

Jury In Meichinger Case Is Dismissed

A jury was declared in the case of the late William Meichinger and his daughter, Eva Nell, 17, charged with the murder of her father, on Saturday afternoon, June 25, at 6 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

The next hearing administered to her as related by Eva Nell was about two weeks later when she and another neighbor girl started to Owens in a car and the car was overturned. The neighbor girl had borrowed the car from a Mr. Campbell and was driving the car when something went wrong and it overturned. A neighbor boy came along and took the girls home. That night when her father, Joe Meichinger, came home he whipped her again, she stated. He had heard of the accident and without asking the daughter any details or for an explanation, knocked her across a side of the woodpile. He then laid on her and took her to the barn and gave her a severe beating with a blacksnake, striking her ten times with his whip. Eva Nell said she didn't know why he was whipping her.

Incident of 1928
Eva Nell described an incident that occurred at the Meichinger home in 1928, the trouble related being blamed for the separation of her mother and father that year. Mr. and Mrs. Meichinger were at the cow-lot and the father got mad for some reason. Eva Nell heard her mother scream and ran to the house and saw her father standing over her with a knife in his upraised hand, threatening to cut her throat from ear to ear. Eva Nell said she begged him not to hurt her mother and he put his knife up. After the knife attack at the cow-lot, the father and mother went to the house and the fight continued, Eva Nell stated.

"After reaching the house, daddy grabbed the broom and struck at mother and she ran from the house and he grabbed his 410 gauge shotgun and followed her," the daughter stated. "After he caught mama, he drug her back to the house by the hair of her head," the girl added. This fight was the direct cause of their separation, according to the girl's statement.

Couldn't Go to Ball Game
Eva Nell testified that her father never let her go to ball games that was given her one day when she was a few minutes late in returning from school. This beating was administered when she, Eva Nell, was about 11 or 12 years old, she stated. Her account of this beating follows: "One day after school had been dismissed early, a ball game, I went home with one of the teachers while her husband had gone to the ball game. I stayed there only a few minutes and then went on home. I was riding my pony but before I reached home, I met daddy. He was in our car. When he met me he stepped out of the car, took me off the horse and beat me with this. He hit me about twenty times. After beating me, he tied the horse to the back of the car and made me run along in front of the car. I ran for about one-quarter of a mile and gave out. He then drove home and let me walk the rest of the way. After I got home he whipped me again with the same strap."

Incident on Day of Tragedy
After this Eva Nell began her detailed story of everything that took place on the day that Joe Meichinger was killed, her testimony including a detailed account of the tragedy itself, as enacted at the beautiful Meichinger farm home on the night of April 27. Her testimony as to incidents that took place during the day, from the breakfast table her father attended a play at Early High School that night until the time her father returned home that night after going to Brownwood to get some whiskey, was almost identical with the testimony given by her mother. Thursday afternoon from the witness stand, twice during her account of what happened after her father returned home that night Eva Nell broke down in tears and had to wait until she could regain control of herself before resuming her testimony.

Description of Shooting
Her description of the actual shooting and of the incidents that took place immediately before the tragedy, follows:
"When father came home that night from Brownwood, he drove up to the garage and honked the car. Mother went to where he was and he ordered her to open the garage door and cursed her at the time. When he came into the house he grabbed a double barrel shotgun and started after some shells, saying that he was going to kill all of us if we didn't get out of the house. I grabbed the gun, he begged him not to do it. He then ordered me to go in the kitchen and get him an egg and a glass. This she did and daddy took out his bottle of whiskey and poured some in the glass and drank it. He ordered me to get more whiskey. He then said that he had been a gambler all his life and wanted to gamble with me, saying that he would bet his life against my mother's life. I told him that I didn't know anything about cards and that I could not gamble." (Eva Nell began weeping bitterly at this stage of her testimony.)

Testimony Given
Eva Nell Meichinger's testimony related in answers to questions asked by defense attorney, G. B. Callaway, follows:
In reply to questions asked by defense counsel, Eva Nell told of being whipped by her father. She began her narration of events with a severe and bruising whipping given her back in 1927. Her father, Joe Meichinger, was at home at the time and later in the afternoon Eva Nell and the

MORTUARY

WILLIAM ROSS DRIVER

William Ross Driver, 44, passed away Saturday morning at 9:35 o'clock, June 25, at a local hospital after three days illness.

Funeral services will be held at Bell Plain Avenue Baptist church Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock with Rev. C. T. Aiy, pastor, officiating. Interment was made in Greenleaf cemetery with White and London Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Driver was born November 9, 1888, at Brownwood, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sol Driver, and had lived in Brownwood all his life.

On September 1st, 1930, he was married to Miss Leafy Miller of this city and to this union two children were born.

He is survived by his wife and two daughters, Mrs. J. Riley Ross and Miss Lorene Driver; a sister, Mrs. R. G. Armstrong of Longview; an aunt, Mrs. Jim Lawson and an uncle, Will Cartwright, both of Brownwood.

Mr. Driver was converted and joined the Baptist church at the age of 19. When the Bell Plain Avenue Baptist church was organized, he became a charter member and was a member of that church at the time of his death. He was also a member of the local unit of Texas National Guard.

Active pall bearers: Clarence Rogers, Churchill Scott, Will Smith, George Cunningham, Earl Dodson, and A. Sikes.

Honorary pall bearers: Dr. H. L. Locker, Rex Gaither, Gus Rosenberg, Charles Ratliff, William Hood, R. B. Wilson, Sid Taylor, Grogan Fisk, W. J. Cunningham, D. E. Cunningham, George Pate and P. E. Cunningham.

W. M. BIDDLE
W. M. Biddle, 66, county commissioner of Mills county, died at a local hospital at 12:50 o'clock on Sunday afternoon after a short illness. Mr. Biddle suffered a heart attack a few days ago and was taken to the local hospital.

He is survived by his wife and one son, W. L. Biddle. The body was removed to Goldthwaite Sunday for funeral arrangements.

MRS. MOLLY BAKER
Mrs. Molly Baker, 73, passed away at a local hospital Sunday morning, June 26, after being in ill health for about two years.

Funeral services were to be held this afternoon at 4 o'clock from White & London Funeral Home parlors with Rev. John N. Rentfro, pastor First Methodist church, officiating, according to arrangements as announced this morning. Interment was to be made in Greenleaf cemetery.

Mrs. Baker was born December 15, 1858. She moved to Brownwood a year ago to live with her daughter, Mrs. C. D. Puckett on Booker street. She came here from Dallas where she had lived for some time with another daughter, Mrs. G. A. Buzard.

Mrs. Baker is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Bill Christian of Tulsa, Oklahoma, Mrs. G. A. Buzard of Dallas and Mrs. G. D. Puckett of Brownwood; two sons, J. W. Baker of Beverly Hills, California, and A. B. Wiley of San Francisco, California; two brothers, J. D. Pyron of Brownwood, Arkansas; one sister, Mrs. O. A. Crook, Oklahoma City.

Pall bearers: A. T. Johnson, Carroll Wilson, C. L. Browning, C. A. Eggleston, Rufus Ramsey and W. L. Thomas.

MRS. STELLA A. ENGLISH
Mrs. Stella A. English, 59, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. H. Hackenberg, 608 Coggin avenue, at 1:15 o'clock Sunday morning, June 26. She had been in ill health for some time.

Mrs. English moved to Brownwood about six months ago to be with her daughter and to receive medical treatment here. She formerly lived at Walters, Oklahoma, and was a prominent citizen there and well known throughout the section. For six years she was postmistress at Walters and the rest of the time she lived there served as city librarian. She was also in the insurance business.

She was born November 22, 1872, at Versailles, Missouri, but had lived in Oklahoma most of her life. Since she moved to Brownwood, Mrs. English had made many friends and these friends together with other friends of the Hackenberg family join the family in their bereavement.

Mrs. English is survived by two daughters, Miss Stella Jo English, who has been living with her mother, and Mrs. E. H. Hackenberg, Brownwood; one brother, C. W. Kavanaugh, Versailles, Mo.; two sisters, Mrs. E. W. Terrell, Oklahoma City, and Mrs. Anna Conroe, Kansas City, Mo.

The family left for Walters at 1 o'clock Sunday afternoon. The body of Mrs. English was sent by train Sunday night, being accompanied by Jack London of White & London Funeral Home. The local funeral home had charge of arrangements here and will be in charge of the services there, which will be held Tuesday, June 28.

RETURN MAN FOR TRIAL
ODESSA, Texas, June 30—Sheriff Reeder Webb left here today for Tulsa, Oklahoma, to return Fred Moutray here for trial on murder charges in connection with the slaying of N. H. Poland on March 25, 1930. Moutray was arrested Tuesday at Tulsa. He was indicted here by the October, 1930 grand jury. Poland's body was found in the Pecos river.

JULY THIRD IS FIRST DAY FOR ABSENTEE VOTE

Voters who are already out of the county and will be out on primary election day, July 23, or voters who are here but expect to be away on election day may take advantage of absentee voting and vote by making application or appearing at the county clerk's office. Absentee voting must be done in a period not more than 20 nor less than three days prior to the election. First day for absentee voting in the first primary is July 3 and the last day is July 19.

For convenience of voters who already out of the county, Dr. Thomas H. Taylor, county democratic chairman, has prepared information and application blank for ballot. This information and application blank will be sent to any voter who writes and requests it. Also any one knowing of a voter who is out of the county and who will be out on election day may notify Dr. Taylor and the necessary information will be mailed the voter during the voting period.

Information Given
"At some time or other necessary for the voter already out of the county twenty days before the election day and who will continue to be out of the county past the time of the election to appear before a notary. The following is the law as it now stands:

"At some time not more than twenty days prior to the date of such election, such elector shall make his or her written application to the county clerk of his or her county, requesting a ballot, and shall send together with said application his or her poll tax receipt or exemption certificate, but in the event said elector does not have his or her receipt or certificate, the county clerk is directed to procure from the tax collector a certificate in lieu of said receipts or exemption certificates. Such county clerk shall mail a ballot to such elector which ballot having been prepared in accordance with the law shall be used in such election. Such elector upon receipt of said ballot shall mark the same immediately, apart and without assistance or suggestion of any person in which manner as said elector shall desire same to be voted, which ballot shall be folded and placed in a sealed envelope, prepared for the purpose and mailed by such elector to the county clerk of the county wherein such elector votes."

Mail Ballot Request
"In order to vote in the first primary, let the absentee voter simply sign the request for ballot not earlier than July 3 and mail it at once to W. E. Burleson, county clerk, Brownwood, Texas. He will send forms for voting and ballot. The ballot should be voted and returned to him at once so that it can be transmitted to the election officials. In case the voter does not have his poll tax receipt or exemption certificate, his signature to the request will be accepted in lieu of such receipt or certificate. The earliest day for making application for a ballot for the second primary will be August 7. A request voted before July 3 for the first primary or August 7 for the second primary is not legal."

Political Speaking Blanket Saturday

A community picnic and candidates' speaking will be held at Blanket Saturday afternoon and evening, July 2, starting at one o'clock. All candidates in the county and district are invited to attend and will be given an opportunity to speak on the program, either in the afternoon or evening, according to announcement received here.

An old fashioned pie supper will be given in the evening in connection with the other parts of the program, the announcements state.

Electric Company Moving; New Tire Store Announced

The T. G. Electric Company is being moved from 414 Center avenue to 112 East Chandler street, vacating its present location which in the future will be occupied by a new tire company. The Hisped Tire and Rubber Company.

Fixtures and merchandise of the electrical equipment company are being moved and W. C. Sturdivant will remain in charge of the company.

B. L. Griffith and Mr. Sturdivant will be in charge of the new tire company which will be open for business about July 15. Firestone tires and batteries will be handled by the company.

The building is being remodeled to take care of the new business and the work will be rushed to completion.

CHECKER CHAMPIONSHIP
DALLAS, Texas, June 30—Robert Swann and A. R. Carrell met here today in a 10-game series for the city checker championship. They entered the finals with semi-final victories yesterday.

SPEICER & SON PUSH WORK OF FINISHING DAM

Brownwood dam from about midway the structure to the south end has been finished to its complete height and James Spicer & Son Construction Company is pushing the work of putting in the earth and rock on the north end of the structure to complete it. Elevation of the completed half of the dam is 1450 feet. The north side is only a few feet below grade and should be completed in a short time, according to D. W. Ross, engineer.

Reinforcing of the small well in the gate well structure has been completed and is in good shape. Work of reinforcing the big well will start as soon as the season for almost constant small flood peaks is over. During the peaks the water rises in the well and no work can be done as long as water is standing in the structure.

One large shovel is at work on the south end of the dam clearing away rocks and another is taking dirt out of the spillway cut. This dirt is used in lifting the dam to its full height.

Excavation for the protecting wall across the spillway is about finished and about two-thirds of the concrete wall has been poured.

Rock Blanket Near
The protecting blanket of rock on the face of the dam is also about to the top of the embankment. When all the earth is in, the rock will be brought up to the top of the dam and a layer about two feet thick will be placed on the top. Earth and gravel will be put on the rock and the top of the dam will be left in that condition with a view of making a road across the dam at a later time.

There was a flood peak at the dam Tuesday and the water reached 1380 elevation at the maximum with the gates open and the water flowing through at a rate of 6000 second feet. The water began falling at 3:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

C. E. Ailsworth of Austin, in charge of hydrographic work for the government in Texas, was in Brownwood Tuesday afternoon and in company with Mr. Ross visited and inspected the dam.

A contract for reinforcing and strengthening the big gate well has not yet been let. A number of steel companies are bidding on the job and the contract will be let at an early date.

Name Committee On Taxation and Public Expenditure

Three members of a local taxation and public expenditures committee have been named by the executive committee of Brownwood Chamber of Commerce. They are J. J. Timmins, Edward B. Henley, Jr. and Mrs. Lydia H. MacMullen.

The committee will include a number of other members and these additional members probably will be announced Wednesday, members of the executive committee said today.

