

# The Banner-Bulletin

BROWNWOOD, TEXAS, THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1931

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## PLAN IS ING FAVOR RE SOLONS

Sept. 10.—(P)—Proposed average reduction in the control bill while the forward with its public several bills introduced compromise bill would acreage to one-third area in 1932 and the planting of any successive years. committee of the House subject the bills in-irrigated test and if neces- that would meet

## S. P. ENGINEER KILLED TODAY

AUSTIN, Sept. 10.—(AP)—The Austin Statesman was informed that Donald McCall, 67, Southern Pacific train engineer, was killed early this afternoon when his engine overturned five miles east of here.

## Largest Amphibian Plane Ever Built Makes Test Flight

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—(AP)—The largest amphibian plane ever constructed flew to Floyd Bennett field today from the Sikorsky factory at Stratford, Connecticut, to complete a successful ground load test in which it lifted 34,000 pounds of lead.

## Skelly Oil Company Sells Interest In Natural Gas Line

TULSA, Okla., Sept. 10.—(AP)—Announcement has been made of the sale of the Skelly Oil Company's interest in the recently completed natural gas pipe line from the Texas Panhandle to Chicago. The interest was acquired by the Natural Gas Company of America, the operating organization.

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## ALLAN HOOVER RECOVERING



NEA San Francisco Bureau His chest bared to Hawaii's sunny climate, Allan Hoover, son of the president, is shown here about to embark on an outrigger canoe at Waikiki Beach. He is recovering from a recent serious illness.

## DR. C. M. ROSSER TO BE SPEAKER AT CLINIC HERE

Dr. C. M. Rosser of Dallas has been secured as speaker and Dr. Charles F. Clayton of Fort Worth has been secured as examiner of the crippled children in the Brownwood Health Day program was Crippled Children's Clinic to be held here Thursday, September 24th. The program of the day is being sponsored cooperatively by the civic clubs of Brownwood.

## Cheating Death



HIGH UP AND HELPLESS—Balanced precariously on a six-inch ledge 140 feet above the ground, James E. Kemp, 63, is shown here on a chimney where he clung with one hand to a short length of rope for two hours at Rochester, N. Y., after seeing a fellow steeplejack plunge to death when a scaffolding broke. He first pulled himself to the top of the chimney, but this was too hot for comfort.

## BETTER TIMES DIE, IS BELIEF C. OF C. CHIEF

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—(AP)—Encouraging signs, in the expressed opinion of Silas Strawn, president of the United States chamber of commerce, are appearing on the business horizon.

## Alfalfa Bill Asks New Deal In 1932



A new deal for the laboring and common people in 1932 was demanded by Governor William H. (Alfalfa Bill) Murray, in his Labor Day address at Chicago in celebration of the golden jubilee of the American Federation of Labor. Here he is denouncing Wall Street as "that great gambling den."

## ASSAILANTS OF COUPLE BEING SOUGHT TODAY

WICHITA FALLS, Texas, Sept. 10.—(P)—One man was dead, another with a bullet in his spine was given little chance to live and a 23-year-old girl in a serious condition at a hospital here Thursday as the sequel to the attack by two negro men upon the couple as they sat in an automobile on one of the better residential streets about 10 o'clock Wednesday night.

## GOVERNOR STERLING WILL LEAD PARADE AS COLEMAN FAIR OPENS

COLEMAN, Texas, Sept. 10.—The third annual Coleman county fair will open with a street parade at 10 o'clock the morning of October 7th, Secretary Sim O'Neal of the Chamber of Commerce announced today.

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"Cotton picking time is here and those who need work should pick cotton while there is work to do. In a short time cotton picking season will be over and those who have laid around and refused to pick will be disappointed," declared Mayor O. W. McDonald, local cotton gin owner.

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## Missouri Pacific Official Succumbs While Making Talk

SAN ANTONIO, Sept. 10.—(P)—A. R. Ponder, executive assistant of Missouri Pacific lines in San Antonio and well known to railroad circles throughout Texas, died last night in Asherton while addressing a gathering at a barbecue there. He was 64 years old.

## Wheat Premiums Easier Today on Cash Grain Mart

FORT WORTH, Sept. 10.—(P)—Wheat premiums were easier and all commodities slow on the cash grain market today. Exporters were bidding 45 1-2-46 1-2c for wheat delivered Texas Gulf ports.

## Henry L. Doherty To Give Half Million For Research Work

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 10.—(P)—Henry L. Doherty has challenged the assertion of a fellow engineer that responsibility for the present unemployment situation rests upon applied science and has given \$500,000 to obtain the facts.

## COUNTY LIBRARY AT BRADY IS BOON TO ALL RURAL SCHOOLS

BRADY, Texas, Sept. 10.—The McCulloch county library, one of the few county libraries in the state, is proving a boon to the rural schools of this county.

## Circus Crowd Here Were Law Abiding, Officers Report

City police say the crowds attending the circus and the usual group that follow circuses from town to town were the most orderly and law abiding in the history of circuses coming to Brownwood.

## Big Spring Man In Custody Of Police For Shooting Woman

FORT WORTH, Sept. 10.—(P)—C. E. Johnson, 23, of Big Spring, shot and seriously wounded Mrs. H. A. Elliott, about 45, late this morning in Mrs. Elliott's residence.

## Crop Estimates Of Government Lowered For Wheat And Corn

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—(P)—A total wheat production of 885,643,000 bushels and a crop of 2,715,357,000 bushels of corn were forecast today by the Department of Agriculture, as compared with forecasts of 893,582,000 bushels of wheat and 2,775,301,000 bushels of corn a month ago.

## Rattlesnake With Fourteen Rattles Killed Near Here

A rattlesnake with 14 rattles was killed this morning by Otis Lee Thomas of Brownwood. The snake was exhibited on the streets this morning and many said it was the largest seen in a long time.

## Woodland Heights Play Friday Night

"Safety First," the three act play given by the young people of the Woodland Heights community two weeks ago, proved such a success that by popular request it is to be presented again Friday night, Sept. 11th, at the Woodland Heights auditorium, under the auspices of the Parent Teacher Association, according to announcement received by the Bulletin today.

## Much Grain Shipped From Coleman This Year, Dealer States

COLEMAN, Texas, Sept. 10.—More than 200 cars of grain, oats, wheat and barley, have been shipped from Coleman this season, Chas. Wilson, manager of Wilson Grain Company, said this morning.

