bed for a nap. She said she got a shell from a trunk, placed it in the shotgun and shot him in the back. The gun was left in the yard, she added.

Statements have also been obtained from a daughter, Jewell, 19, senior student in Brownwood High School, from a brother of the slain man, S. S. Farmer, also an employee at the Williams Dairy, and from the son, John M., Jr. The daughter told officers that she had not heard her parents quarreling lately but told of her brother being run away from home last summer and of her father saying that it would be best if her mother would leave also. The brother of the slain man said that he was not near the house when the shooting occurred, hence was unable to give officers any information.

It was indicated at the examining trial Saturday that the ques-

**Prepared Last Meal For Floyd**



The last meal which "Pretty Boy" Floyd ate before he fell dead, riddled by federal agents' bullets, was cooked by Mrs. Ellen Conkle, housewife shown seated in the kitchen of her farmhouse in the Columbiana county, Ohio, hills. Floyd paid her a dollar for the meal.

**Brownwood To Bid For Conference**

The 1935 session of the Central Texas Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church South will be invited to come to Brownwood by the board of stewards of the First Methodist Church, it was decided at a meeting of the board Monday night of this week. The invitation will be extended to the conference at its 1934 meeting in Fort Worth which will open November 7.

The First Methodist Church entertained the conference several years ago, during the pastorate of Rev. C. Q. Smith. The Brownwood Chamber of Commerce will join with Brownwood churches in inviting the Central Texas Conference of the Methodist Church to hold its 1935 meeting in Brownwood, the directors voted at their weekly luncheon Wednesday. The annual conferences are usually attended by about 500 ministers and laymen and are in session five days.

**Call in and Barrel Head with us. Looney's.**

tion of sanity would probably be brought up if Mrs. Farmer is indicted and tried on a charge of murder. Funeral services for the slain man were held Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock at Mullin, his home until about six years ago when the family moved to Brownwood. Mitcham Funeral Home had charge of arrangements Saturday. Mr. Farmer is survived by three daughters and a son. His mother, Mrs. J. F. Farmer, of Mullin, and other relatives also survive.

**LOCAL TEAMS TAKE IT ON RESPECTIVE CHINS GAMES OVER WEEK-END**

Howard Payne Ekes Out Tie; Daniel Baker To Meet Southwest Teachers Here Friday.

Brownwood's three major football teams, the Lions, Billies and Jackets, had plenty of grief the past week-end and out of the week's battles only one tie game could be salvaged, this being a none too satisfactory 7-7 affair between Howard Payne and Austin College. The Hill Billies and Lions went down by 13-0 counts at the hands of the Sul Ross Lobbies and Breckenridge Buocaroos, respectively. The tie game with Austin College cost the Jackets half a game in this year's drive for the conference championship and the defeat for the Lions left them deep in the Oil Belt cellar. Daniel Baker's loss did not damage their standing in the Texas Conference race in that Sul Ross is a non-member school.

The only home game of the past week-end was between Daniel Baker and Sul Ross which the Billies were expected to win. And in the first play of the game it looked like the Billies were well on their way to another win. On this play, Jack Snodgrass, the leading scorer of the conference tucked the ball under his arm and breezed around his own left end for a twenty yard gain but Jack was unable to get up after being tackled and was forced out of the game because of a badly injured shoulder. His injury is expected to keep him out of action for two weeks. With Snodgrass out, the Billies seemed to have little left and with Pierce, a big, hard driving full-back, setting the pace, the Lobos marched on to a 13-0 triumph.

While the Billies and Lobos were entertaining the home town fans, the Yellow Jackets were in Sherman battling a stubborn Austin College outfit. The two teams battled through the first half without a score but the Jackets came back after the half to push over a touchdown and add the extra point for a 7-0 lead. The Kangaroos rallied strongly in the fourth quarter and late in the game scored on a pass. The extra point was tacked on to knot the count. The Jackets had been doped to win by a two or three touchdown margin.

The Lions invaded Breckenridge Saturday afternoon and before they could get going the Bucaroos had piled up a 13-0 lead. Baker, Brownwood quarter, fumbled the opening kick-off and after recovering the fumble the Bucks marched across in two plays for the game's first counter. The Bucaroos made another six point counter in the second quarter and threatened time and again only to be turned back by a fighting bunch of Lions. After the intermission the Lions came back strong and completely outplayed the Bucaroos in the last half. After Thomason had brought the opening kick-off back past mid-field the Lions opened up and in three plays were on the Breck twenty yard stripe. They were stopped but later drove to the Bucaroo sixteen yard marker where a fifteen yard penalty stopped them again. In the last half the Lions registered six first downs to one for Breckenridge.