The appointment of the committee here is in cooperation with a statewide program of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to have similar committees appointed in all the affiliated towns and cities.

Purpose of the local committee is to work in conjunction and in cooperation with city, county and school officials and with officers of all tax levying districts. The committee works to help plan budgets and expenditures with a view of reducing expenditures of local governments and thereby reduce taxation.

The first act of the members of the committee that have been appointed was to attend a budget making institute sponsored by the West Texas Chamber held at Breckenridge Monday.

All Women Invited To Enter Quilts In Show Saturday

All women of Brownwood and Brown county are being urged to enter quilts in the quilt show being sponsored by county home demonstration club to be held here Saturday at the Reussel-Robertson building on Center Avenue. Committees in charge of the show say any woman, whether a club woman or not, may enter quilts in the show.

The quilt show is expected to be one of the largest ever held here and can be the largest ever held here if women will co-operate by entering quilts, committees state. Mrs. L. A. Nunn is general chairman of the show.

Entries will be received at the building here where the show is to be held from 9 to 10 o'clock Saturday morning. After all entries are received, the show will be open to the public shortly after ten o'clock. Quilts entered in the show will be returned to owners after 6 o'clock when the show closes.

K. of P. Deputy



ROY BYRD
Roy Byrd of Brownwood has been appointed district deputy of the Knights of Pythias lodges of this district. He will visit the lodges of the district in the interest of their work.

Roy Byrd Named District Deputy Knights of Pythias

Grand Chancellor John Lee Smith of Graham has appointed Roy Byrd of Brownwood as district deputy of the Knights of Pythias lodges for this district. The district includes the K. of P. lodges of Brownwood, Coleman, Cross Plains, De Leon, Comanche, Dublin, Stephenville and Hico.

Mr. Byrd has entered actively into his work in the interest of lodges of the district. He went to Coleman last Tuesday night and reinstated the lodge there. Tonight he will go to De Leon. Arrangements for visits to other lodges will be made at an early date.

STATEMENT OF EXPENSE FILED BY CANDIDATES

Expense accounts of county and precinct candidates filed with the county clerk show a low expense of \$5 and a high of \$257.50 of candidates in pushing their campaigns Monday was the last day that first expense accounts of the candidates could be filed. Second expense accounts are to be filed between July 10 and 14.

Following are the accounts filed:
For county judge: Courtney Gray, \$183.50.

For county attorney: A. E. Nabors, \$131.
For district clerk: Allen D. Forsythe, \$80.75.

For county clerk: W. E. Burleson, \$176.39, and George Kidd, \$257.50.
For sheriff: M. H. Dorman, \$139.70; W. E. Hallmark, \$158.81, and M. L. Langford, \$147.70.

For tax collector: Lee Meek, \$217.50.
For tax assessor: Mrs. J. L. Karr, \$194.25.
For county treasurer: L. C. Mullins, \$132.50.

For county surveyor: Mark E. Ragsdale, \$10.
For county superintendent: F. D. Pierce, \$150.75.

For commissioner, precinct 1: E. S. Thompson, \$49; J. V. Sewell, \$40.27; Tom Carney, \$40.47, and G. W. Guyer, \$27.75.

For commissioner, precinct 2: G. M. Stuteville, \$53.50; Marion M. Cox, \$58.75, and James W. Phillips, \$50.
For commissioner, precinct 3: L. P. Ford, \$50.90; S. M. Black, \$64, and J. A. Bettis, \$63.50.

For commissioner, precinct 4: Charles B. Palmer, \$57.35; A. A. Martin, \$49.45; John Schulze, \$67.80; Charley Mathews, \$39.51, and W. M. Medcalf, \$45.95.

For constable, precinct 1: E. V. Perkins, \$47.50.
For constable, precinct 1: W. A. Shields, \$12; Eastman Kitchen, \$5, and Leonard McKinzie, \$9.
For public weigher, precinct 1: R. J. Shelton, \$17.50, and L. Q. Reese, \$20.50.
For public weigher, precinct 3: R. L. Eaton, \$10.
For public weigher, precinct 4: L. W. Couch, \$10.
For public weigher, precinct 6: S. P. Martin, \$10.10, and John P. Eads, \$13.

Candidates for county offices are allowed to spend \$300 and candidates for precinct offices are allowed to spend \$100 in their races plus ballot fees. The expenses filed this time include ballot fees. Also included in the statements are traveling expenses, clerical or stenographic work, telegrams, telephone calls, postage, freight or express expenses, printing and stationery, newspapers and other advertising publicity.

MANY ENTERED IN CITY SWIM EVENTS, FOURTH

Boy scouts and other contestants are expected to enter from Coleman, Stephenville and Comanche. Invitations have been sent to these cities. A large number of scouts from home troops are due to enter.

Some strong contenders for the senior division in the dashes are Levee Olds, Albert McChristy, Sterling Holloway, and Mark Scott. Other seniors that are due to give plenty of competition are Ray and Roy Taylor, Vernon Ellis, Ralph Sauter, George Herman, Price McInnis, Robb Galway Bob and Rodney Harlow, Austin Johnson, George Lamb, "Foot" Gilliam and Oswald Daugherty, David Morris, Bill Murphy.

Some of the juniors that will probably take off prizes are: McGehee Garnett, Bobbie Watson, Ernest Morris, Ben Gloray, Sam Conley, Lyle Morgan, L. L. Evans, Fritts Sturdivant, Jewel Daugherty, Jr., and others.

In women events Muzelles Stanley, Ruth Gehrke, Dean Terry, Idell Baxter, Bebe Heatherly, La Vern Walker, Kathryn Berry, Mrs. Holloway.

Many others are due to enter that have not been mentioned. Fancy diving for boy scouts has also been arranged and 50 yard breast stroke swim for women.

All winners of any event will be allowed to enter the state meet, which will be held in Austin on Labor Day, first Monday in September.

Those who won places in the last state meet were Levee Olds, Albert McChristy, and Hilton Gilliam.

The purpose of this meet is to pick a team to enter the National A. U. Tryouts will be held at Cisco on July 9. The winners there will be sent to Dallas, where the southern tryouts are to be held. The winners there will go to the Olympic tryouts.

Prize List For Events
Junior 50 Free style
1. 15 free swim pass (Lakewood).
2. A dinner (Yellow Wagon Cafe.)
Senior 50 Free style
1. Season swim pass (Lakewood).
2. Tube shaving cream (Palace Drug).
Women 50 Free style
1. Bathing suit (Hemphill-Pain Co.).
2. 15 swim pass (Lakewood).
3. Bathing cap (Weakley-Watson).

Junior 25 yard breast stroke
1. Bicycle tire (Gilliam Radio Shop).
2. Neck tie (Hopper & Stanley).
Senior 50 yard breast stroke
1. \$2.00 merchandise (Harlow & Son Grocery).
2. 15 free swim pass (Lakewood).
Women 50 yard breast stroke
1. Season swim pass (Lakewood).
2. Strand of beads (J. L. Brown & Son, Jewelers).
3. Water bottle (Austin Morris Co.).

Senior 100 yard Free style
1. Season swim pass (Lakewood).
2. 15 swim pass and collar pin (J. L. Brown & Son).
3. Five gallons gas (Colvin Service Station).
Junior 25 yard back stroke
1. 15 free swim pass (Lakewood).
2. \$1.00 merchandise (Standard News Service).
Women 50 yard breast stroke
1. Swim pass 15 (Lakewood).
2. Two months subscription to Brownwood Bulletin.
Senior 50 yard back stroke
1. \$1.50 cleaning and pressing (Standard Tailors).
2. 15 swim pass (Lakewood).
Scout diving
1. 15 swim (Lakewood).
2. Necktie (Roy Byrd Dry Cleaning).
Women diving
1. 8x10 portrait picture (Brownwood Studio).
2. 15 swim pass (Lakewood).
3. 8x10 portrait picture (Brownwood Studio).
2. 15 swim pass.
3. \$1.00 fountain service (Coggin Avenue Drug).
Women free for all
1. Season pass
3. Bathing shoes (Dublin & Cannon).
Boy Scout relay
1. Season pass.
2. 15 free swims.

Former Citizen Writes, Recalling Brownwood Friends

A letter from H. C. Maynor of Washington, D. C., has been received by the Bulletin, being written after some one from here had sent him a copy of the Bulletin several days ago. Mr. Maynor said in his letter he read everything in the paper and saw the names of a number of people he knew when he lived in this county.

Mr. Maynor formerly lived in Brown county but moved to Washington in 1917. He was married to Miss Annie Reagan in Brownwood in 1898.

In his letter Mr. Maynor also said hello to his friends Chux Bettis, Sheriff Denman and Bill Hallmark.

The praises of the city of Washington were sounded by Mr. Maynor, but he said the city will be even better "when we get the republicans out of power and that will be done in November, 1932, if all predictions come true."

REX McCABE QUILTS RACE

DALLAS, Texas, June 30—Rex McCabe, only opponent of George Sheppard, Sweetwater, for comptroller in the democratic primary today was out of the race. McCabe said it would cost him more than the office paid to make a successful campaign. The comptroller's office pays \$2,500 a year.

7 YEARS IS VERDICT FOR J. C. MILLER

Motion for a new trial in behalf of J. C. Miller, given a seven year penitentiary sentence Wednesday afternoon by a jury in district court here on charges of criminal assault, was filed Thursday morning by defense attorneys. A hearing on this motion will be held at an early date and if the motion is overruled, notice of appeal to the court of criminal appeals, at Austin, will be given, defense counsel indicated today.

Miller went to trial Monday morning of this week on charges of criminally assaulting Emma Grace Harcrow, 17, and the case went to the jury late Tuesday night. The jury did not begin its deliberations until Wednesday morning and did not reach a verdict until shortly after 3 o'clock that afternoon. The attack for which Miller was found guilty occurred on the night of May 6, 1932, testimony offered during the trial revealed.

The jury report or verdict that was brought in yesterday afternoon found the defendant, Miller, guilty as charged and fixes his punishment at seven years in the state penitentiary. By fixing his prison term at more than five years the defendant's application for a suspended sentence was automatically denied, in that a prison sentence of more than five years cannot be suspended.

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WRINGING WET PLANK OKEHEED BY DEMOCRATS

BY LYLE C. WILSON,
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CONVENTION STADIUM, CHICAGO, June 30—The democratic convention today adopted by acclamation its "wringing wet," 2,000-word platform for 1932.

The work was quickly done. After Senator Carter Glass of Virginia and William Gibbs McAdoo had joined in virtually the only debate on the McAdoo plank to protect bank depositors, the convention proceeded to vote. One by one it rejected planks presented as amendments to the resolutions committee report by acclamation.

Governor William H. Murray's plank to support the soldiers bonus first was defeated. Next fell McAdoo's plank. The two silver planks were defeated, one by Murray and the other by Idaho.

The convention then, with a shout of acclamation, accepted the entire platform, and democracy formally became a "wringing wet" party—favoring repeal of the 13th amendment and early modification of the Volstead act.

Compton I. White of Idaho had presented the Idaho silver plank which called for bi-metalism. The convention adopted a plank by Mrs. Caroline O'Day of New York pledging the party to support of welfare work.

HOOVER SIGNS ECONOMY BILL

WASHINGTON, June 30—President Hoover today signed the economy bill—designed to reduce the cost of government by approximately \$150,000,000—but said he did so "with limited satisfaction."

He said the measure "falls short of the economies proposed by the cabinet and executive officers of the government."

Mr. Hoover contended the bill imposes unnecessary hardships on government employees in minor matters and recommended that "some of these should be remedied at the next session of Congress."

William Beck Said Be of Unsound Mind In Waxahachie Trial

WAXAHACHIE, Texas, June 30—Defense witnesses today repeated their testimony that William Beck, 20, former University of Texas student, was of unsound mind when he killed O. L. Jones, Waco auto salesman.

Relatives and friends testified the youth had been mentally unstable since being struck on the head by a baseball during a game at Wills Park, his home.

It is Beck's second trial. He was given the death penalty at Waco but was granted a new trial and a chance of venue when it was shown the first jury had been improperly chosen.

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Any erroneous reflection upon the character, business or reputation of any person, firm, or corporation which may appear in the columns of this paper will be promptly corrected when brought to the attention of the publisher.

SHERIFF SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS County of Brown NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain execution issued out of the Honorable District Court of Tarrant County, on the 19th day of April, 1932, by The Clerk of said County, Cranfill-Reynolds Co., a Corporation, recovered a judgment against L. G. Bradstreet Co., for sum of \$1,125.25. Dollars

and costs of suit, under a certain execution, in favor of Plaintiff, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 90696 and styled Cranfill-Reynolds Company, a corporation, vs. The L. G. Bradstreet Co., a corporation, and placed in my hands for service, I, M. H. Denman, as Sheriff of Brown County, Texas, did, on the 10th day of June, 1932, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Brown County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: Volume 241, page 203.

Being a part of the Rock Mitchell Survey No. 141 in said Brown County, Texas, and being in two separate tracts described as follows: 1st Tract: 40 acres described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at the most northerly N. E. corner of the 320-acre tract leased by lessors to M. S. Insleright on the N. line of said Sur. Thence East with said line 47 1/2 yrs. more or less to the N. E. corner of the 39-acre tract leased to F. D. Williamson by lessors; Thence S. with the W. line of said Williamson tract, 475 yrs. more or less to the most southerly N. E. corner of said 320-acre tract; Thence West 475 yds. more or less to an inside corner of said 320-acre tract; Thence North with E. line of said 320-acre tract to the place of beginning, containing 40 acres, more or less, and levied upon as the property of The L. G.