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## LOOKED LIKE IT FITTING

PITCHBURG, Mass.—Wilfred O'Keefe, of Jersey City, alighted from his auto and started down the street. His queer, unsteady gait attracted the notice of a nearby cop. "Hi-m-m. A drunk," muttered the cop, upon which he nabbed O'Keefe and escorted him to the police station. The policeman, however, was wrong. O'Keefe's shoes were not mated. One high and one low heel, instead of firewater, made him walk queerly.

## Boy Only Slightly Injured When Run Over By a Truck

A small boy was only slightly injured, so far as has been determined, when a truck ran over him this morning. Elmer Roberts, 8-year old son of J. R. Roberts of Brooksmith, fell from the running board of a truck driven by his father and the rear wheel passed over his right shoulder and right leg.

## City and County Institute Opens Here Tomorrow

Practically all the teachers of Brown county will be in Brownwood Friday and Saturday for the city-county teachers' institute which will be held Friday and Saturday.

## Young Boy's Hand Is Lacerated In Fall From Barn

When he fell from the top of a barn early this morning, Dayle Nolan, 5-year-old son of Mrs. Cordia Nolan of Brooksmith, suffered a severe injury to his left hand. The small boy, when he realized he was falling, grabbed a board which had a nail in it, at the edge of the roof of the barn, and his hand was badly lacerated.

# Large Enrollments Brownwood Fine Arts Class

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Mrs. W. D. McCulley, Dean

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To help in the attainment of broad, general culture, Howard Payne College offers complete courses in the fine arts. These courses awaken and train the artistic instinct which is buried somewhere in everyone. Special certificates and diplomas are awarded students who successfully complete the required amount of work.

Courses offered in this department include Piano, Voice, Violin, Public School Music, Art, Harmony, Sight Reading and Sight Playing, Musical History, Glee Club, Orchestra, Band, and Expression.

The Fine Arts faculty is composed of Mrs. W. D. McCulley, Mrs. Charlene B. Underwood, Miss Frances Camp, Mr. J. P. Bohlin, Mrs. Gladys Shuler Whitney.

**PROSPECTS FOR SPLENDID YEAR ARE GRATIFYING**

With the opening of the two Brownwood colleges a great number of students have enrolled in the fine arts departments of the institutions. The departments at both Howard Payne and Daniel Baker report large enrollments, equal to, or surpassing enrollments of last year. Many private schools and classes have also opened and report good enrollments.

Classes in the fine arts department of Howard Payne opened Monday with attendances that even surpassed expectations. Courses in the department include piano, violin, public school music, art, harmony, sight reading and sight playing, musical history, glee club, orchestra, band and expression. Every course has a large enrollment.

Teachers in the department are Mrs. W. D. McCulley, dean, Mrs. Charlene B. Underwood, Miss Frances Camp, J. P. Bohlin and Mrs. Gladys Shuler Whitney.

**Bright Prospects for Year**

Studios of the fine arts department of Daniel Baker College were opened Monday, September 7 and large numbers of students were enrolled, reports from the college state. The prospects are very bright year in the fine arts department.

The faculty includes Miss Virginia Morton Hardy, director of voice and glee club; Mrs. Ruby Eggleston Wiley, instructor in art; and Miss Mae Branon, instructor in violin and piano. All classes have good attendances and are starting well.

All other fine arts classes in the city have also made reports of good attendances and are enthusiastic over the outlook for the year.

The Central Texas School of Oratory and Expression opened Monday with one of the largest enrollments in its history, according to J. Fred McLaughly, teacher and general director. Registrations continued through Thursday and regular classes in children's work and advanced courses will start Monday.

**Studio Opens Today**

Mrs. Martha W. Morris' studio of art open new classes Thursday, September 10. Mrs. Morris says many inquiries have been made and a good enrollment is expected.

A large number of students have enrolled in Mrs. Lon Smith's school of expression and dancing. New classes are just starting and the enrollment is as large or larger than usual.

As many pupils as last year, and possibly more, have enrolled in the piano classes of Mrs. Edna Savage Saunders. The new classes opened Monday and students have been enrolling every day.

Expression, dancing and physical education classes of Mrs. M. Harper have opened with good attendance in all classes. A number of new students have enrolled since the opening of school and more are expected.

**Perfect Training Reflected in Work Of J. P. Bohlin**

J. P. Bohlin of the fine arts faculty of Howard Payne College has a well established reputation here as teacher of violin and band instructor.

Mr. Bohlin is a pupil of John R. Ortengren, (Royal Opera, Stockholm) Jean Van Etten, John Loring Cook, W. W. Hinshaw, William A. Willett, Edgar B. Gordon. He was a student at Chicago Musical College, Chicago Conservatory, Columbia School of Music.

Teaching Experience—Columbia School of Music, Drake School of Music, Director of Music, Wyoming University, Concordia College, Dakota Conservatory, Alabama Central College, William Jewell College, Bandmaster, Kemper Military School, Howard Payne College (Violin, Orchestra, Band) Private Classes, Church Choirs, Choral Societies, Orchestras, Bands, etc.

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**SOME MISSIONARY EXPERIENCES**

Text: Acts 14:8-23.

The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for September 13th. Some Missionary Experiences.—Acts 14:8-23.

By WM. E. GILROY, D. D., Editor of The Congregationalist

MISSIONARY experiences have almost always been accompanied by remarkable physical phenomena. Hence it is that the record of missionary enterprise is a record full of stories of the miraculous.

The New Testament never makes the miracles themselves the important thing, but rather the power by which the miracles were wrought.

Perhaps it is worth while to point out that the most remarkable works of healing in connection with missions have been in the medical missions of modern times. By utilizing the laws of nature earnest missionaries trained for their work in the best schools of medicine and surgery have brought relief to countless thousands. The stories of what modern missionary hospitals and clinics have accomplished do not sound miraculous in an age when so many marvelous things are happening in obedience to law, but all the miracles of healing that are recorded represent something very slight in comparison with the Christian application of the laws of God in the treatment of disease in modern times and the bringing of relief to the suffering people.

The traditions that arise concerning great religious movements are very interestingly illustrated in the records of this lesson. The people who saw these wonderful happenings were neither Jews nor Christians; they were full of pagan notions, and they had to interpret these facts according to their own religious ideas. So it was that they believed that their own gods had come down in human forms. They called Barnabas, Jupiter, and Paul, Mercury.

So strongly were they impressed with the facts and so moved by their own assumption that Paul and Barnabas were gods in the likeness of men, that the priest of Jupiter, whose temple was outside the city, brought oxen and garlands to the gates, intending to do sacrifice there in the presence of the multitudes, in accordance with their religious ideas.