Daniel Baker again will offer the only home entertainment of this week in a game with the strong Southwest Texas Teachers from San Marcos. This battle will be on the Howard Payne gridiron Friday night. Although not a conference clash, it is certain to be one of the hardest fought battles of the current season. But with Snodgrass out, the Billies will be doped to take it on the chin again.

Howard Payne invades Abilene Saturday for a matinee clash with the strong McMurry Indians, an outfit that has never been defeated on Donaldson Field, their new athletic field. Earlier this season the Indians played a six-six tie with Austin College and inasmuch as the Jackets and Kangaroos played to a 7-7 tie last week, the game between the Brownwood Baptists and the Indians looms as a toss-up. A special train will be run from Brownwood for this game. This is a conference battle and both teams are certain to be fighting from start to finish.

The Lions do not have a game this week but they can use the time very handily in preparing for their next Oil Belt tussle on November 3 with Abilene High School in Brownwood.

Two other Brownwood teams, Brownwood Junior High and the Daniel Baker Freshmen, saw action last week. Junior high lost a 28-0 decision to San Angelo Junior High in San Angelo and the Hill Billy Kids played a scoreless tie with an all-star team at McCamey Friday night. The McCamey team

is coached by Price McQueen, former football star at Brownwood High and Howard Payne.

The first person to enlighten the world of the significance of color form and fragrance in flowers was

Charles Darwin but the subject did not become of general interest until 25 years ago.

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Heartbeats quickened and beauties virtually swarmed around John Boles, handsome star of the stage, screen and radio...

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District Governor of Liens Clubs To Visit Brownwood

Lions clubs from six cities will attend a district meeting to be held in Brownwood Friday...

The meeting will open at 1:15 p. m. at Hotel Brownwood and continue through the afternoon...

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defendant, and a brief statement of plaintiff's cause of action, being as follows:

That plaintiff and defendant were married on January 9th, 1913, and lived together as husband and wife until August 15, 1933...

Plaintiff prays for the care, custody and education of Clara May Smith, a girl about seven years of age.

ALLEN D. FORSYTHE, Clerk, District Court, Brown Co., Texas. 10-4-11-18-25

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### WIDOW FILES \$55,000 SUIT AGAINST CITY

Mrs. Adelaide Clement, widow of the late George A. Clement, 52, has filed suit against the city of Brownwood for \$55,000, asserting that the death of her husband was caused by an accident due to the carelessness of city employees regarding certain city property. Mrs. Clement filed the suit on behalf of herself and children, the children being Dorothy, six, Martha Frances, 8, and a step daughter, George Melba Clement, 16.

According to the citation in Mrs. Clement's suit, her husband, while walking on Fisk Avenue, stepped into a water meter box in the yard of Mayor W. H. Thompson and injured his foot. Mrs. Clement alleges that her husband remained in bed 45 days because of the injury and that "pus, poison and clots entered his blood stream," causing his death September 2, this year.

The suit asks for \$40,000 as support of the family, stating that Mr. Clement was making, at the time of his death, \$150 each month from the operation of a confectionery. An additional \$15,000 is asked because the death, due to "city carelessness," deprived the children of Mr. Clement's love, training and companionship.

### Duck Season Will Open October 26th

The 1934 duck hunting season opens in Brown county Friday, October 26, for a period of ten weeks, closing December 26 and Brownwood and Brown county hunters are all set for the break of dawn Friday morning, all eager to bring home the necessary requirements for a duck dinner.

Ducks may be hunted only on Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays this year, this being provided for in a new state law enacted in compliance with federal regulations. The state requires no license to hunt in one's home county but a hunter must have a license when hunting outside his own county. However, every hunter is required to purchase the new government "duck stamp," at the postoffice before shooting ducks, either in his home county or elsewhere. This stamp costs one dollar and the hunter must carry the stamp with him while hunting.

Of common varieties of ducks the hunter may kill 12 in one day, but must have no more than 24 in possession at one time. Limits of five per day are placed on the following classes: Wood duck, elder duck, canvasback, greater or lesser scaup, ringneck, blue wing teal, green wing teal, cinnamon teal, shoveller and gadwall.