Bradstreet Co., a Corporation, and that on the first Tuesday in July, 1932, the same being the 5th day of said month, at the Court House door, of Brown County, in the City of Brownwood, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said execution, I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said L. G. Bradstreet Co., a Corporation.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Banner-Bulletin, a newspaper published in Brown County, Texas. Witness my hand, this 14th day of June, 1932. M. H. DENMAN, Sheriff Brown County, Texas. June 16-23-30

SHERIFF'S SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Brown. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain alias execution, issued out of the Honorable District Court of Ellis County, on the 18th day of January, 1932, by Mrs. George Sweatt, District Court of said Ellis County, for sum of \$81.44, and costs of suit, under an alias execution, in favor of C. G. Faust, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 16644 and styled C. G. Faust vs. C. Daughtry et al, placed in my hands for service, I, M. H. Denman, as Sheriff of Brown County, Texas, did on the 27th day of May, 1932, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Brown County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: by levying on the following described property of the defendants, C. Daughtry, Ellis Daughtry, Mrs. A. A. Miller, A. A. Miller, Wilbur Daughtry, Mrs. Dollie Simpson, Ross Daughtry, D. D. Daughtry, and the unknown heirs of Mrs. Ida Henry, and Mattie Taylor, and Ellis Daughtry as Executor, to-wit: An undivided six-fourths interest belonging to said defendants, in and to the following land: All that Certain Tract or Parcel of land lying and situated in Brown County, Texas, and being a part of Survey 43, of Comanche County School Land, described in two tracts as follows: First Tract: Beginning on the S. line of said survey, 1762 yrs. W. from the original S. E. corner of said survey for the S. E. corner this; thence N. 388 yrs. to a stake, 581 1/2 yrs. E. of the S. E. corner of subdivision No. 22, of said survey; thence W. 138 yrs. to the S. E. corner of said subdivision No. 22, continuing 726 1/2 yrs. to the N. W. corner this tract; thence S. 388 yrs.; thence S. 388 yrs. to stake for S. W.

Political Announcements

DISTRICT OFFICES For District Judge: CHAS. B. KAHR E. J. MILLER (Second Term) COUNTY OFFICES For Sheriff: M. H. DENMAN For Tax Assessor: W. E. JACOB HALLMARK For County Clerk: W. E. JACOB HALLMARK For Tax Collector: L. F. BIRD For District Clerk: ALLEN D. FORTSYTHE For County Attorney: JAMES S. THOMPSON For Commissioner Precinct 2: MARION M. COX For Commissioner Precinct 3: J. A. (CHUCK) BETTIS For Commissioner Precinct 4: W. M. MEDALL For County Superintendent: F. D. PIERCE For County Superintendent: LESLIE GRIPPIN

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for four consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Banner-Bulletin, a newspaper published in Brown County, Texas. Witness my hand, this 2nd day of June, 1932. M. H. DENMAN, Sheriff, Brown County, Texas. June 16-23-30

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NOTICE OF VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION The Coggin National Bank of Brownwood, located at Brownwood, in the State of Texas, is closing its affairs. All note holders and other creditors are hereby notified to present the notes and other claims against the Association for payment. Dated April 30th, 1932. W-26 G. B. KIDD, Cashier.

CHICKEN AND TURKEY STAR PARASITE REMOVER Given in their drinking water. Will keep them free from Lice, Mites, Fleas, Blue Bugs. Will kill the intestinal worms and worms that cause disease in their incipient stage. Will keep the system and keep food in good health and egg production through the hot weather and the moulting season or we refund your money. RENFRO'S REXALL DRUG STORES.

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JUDGE E. J. MILLER

Judge Miller Makes Statement to Voters

E. J. Miller, district judge for the past term, is a candidate for re-election, and makes the following statement to the voters of the district: "I have at least two weeks' court business demanding attention before the election, and with a large district, it will be impossible for me to see a very large per cent of the people personally, and I take this method of presenting my candidacy for re-election. I stand upon my record and the time honored democratic custom of giving a second term to all officers who have made good. That my handling of the duties of the office have been generally satisfactory and without criticism is commonly and generally conceded. I was elected upon the following platform: More work and less pay. More trials and fewer continuances. Work six days per week or clear docket. That platform has been carried out 100 per cent. My persistent untiring work, with longer daily sessions, night sessions and special sessions, the dockets have been practically cleared. By setting cases, refusing continuances, using or excusing jurors and witnesses without delay, and staying on the job, disposition of business has been expedited and Court expense very materially reduced. Appellate Court record unusually good. Of the hundreds of criminal cases disposed of there has not been one reversal from McCulloch county, only 2 from Brown county and comparatively few from Coleman county. This is the best evidence of ability and fairness. Do you approve of systematic, economic methods and dispatch in court business? Do you endorse industry, ability and justice on the bench? Is not this record worthy of a vote of confidence—a second term? Investigate, consider and let your support be your answer. E. J. MILLER. (Pol. Adv.)

Announcement is here made of the candidacy of J. V. Sewalt for county commissioner from Precinct No. One of Brown County. Mr. Sewalt has lived in Brown County for about seventeen years and has lived in Precinct One for about fifteen years and has been engaged in stock farming, and he has a wide acquaintance with the people and knows well the conditions and needs of the precinct. If elected, commissioner, Mr. Sewalt says that he will use home labor as much as is possible, and will give the closest attention to his duties in caring for the roads of his precinct and also in keeping familiar with the business of the county and precinct in all matters in which he will be called on to make decisions as a member of the commissioners' court. He further says that he believes in using common sense and in making such reports and improvements as will be as lasting as can be afforded, and this relates especially to bridges and culverts and the use of native rock where possible. Mr. Sewalt's residence at present is the Woodland Heights community, and he is active in all matters that are of concern to his local community and to his county. He respectfully solicits that each voter in the Precinct give consideration to this announcement, and asks the vote and influence of all who think him best qualified to serve in the office which he seeks.

To Whom It May Concern: Under arrangements entered into with the authorities of the Daniel Baker College, I am to come into the possession of the Coggin Ranch on July 1st. I have had numerous requests for fishing and hunting privileges but must respectfully and emphatically refuse all such requests. I plan to stock the ranch with five cattle and hope to work out my own theories in propagating game and fish and for these reasons will not permit any trespassing of any character whatever. ERNEST E. KIRKPATRICK.

AUSTIN, June 28—Budget requests of the University of Texas for the biennium starting Sept. 1, 1933, were considered today by the state board of control. The proposed budget asks \$1,566,790 appropriation for each year of the biennium. Appropriations for the current biennium were \$1,351,000 for the first year and \$1,271,000 for the second.

YOUTH IS DROWNED DALLAS, Texas, June 28—Emergency hospital physicians sped to Irving at a mile a minute last night and labored several hours in a futile effort to revive James Lawrence, 8, drowned in a gravel pit.

RECORDS ARE CHECKED DALLAS, Texas, June 28—Harvey Belcher and Allen Howison, special investigators of the senate fee investigating committee, were here today checking the records of Dallas county officials.

RAIL TRAFFIC STOPPED. NOGALES, Ariz., June 28—Traffic on the Southern Pacific Mexican railroad between here and Mexico City was at a standstill today after a walkout of employes in protest over a wage reduction.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, Washington, D. C. May 28, 1932. Notice is hereby given to all persons who may have claims against the "Coggin National Bank of Brownwood, Texas," that the same must be presented to John A. Best, Receiver, with the legal proof therefor, within three months from this date or they may be disallowed. J. W. POLE, Comptroller of the Currency. —Wto Aug. 25

COLLIER'S Phone 305. When you come to town, don't fail to come to our store. We have the Lowest Prices to be found anywhere and we will also buy your Eggs. Our Store Will Be Closed All Day Monday, July 4th. COFFEE, 25c; MEAL, Home Ground, 13c; SYRUP, Steam Boat, 49c; SOAP, Laundry, 21c; ICE CREAM SALT, 17c; CRACKERS, 18c; MACARONI, 5c.

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Center Point. This community was visited by a good shower Monday morning. The farmers were very glad to see it.

Piece of Steel Off of Hammer Penetrates Leg. J. L. P. Baker, Brownwood, suffered a painful injury at 5 o'clock Tuesday afternoon when a piece of steel broke off a hammer which he was using and penetrated the calf of one of his legs about two inches.

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Goldthwaite

Again this community has been visited by the death angel, who took from our midst Mr. William Biddle, Sr. Mr. Biddle has served this county as commissioner of precinct No. 2 for several years and six months and was making the race for re-election.

He has been a resident of this county for a long time. Several years ago he was married to Miss Mittie Blackburn in the South Bennett community. Three children were born to this union. Two girls and one boy. Both girls died in infancy. The son, William, Jr., is still living and was with his father to the end.

Mr. Biddle was secretary of the Masonic lodge at Center City and manager of the telephone exchange at that place.

He professed religion several years ago and joined the Methodist church. He was honest, upright in his dealings and strong in his convictions on any subject. A very likeable man and one who will be greatly missed in the community where he had lived so long.

Mr. Biddle had been in failing health for three or four years, but never gave up his work until after he had attended to his work here in the commissioners court, which met Monday, June 13. He was forced to take his bed on Thursday of last week. His condition was so bad he was carried to a Brownwood hospital. He seemed to be doing nicely and was joyful and hopeful of his recovery. Ate dinner Sunday and at 12:30 died.

His remains were brought home and funeral services were held in the Center City Methodist church Monday morning at eleven o'clock. The services at the church were conducted by Rev. Mitchell, a former pastor, and the burial was conducted by the Masonic Lodge.

One of the largest crowds ever seen at Center City cemetery gathered to pay their last respects to this friend and neighbor.

To the heart broken wife and son, other relatives and friends we offer our heart felt sympathy.

Hon. Phil H. Clements is still in a very serious condition at the home of his son Earl, in this city. Mrs. J. R. Deen and her mother, Mrs. G. M. Norris of Blanket, also Lee Vestal and Johnnie Stough of Arlington, visited Mrs. Fuller and daughter here on Wednesday of last week. The young man was on his way to Combes to visit relatives.

It is understood that the revival meeting at Center City will begin the last Sunday in July. Rev. Earl Page will do the preaching. The pastor is Rev. J. D. Ramey and lives in Mullin.

W. E. Lowe of De Leon spoke on the courthouse lawn last Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, in the interest of the candidacy of Tom F. Hunter for governor. A large and attentive audience listened to him.

Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Osterhout of Comanche are preparing to open a hospital here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Culwell.

Miss Myrna Miller is in Brownwood attending the bedside of her aunt, Mrs. Kate Moore, who is very sick.

Mrs. Aton Marshall is reported improving in a Temple sanitarium.

Owens

Miss Clara Dunsforth and Mr. Truman Faulkner spent Wednesday night with Mr. Abe Dunsforth and family.

Mrs. Will Wheeler and daughter, spent Thursday with Mrs. Sam Hood.

Mrs. Horace White and daughter, Dorace, of near Rocky, is spending a few days with Mrs. Will Wheeler and family.

Mrs. Jim Wheeler is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ray Renfro, of Coleman this week.

Mr. Robert Wheeler of near Pioneer made a business trip to Mr. Tom Pittman's one day this week. Mr. Pete Krichke had business in Brownwood Friday.

Miss Florence Krichke spent Friday night and Saturday with her uncle and Mrs. J. J. McDonald of Brownwood.

W. A. Dunsforth returned home Thursday. He has been visiting his cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Wilson.

Miss Hazel and Vonita Dunsforth of Brownwood is spending a while with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pittman.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Shaffer had business in Brownwood Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Tom Pittman and daughter, Lanora, had dinner with Mrs. John Dunsforth Saturday.

Miss Wanda Pittman spent Friday night with Hazel Dunsforth of Brownwood.

Mr. Hurshel Wheeler spent a few minutes with R. V. and Vernon Pittman.

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Early High

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Letters received from Jack Earp and Judson Skiles, Jr., who are attending C. M. T. C. at Camp Bullis, for a month, report they are enjoying their work fine, and having a grand time.

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Nellie Page spent last week with Melba Lee and Dorris Starkey.

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A large crowd was present at Early Sunday afternoon, and a lot of good singing was heard.

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Mr. and Mrs. Perry Boyd and two daughters, Inez and Faye Dorris, attended the funeral of Mrs. Boyd's cousin, Mrs. Jose Milam, nee Connell, in Brownwood Saturday afternoon.

Tom Flowers and family and Mrs. Williamson here Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Cull Earp.

Mrs. Jim Alexander, Mrs. Cull Earp and Mrs. Kinzie Ehridge, canned beans and peas two days last week in Brownwood, at Mrs. Ehridge's place.

Tommy Snow and family and J. M. Ehridge, spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Green of Bethel.

Bert and Harry Green of Bethel spent last week here with their uncle, J. M. Ehridge, and helped with the farm work.

Miss Estelle Page of Brownwood, is visiting for a while in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Griggs.

Mrs. Etta Snow and daughter, Elizabeth, of Brownwood, are visiting relatives here for awhile.

Other threshers have begun this week, and threshing will soon be a thing of the past, out this way.

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EXPLANATION OF VOTING RULES IS GIVEN BY COUNTY CHAIRMAN

In order to vote in the coming election, people of Brownwood must have paid their poll tax or secured exemption certificates from the tax collector if eligible for exemption. For the information of voters on securing exemptions, Dr. Thomas H. Taylor, county democratic chairman, has given out the following information:

"All voters in the four wards of Brownwood must have paid their poll taxes before February 1 of the present year, or must secure from the tax collector's office by the date of the election exemption certificate. The city now has more than 10,000 people according to the census and the provisions of Article 2968 of the Revised Civil Statutes now apply to voters in the four wards of the city.

"The following classes are exempt from poll taxes: Those who have become twenty-one years of age since the first of January, 1931; those who became sixty years of age before the first of January, 1931; those blind, deaf or dumb, or permanently disabled or who have lost one hand or one foot. Citizens of the above classes can vote without paying poll taxes but must secure exemption certificates if they vote in the four city boxes. Such certificates may be secured from the tax collector any day before election day. Voters who are exempt from poll taxes and live outside the city are not required to have exemption receipts. Voters must be twenty-one years of age by the time of the primary to be eligible to vote.

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MR. AND MRS. BAXTER PRESENT COLLECTION TO HISTORICAL BODY

CANYON, Texas, June 29.—Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Baxter of Dimmitt, formerly of Brownwood, spent a day in Canyon recently arranging the material of the Baxter collection which has been placed in care of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society. This is the largest and most varied single collection which the society has.