How simple and direct, however, were the words of Paul and Barnabas; their very actions giving their words emphasis. When they found the priest and the people acting in this way they thrust themselves among the multitude rending their garments in token of deep feeling, and crying to the people, "why do ye these things?" We also are men of like passions with you.

In ancient times, as is today, the multitudes liked to be fooled. Even the plain and direct words of Paul and Barnabas were hardly sufficient to restrain them from their sacrificial purpose. Simplicity in religion is the last thing that many people seek.

It is this lack of simplicity and lack of regard for essential truth that makes so much of religious interest unstable and even dangerous. The mob spirit that is full of devo-

tion today may be full of the reaction of vengeance tomorrow.

This worshipful feeling toward Paul and Barnabas changed very quickly when Jews from Antioch and Iconium arrived at Lystra and persuaded the multitude that they were mistaken about Paul and Barnabas.

In spite of the manifestations of healing and blessing which had at first moved them to recognize Paul and Barnabas the multitude, now easily persuaded, stoned Paul and dragged him out of the city supposing that he was dead. The disciples stood round about him solicitous for his life, and Paul arose, entering again into the city.

The courage of this man was superb. He stayed in the city until the next day when he went with Barnabas to Derbe, and after he preached there he returned to Lystra and to Iconium and to Antioch—the very cities in which he had met with so much opposition, and in one of which he had almost lost his life. The purpose of this return was to confirm the faith of the disciples and to encourage them in their new experience. He taught them also that through tribulations we must enter into the Kingdom of God.

**Opening Today Art Studio Of Mrs. M. Morris**

The art studio of Mrs. Martha Morris opened today for this season with bright prospects for the year. Mrs. Morris has had a successful experience of several years as an art instructor and her work has won recognition among the best known artists of the land. Her training has included special color courses under Mr. Hamilton of Scotland, she having studied under him in Colorado, and China work with Mrs. Forbusk of Italy.

**DBC Art Courses Under Direction Mrs. Ruby Wiley**

Classes for the 1931-32 session have begun work under the direction of Mrs. Ruby Eggleston Wiley. Mrs. Wiley is known to the people of this section through a very successful experience as art teacher here. She has done work under eminent instructors and brings to her teaching a training that well equips her as an instructor.

The courses given by Mrs. Wiley include natural sketching, life drawing, still life, interior, public school art and other branches.

**Mrs. Saunders One Of Most Popular Music Instructors**

Mrs. Edna Savage Saunders, teacher of piano, began work with her classes for this season at her studio at 1201 Coggin Monday, September 7. Mrs. Saunders is one of the popular musicians and music instructors of Brownwood and the high standard of her work is well known.

Her musical training has been under some of the best known teachers.

**Expression Classes Under Direction Of Miss Watson**

As a teacher of expression Miss Catherine Watson has established an outstanding record and won recognition through her work at Daniel Baker College. She has done much to advance the interest in this important branch of fine arts in this section of Texas.

Miss Watson resumed her work in the expression department with the opening of the schools last Monday.

**Pure - blooded Indians constitute more than 33 per cent of the entire population of Mexico today.**

## Pittsburgh Hangs Up Eighth Victory In Row Wednesday

BY HUGH S. FULLERTON, Jr., Associated Press Sports Writer

Completely out of the pennant race but hopeful of gaining a first division berth in the National League, the Pittsburgh Pirates have begun a brilliant spurt just in time to do some serious damage to the chances of the teams they meet.

Triumphing over Brooklyn yesterday, the Pirates extended their latest winning streak to eight games, their biggest of the season and left the Robins in the uncomfortable position of being within a half game of mathematical elimination from the struggle for the flag. The defeat put Brooklyn 17 games behind the league leading St. Louis Cardinals with only a possible 17 game gain if they win all their remaining games and the Cards lose them all.

Before downing Brooklyn 5 to 1 yesterday on a fine pitching performance by Henry Meine, Pittsburgh had given St. Louis a setback by winning three straight and had taken four from Cincinnati. Washington carried off the honors of the American League's only game, downing the Philadelphia Athletics 2 to 1 in a ten inning duel between "General" Al Crowder and Rube Walberg without doing any serious damage to the A's pennant prospects.

The victory still left the Senators 13 games behind with only 18 to go.

The two exhibition games, played on an off day for nearly all the major league clubs, netted \$104,131.69 for the unemployed of New York and Chicago, brought a victory apiece for the two leagues and apparently proved that it is easier to score with the National League ball than the livelier American League sphere.

As 69,549 fans saw the New York Yankees beat the Giants 7 to 3, only three of the ten centers were scored with the American League

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Doeg had a close call in his opening match with Eddie Jacobs of Baltimore and fared only a little better against New Herndon of New York. With these two struggles behind him, the big titleholder from Newark, N. J., showed a considerably better brand of tennis yesterday when he eliminated Bryan Grant, Jr., the little Atlanta player who had conquered Jacques Brugnon and earned a right to favorable consideration today when he faces Frank X. Shields, tall Davis cup star, who is ranked second in the United States.

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With all of the Southern delegation, all of the French and all but one of the British teams eliminated and only Ellsworth Vines, the brilliant youngster from Pasadena, left to represent California, the quarter-final round became very much an Eastern affair. Vines, top seeded player, meets Berkeley Bell, the dynamic Texan, today. Fred Perry, English Davis cup star, was paired with Frank Bowden, the New York dark horse who followed his triumph over Sidney Wood by downing Clayton Lee Burwell of Charlotte, North Carolina. Perry yesterday eliminated a third Southern star, Cliff Suter of New Orleans, in four sets.

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**WHAT A POWER.**  
Teacher: What type of water power is known to every man?  
Pupil: A woman's tears, sir.—Answers.

**Enter Early**

**Miss Mae Branon Popular Teacher of Violin**

The violin and piano at Daniel Baker College and consistently high rank under the direction of Miss Mae Branon for the present term began last Monday.

Miss Branon has had of successful teaching Baker and private students under renewed interest.

**GOING DOWN**

Mrs. Henpeck: Being in the...  
Mr. Henpeck: Oh, I...  
For instance, there's...  
of me, my opinion of...  
neighbors' opinion of...  
The-Bits.