### "Cleopatra" Brings New Coiffure Aid To Feminine Lure

After going through a cycle of twenty centuries, coiffures are turning again to the styles worn in Rome and Egypt at the time of Cleopatra and Julius Caesar, according to the nation's foremost beauty experts.

The trend, already inaugurated, is being heightened by the influence of hairdresses worn by Claudette Colbert, Claudia Dell, Gertrude Michael and others of the feminine principals in Cecil B. DeMille's "Cleopatra," coming Saturday night, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday to the Lyric Theatre, in which Miss Colbert is featured with Warren William and Henry Wilcoxon. One of Claudette Colbert's "Cleopatra" coiffures is the famous long, straight bob with severe, mask-like bangs across the forehead, providing sharp relief for the beautiful features which it frames.

The Roman headdress worn by Claudia Dell as Octavia consists of double bangs of stylized curls, giving a lacquered effect which is further carried out by more rows of flat curls across the top of the coiffure. High on the back of the head is a bunch of cork-screw curls confined by a jeweled ornament which matches the ear rings.

The gowns, jewelry, shoes and other articles of apparel worn by the principals in DeMille's pageant of the life and loves of one of history's most famous queens, are also expected to furnish a high spot in the forthcoming season's fashion. The influence of the Cleopatra styles are definitely to be seen in the advance fashions now showing in metropolitan centers.

A newly established school for daughters of wealthy parents in England teaches them housekeeping, care of babies, politics, biology, and sports in a year's time.

The musk-deer has no antlers, but a pair of sharp tusks make efficient weapons. Musk, used in perfumes, is found only in a stomach gland of the males.

### Sues Dr. Wirt For \$400,000



A \$400,000 libel and slander suit has been filed by Miss Rose Schaeferman, above, against Dr. William A. Wirt, Gary, Ind., school superintendent, in New York, charging that he branded her a conspirator in his charge last spring that the brain trust planned to overthrow the government. She is head of the Women's Trade Union League and a New Deal aide.

### U. S. Tax Charge Hits Huey's Aide



A former dry goods and notions salesman who rose as Senator Huey Long's lieutenant to presidency of the New Orleans levee board, Abe L. Shushan, above, has been indicted on a federal charge of income tax evasion in the sum of \$52,918 over a period of five years. Shushan calls the action political persecution.

### Burglars Get Loot From Coggin Stores

Two places of business on Coggin Avenue were burglarized early Monday morning, with the loot obtained being \$190 in cash and a small amount of merchandise.

The places burglarized were Mead's Bakery and the Brownwood Ice & Fuel branch plant on Coggin. The bakery loot was \$190 in cash but the ice company plant lost only a small amount of ice cream.

Brownwood officers state that the burglaries occurred between 4 and 5:45 Monday morning. Employees were busy at the bakery until 4 o'clock and the burglary was discovered at 5:45.

Metals in use are said to suffer from fatigue.

### GOATS DISTRIBUTED TO RELIEF FAMILIES

One hundred and fifty of the 400 goats allotted to Brown county by the federal government for distribution to relief clients for meat were received in Brownwood Sunday and this week were distributed to families in need of food.

The goats were given out by case workers employed by the county relief office. When a relief client is given a goat for food he is required to kill the animal at once and is not permitted to sell the goat or in any other way dispose of it. As evidence that the goats have been killed, the person receiving same must deliver the hide to relief officials.

Another shipment of goats will be received soon, relief officers stated this week.

### Young Bull From Shelton Herd Is Prize Winner

In the fall of 1933 Shelton Brothers sold a registered bull calf to Herman Conrad of Schulenberg. The calf is now about fifteen months old and this week Shelton Brothers received a letter from Mr. Conrad stating that the bull had taken first prize at the Fayette County Fair. A great many fine cattle are raised in Fayette county.

The bull sold Mr. Conrad was Ooman Benedictine Ruler No. 359658. It was sired by Benedictine Ruler No. 31215113, a gold medal bull. The dam of the prize winning calf was Ooman Ruth of Hilltop No. 685486 that had a record of producing 9,449 pounds of milk and 441 pounds of butter fat in 350 days.

If unmolested, insects would, at their rate of multiplication, overrun the world in a comparatively short time.

The yellow race dominates the world in numbers; the white race ranks second, the black, brown, and red races follow third, fourth and fifth, respectively.

It is possible for a single female housefly and her progeny to produce 5,598,720,000,000 offspring in one season, from May to October.

England's great admiral and hero of Trafalgar, Lord Nelson, disliked shore leave because he became seasick whenever he returned to his ship.