Several thousand arrow heads from Colorado, Texas and New Mexico are a feature of this collection. Mr. Baxter states that flints were America's first money. One of the interesting collection of arrow heads has been arranged by Mr. and Mrs. Baxter in the form of a double star surrounded by a circle of thirty-two flints. There are thirty flints in the first star and five in the one enclosed within it. The above classes are all representative of Texas.

Another group of arrow heads represents the first stone age, these flints being unpolished. The Baxter collection contains objects from all over the world. The most interesting collection of arrow heads was covered by the waters of the sea and of various eras from that time to the present. There are petrified oyster shells which were found near Tahoka. There are skeletons, beads and pieces of pottery which were used by the cliff dwellers of the Mesa Verde region in Colorado in pre-historic days. There are bones, all of which were used by the Indians in shaping their garments of buckskin. There is a lamp which was brought to Pennsylvania by the early German settlers there and which was carried by the tide of immigration into Texas in 1836. There is an old carpenter's plane, typical of those used fifty or more years ago. There is a huge bear trap now without meaning to the region to which it was used.

Arms Collection Important. In the Baxter collection of arms, there are guns which as Mr. Baxter says, "represent the evolution of firearms as well as the evolution of a boy." The collection begins with the first guns which attracted Mr. Baxter when he was a small boy and shows various types of arms up to the present time including those used by the collector during the Spanish-American War. Long horns, eight feet and four inches from tip to tip, rattlers from many diamond backs, antelope horns and elk heads, which are all in the collection made by Mr. and Mrs. Baxter.

To these people the collection of strange and interesting objects in the realm of paleontology, archeology and natural history has been a delightful life long hobby. Each vacation gives an opportunity to find something new and strange and with training and help of eager experiences, Mr. and Mrs. Baxter seldom make a trip of any length without bringing back treasures which would be unseen by most people. They expect to continue to place valuable findings in the museum of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society when the building now in prospect is provided so that materials may be properly cared for.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert McMullen and two children, Evelyn and Jake are visiting Mrs. McMullen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Singleton.

E. W. Clements and wife, their two children, and a grandson, Herschel Philip, all of Gladewater, Texas, visited at the home of Mr. Clements' brother, W. M. Clements, here last week, returning home Monday. Mr. Clements told Ebony citizens that he now has twelve flowing oil wells on his land at Gladewater.

Nellie Malone went to Brownwood Thursday to visit relatives and friends. Sunday she accompanied her cousin, Mrs. Joe Blagg, and family to Ballinger. She expects to go from there to San Angelo to visit her sister, Mrs. Clara Miller, who will sail soon for France on the Gold Star.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Lovelace and daughter, Alline visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben Egger Sunday. Friends are sorry to learn that Loyt Roberts is on the sick list this week.

Grandma Egger, also has been seriously sick the last few days. The Ed Crowder family went to Brownwood again Thursday to take Weldon to the doctor. His hand is still improving, but still has to be treated by the doctor.

Raleigh Egger from near Clio accompanied by her brother-in-law, Alvin Hanna, called at the Jim Wilmoth home Sunday afternoon. Mrs. David Love and daughter, Nova Dee, spent Thursday with Mrs. Irene Reeves.

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OBJECTIVES OF BUDGET GROUPS ARE SET FORTH

The purpose, work and plans of the local taxation and public expenditures committees that have been appointed in many of the cities and towns affiliated with the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, are defined in a pamphlet sent out by the West Texas chamber. The local committees also work with a central committee of the organization.

J. J. Timmins, Edward Henley, Jr., and Mrs. Lydia H. MacMullen are three of the members of the local committee and other members are to be named. Program of the local committee is outlined as follows in the pamphlet: "First, sponsor budget making. Taxpayers too long have been saying taxes must come down, but it is only through well organized budget procedure that it will be determined why they should come down.

"Wait upon the commissioners' court, school trustees, and city council and secure a definite understanding about the installation of the budget procedure. "Request each group of public officials to prepare the budget substantially in accordance with the procedure outlined.

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The ordinance, which became a city law Tuesday night, gives a lighter penalty on delinquent taxes now, than to those who wait a long time to pay. The council believes the new law will not only be more fair and equitable to tax payers, but will speed up tax collections at the present time and bring in much needed funds.

Provisions of New Plan. Starting with the first month after 1931 taxes became delinquent and continuing until January 31, 1932, the interest and penalty increases each succeeding month. Following is the schedule of graduated penalty and interest on delinquent 1931 taxes which taxpayers can use at once in paying taxes:

February, 1932, .02 per cent. March, 1932, .02 per cent. April, 1932, .05 per cent. May, 1932, .05 per cent. June, 1932, .05 per cent. July, 1932, .06 per cent. August, 1932, .08 per cent. September, 1932, 10 per cent. October, 1932, 11 per cent. November, 1932, 12 per cent. December, 1932, 14 per cent. January, 1933, 16 per cent.

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JULY FIFTH SELECTED AS DATE FOR CONCERT BY MALE CHORUS

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Director Fitz expressed himself as well pleased with the way the men sang the songs which were readily agreed to the early date for the concert as suggested by Chairman C. M. Carpenter and others. Tuesday night's rehearsal brought together a chorus of between 75 and 100 singers, quite a number of whom were from Bangs and other places outside of Brownwood.

The men present Tuesday night were greatly interested in the program and confident that the program Tuesday night would take it as a great Brownwood and county event. The men present Tuesday night responded wholeheartedly to suggestion that the Brown County Community Male Chorus should perpetuate after the concert which it originally was organized to give, and voted to make it a permanent organization. C. M. Carpenter was elected president, Guyger of Bangs vice president, Ed Stalcup secretary, and a chorus to be named for each community outside of Brownwood.

Among meetings to be held in conjunction with the short course are those of the Extension Workers' Association, the Agricultural Experiment Station and ranch economics of the Agricultural Experiment Station. The plan is to make a report on land use in Texas at the Agricultural Extension Association meeting. The plan is to make a report on land use in Texas at the Agricultural Extension Association meeting. The plan is to make a report on land use in Texas at the Agricultural Extension Association meeting.

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Plane View Reveals Immensity Of Lake Brownwood at Floodtide

BY CLARK COURSEY

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Entire Jim Ned Valley Flooded The entire Jim Ned valley around Thrifty was flooded by rapidly rising water from the creek.

Water began rising Sunday afternoon and continued to rise rapidly until into the night.

Large Hole in Water The intake structure there is a hole in the water, sucked in as the water goes into the hole.

Work to Recover Property Reports from Brooks' store today at noon were that the people had gone back to their homes and were trying to recover farm machinery and buildings.

Reservoir Filled in 6 Hours In a period of six hours, from 11 o'clock Sunday afternoon until 5 o'clock Sunday night, the reservoir formed by Brownwood dam, under construction, eight miles north of Brownwood, was completely filled.

Larger Than 1900 Flood Old timers hark back to the flood of 1900 to find a comparison for this flood and some say the flood Sunday was even larger than the 1900 flood.

Seven Days to Clear Out Highest discharge of the water had a 13,000 second feet, the conduits discharging 11,000 second feet and the spillway discharging 2,000 acre feet.

Water in the lake, they mean it. When the second-foot and figures of the amount of acre reduced to gallons, it is 250 gallons.

Measurement in Gallons A cubic foot of water is a given water. There are 7 1/2 gallons in a foot.

er Is invited Open Campaign in Dallas, Sept. 5

AS, Texas, July 7—John N. Democratic vice-presidential has been asked to open campaign in Dallas at a labor day celebration

man was dispatched to the Speaker today by J. W. President of the Dallas Central council, and August W. executive secretary of the

appreciation of your loyal we are not raising any account of the new govern- You can buy from us

Flood Prevented

Although the sudden and unexpected filling of Lake Brownwood caused some damage above the dam, it was generally agreed in business circles of Brownwood today that the dam had saved probably a million dollars of damage in the Bayou valley and in this city by checking the flood waters.

The flood that swept down Jim Ned Creek and Pecan Bayou and filled Lake Brownwood within twenty-four hours was much greater than that of 1900, which broke all known records here when half the business district of this city was inundated.

Following are the results of the events: Junior 50 Yard Free Style—Wilson, Stephenville; Young, Stephenville; Hooker, Stephenville. Time 33.3 seconds.

"The dam has paid for itself by preventing such a flood," said many observers today as they thought of what undoubtedly would have happened if the dam had not been near enough to completion to check the sweep of the flood waters.

take the conduits seven days to discharge the amount of water now in the lake, Mr. Ross says.

Water at the dam started falling at 12 o'clock Monday night and had fallen about two feet at noon today. The gates have been wide open during the flood.

In 1900, from September 19 to 24, Abilene had 69.0 inches rain; Coleman, 12.65, and Brownwood, 4.95. On Sunday night, July 3, 1932, Coleman had 9.65 inches; Abilene, 3.75; Talpa, 10 inches, and other towns along the watershed similar heavy rains, records at the water office show.

The only visible damage to the dam, Mr. Ross says, is the washing away of the grouting below the wing walls of the outlet structure and the washing away of soft dirt at the north side of the north wing walls.

Confident of Victory Speaking quietly, and in fluent correct English which somewhat contrasted with the stammering of his public address, the former governor of Texas then discussed the present campaign.

Red Cross Gifts Cut Corporation Supply Of Wheat

CHICAGO, July 7.—The Grain Stabilization Corporation has announced gifts to the Red Cross had left the Federal Farm Board with only 28,000,000 bushels of wheat.

"This is equivalent to less than three weeks consumption of wheat in the United States and it is therefore obvious stabilization stocks are not now in any sense an important market factor," said President Geo. S. Milnor.

GARNER PLANS TO CAMPAIGN IN WESTERN STATES WHILE ROOSEVELT LABORS IN EAST

WASHINGTON, July 6.—If individual popularity among members of Congress spelled success in national elections, Speaker of the House John Garner would be elected unanimously to the Vice-Presidency to which he aspires on the Democratic ticket.

Garner, a poker-playing ex-cowboy from the plains of Texas, has a remarkable hold upon the affections of his colleagues.

Republicans and Democrats alike joined in the tribute. Minority Leader "Bet" Spill, political foe and personal friend, left his seat in the Republican benches to shake Garner by the hand and extend his congratulations.

Vague as to Plans Garner is rather vague concerning his plans for the campaign after House adjournment.

His friends insist he must rest—a good long time—"on his Texas

Large Crowd Sees Swimming-Diving Meet Here Monday

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Senior 3200 Yard Free Style—Bill Best, Leroy Conley, Levie Oida. Time 30.4 seconds.

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Senior 25600 Yard Free Style—Bill Best, Leroy Conley, Levie Oida. Time 30.4 seconds.

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JIM NED AND BAYOU BRIDGE WORK PLANNED

Contracts for nearly 200 feet of new bridges on the Jim Ned and Pecan Bayou, across the upper end of Lake Brownwood, will be let Wednesday, July 13, by Brown county commissioners court.

Two spans of about 43 feet each will be contracted for on the Jim Ned and present plans call for about 100 feet of new bridges on the Bayou.

The specifications prepared by Engineer Leo Ehlinger call for concrete structures similar to the ones that were recently completed.

Bridges to be contracted for next week, when completed, will take care of any future flood waters, engineers state.

In addition to agreeing to let contracts for the new bridges, the court Wednesday afternoon approved several estimates presented by contractors and others who are furnishing materials for road work in the county.

Bruce & Kellum presented an estimate of \$991.10 for work on the Coggin loop of Highway No. 10, which was approved by the court and ordered paid.

W. G. Alexander's estimate of \$997.93 for material used on Highway No. 10 and his estimate of \$242.00 for material used on the Coggin loop of Highway No. 10, were approved by the court and ordered paid.

ODD FELLOWS OF DISTRICT MEET HERE

Some fifty visiting Odd Fellows and a number of local members attended a district meeting held at the local Odd Fellows hall Wednesday.

Most of the fifteen counties in the district were represented. District meetings are held in each of the lodges in the district annually.

W. D. Carroll of Comanche, Deputy Grand Master, and E. Q. Vestal of Dallas, Grand Secretary, attended the meeting.

The district session was held during the morning, starting at 10 o'clock. Sessions of the Grand Lodge were held in the afternoon and night.

The Subordinate Lodge met in a night session and conferred the first degree.

Barbecue, with all the trimmings, was served as a 6 o'clock lunch.

The purpose of the district meetings is to bring the officers and members of the various lodges in the district together for discussions of questions of the lodges and ways and means of improving them.

Following appointments were made by Grand Master Carroll to assist him in the meetings of the Grand Lodge: A. G. Norton, Banks, grand conductor; A. L. Sharp, Brownwood, grand chaplain; John R. Stephenson, Brownwood, grand guardian; Louis Hudson, Goldthwaite, deputy grand master; and a Mr. Collins, Flatwood, grand warden.

There has been no decrease in the amount of first class mail at Brownwood postoffice since the increase in rates went into effect Wednesday, July 6, D. Stewart, postmaster.

RECIPES OF IMPORTANCE FOR CANNING VEGETABLES AT THIS TIME GIVEN BY MISS MALONE

Many inquiries are being received by Miss Maysie Malone, home demonstration agent, for instructions in canning vegetables, and she gives the following recipes for the benefit of the numerous women interested.

PEACHES: Make a thin syrup (1 cup sugar to 3 cups water). Add one cracked peach pit for every quart of syrup. Boil for 5 minutes and strain.

Immerse the peaches in boiling water or in a lye solution until skins will slip easily, plunge into cold water. Remove skins, cut peaches in halves, discarding pits.

PEARS: Peel, cut in halves, core and cook in boiling medium syrup (1 cup sugar to 2 cups water) for 4 to 8 minutes, according to size of fruit. Pack into hot containers and fill with the boiling syrup.

PLUMS: Wash and prick each plum to prevent skin from bursting. Fill into jars and cover with boiling medium syrup (1 cup sugar to 2 cups water). Process quart and pint glass jars for 20 minutes in boiling water and No. 2 and No. 3 sanitary or R enamel tin cans for 15 minutes.