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# Man Is Arrested Embezzlement College Funds Here

Casey, for five years  
ward Payne College, is  
under two bonds of \$2-  
... charges of  
... in connection with  
... of which  
... while in the em-  
... Miss Casey  
... to Brownwood Friday  
... in the county  
... her arrest at Lubbock  
... Jack Hallmark  
... she having  
... of relatives in Lub-  
... Her bonds  
... and she was re-  
... Monday at 12:45 p. m.

form of bonds and audits. The  
same type of audit has been given  
that is in use in the average col-  
lege and university.  
**Find Large Shortage.**  
"The college audit for this year  
showed considerable shortages in  
the bursar's accounts. In the bur-  
sar's confession, admission is made  
in two items of the process used in  
the defalcation. With this process  
in mind the auditor has made a  
complete check through the past  
several years and found a short-  
age of approximately \$36,000 in the  
college accounts. Complaint has  
been filed in the court on two spe-  
cific charges of guilt in which she  
admits the theft in the accounts of  
two students.

"As soon as the auditor's report  
was made available charges were  
filed in the courts, as a complete  
audit revealed the fraud.  
"Credit is due the college finance  
committee for its business-like pro-  
cedure in connection with the case.  
The committee is composed of  
Douglas Goulson, Brooke S. Ramey,  
Roy Morris, O. W. McDonald, Clyde  
McIntosh, John T. Yantis and W.  
N. McCulloch. As soon as the  
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& Johnson to represent the college  
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have been made from the property  
of the bursar. It is confidently ex-  
pected that most of the losses will  
be covered. These recoveries will  
cover all losses during the present  
period of college administration.  
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committee stated that these recov-  
eries have enabled the college to  
show the best report on operations  
during the past year of any year  
since the world war. The opening  
for the present year is exceedingly  
bright both from the standpoint of  
the financial outlook and the mat-  
ter of student attendance.

"The finance committee have re-  
organized the system of college  
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of each one and soot scattered in  
every direction. One electric globe  
was shattered and a vase knocked  
off the piano. The lightning passed  
out by the radio ground wire. No  
one was hurt and not a brick knock-  
ed out of the flue.  
Miss Grace Patterson left a few  
days ago for San Antonio near  
which city she will teach in a pub-  
lic school this school term. This is  
the third year she has been en-  
gaged in teaching in the same  
school. This coming term she will  
be principal of the school.

Paul McCullough went to Temple  
a few days ago to have his throat  
treated. Mrs. McCullough and  
daughter were already in the sani-  
tarium at that place when Paul en-  
tered for treatment. That made the  
McCullough family all there, except  
Mr. McCullough and the married  
son, Hugh, who lives in Hico. They  
are all doing nicely and their  
many friends are glad to learn they  
will all soon be home again.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sullivan and  
family and Mrs. W. H. Trent came  
in home the latter part of the week  
from an extended trip to New  
York and back by Florida. They re-  
port having had a wonderful trip  
and enjoyed it very much.

Mrs. C. H. Ford, who recently un-  
derwent an operation in a sanitar-  
ium in Abilene, came home last  
Sunday and is doing nicely, to the  
delight of her many friends.

H. G. Bodkin was called to Dallas  
Friday night on account of the seri-  
ous illness of Mrs. F. U. Irwin. He  
came home Sunday and reports Mrs.  
Irwin very low and no hope of her  
recovery.

Mary Alice the little daughter of  
Mr. and Mrs. Barlow Smith was  
taken violently ill very suddenly  
Sunday afternoon but is much im-  
proved at this writing.

Rev. Bedford Renfro is engaged in  
a meeting in the lower Big Valley  
community this week.

Rev. Fitzgerald, a former pastor  
of the Church of Christ here, but  
now living in Harlingen, is holding  
a meeting here this week. Services  
are held at night only.

John Philen had the misfortune  
to have his arm broken when a  
horse fell on him.

## Owens

Miss Stella McMurry of Owens  
visited her sister in San Angelo the  
past week.

Mrs. Tom Pittman visited Mrs.  
Willis Newsum Tuesday.

Mrs. Gundies visited Mrs. Albert  
McMurry Wednesday.

Mr. Olen Rice was in Owens  
Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Jeff White, son and daugh-  
ter were in Owens Tuesday.

Mrs. Minnie Bagley visited Mrs.  
Inez Nelson one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pittman visited  
Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Clark Wednes-  
day and they also visited Mr. and  
Mrs. A. G. Johnson of Brownwood.

Mr. Willie Dunsworth and Mr.  
Philo Steward were in Brownwood  
Wednesday.

This community was visited by a  
shower Wednesday afternoon.  
Mr. Lonzo Boyd was in Owens  
Tuesday.

The protractive meeting at Pleas-  
ant Valley has been in session the  
past week.

Singing school closed at Clio Sat-  
urday and Saturday night they had  
a very nice program.

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munity were in Brownwood Sat-  
urday.

Mr. John Dunsworth and family  
attended the singing at Owens Sat-  
urday night.

Mr. Roy Davis and family attend-  
ed church at Owens Sunday.

Mr. Clyde Burns and wife of Fort  
Worth was in Owens Sunday.

Mr. S. Y. Newsum and family  
were at church Sunday and brought  
with them their little granddaugh-  
ter, little Winnie Marie Spellman.

Mr. Jade Smith, Miss Lanora  
Pittman and Miss Fannie Mae Boyd  
attended the party at Holder Sat-  
urday night.

Mr. Bob Beck and wife spent  
Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. D.  
Boyd.

Several of the people of this com-  
munity attended the meeting at  
Pleasant Valley the past week.

The little daughter of Mr. and  
Mrs. Stewart Porter of Brownwood,  
spent the week-end with little Ju-  
anita Crockett of Owens.

Mr. Jim Wheeler made a business  
trip to town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonzo Boyd spent  
Saturday night and Sunday with  
her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pitt-  
man.

Mr. Tilman Hollingworth made a  
business trip to Mr. Tom Pittman's  
Monday.