A balloon filled with hydrogen descends when released from the top of Mount Washington, N. H. Air currents go over the peak and down the leeward side with such speed that a released balloon is unable to rise until it has left the side of the mountains.

**Baby Sees by Tenth Day**  
A new-born baby sees fairly well by its tenth day, a specialist of Johns Hopkins university reported on the basis of tests with 150 babies at the Baltimore hospital. There is a popular belief that infants are functionally blind for several weeks after birth. He found that the pupillary reflex to light was well developed by the tenth day of life and that a child can follow with both eyes an object moving vertically, horizontally, or in a circle.

**Famous Chestnut Tree**  
Near Bath, in Northampton county, Pennsylvania, is a tree traced directly to Washington. It is considered the largest horse chestnut tree in the state, and is said to have been sent from Mount Vernon by Washington to General Brown, one of his aides.

### SHORT ORDER



While fair golfers in New York must cover their dimpled knees on the course, fat club swingers in Del Monte and Pebble Beach, Calif., can air their shapely limbs without fear of the sharp but unappreciated eyes of the law bulging at them. Above is Ruth Dustin, California golfer, attired as she would take part in the Del Monte women's championship late in the month.

### Quintuplets See This Irish Smile



Copyright, 1934, NEA Service, Inc. It's a smiling Irish face that the Dionne quintuplets see at mealtime and bathtime, as Nurse Patricia Mullins, shown here in a new picture, handles them with expert and tender hands. Nurse Mullins came on duty in the Dionne home after Nurse Louise de Kiriline was severely burned.

### Proper Lighting

Recent developments in home lighting have been announced which have resulted in the manufacture of a new type portable lamp which has for its purpose the provision of proper lighting as a means of eyesight conservation. This new portable lamp is known as the study or reading lamp.

The new study lamp has formed a basis for the National Better Light-Better Sight Program, which is being sponsored by the Better Light-Better Sight Bureau. Working in cooperation with this program are architects, retail merchants, electrical contractors, electrical manufacturers, electric light companies and paint and wall paper trades. Each is doing its part toward promoting the Better Light-Better Sight story in their fields.

The Better Sight Program is based on findings of the new science of seeing. Research has shown that eyes were designed originally for seeing under daylight conditions, while modern eyes are used mostly for close and difficult visual tasks under artificial light. The greater difficulty of modern visual tasks and the poorer seeing conditions which exist in the average home, has resulted in much defective vision. One grade school child out of every five has defective vision and 60 per cent of all adults have faulty eyesight, statistics show. The remedy for this condition, as outlined in the Better Light-Better Sight Program is the correction of existing eye defects and the proper care of eyes, combined with the elimination of eye-

**STATEMENT**  
of the ownership, management, circulation, etc., required by the Act of August 24, 1912, to-wit: THE BROWNWOOD BANNER published weekly at Brownwood, Texas, for October 1, 1934. State of Texas. County of Brown.

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the state and county aforesaid, personally appeared John Blake, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the Business Manager of the Brownwood Banner and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, to-wit:

1. That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor and business manager are:  
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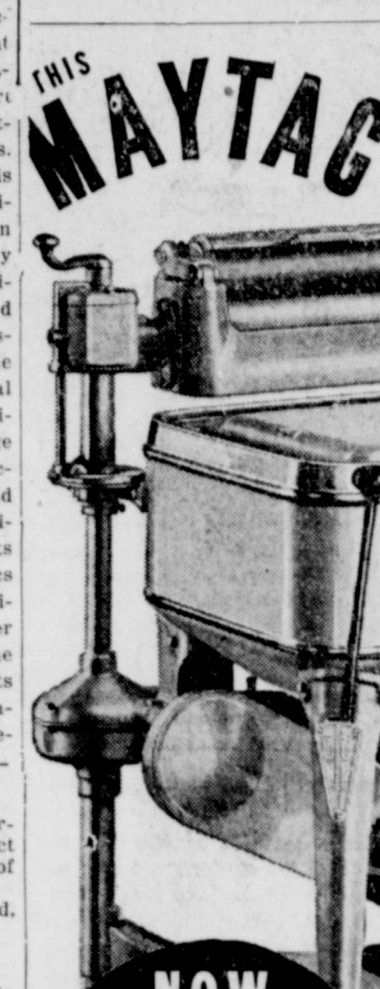
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3. That the known bondholders, mortgages, and other security holders are: Mayes Printing Company, Brownwood, Texas.

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