TOMATOES: Select firm, ripe tomatoes of uniform size. Put in cheesecloth bag or wire basket and dip in boiling water for about 1 minute. Remove and plunge immediately into cold water. Drain, core and peel promptly.

TOMATO JUICE: Select firm, ripe tomatoes, wash well and drain. Trim away all decayed, bruised, green or bitter portions.

The juice may be extracted by preheating before pressing or extracting the juice from cold tomatoes. The last method gives an excellent product, which has a good color, flavor and consistency.

PICKLED BEETS: The beets should be young, tender, practically free from cracks, peeled, and with defects trimmed. Uniform sizes (1 1/4 to 1 1/2 inch in diameter) and good color. Sort beets, putting those of uniform size together.

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BIG AUDIENCE AT CONCERT BY MEN'S CHORUS

An audience that filled Howard Payne to capacity while quite a number of people turned away from the doors because unable to obtain seats, heard the concert of sacred songs by the Brown County Community Male Chorus Tuesday night.

This was in spite of the fact that heavy clouds gave threats of rain in the hour immediately preceding the program.

The chorus consisted of over ninety men. Four groups of songs were sung, with three or four songs in each group.

Hearty Appreciation Shown The audience from the first showed great appreciation of the songs, hearty and spontaneous applause greeting each number.

The program was opened with an invocation by Rev. John N. Rentford, pastor of First Methodist Church, and closed with benediction by Rev. W. R. Hornburg, pastor of Coggin Avenue Baptist Church.

Dr. Thomas H. Taylor, president of Howard Payne College, covered several topics at one of the intervals in a characteristic and minimalist short talk, but none the less expressed the value of singing to the community, and his appreciation of men's chorus.

The audience responded with hearty hand clapping to the mention of the names of C. M. Carpenter, the chairman, Theophilus Pitzer, director, and Mrs. W. D. McCulley, the director, in acknowledgment of their splendid work.

Special Services At Brookesmith

Rev. W. F. Rutherford of McAllen, Texas, who has been attending the general assembly of the Church of the Nazarene at Wichita, Kansas, will preach at Brookesmith Saturday night and Sunday, according to announcements received from Rev. R. E. Cumming, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene at Brookesmith.

There will be three services on Sunday. Basket dinner will be served at the church.

The Brookesmith pastor says in his announcement: "Rev. Rutherford is a strong Biblical preacher and a recognized leader among men. He has served as teacher of the McAllen men's Bible class for several years, also as president of this opportunity to association of McAllen. He at one time served the San Antonio district of the Church of the Nazarene as district superintendent. His former friends and acquaintances in this vicinity will be glad to avail themselves of this opportunity to meet him again and to hear him preach. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these special services."

AFTER EIGHTY YEARS NEWTON, Kan.,—Tommy's analysis got Max Ingraham and kept him from "making" the wheat harvest this year—the first time he has missed in four score years. He started to work in the wheat field when he was 14.

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A. D. MURPHY, Business Manager

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SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Brown.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Brown County, on the 28th day of June, 1932, by Allen D. Forsythe, Clerk of said Court, for sum of three hundred, fifty and 35/100 dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment in favor of Citizens National Bank in Brownwood, Texas, in a certain case in said Court, No. 6072 and styled Citizens National Bank in Brownwood, Texas, vs. R. C. Redner, W. B. Redner, Nina Thomson and Lawrence Redner, placed in my hands for service, I, M. H. Denman, as Sheriff of Brown County, Texas, did, on the 29th day of June, 1932, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Brown County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

A lot, 90x124 feet, being a part of lot 1 in block "H" of Coggin Addition to City of Brownwood, being same property that was conveyed to W. J. Redner by Wm. O. Bowers as shown of record in Volume 98, page 113, Deed Records of Brown County, Texas, and hereby expressly referred to, and levied upon as the property of R. C. Redner, W. B. Redner, Nina Thomson and Lawrence Redner and that on the first Tuesday in August, 1932, the same being the 2nd day of said month, at the Court House door, of Brown County, in the City of Brownwood, Texas, between the hours of 10:00 a. m. and 4:00 p. m., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale, I will offer for sale and sell at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of the said R. C. Redner, W. B. Redner, Nina Thomson and Lawrence Redner in and to said property.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week, for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in The Banner-Bulletin, a newspaper published in Brown County.

Witness my hand, this 29th day of June, 1932.

M. H. DENMAN, Sheriff, Brown County, Texas.

3-30-7-14

SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Brown.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Brown County, on the 5th day of July 1932, by Allen D. Forsythe, Clerk of said Court for sum of Seventeen Hundred and Seventy Nine and 24/100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a judgment and foreclosure of a statutory lien in favor of E. B. Sikes in a certain case in said Court, No. 6191 and styled E. B. Sikes vs. Harmon H. Carter, et al, placed in my hands for service, I, M. H. Denman, as Sheriff of Brown County, Texas,

did, on the 6th day of July, 1932, levy on certain Real Estate situated in Brown County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:— An undivided 7-8 interest in and to the following real property, to-wit:— 186 1-2 acres of land, being a part of the E. Humphries Survey No. 98, Patent No. 119, Vol. 22, Abstract No. 1776, in Brown County, and known as subdivision No. 37 of Clear Creek and Mike Wynn Ranch, said 186 1-2 acres of land consisting of two tracts of land of 114 acres and 12 1-2 acres, both tracts being adjoining and containing a total of 186 1-2 acres of land and being the same two tracts of land conveyed to Louis Basling, Trustee for the Union Central Life Insurance Company by Bernettie E. Carter by deed of Trust dated November 21, 1923, as shown of record in Vol. 30 at page 390 of the Deed of Trust Records of Brown County, Texas, which deed and record reference is hereby expressly made for a full and complete description of said land, and complete description of the property of Harmon H. Carter, Independent executor of the last will and estate of Mrs. B. H. Carter, deceased, and that on the first Tuesday in August, 1932, the same being the 2nd day of said month, at the Court House door, of Brown County, in the town of Brownwood, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said order of sale I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Harmon H. Carter, Independent Executor of the last will and estate of Mrs. B. H. Carter, deceased.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week, for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in The Banner-Bulletin, a newspaper published in Brown County.

Witness my hand, this 6th day of July, 1932.

M. H. DENMAN, Sheriff Brown County, Texas.

July 7-14-21

Callaway's Unfounded Attack Answered

I have been sick and confined to my room for two or three days, and have just learned that my opponent is circulating a circular filled with misleading statements. It is difficult to get an exact statement from the records as to the number of cases appealed and the number reversed, but the statement on this point in Mr. Callaway's circular is so far from correct that it can hardly represent an honest effort to state facts. As to Brown and McCulloch counties the following presents the correct record, as given me by the clerks, checked and verified as best I can. There is a larger per cent of reversals in Coleman county, but I have been unable to get the correct data:

Table with 3 columns: Cases Appealed, Cases Reversed, and County. Rows include Brown County, McCulloch Co., and a total row.

52 cases appealed 9 Reversed. Any statement that more than half of my cases have been reversed is so far wrong as to make it impossible for the person making it to be sincere in his efforts to do better than the average of the State cannot be denied.

The new 19th District Court was not created upon my request. An effort to divide this district and create a new one at the former legislature was defeated upon my request. I tried to get a re-arrangement of existing districts so as to equalize the work without the expense of a new court. I was handling the business of 94,000 people while the average district of the State was handling less than half that, and two adjoining districts were handling less than one-fourth as much. The new court did not become effective until about September 1st, 1931, at which time the dockets were much heavier than when I went on the bench. The records will show that I have tried twice as many contested cases as were ever tried in this district before in the same length of time, and thereby saved half the expense per case.

I repeat that my conduct of the office has been generally satisfactory and without criticism, and proof to the contrary cannot be found. Every lawyer in the district has commended my fairness, the clarity of my charges and rulings, and the dispatch with which business has been handled. Only my opponent and one or two other criminal lawyers are now making criticisms solely for political purposes. No evidence or any respectable corroboration to the effect that my personal feelings toward attorneys and litigants is reflected in my official acts. All such assertions are the product of his imagination inspired solely for political purposes and propagated because he cannot dictate to the Court and run it in the interest of himself and his clients.

Political Announcements

DISTRICT OFFICES

For District Judge: G. R. CALAWAY (Re-Election) E. J. MILLER (Second Term)

COUNTY OFFICES

For Sheriff: M. I. LANGFORD W. E. (Jack) HALLMARK M. H. DENMAN (Re-Election) For Tax Assessor: JAMES W. PHILLIPS W. E. (Bud) HURLESON For County Clerk: ALLEN D. FORTSYTHE For Commissioner Precinct No. 1: E. S. THOMPSON J. V. SEWALT For Commissioner Precinct 2: M. R. CALAWAY MARION M. COX G. M. STUTEVILLE For Commissioner Precinct 3: J. A. (Chris) BETTIS J. F. BIRD S. W. BLACK For Commissioner Precinct No. 4: W. M. MELCAMP CHAS. B. PALMER CHARLEY MATTHEWS A. A. MARTIN For Tax Collector: LEE MEEK (Re-Election) For County Judge: COURTNEY GRAY For Public Weigher Precinct No. 1: L. Q. (Bud) REISE (Re-Election) R. J. (Bud) SHELTON For Treasurer: IKE C. MULLINS (Re-Election) For County Superintendent: P. D. PIERCE LESLIE GRIFFIN

Callaway's Unfounded Attack Answered

himself and his clients. There is but one other lawyer in the district fishing me and he represents the defendants in four-fifths of all criminal cases in Coleman County. He has had to try three times as many of his criminal cases during the last three years as he ever did before. He has not been able to wear them out with continuance, and he is fighting me for the same reason that my opponent is and no other, that is, because he cannot dictate to and run the Court in the interest of himself and his criminal clients. At least three-fourths of the lawyers in the district are for me and commend my fairness, ability and industry.

I have not undertaken to write divorce laws nor have I made rules for the County. I have attempted to enforce the spirit and purpose of State laws and slow down the divorce mills. I have required reasonable corroboration as the one-sided charges made are often grossly exaggerated. This is done by a great many courts and is amply justified on established legal principles. For this I have no apology.

As to reducing the salary and doing away with the new Court, my opponent is more than a full year behind me, and he will find on the 23rd that the people of the district appreciate my efforts enough to leave him far behind.

I have challenged my opponent to cite one instance where I neglected business. I have stayed on the job as long as there was any business ready for attention, at home, away from home, early and late. I have held special sessions, night sessions and longer daily sessions in order to expedite business.

My opponent, if elected, might be absolutely fair, but with two brothers practicing law in the district, there are those who have doubts. For those who voted for my opponent last election, I have never had any criticism. They voted for a good man who had served long and well. A fair consideration of my record will challenge their support of me now. To those who supported me last election I extend my sincere appreciation and am sure they will find nothing in my record to alienate their confidence and support for a second term.

E. J. MILLER (Pol. Adv.)



Indian Creek

Mrs. A. F. Cress and son, De Witt, have returned to their home at Staples after spending several weeks visiting relatives here.

Bill Burleson of Brownwood was a business visitor in this community Thursday.

Rev. and Mrs. Henry Francis spent last week at Mullin, where Rev. Francis was helping in a revival meeting.

Everson Wells of Brownwood visited friends in this community Friday.

The Girls' 4-H Club met at the club house Thursday morning June 30. There were four girls and Miss Mayes Malone present.

The Woman's Home Demonstration club met Thursday afternoon June 30 at the club house. Eight members, five visitors and Miss Mayes Malone were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Grady of Woodland Heights spent Thursday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Grady.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Francis, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Francis of Brownwood, have returned home after visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave McDonald and children of Brownwood were visiting relatives in this community Thursday.

Home Middleton of Brownwood was a business visitor in this community Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Mills of Brownwood were visitors in the home of her mother, Mrs. John Challette a short while Thursday afternoon.

Pauline McBride is leader of the B. Y. P. U. program for Sunday, July 10. Others on the program are: Lettie McMullen, Yvonne Hawthorne, Nellie Grace DeYane, Rev. W. D. Kirkpatrick, June Embrey and Lillian Melbridge.

Miss Willie Edwards of this place and Henry Moran of Bangs were married Saturday evening at Brownwood at the home of Rev. and Mrs. W. D. Kirkpatrick. They will make their home at Bangs.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McMullen and children of San Angelo spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hanna.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Minor have been visiting in the George Creamer home several days last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gable and son, Milburn, of Cross Plains spent Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gable.

Goldthwaite

The people of the Mullin community are planning a picnic on Mullin creek near the crossing. Some good speakers are expected to be present and make their wants known to the voters.

L. Allen and son of Dallas visited friends here the first of the week. Mr. Allen formerly lived here and was a member of the Sullivan, Trent & Allen hardware and furniture business.

Frank Geeslin and daughter visited here Monday. They were on their way home from a visit with his brother, Edward Geeslin, and family in Brady.

John Carroll, who has been in Temple sanitarium having his eyes treated for some time, is reported improving.

County Judge Roy Simpson has appointed Wm. Biddle, Jr., to fill out the unexpired term of his father as commissioner, precinct No. 2. The term will expire January 1st, 1933, at which time the commissioner elected in November will take the office.

Rev. H. E. Moreland's barn caught fire Wednesday morning of last week and considerable damage was done to the building and some corn. The family car was in the garage joining the barn and the excited firefighters broke one of the doors off the car when they attempted to get the car to a safe place. It is not definitely known how the fire originated. The loss is estimated at about \$25.00 and no insurance carried.

Mrs. W. E. Rose is home from a Brownwood sanitarium where she has been having her eyes treated. She is reported improving but still has to take treatments.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Priddy and little daughter, Ann, left for their home near Temple last Saturday after spending a few days here visiting Mrs. Priddy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Gaddy, and Mrs. Priddy's relatives and friends in Mullin.