"Man, Oh Man!  
Here's \$2 Worth  
of Fine Celanese  
Socks for \$1!"  
—G. L. Chapman



"You Will See  
Similar Silks  
in Newest Ties  
Priced Double"  
—J. J. Simandl



"No One Has Ever  
Offered for \$1 a  
Hat Value Equal  
to This!"  
—E. R. Larigan



"Women Never  
Expected to See  
Such Hose at Only  
\$1.00!"  
—T. D. L. Menchion



"Reversible Cre-  
tonnes That Sell  
Elsewhere for 36c  
a Yard!"  
—J. M. Izard



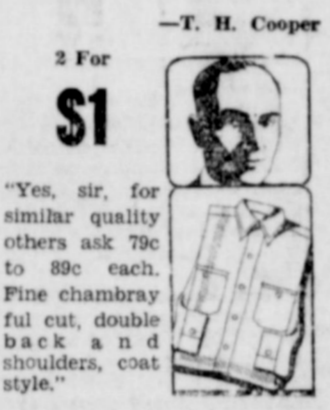
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fered at 10c Since  
1914!"  
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Sweater . . . . .  
Waist . . . . . Pants!  
All for \$1.00!"  
—J. H. Archer



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Sold Last Fall at  
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Worth \$1.50  
of Anybody's  
Money—!"  
—H. E. Lohrber



"You'd Pay 98c  
for this Rayon  
Lingerie almost  
anywhere else!"  
—H. W. Brown



"Oh, Boy! See  
This Coat Made  
of Leathertex at  
Only \$1.00"  
—L. J. Stretz



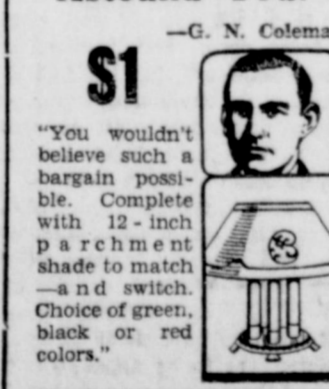
"Why Pay Up to  
\$2.50 Elsewhere  
for Mirrors Like  
These?"  
—E. M. Ragan



"This Football  
Would Be a Big  
Bargain at \$1.98!"  
—Arthur Lauer



"3-Light Table  
Lamp and Shade  
At a Price to  
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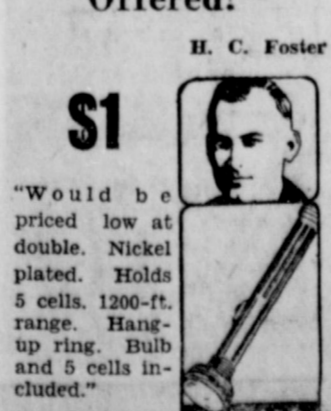
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—H. W. Brown



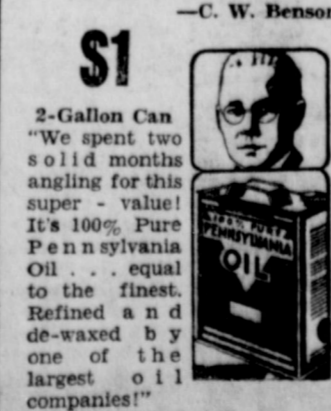
"This New Flat  
Type Auto Horn  
Would Sell for \$3  
Elsewhere!"  
—W. O. Skjold



"The Biggest  
Bargain in a  
Flashlight Ever  
Offered!"  
—H. C. Foster



"This Motor Oil  
Sells Elsewhere  
From \$1.20 to  
\$1.40 a Gal!"  
—C. W. Benson



"Double Disc  
Wheel Pedal Bike  
Worth at Least  
\$1.79!"  
—C. C. Cash



"These 3 Cast Iron  
Skillets Sell Else-  
where For \$1.57!"  
—V. C. Palmquist



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A Cultural Center

BROWNWOOD is widely known not only as a city of colleges and churches, but as a fine arts center; and as the time comes for opening the schools and colleges for a new year's work hundreds of pupils are also preparing to resume their studies of music, expression, art, dancing and similar cultural arts.

It is impossible to estimate the value of such cultural influences in the community, but it is possible to estimate the actual cash value of facilities for fine arts training to young people who attend school here. No better facilities for study can be found anywhere, and the cost of such study in Brownwood is much less than is incurred when students must leave home in order to develop their talent.

The Cotton Estimate

SURPRISING everybody, including the cotton trade experts who had carefully prepared their own estimates, the September cotton estimate issued by the government Tuesday raised the total potential production for the year to 15,685,000 bales, 101,000 bales above the August estimate and upwards of a million bales more than the cotton trade had expected.

It may be, of course, that the government's figures are entirely too high, because there are so many elements of uncertainty in any estimate that may be undertaken of so far-flung a crop as cotton, and one which can so easily be damaged. A week of wet or dry weather in a given locality may reduce or increase the production by thousands of bales, and insect damage or the lack of it similarly affects the total production.

Distressing as it is, this information is timely now. The cotton belt is greatly distressed on account of overproduction, and while all manner of remedial measures are being considered, some of them quite drastic, it is well to know as accurately as possible just how great the overproduction really is. Even if as much as ten per cent of the crop is left in the fields because of the low price, there still will be an actual production of considerably more than 14,000,000 bales to be added to the surplus already on hand, and offsetting this will be a diminished demand occasioned by the worldwide economic disturbance which has closed textile mills and otherwise curtailed the consumption of raw cotton.

By giving as nearly accurate information as it is humanly possible to secure to show the exact status of the cotton industry and to point the way to remedies for the unsatisfactory conditions now prevailing. Obviously, with the government's usually reliable estimate before them, and with the accurate statements of available surplus now on hand, cotton farmers must realize that they can no longer produce cotton profitably on as large a scale as heretofore.

Sportsmanship

THREE GAME wardens in one district of Texas arrested fifty-seven persons within three days for violations of the game laws, following the opening of the dove hunting season on September 1st. It is somewhat surprising to learn that so many hunters are careless or negligent, but gratifying to know that the game wardens are zealously prosecuting those who flagrantly violate the regulations designed to preserve the game birds of the state.

He isn't a good sport who deliberately kills more than the bag limit of doves, or who kills birds or other game in closed seasons. If the game laws were not enforced vigorously, as a means of protection against hunters with no sense of good sportsmanship, there would be no game for anyone to shoot; and hunters who selfishly take more than their share of the birds are robbing their fellows who observe the law of an opportunity to enjoy their share of whatever sport there may be in hunting.

The Scouts Need Money

A SPECIAL EFFORT is to be made Tuesday, September 15th, to complete the financing of the Boy Scout budget for the year and to make collections of pledges already made so that the financial affairs of the Scout Council may be put in satisfactory condition. The sum asked for this work is not large, but it is essential that it be made available in order that the program of Scouting for the year may be continued without interruption.

The Boy Scout work in this area is progressing very nicely indeed. The most successful camp ever held in the area was concluded a few days ago, and it was found that the enterprise had been self-sustaining. The camp was characterized not only by expert supervision from a Scouting standpoint, but by good business management. Here and elsewhere in the area the various troops are well organized, and under the leadership of experienced Scoutmasters are carrying forward a comprehensive program of development.