J. W. Geeslin of the Center City community has announced as a candidate for the office of commissioner, precinct 2.

The American Legion junior baseball team from Goldthwaite played a match game with the San Saba junior team in San Saba last Thursday. The score was 5 to 3 in favor of Goldthwaite.

D. Y. Fox, who has been real sick for some time, is reported improving.

It is thought that Herman Richards will be able to come home this week from a Temple sanitarium where his left leg was amputated a few days ago.

Mrs. J. D. Lindsey went to Brownwood Monday for examination in a sanitarium. She suffered a stroke of paralysis in her face several days ago. An X-ray picture was made of her teeth and her condition is thought to be serious.

The three days' jubilee and barbecue celebration, planned for July 14th, 15th and 16th, has been postponed until July 19th, 20th and 21st.

Another change in the plans will be no entrance fees charged to the grounds and barbecue. The only charge will be to see the races and other amusements viewed from the grandstand.

Mrs. Lizzie Bateman left Monday for Oklahoma where she will visit her son, B. B. Bateman, and family, also her son, John, who has an ice business in Drumright, Oklahoma.

Mr. Puller and Miss Lois spent Monday night with J. R. Dean and family in Blanket.

Guyer Announces For Commissioner In Precinct No. 1

G. W. Guyer has announced as a candidate for county commissioner in precinct No. 1.

Mr. Guyer has been a resident of Brown county forty years and has lived for thirty-two years at his present home in the precinct in which he is a candidate. He was educated in the schools of Brown county and in the State Normal College at Warrensburg, Mo.

Spaking of his candidacy, Mr. Guyer says: "I have had experience in the business world and in farming and road building which would enable me to deal successfully with the affairs of the precinct and county. Two years ago I made a short campaign for the office of commissioner and received a good vote. Now, upon solicitation of many friends, I am again entering the race and asking for your support."

Mr. Guyer says he is "for better roads and better county government, and adds: "I will say positively, that if elected, I will go into office bound by special promise to man or organization; that I will not be swayed from what I believe to be right and to the best interest of the people of the county; that I believe in and will practice the principle of equal rights to all special privileges to none."

For the Horse the old horse and buggy there is no such thing as a drive license. Had one been required, doubtless it would have been issued to the horse, which in many cases is more than the driver.—To Blade.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

In BROWNWOOD, TEXAS At the Close of Business June 30, 1932

Table with 2 columns: Resources and Liabilities. Resources include Loans and Discounts, Banking House, Furniture & Fixtures, Stock in Federal Reserve Bank, Redemption Fund with U. S. Treasurer, Real Estate, Cash on hand and with banks, United States Bonds. Liabilities include Capital (Paid In), Surplus (Earned), Undivided Profits, Circulation, DEPOSITS, Borrowed Money.

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Ebony

A fine rain fell here Friday night, part of Saturday, and Sunday morning. Every one is rejoicing. The Colored people have risen and fallen before the rain, but now has risen again until it is all over the bottom and still rising, (July Fourth).

In spite of the rain there was Sunday school and church meeting at the Church of Christ Sunday morning.

There was singing at the Baptist church Sunday night, a good crowd, good singing and good behavior.

The Community Club served an ice cream supper on the ball grounds early Saturday evening and afterwards enjoyed a party at Mrs. Lewis's.

Alvin Mashburn of Port Arthur is visiting his mother, Mrs. W. M. Clements.

Miss Zeola Philen of San Angelo is visiting relatives and friends in this community this week. Miss Philen graduated from the University of the best of those who have gone out from us. Her friends are glad to welcome her in their midst. She is teacher in the San Angelo schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Egger are visiting their son, Mac Egger, and family at Regency this week.

Alvin Griffin of Election, son of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Griffin, is visiting his uncle, C. H. Griffin.

Mrs. Lem Egger is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Dave Love and daughter, Nova Dee, spent Tuesday with Mrs. Dick Singleton.

Ben Egger and his mother, Grandma Egger, visited Mrs. Sam Riggs at Zephyr Sunday.

Mrs. Loyd Roberts and Mrs. Billie McNurlan visited Mrs. P. R. Reid Sunday afternoon.

Miss Ruby Norton and Miss Jeffa B. Queen, both of Brownwood, visited Miss Evelyn Reeves last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Egger took dinner with the Love family Sunday.

Miss Dollie Reynolds and Mr. and Mrs. Henry McCarty spent Wednesday with Mrs. Allen Lovelace, helping her can.

Misses Lucile Wilmet and Grace Briley visited Mrs. Cye Shelton Sunday afternoon.

Hard Hobbs from near Indian Creek transacted business at the Wilmeth Ranch Monday.

Spring

Just had a lot of... and is rain... (Wednesday)...

And all feed crops... a good yield...

There is no such thing as a drive license. Had one been required, doubtless it would have been issued to the horse, which in many cases is more than the driver.—To Blade.

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Springs
All livestock are thriving but some sheep and goat men complain of poor lamb and kid crops.
All ranchers are greatly discouraged because of the extremely low prices of wool, mohair and sheep and goats. A certain rancher some time past shipped 10 cars of goats to Kansas City and received a bill for a little more than 200 dollars additional expense money. He is said to have wired back "No money, but plenty more goats."
The singing at Rock Church Sunday night was well attended and we note about the visitors, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Petross and children and Joe Ashley of Center Point; the Brysonville singing class; C. E.

Stapp and Mr. and Mrs. Boyd of Comanche.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lappe visited Will Heptinstall and family, Sunday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Ross Harris of the coast country spent a few days of the past week with her sister, Mrs. Virgil Parsons.
Wayne Brown of Brownwood spent a few days of the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Heptinstall.
Lois Yantis of Snyder, spent a few days last week with Ruth Heptinstall.
Mrs. Ed Woolsey visited her sons, Leroy and Charlie, near Beatty Saturday and Sunday.
Mrs. Roy Blackmon and babies and Mrs. Jim Faulkner visited R. H. Porter and family the past week.

Misses Vada and Eunice Hall, and Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Stewart of Antioch, attended the singing at Rock Church Sunday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McMurray of family, Monday.
Mrs. M. Wells of Brownwood is spending the week with her father, W. S. Porter, and Amos Porter and wife.
Billie Clark of San Saba is visiting his sister, Mrs. P. J. Bush; Milt Wells of Brownwood, is working with the Thompson and Simpson threshers this week.
Arnon Ward and family of Comanche visited his son, Asa, and Mrs. Jim Faulkner is spending a few days this week with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blackmon.
Will Heptinstall and sons, Roy Dale and Lynn, were shopping in Brownwood Saturday.
Amos Porter made a business trip to Brownwood Tuesday.
Leroy Woolsey of Beatty, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Woolsey, Monday.
Grandmother Henson, who has been visiting her son, Lloyd and wife, has returned to her home at Antioch.

"We are selling as much as we ever did because we are reducing prices in spite of the fact that a Federal tax has been added to many items—Duke & Ayres, Inc."

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Breedin and children of Houston spent Friday night with Mrs. G. A. Breed.
Mr. and Mrs. Murry McBurney were shopping in Brownwood Saturday.
Miss Roberta Bingham of Bertram is visiting Misses Inez and Emma Nesmith.
Mrs. Lou Spiers of Temple is visiting her son, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Boase.
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Evans and children of Brownwood spent Sunday with Mrs. Evans' mother, Mrs. J. P. Horton.
Miss Eloise Cabler, a nurse at the Central Texas Hospital in Brownwood, is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Cabler.
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Reasoner were hosts for a lawn party to the members of the B. Y. P. U. Monday evening at their home. Forty-two whiled the hours. Ice cream and cake was served as refreshments to the following members and guests: Misses Nona Cobb, Geneva McKinney, Mae Van Zandt, Opal Cobb, Aurelia Petty, Bernice Norris, Erma McKinney and Lula Cunningham; Messrs. Morris Reasoner, Bob Cobb, Eustace Renfro, Donald Cobb and Marion Reasoner; Messrs. and Mesdames Bert Harper, Harold Gist and George Ware, and Mesdames Ethel McKinney and Mrs. I. C. Hollman of Paint Rock.
Mrs. George Ware has as her guest this week her sister, Mrs. I. C. Hollman, and two children of Paint Rock.
Miss Lella Van Zandt, a student in John Tarleton College in Stephenville, spent the week-end with her father, J. L. Van Zandt.
Misses Nettie Lucas, Bernice Coffman and Katherine Cook of Stephenville were guests over the week-end of Miss Lella Van Zandt.
Mrs. J. A. Cunningham, Jr. and little son, J. A., III, spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cunningham.
Miss Marzelle Boland of Goldthwaite is visiting her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Boland, this week.
Mrs. S. M. Piller and little daughters, Mary and Martha, of Abilene are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cunningham.
Mr. and Mrs. Merle Daniels and children and G. L. Kimbrell of Wolforth spent the week-end with relatives here. Mrs. Kimbrell and daughter, Myrtle, returned home with them after a two weeks' visit here.
John Petty returned Monday afternoon from a ten days' visit in De Leon with his aunt, Mrs. E. A. Terrell.
Mrs. Roy Holley of Brownwood visited her mother, Mrs. S. E. Petty, Tuesday.
Misses Bernice Scott, Eloise Cabler and Mamie Dell Driskill were in Cisco Monday.
Mrs. Arthur Driskill and daughter, Mamie Dell, were shopping in Brownwood Saturday.
The following is the League program for Sunday, July 10th:
Subject: "Who Is Selfish?"
1. Prelude.
2. Song service.
3. Lord's Prayer in unison.
4. Scripture: Matt. 25:14-30;
20:20-28. Leader's talk, Novice Shelton.
5. "How Are We Selfish?"—Harvey Kesler.
6. "Why Are We Selfish?"—Bob Coffey.
7. "How Are People Selfish in Literature?"—Billy Hooper.
8. "Who is Selfish?"—Alla Rae Coffey.
9. Duet—Vivian and Lucile.
Mrs. Walter Elliot and children of Mullin visited Mrs. S. E. Elliot Tuesday.
The B. Y. P. U. will present a program on "Property and Poverty," Sunday, July 10th.
1. "A Historical Background."—Lulu Cunningham.
2. "The Rights and Responsibilities of Private Property."—Mrs. McKinney.
3. "The Responsibility of Those With Property."—Dorothy Nell Baker.
4. "The Danger of Wealth."—Marion Reasoner.
5. "The Poor Are Defended."—Eustace Renfro.
6. "The Poor Are Commended."—Nona Cobb.
Mrs. Jack Hallmark and daughter, Lillie Mae, spent Tuesday in Brownwood.

say, Tom Grady, Perry Gleaton, Misses Imogene Grady, Thelma McCulley, Lois Yantis, Blanche Dabney, Margaret Levisay, Cleo Bird and Evelyn Levisay. They all reported having spent a very enjoyable 4th.
Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Levisay and children were in Brownwood a short time Monday.
The following is the Senior B. Y. P. U. program for next Sunday, July 10th:
Subject: "Prosperity and Poverty."
Introduction, "A Historic Background," Roy Bird.
"The Rights and Responsibilities of Private Property," Luke Reeves.
"The Dangers of Wealth," Cleo Bird.
"The Poor Are Provided For," Mrs. V. B. Eoff.

"The Poor Are Defended," Dan Nix.
"The Poor Are Commended," G. C. Levisay.
All young people who do not attend another young people's meeting are invited to attend the B. Y. P. U. services each Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock.
Mr. and Mrs. Pelham Hopkins of Brownwood spent the week-end in the home of Mrs. Hopkins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Damron.
S. B. Haddon purchased a new Rockney sedan the first of the week. Glassel Allen of Lawton, Okla., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Allen, a short time Wednesday and Mrs. Allen and children, who spent the past month here with relatives returned home with him.
Mrs. Ray of Brownwood visited in the home of her brother, Guy Grady, a short time Thursday afternoon.
Mrs. Cox of Fort Worth came in

Monday afternoon for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Will Baker, and family.
Mr. and Mrs. C. E. London and little daughter, Inez, of Brownwood spent the first of the week in the home of Mrs. London's brother, Grover Dabney, and family.
Duncan and Clyde McCulley of Houston spent the week-end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. McCulley, and other relatives.
Miss Joyce Haynes of Brownwood is visiting in the home of her grandmother, Mrs. A. E. McQueen, this week.
W. A. Irby and family of Van Dyke spent a short time Monday afternoon here with his mother, Mrs. J. W. Irby.
Ad Gamble and family of Brownwood visited Mrs. Gamble's brother, Jim Switzer, and family Monday.
Mrs. Cox of Fort Worth came in

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WALGREEN'S
TOILET GOODS
ARE MADE OF THE BEST
—AND SELL FOR LESS
You haven't taken advantage of our
TRA LOW PRICES
DRUGS and SUNDRIES, we invite
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Remember we
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Let us serve you from our most
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Give You Money
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have a nice complete line of Camping Equip-
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Help keep your money at home.
Who want to save money on their motor fuel...
Get This Gasoline at These Stations:
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BLUEBONNET REFINERY
"A BROWNWOOD INSTITUTION"
Two Miles West on Highway No. 10

Center Point
Mrs. Maudie Rodgers and daughter, Annie Opal, were visitors in the afternoon.
Miss Velma Townsend spent Tuesday night with Annie Opal Rodgers.
Mr. and Mrs. Archie Owens were visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Dixon, Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Young from the Rio Grande Valley, are visiting her sister, Mrs. G. L. Stewart.
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Horton of Big Spring visited while Thursday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Horton, en route home from Luling, Texas.
Otis Rodgers is visiting relatives near Austin.
Lee and Otis Shaw were fishing on the Bayou Thursday night of last week.
Members of the Happy Hour club hiked to Salt Creek Tuesday. The day was spent in "the ol' swimmin' hole." Everybody enjoyed themselves very much. Those who enjoyed the occasion were: Annie Opal Rodgers, Dovie Stewart, Rita Scott, Josephine Milner, Myrtle Doss, Helen Ashley, Helen Cade, Sadie and Dorothy Dixon and Velma Townsend, members, and Misses Juanita Burns and Anita Smith, visitors.
The B. Y. P. U. of Salt Creek Baptist church will meet at five o'clock Sunday afternoon, instead of the usual hour.
Mr. Bettis of Blanket was in our community Wednesday.
Mr. J. L. Horton and E. L. Dixon were in Brownwood Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Dixon of Ebony were visiting relatives in our community Tuesday.

Zephyr
Miss Iva Mae Reasoner returned to Brownwood Saturday night after spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Reasoner.
Miss Mabel Belvin is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Belvin. Mrs. R. D. Foresythe has gone to Ardmore, Oklahoma, to visit her

Charter No. 4695 Reserve District No. 11
REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE
FIRST NATIONAL BANK
of Brownwood, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on June 30th, 1932.

| RESOURCES | |
|--|----------------|
| 1. Loans and discounts | \$ 746,705.70 |
| 2. Overdrafts | 435.08 |
| 3. United States government securities owned | 829,300.00 |
| 4. Other bonds, stocks, and securities owned | 16,715.97 |
| 5. Real estate owned | 100,000.00 |
| 6. Real estate owned other than banking house | 15,644.53 |
| 7. Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank | 86,205.05 |
| 8. Cash and due from banks | 139,009.00 |
| 9. Outside checks and other items | 11,571.79 |
| 10. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer | 5,000.00 |
| TOTAL | \$1,950,587.12 |
| LIABILITIES | |
| 11. Capital stock paid in | \$ 100,000.00 |
| 12. Surplus | 100,000.00 |
| 13. Undivided profits—net | 241,000.00 |
| 14. Circulating notes outstanding | 100,000.00 |
| 15. Due to banks, including certified and cashiers' checks outstanding | 37,094.01 |
| 16. Demand deposits | 1,163,606.28 |
| 17. Time deposits | 256,625.58 |
| 18. Other liabilities (Unearned Discount) | 12,261.25 |
| TOTAL | \$1,950,587.12 |

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF BROWN, ss.
I, Millard Romines, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
MILLARD ROMINES, Cashier.
(Seal)
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of July, 1932.
W. L. JOHNSTON, Notary Public.
Correct-Attest:
JNO. T. YANTIS,
A. H. BELL,
E. E. YANTIS,
Directors.

Blanket
Rev. Sory, the presiding elder of this district, filled the Methodist pulpit Sunday at the eleven o'clock hour and Rev. Evans of Comanche filled the pulpit at the evening hour. The pastor, Rev. J. D. Smoot, is holding a revival meeting at DeLeon this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reeves and son of Dublin spent the week-end in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Reeves.
Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Swart and children spent the fourth of Brady with relatives and attended the celebrations there.
The Junior Epworth Leaguers enjoyed a social at the church Saturday evening. The evening was spent playing games and at a late hour punch and cake were served to a large number.
Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Bowden and daughter, Miss Rose, of Brownwood visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Routh Monday. Mrs. G. W. Faulkner returned home with them for a short visit.
Hollie Manor and family of Dallas spent the week-end in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Manor.
Mr. and Mrs. Curry Wiley and children of Brooksmith were visiting relatives here the fourth and little Miss Maxine remained over for a longer visit.
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Deen of Brownwood were visiting here Sunday.
Among those who enjoyed a picnic at Lake Eanes, Comanche, the 4th, were: Roy Bird, Don Lanford, Jake McCulley, Rex Lanford, G. C. Levi-

THURSDAY 9 A. M.
Our Doors Open To The Biggest Bargain Epoch Ever Witnessed In Brownwood
THE YOGUE'S MIGHTY QUIT BUSINESS
EVERYTHING MUST GO **SALE** FIXTURES FOR SALE
This is a Genuine Quit Business Sale
See Our Circular
OUR LEASE EXPIRES and we are going to quit. To do this, we have made the lowest prices ever offered on seasonable merchandise in Central Texas. Don't take our word for it. Come and see for yourself.
BE HERE EARLY!
THE YOGUE
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Gib Callaway Replies To Judge Miller
Hon. E. J. Miller is basing his claims for re-election upon his official record. He has stated, both on his cards and in the press of the district, that his appellate court record is "unusually good". However, he only gives a part of such record, and as published, we believe, the statement is misleading. We feel certain that this is unintentional on the part of Judge Miller, and probably due to his lack of space.
In this respect he states: "Appellate Court Record unusually good. Of the hundreds of criminal cases disposed of there has not been one reversal from McCulloch County, only two from Brown County, and comparatively few from Coleman County. This is the best evidence of ability and fairness."
It will be noted in the above statement he says: "Comparatively few (reversals) from Coleman County." The record shows that out of twenty-six criminal cases appealed from Coleman County, sixteen have been reversed; more than three cases reversed out of each five appealed. Judge Miller states: "Of the hundreds of criminal cases disposed of there has not been one reversal from McCulloch County," etc. This statement would seem to leave the impression on the voter, unfamiliar with court procedure, that "hundreds" of criminal cases had been appealed. The records show that only about forty criminal cases have been appealed and decided, from the entire district, and only seventy cases, altogether, both civil and criminal.
If the number of cases reversed by the higher courts is "the best evidence of ability and fairness," as Judge Miller states, then the only way to draw a fair conclusion is to have all such evidence before you when he asks you to give him four more years in office on that ground. The complete record shows:

| | Cases Appealed | Cases Reversed |
|------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Brown County | 13 | 9 |
| McCulloch County | 14 | 3 |
| Coleman County | 43 | 25 |
| TOTAL | 70 | 37 |

It thus appears that more than half of all cases appealed, both civil and criminal, have been reversed. Suppose it costs the tax payers \$250.00 to try each of the thirty-seven cases reversed, the second time. That would mean \$9,250.00 that Judge Miller's mistakes have cost the district. Does that record merit a vote of confidence?
Judge Miller has held the office four years and appeals to you to give him a second term. If he is not properly qualified, one term is too long. The district judge is elected for four years instead of two. Even the District Attorney only has a two year term. He has already

served the equivalent of two terms in any other county or even most of the State offices.
Judge Miller says he has cleared the dockets and saved the district money. Let us examine this statement. When he was elected the district had five counties in it. On May 23, 1931, the legislature created the 119th Judicial District and cut Runnels and Concho Counties out of this district. They created another office of district judge and district attorney, increasing the salaries to be paid by the taxpayers more than \$9,000.00 per year. While this law was passed by the legislature, Judge Miller's district was the one mainly affected, and it is fair to assume that his wishes were consulted. I say that this was a useless waste of money and was unnecessary. With his district cut in half and the three years depression curtailing litigation to some extent, does it take exceptional ability to "clear the dockets" in this new district?
Judge Miller states that his conduct of the office has been "generally satisfactory and without criticism." Among those who are in a position to know and judge intelligently of these matters, there has been considerable criticism and dissatisfaction.
It is currently discussed that Judge Miller's inability to properly grasp and submit to the jury the controlling issues has caused many hung juries; and because of the inability of juries to understand the meaning of his questions, in several instances the juries have returned verdicts exactly the opposite of what they intended. There is also a belief among many that Judge Miller's personal feelings toward the attorneys or parties litigant, are often unconsciously and unintentionally reflected in his setting of bonds and his rulings. He has undertaken to write divorce laws of his own, which are contrary to the statutes of the State. That he has a limited and technical view of evidence which renders it difficult for him to correctly try a case, is shown by the fact that more than half of all cases appealed have been reversed.
I favor abolishing the new judicial district and restoring Runnels and Concho, in order to save that expense. The salary of the district judge should be reduced by at least 20 per cent and I pledge my influence to this end if elected. I promise to stay on the job in counties away from my home whenever necessary, whether it suits my personal convenience or not. I will try cases, both civil and criminal, without reference to political or personal considerations, and feel that I can greatly reduce hung juries, reversals and verdicts that do not reflect the true findings of the jury. My training and experience, I think, justify these statements. On these grounds I ask your active support.
GIB CALLAWAY.

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Dark Grounds, Printed Voiles, Dotted Batistes \$1.00

Cool Frocks that carry style in every seam, copies of earlier \$2 frocks, are now available at \$1.00

Eyelets, \$1.98 New numbers in Eyelet Batistes in white, pink and colors, new summery styles for \$1.98

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NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE UNDER EXECUTION

WHEREAS, by virtue of an Alias Execution issued out of the District Court of Tarrant County, Texas, 96th Judicial District, June 29, 1932, in Cause No. 86850 upon judgment of said court in favor of A. L. Matlock, plaintiff, against Lloyd Oil Corporation of Texas, defendant, and to me directed and delivered, I did on the 7th day of July, 1932, levy upon the following described real property of the defendant situated in Brown County, Texas, to-wit: 150 acres of the land in the W. A. Smith Survey No. 239, Abstract No. 838, known as the J. R. Collier Farm.

The West 100 acres of that portion of the W. A. Smith Survey No. 239 of 292 acres, commonly known as the Mrs. L. J. Stanley Farm. Also 40 acres of said survey in the form of a square in the S. W. corner of the East 122 acres of the said Mrs. L. J. Stanley 292 acre tract in said Smith Survey, together with all the leasehold interest and oil, gas and mineral interest of said defendant in and to said land, said land being located on the South side of the Right-of-Way of said Railway Company about 3 miles Northeast of the town of Wuchell and located in the Southwest part of Brown County.

THEREFORE, I will on the first Tuesday in August, same being the 2nd day of August, 1932, between the hours of ten o'clock A. M. and four o'clock P. M. at the Courthouse door in Brownwood, Brown County, Texas, offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the above described property, together with all the right, title and interest of the defendant in and to the same and will apply the proceeds as directed in said order of sale.

WITNESS MY HAND at Brownwood, Texas, this 7th day of July, 1932. M. H. DENMAN, Sheriff, Brown County, Texas. July 7-14-32

CATTLEMAN KILLED

CUERO, Tex., July 6.—Funeral services were held today for J. D. (Dunn) Houston, 52, prominent cattleman and member of an old South Texas family, who was killed in an automobile accident late yesterday on the Cuero-Victoria highway.

FORT WORTH, July 6.—Solicitation of passengers began today for a special train from Fort Worth to carry visitors to Pampa and Childress for the opening July 15th of the new line of the Fort Worth & Denver Railroad Company.

Blanket

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Jim Haddon of Waco spent the week-end in the home of his father, C. L. Haddon. Rev. J. B. Henderson was brought home Thursday afternoon from Central Texas Hospital at Brownwood, where he has been receiving medical treatment. Rev. Henderson is still in a very serious condition, but was thought to be doing a little better the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Stewart and son of Brownwood were visiting relatives here Sunday. Frank Levisa of Comanche is visiting here this week. Miss Imogene Grady is spending this week with relatives at Brownwood.

The grain threshers of this community have been closed down the past few days on account of the heavy rains which fell here over the week-end. The picnic and candidate speaking which was planned for Saturday was put off until Wednesday, July 20, when there will be an all day picnic and speaking at the union tabernacle. All county and district candidates are invited to be on hand that day. They will be given a place on the program sometimes during the day. Everybody is expected to bring a well filled basket.

The quarterly conference which was to have been held at the Methodist church Sunday was postponed until Friday, July 22nd. J. B. Strickland and son, Sidney, had business in Comanche Friday. Miss Imogene Grady had business in Brownwood Saturday.

George Cleaton and John Sides were district visitors Friday. Mrs. D. L. Garrett and little son of Dublin, Mrs. J. W. Porter and daughter, Miss Nettie, of Brownwood were visiting here a short time Thursday.

Quite a few from here were over to see the Bayou Monday afternoon. Miss Mayesie Carlisle of Mullin was visiting her sister, Mrs. Macon Richmond, the first of the week.

Bangs

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Medcalf and children have returned from a week-end visit in Galveston. Rev. and Mrs. Pat Salyer moved to Brownwood last week to make their home.

Mrs. A. E. Taylor has returned from Brownwood, where she spent several days with relatives. Miss Johna Lee Allison is spending the week in Brownwood with relatives. Genevieve Martin has returned to her home in Fort Worth after visiting her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Eads.

Beryl Wallace has returned to Coleman after spending several days with Joyce and John Anna Terry. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Schulze of Weslaco, are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Schulze. Mr. and Mrs. Joe McKinney of McKinney are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Chestnut.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Schulze and Ira Lee Schulze have returned from Galveston, where they spent the Fourth of July holidays. Lucile Houser has returned to Sipe Springs, after a visit with her aunt, Mrs. T. D. Holder. Misses Jackie Means and Sybil Cole of Salt Branch spent the week-end with friends and relatives.

Miss Dorothy Nell Davis has as her guest this week, her cousin, Miss Annie Laurie King of Rogers. Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Head and sons, Merl and Alvin left Saturday night for Houston and Galveston, where they spent the Fourth of July holidays. Mrs. T. A. Read left Saturday for a weeks visit with her sister, in Houston.

Mrs. C. Gintz is visiting friends near May this week. Mrs. Elsie Lee has returned to Sweetwater after a week-end visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Huggins. She was accompanied home by her sister, Miss Annie Huggins. James Stacy and daughter Jesse Fay and mother, Mrs. S. E. Stacy left Monday for a visit with relatives at Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Robertson and sons of Weslaco, are visiting Eanes relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bedell and children, have returned from a ten days visit with relatives in Gordon City, Kansas. Miss Oleta Read left the latter part of the week for a three weeks visit in New York and Canada. Mr. and Mrs. Autrey Read, arrived Sunday from Hobbs, New Mexico, for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Read.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Porter and daughter of Danville, Ky., have arrived for a month's visit with relatives here and in Brownwood. Lance Larry has returned from a week-end visit in Fort Worth. Mrs. Barrett Alcorn of Comanche visited Mrs. J. C. Alcorn Friday. Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Yarbrough have returned from a two weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Yarbrough at Amherst. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Williams in New Mexico.