At this time it is said about \$800 is past due on pledges already made, and this sum together with six or seven hundred dollars in additional pledges is urgently needed. Those who have made pledges, therefore, are to be urged to pay them and those who have not shared in the financing of the Scout work are to be urged to do so. The whole plan of work is jeopardized until this matter of finance is cleared up, and it is believed that there is such genuine appreciation of Scouting here that little difficulty will be encountered in securing the funds now needed.

TEXAS AND TEXANS

By WILL H. MAYES, Austin, Texas. "All Texans for All Texans"

It's Your Problem

With all the aid that Congress, legislatures, relief boards and others can or may render, in a free government every man's prosperity is his individual problem. The farmer, banker, or other business man who is hither to financially bettered on legislative action is doomed to disappointment. Laws may be passed of a kind to improve conditions temporarily, but every forced advance in prices, whether in oil or farm products, is almost certain to be followed by a reaction as harmful as the condition from which escape is sought.

Whatever you may be doing, whether farming or something else, your individual success depends almost entirely on yourself, your common sense, your effort, your ability to adapt yourself to circumstances. The man who waits with mouth open to be fed by legislative relief methods is likely to starve. The man who hustles and keeps hustling is likely to have at least a fairly filled pantry.

County Farm Agents

A number of Texas counties are dispensing with farm and demonstration agents, in efforts at economy. There isn't a county in the state that has employed capable men and women in these positions that hasn't profited a hundred fold thereby. These agents have done more than all the relief organizations combined to help farmers and farm women to help themselves.

Those Filled Jars

The Coppas Cove woman who challenged other women of the State to show a better record for canning home products than her 700 well-filled cans has had her "hand called." Numerous women have reported that they have in excess of 1,000 cans and jars on pantry shelves awaiting "Old Hard Times."

Home Garden Plan

Henry Ford's announcement that he would not retain any workmen who would not agree to cultivate a home garden should be followed by similar requirements from Texas employers of labor. Why not? The employe with a garden to supply many of his needs is likely to be better contented and to render better service. Suburban or country life is more conducive to health than crowded factory or business districts. Most cities and towns are surrounded by good roads and markets, every family has a car. Business, schools and churches can be reached quickly from rural homes. A well-kept garden is a secure haven and to most gardeners a perpetual delight. The Texas climate and soil are all that could be desired.

Money-Making Measure

According to the Rockdale Reporter, a Milan county farm woman has made a clear profit of \$176.35 from a garden of three-fourths of an acre, after allowing for labor of her own, seeds, fertilizers, seeds and other expenses. For eight months the family of nine was fed every day on fresh vegetables, 213 quarts were canned for future use and some fresh vegetables were sold. Can you beat this? With a couple of acres, some pigs and some poultry—not reported, but which so prudently a farm wife doubtless has—that family doesn't have to buy much else to live comfortably.

Diversification Does It

A correspondent from San Antonio Express says complaints of hard times are not heard in Kendall county—Boerne the county site—for the reason that everybody is busy making a living and living on what is made. Most Kendall county folk live, and live well, on what they make and sell only the surplus. Many have elegant homes and fine cars, and all appear to be prosperous, happy and contented. There are less than 5,000 people in the county, but the total taxable valuation is \$4,519,920, and it isn't an oil county, either. The county has learned the value of diversification and practice it. They don't have to worry much when the price of any farm product drops to bottom.

More Oil Wells

Prices of oil are dropping, depressing low, but that doesn't stop development. There are more than 109 new locations a week in the big East Texas field and work is being rushed almost frantically on new wells and pipe lines to be ready for export of new oil. The Dardfield, located in Guadalupe county, has been extended a mile with the bringing in of a 10,000 barrel well. Wildcatting in Nueces and Refugio counties gives promise of opening new fields. In Brown county preparations have been completed for a deep test, which will be the first deep well in that territory of many shallow wells. Texas is oil-minded despite all difficulties and differences.

Millions in School Buildings

The University of Texas regents have approved preliminary plans for buildings to cost from \$4,000,000 to \$5,000,000, including a library at about \$1,000,000 and a student union building at \$625,000, besides several departmental buildings. The School of Mines and Metallurgy at El Paso has been expanded into University proportions, with degrees both academic and engineering degrees. In educational equipment and facilities Texas is going ahead at a pace never dreamed of a decade or two ago.

Ride to School

Carrizo Springs, often mentioned in this column because of its enterprise, has a public school area that extends well out into the county, and has arranged to take rural

students into town daily in school busses. The bus drivers are elected, like the teachers, for their qualifications and are bonded. Many other Texas schools now provide transportation for students living in the country, a plan that should stimulate "back-to-the-farm" life.

Community Fairs

Many county fairs have been abandoned this year. It is hard to make an old-time county fair with races, premiums and admission charges successful except in the flush times. The community fairs, where competition is for honors rather than for money, where people gather without charge and picnic and talk about their crops and their pleasures and troubles, where housewives display homemade quilts and rugs, preserves and jellies and exchange experiences in raising their children, are as popular and as well patronized as ever, and are doing much to stimulate community pride and growth in the essential things of life. County fairs and demonstration agents are entitled to the credit for most of the success of community fairs in Texas.

New Hospitals

A survey reveals that approximately \$290,387,000 will be spent for 267 new hospital buildings in the United States in 1932. Among the largest will be the \$2,500,000 building at Randolph field, San Antonio. The greatest hospitalization need of this State is more reasonable charges for people of moderate means.

Postoffice Sites

Pampa, Jacksonville and Breckenridge are among the Texas towns that have recently acquired sites for postoffices upon which modern types of buildings are to be erected soon. The government is being liberal with Texas in its building program.

Additional Court Costs

Hereafter litigants in Dallas courts must pay a library fee of 50 cents to be used to purchase a law library for the use of the courts and the lawyers. This, too, at a time when the public is up in arms about fee systems and the like. Why not another fee to send lawyers who do not know the law back to school?

Market Squares

The Texas peddlers' license law likely will make a demand for public market houses and market squares for the sale of farm and garden products. Wellington has already voted to establish such a square. There is a probability that the market basket will once more become popular in many Texas towns and cities.

More Mohair Uses

Texas mohair producers are at work on plans for studying additional uses to which mohair may be put and to increase demand for mohair products. A scientific study doubtless will reveal many purposes to which mohair may be adapted other than the uses now made of it. Close organization and concerted effort are required, however, to popularize any marketable product.