Miss Marnie Jones of Winters and Miss Warner Joe Cherry of McGregory were week-end guests of Miss Nadine Wilkerson. Mrs. Melton Preston and children of Winters came in Sunday for a visit with relatives here. Miss Josephine Eads spent the week-end with relatives in Fort Worth. Mrs. Chester Fitzgerald and children of Weslaco and Mrs. John Nichols of Coleman were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Fitzgerald, Friday. In celebration of the sixth anniversary of John Anna Terry, her mother, Mrs. Jim Terry entertained with a birthday party given Monday afternoon at the home of her grand mother, Mrs. J. H. Sheffield. Both indoor and outdoor games were enjoyed and ice cream was served with the birthday cake at the refreshment hour. Guests included Hugh Jackson Matthews,

Wendell and Bobbie Snapp, J. P. and Geneva Eads, Adell Eads, Beryl Wallace, Millard Matthews, Della Joe McKnight, Joy Helen and Virginia Martin, Joyce and John Anna Terry. Mr. and Mrs. Joe McKnight of Fort Worth spent the week-end with their mother, Mrs. N. B. McKnight. Miss Rexa Dae Schulze, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schulze, and Alford Cooper of Whom, were married Saturday afternoon at 5:25 o'clock in Marietta, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Cooper returned to Bangs Monday, for a short visit and left for Whom, where they will make their home. Wirt Bain returned to Caldwell, Saturday, after a visit with his brother, Ray Bain and wife. Rev. W. H. Rucker and daughter, Charlotte, have returned from a business trip to Spur. Mrs. D. C. Woolridge and children of Cross Cut visited Mrs. Woolridge's mother, Mrs. Fannie Butler and other relatives here last week. Mrs. Blissett and son, Garland, and daughter, Lavern, visited relatives in Santa Anna Saturday. Girl Scouts of Bangs troop No. 1 gave a party Thursday, June 30, at Mrs. Pulliam's to honor their mothers and members of the troop committee.

Fifteen scouts rendered a program of music, readings, a stunt and a test. Refreshments of angel food and punch were served to sixteen adults, several young guests and troop members. Marcus Lisle Graves died at the home of his brother-in-law, Mr. Mills in Santa Anna, June 30th, Borne in Miller county, Ark., March 16, 1871. Being 61 years, 3 months and 14 days of age. Came to Texas when a young man and settled in the Salem community. He married Miss Leona Curry of Salem. Children are Wilbur and Miss Myrtis Groves of Salem and Mrs. T. D. Moren of Bangs. Was a member of Salem Methodist church.

Services were conducted by Rev. E. P. Swindall, his pastor at Salem church, July 2. Interment was made at Salem. Paul bearers, J. S. Ragsdale, J. J. Andrews, Wade Rosser, W. L. Lancaster, C. H. Heath and Arnold Ragsdale. Survived by his wife and children, H. L. Alcorn, in charge of funeral arrangements.

"We do not feel that this is the time to raise prices. Therefore, we are abating all Federal Taxes on toilet goods and candy. And in many instances we have reduced the price.—Duke & Ayres, Inc."

Early High

A fine rain "was had here last Sunday that surely was beneficial to gardens and crops, also put out lots of stock water and people are all smiles over it.

A party was given Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hunt. A large crowd was present and all reported a grand time. Little Miss Joyce Lynn Moore of Carlton is here for a two weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. C. E. Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd visited at Carlton last week and she returned home with them. Mrs. Howard Heard and little son, Howard, Junior, of Brownwood, visited here Tuesday afternoon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Jackson.

Mrs. Maudie Lee Oldham of Bellevue, Texas is here for an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Jackson. Mr. and Mrs. Mevin Wyatt and two brothers, Homer and Junior, and their sister, Miss Edna, and her friend, Mr. Walker, all of Ft. Worth, spent the weekend here with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Mel Sears, and other relatives in Brownwood. Mr. Johnnie Guilliams and daughters, Misses Mollie, Jennie and Willie, and Mrs. Vetrica Andrews and two sons, Robert and Howard, all of Brownwood, spent Monday, the 4th, with Mr. and Mrs. George Griggs and with all the trimmings and plenty of ice cream. Mr. and Mrs. Cull Earp called on Mrs. C. E. Boyd a little while Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Shelton, of Ft. Worth are here for a few days visit with their brother, Mr. Wesley Vernon, and family. Mrs. Annie Green and daughter, Glee, and grand daughter, Lois Bledsoe, accompanied by Mrs. Morton and daughter, Geneva, of Brownwood, have returned from a week's visit with relatives at Johnson City, Charles. Mr. and Mrs. Mathews and family of Bangs were visiting relatives in this community Monday afternoon, the 4th. Mrs. C. E. Boyd and baby sister, Joyce Lynn Moore, spent Monday, the 4th, near Bangs with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Childress. LeRoy Preston killed a nice fat beef Tuesday afternoon and several of their neighbors enjoyed a mess of it. Mr. and Mrs. Bates Friend and his sister, Mrs. Sneed, of Alpine and Midland, are here for a few days' visit with relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson of Dallas are here for a few days' visit with Mr. Anderson's sister, Mrs. N. B. Graham. They all visited for a while Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Starkey. Dances were given the past week in the home of Robert Beal and Garland Wyatt. Mr. Benton Starkey of Sweetwater has returned home after visiting here in the home of his brother, Reuben, Melba Lee returned home with him for a few weeks' visit. Little Walter Lee Holcomb of Brooksville spent last week here in the home of his aunt, Mrs. Reuben Starkey. Mr. and Mrs. Cull Earp visited for a while Tuesday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Vernon. J. M. Ethridge has been visiting the past week with his niece, Mrs. B. Green, of Bethel, Mrs. E. A. Snow and daughter, Elizabeth, are visiting in his home. A. L. Vernon and his uncle, Ed Shelton, of Ft. Worth, made a business trip to Goldthwaite Tuesday. Jimmie Tongate, who fell from a horse which he was riding and broke his arm some three or four weeks ago, is doing nicely after having to have it readjusted twice. Mrs. Dunkin of Lubbock is here for an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Morgan. Mrs. Morgan is just recovering from a very serious operation. Another heavy rain fell throughout the community Wednesday morning which will delay threshing.

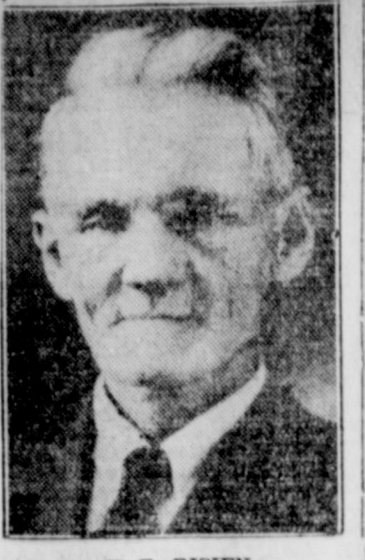
Mr. Frank McDonald and two daughters, Edna and Jennie, spent last week here with his sister, Mrs. Warren Fortson, and other relatives. They spent the week-end at Brady with another sister, Mrs. Brown, before going home. Mrs. Philipp Anderson received a message last week of the death of her only brother, Mr. Ollie Johnson, of El Paso. We extend to her our deepest sympathy. Mrs. Charles Klapper and sister, Miss Maureen Crump of Brownwood, spent Thursday afternoon of last week here with Mrs. Charles King. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse McHan have named their new baby girl June. Mr. and Mrs. Warren Fortson spent Thursday last week in Brady with her sister, Mrs. Mattie Brown. Mrs. Gorman's cousin, of Florida, has returned home after a few days' visit with her and other Brownwood relatives. Miss Iva Bee Longley of Brownwood was the guest of her cousin, Eva Nell Melchinger, Wednesday and Thursday of last week. Miss Faye Earp of Brownwood spent a few days this week with her sister, Mrs. Perry Boyd. Friends here of Billie Checkler of Porterville, California, will be sorry to hear of his happening to an accident in falling and breaking his nose and some of his ribs. Mrs. Cull Earp spent the day with Mrs. Cora Alexander Tuesday and helped can peas. The program for the annual picnic at this place on Friday the 15th has not been reported yet but we understand there will be plenty of amusement for everybody both old and young and plenty of candidates on hand. "Ladies, we have not raised our prices on candy on account of the new taxes. In fact many items are cheaper.—Duke & Ayres, Inc."

TERRIFIC RAINFALL

TEXARKANA, Ark., July 6.—Starting at 4:00 p. m. Tuesday, Texarkana was visited by an almost continuous rainfall until 7:00 a. m. today with a total precipitation of 5 inches, according to the report between here and Clarksville are down. No other damage known.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK in Brownwood, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on June 30, 1932. RESOURCES: 1. Loans and discounts \$684,448.47 2. United States Government securities owned 206,750.00 3. Other bonds, stocks, and securities owned 7,671.00 4. Banking house \$122,000.00 Furniture and fixtures 28,891.25 5. 150,891.25 6. Real estate owned other than banking house 8.00 7. Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank 34,638.27 8. Cash and due from banks 106,011.81 9. Outside checks and other cash items 83.40 10. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer 5,000.00 11. Other assets 27,164.07 12. TOTAL \$1,222,666.27 LIABILITIES: 13. Capital stock paid in \$ 100,000.00 14. Surplus 100,000.00 15. Undivided profits 15,843.60 16. Circulating notes outstanding 100,000.00 17. Due to banks including certified and cashiers' checks outstanding 7,398.63 18. Demand deposits 392,592.28 19. Time deposits 272,323.22 20. United States deposits 1,450.00 21. Bills payable and discounts 233,059.09 22. TOTAL \$1,222,666.27 STATE OF TEXAS, County of Brown, ss: I, Clyde McIntosh, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. CLYDE MCINTOSH, Cashier. (SEAL) Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of July, 1932. A. D. MURPHY, Notary Public. CORRECT-ATTEST: H. M. HUGHES, J. F. RENFRO, F. S. ABNEY, Directors.

Pecan Medalist



E. E. RISIEN E. E. Risien, pecan wizard of San Saba, who is to receive a gold medal at Texas Pecan meeting at Llano for breeding the finest pecans in the world.

MORTUARY

MARCUS LISLE GRAVES Funeral services for Marcus Lisle Graves, 61, were held at Salem Methodist Church Saturday, July 2, with Rev. E. P. Swindall of Bangs in charge of services. Interment was made in Salem cemetery with H. L. Alcorn of Bangs in charge. Mr. Graves died at the home of relatives at Santa Anna, June 30. Mr. Graves was born March 16, 1871, in Miller county, Arkansas, and came to Texas when a young man, settling in the Salem community where he had resided for 42 years, except for three years when he lived in Brownwood from 1927 to 1930. He was married to Miss Leona Curry and to this union were born three children. He is survived by his wife and children, Wilbur Graves and Miss Myrtis Graves of Salem and Mrs. T. D. Moren of Bangs. His many friends throughout the section also join the bereaved family in their sorrow. Mr. Graves was a member of the Salem Methodist Church and had been a faithful Christian for many years. He was loved and respected by all who knew him, his friends state. Pall bearers: J. S. Ragsdale, J. J. Andrews, Wade Rosser, C. H. Heath, W. L. Lancaster and Arnold Ragsdale.

RED TORCH LIGHTED

LOS ANGELES, July 7.—The red and gold flame of the Olympic torch blazed briefly from the peristyle of Olympic Stadium last night heralding the 1932 Olympic games. The torch has been symbolic of the games since 2708 years ago when a mammoth blaze was kindled on the slopes of Mt. Olympus to summon athletes of Greece to the first games in 776 B. C. To carry out the tradition and to see how it will look from July 30 to August 14, when it will burn continuously during the coming Olympics, the torch was lighted last night.

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INJURIES PROVE FATAL

PORT WORTH, Texas, July 7.—R. V. Newell, Jr., 23, died here last night of injuries received Tuesday when his motorcycle collided with an automobile. Newell's left leg was amputated and a blood transfusion given him in an unsuccessful effort to save his life.

SALIDO RECOGNIZED

MEXICO CITY July 7.—The federal government today recognized Eduardo Salido as provisional governor of the state of Chihuahua. He was elected by the state legislature to succeed Governor Roberto Fierro. The newspaper Universal said Fierro had been indicted for misuse of state funds.

The Maharajah

dia, has an annual personal estate of about 5,000,000. While the elephant one offspring, an elephant, lay 1,000,000,000 eggs.

H & H Store AND THE Unclaimed Freight House WEST OF SQUARE 48 LB. CAKE FLOUR 20-Pound Sack MEAL 30c 1 Gallon SYRUP 6 Boxes Comet MATCHES 20c Purity China OATS 8 LB. PAIL MRS. TUCKER'S SHORTENING 5 Pounds Bulk RICE 21c 1 Gallon VINEGAR (Bring Jug) 2 Pound Box CRACKERS 25 oz. K. C. BAKING POWDER 19c 10 Pounds BEET SUGAR 45c 25 Pounds BEET SUGAR (In Cloth Bag) 3 oz. VANILLA EXTRACT 6 Giant Bars SOAP 25 lbs. PURE CANE SUGAR (In cloth bag) - \$ See us for Fruit Jars and Supplies before you buy, and have a good stock of all kinds.

MONTGOMERY WARD & CO. Center at Adams Phone 211 Brownwood 6 PLY RIVERSIDES cost no more than other 4-ply tires NOTE: We have not yet added ta to Tire Prices Extra strength... extra safety... extra mileage... of you would rather have Heavy Duty 6-ply Genuine Riverside FOR THE SAME MONEY you pay for only 4-ply tires other makes. 6 Plies from bead to bead. Built by one of world's largest tire makers. Unlimited Guarantee on used or mileage run. FREE Tire Mounting At All Ward Stores And here's our new RIVERSIDE Rambler Lowest Priced Riverside EVER Great new husky bodied, thick treaded, wear resistant economy, with the utmost value that can be put in your dollar. 29 x 4.50-20 \$3.23 29 x 4.75-20 \$4.00 30 x 4.50-21 3.54 30 x 5.00-20 4.00 30 x 4.75-19 4.16 29 x 4.75-20 4.29 31 x 5.25-21 5.00 *Price Each When Bought in Pairs. Other Sizes at Proportionate Savings