Holder

Miss Mary Bjorn and Mr. Bill Cook of May visited Mr. and Mrs. Louis White a while Thursday night.

Mr. J. C. Jones and Mr. Louise White were shopping in Brownwood Friday.

Mrs. Sarah White is visiting a few days in the Oscar Cook home, near May.

Mr. Billie Teague was visiting Mr. J. C. Jones Friday.

Mrs. Mary Jones, Miss Ethel Jones and Mrs. Rosa White and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence White of Rising Star.

Mr. Elmer Jones and Mr. Louis White spent Sunday with Mr. Henry Rider of Byrds.

Mr. John Willis and Mr. Self visited Mr. J. Jones Sunday.

Mrs. Cora Cathey and children of Elm visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Boyd Sunday.

Mrs. Myrtle Richardson and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Boyd Sunday.

Lera and Bernice Snow spent the Saturday night with their grandpa Mrs. J. C. Jones.

The friends of Miss Mamie Howton were very much surprised to hear about her marriage to Mr. Horace Blanton of Blanket. We wish her a long and happy life.

Mr. Oley Boyd visited his parents, Mr. C. C. Boyd a while Monday.

We were very glad to know that Mr. C. C. Boyd, who has been very ill is greatly improved at this writing.

The rain which we have been looking for has never yet reached us, but we still are in hopes.

Blanket

George Levisay was real sick the latter part of last week caused from a spider bite. Mr. Levisay was bitten while gathering corn Friday and he suffered severely for several hours afterward, but he is reported improving now.

The many friends of Miss Blanche Dabney are glad to learn that she is improving following an operation at Medical Arts Hospital at Brownwood.

Joe Reeves and family of Dublin visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Reeves, Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Manor had business in Brownwood Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Hall and little daughter, Martha Marie, and Jake McCulley returned home the last of the week from a few weeks' visit

with relatives and friends of Alabama.

A number of the Blanket people attended the funeral of Ernest E. Davis at Brownwood Friday afternoon.

Mrs. W. T. Parker moved to Rotan Friday. Her son, E. C. Hardy, accompanied her there and spent Friday night with relatives of that place.

Among those from here who attended the Brown County Baptist Association at First Baptist Church at Brownwood Thursday and Friday, were Rev. J. B. Henderson, Luke Reeves, L. F. Bird, Mrs. J. A. Kesler, Mrs. Ben Ratto, Misses Lois Means, Ora Strickland, Cleo Bird and Lonzie Swart.

Oleta, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Hapton, has been baptizing at the church next Sunday afternoon.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Clair Bettis of Brownwood visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bettis Saturday.

home of Mrs. Rampy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Baker.

W. T. Parker returned Friday from Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Lowe and son, Ward, visited relatives in Gorman Sunday.

Misses Maurine and Cleo Bird were shopping in Port Worth on Thursday.

Clyde McCulley of Houston spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. McCulley.

Mr. and Mrs. Curry Wiley and children of Brooksmith were visiting here Sunday.

Miss Lucille Yantis of Snyder came in the first of the week to spend the winter with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Eaton, and attend high school here.

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Center Point

O. D. Chambers and son, Lowell, were transacting business in Brownwood Saturday.

C. L. Dixon and Norman Clyde Kelley visited Harbor Rodgers Sunday.

Friends in this community of Miss Hazel Chambers will be glad to know that she is able to be at home again after a six months stay in the Carlsbad sanitarium at San Angelo.

R. W. Teague was shopping in Brownwood Saturday.

Mr. John Teague and Mrs. Carl Teague are able to be up after being ill several days with smallpox.

Mr. C. S. Skiles and sons, Truman and Albert, visited in the home of L. N. Kelley last week.

Misses Beulah, Dorothy, Sadie and Mr. C. L. Dixon attended a party in Brownwood Tuesday night of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scott were in this community Sunday evening.

Grandma Chambers spent Sunday with her granddaughter, Mrs. H. G. Dixon, Sunday.

The club women of this community entertained with an ice cream social at the school house Friday night. Music was furnished by Clyde and Lennard Scott and Lee Shaw. All reported a nice time.

Miss Annie Opal Rodgers and Velma Townsend spent Sunday at Antioch.

Miss Mildred Kelly entertained with a musical Friday night. Music was furnished by Mr. Bill Clements, Carlos Clement, Naomi Clement, and Richard Manning and Fay Rutledge, all of Brownwood.

Those who enjoyed the affair are: Mr. and Mrs. Fadies Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Rowland Teague, Mrs. E. L. Dixon, Mrs. Clement, Lowell Chambers, C. L. and Dorothy Dixon, Miss Marjorie Rutledge, Albert Skiles, Mr. C. S. Skiles and Misses Sadie and Beulah Dixon and the musicians. All reported a most enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Chambers attended church in Blanket Sunday.

Miss Beulah Dixon spent Saturday night in Brownwood visiting her sister, Mrs. S. S. Smith.

Miss Dorothy Dixon spent Saturday night as a guest of Miss Lucille Cahill of Brownwood.

Mr. Carruth was in Brownwood Saturday.

Mr. Lee Shaw was shopping in Brownwood Saturday.

Indian Creek

Homer Ratliff made a business trip to New Mexico last week.

Miss Thelma Dixon has gone to Brownwood where she will attend Daniel Baker College this winter.

Mrs. Letha McDearmond, Miss Nellie Grace DeHay and Miss Pauline McBride attended the Baptist Association at Brownwood Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Sallee and sons have returned after spending the summer at Cherokee.

Bill DeHay and Miss Ima Gene DeHay of Woodland Heights were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Sallee Thursday.

Mrs. Bruce Francis and sons have returned to Brownwood after spending several weeks here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Odie McCoy of Cleburne spent the week-end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. McCoy and Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Perry.

Miss Mabel Curry returned to Glynn Cove Sunday after a short visit with Miss Della Creamer.

Miss Nellie Grace DeHay entered Daniel Baker College at Brownwood Monday.

The subject for the B. Y. P. U. program for Sunday, September 13, is: "The Training of a World Leader." Pauline McBride is the leader. Other parts are: 2. "Born Well," by Zanna DeHay; 3. "Edu-

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called Thoroughly," by Perry Hawthorne; 4. "Born Again," by C. B. McBride, Jr.; 5. "Alone With God," by Edith Hawthorne; 6. "Serving an Apprenticeship," by Della Creamer; 7. "Given a Dominant Purpose," by Inez Herring; 8. "Free From Race Prejudices," by Alton Dixon, and 9. "Christ, His Companion," by Lella McBride.

Mrs. Will Middleton visited Mrs. Jim Keen and Mrs. J. M. Jernigan at Jordan Springs Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Smith of Brownwood were visiting in the G. C. Edwards' home Thursday.

Jack and Arden Taylor of Brownwood were visitors in this community Friday.

C. B. McBride, Sr., Miss Pauline McBride, Miss Ila Edwards and Raymond Edwards attended the Baptist Association at Brownwood Friday.

Rev. Henry Francis filled his regular appointment at the Methodist Church Sunday morning and Sunday night.

Miss Goldie Mathews of Bangs spent Sunday with Miss Elma Middleton.

Miss Nina Lee Perry has returned from Austin where she spent the summer attending Texas University.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Reese and daughters of Woodland Heights spent several days last week in our community.

Fay Curry of Glynn Cove was a Sunday visitor in the George Creamer home.

Alton Keeler of Thrifty visited friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Wheeler of Liberty Hill are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Perry.

Misses Maggie and Eulalia Grady are spending a few days at Sania Anna with relatives.

Bob Sikes has entered Howard Payne College for the coming term.

Cecil Underwood of Killeen spent several days last week visiting friends in this community.

Mrs. Parson of Burkett was visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Creamer one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Dixon returned Saturday evening from Clovis, New Mexico, where they spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Head.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wilson and children of Dulin spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Perry.

Rev. Henry Francis is helping in a revival meeting at Brownwood this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Byrd of Grosvener are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Posey.

Mrs. A. Bennett of Eden spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. D. H. Bullion.

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Cheese Making Done by Women; Fair Exhibit Planned; Meeting Held by Cross Cut Club

Miss Malone, home demonstration agent, attended a meeting of the Cross Cut Club...

TO BE RAISED BY ON SCOUT WORK IN THIS AREA

To continue the rest of the Pecon Valley Area Scout Council...

DEMONSTRATION CLUBS BROWN COUNTY TO HAVE EXHIBIT DALLAS FAIR

Brown county home demonstration clubs will have an exhibit at the Dallas Fair this year...

CONDITIONS BROWN COUNTY NOW EXCEPTIONALLY GOOD

Conditions in Brown county are exceptionally good, says Dr. C. W. Scott, city health officer...

Department H. P. Academy To Open Monday

Department H. P. Academy, formerly the commercial department of Payne Academy...

daughter, Mrs. Jimmie Bentley, and family.

Brother J. B. Henderson filled the pulpit at Stepps Creek Sunday morning and at night...

tenkins Memorial Class Commends Work of Police

A communication from the Jenkins Memorial Class of the First Christian church...

LARGE ATTENDANCE MARKS OPENING OF SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES

Several thousand students enrolled in the public schools and the two local colleges Monday...

Early High Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Pinkney Eaton of Arlington are here this week for a visit with their parents...

ISSUE \$10,000 CITY WARRANTS AND REFUNDING \$90,000 VOTED

Issuance of warrants for \$10,000 and refunding of \$90,000 in outstanding city warrants...

CLINIC FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN AND HEALTH DAY WORK SEPT. 24

Committees made up of members of the civic clubs of Brownwood are working on the program for the joint orthopedic clinic...

Grand Jury Likely To End C. C. Julian Hearing Late Today

OKLAHOMA CITY, Sept. 9.—(AP)—Federal officials indicated today a grand jury investigation into mail fraud charges against C. C. Julian...

Salt Creek

Cotton-picking is the order of the day in this community. Miss Joe Evans spent a few days last week with her cousin, Miss Bernice Salyer...

DEPUTY WARDEN HELD CAPTIVE BY PRISONERS

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Sept. 9.—(AP)—One convict was killed in an attempted break at the Utah state penitentiary...

Canzoneri And Berg Battle Tonight In Championship Clash

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—(AP)—Tony Canzoneri is to defend his lightweight title against Jack (Kid) Berg at the Polo Grounds tonight...

WANTED—Good mule. Will trade wither Gunton double disc plow...

HATCHERY SETTING Every Monday. Bring us your eggs Monday for setting.

WELLS

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tunnell of Arlington visited her sister, Mrs. A. L. Vernon, here one night last week...

BROWN COUNTY TEACHERS

Teachers' contracts in sixteen school districts of Brown county have been filed in the office of County Superintendent F. D. Pierce...

SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the 26th day of September, 1931, in Consolidated Common School District No. 3...

PREPARE FOR WINTER We are now doing Custom Hatching. Settings every Monday.

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# BLAST ROCKS DALLAS TODAY

DALLAS, Tex., Sept. 9.—(AP)—Freakish explosions caused by the explosion of a small Du Pont Powder Company dynamite cache, eight miles south of Dallas, early today caused more damage in downtown Dallas than at the scene of the explosion.

Buildings were shaken and thousands of dollars damage resulted when plate glass windows in skyscrapers and store buildings were shattered, plastering cracked and dishes were broken.

The explosion occurred on the Henry Schaefer farm, eight miles south of Dallas on the Holmes street road, as citizens in the city were preparing to go to work. It shook the ground like an earthquake and was felt as far distant as Rowlett, Garland and Richardson, small towns in the northern part of Dallas county, nearly 20 miles from the scene.

Mrs. H. J. Schaefer, Jr., and her son, Billy, 5 months, who had just arrived at her father-in-law's home for a visit, were slightly injured. Four other persons in the house suffered slight shock and in a shack nearby, James Cotterwright, 7, was bruised when a piece of furniture fell on him.

The Schaefer farmhouse and out-buildings were wrecked. Furnishings were broken and turned topsy turvy.

Where the small one-room brick dynamite magazine had been was left only a deep pit in the ground. Oak trees in the wood for a radius of several hundred yards were uprooted and splintered as though raked by shell fire on a war front.

Thousands of motorists, quickly blocked the road for a distance of several miles, preventing ambulances, police officers, fire apparatus and newspaper men from reaching the scene for nearly two hours.

The dynamite magazine which exploded was one of four kept on the Schaefer farm by the Du Pont Company as a storage depot from which to make shipments to purchasers in Texas. The other three magazines did not explode. A grass fire was believed to have set off the cache of explosive.

## GOVERNMENT REPORT BOOSTS ESTIMATE OF COTTON CROP YIELD

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—(AP)—A government production estimate of 15,885,000 bales, the highest September cotton forecast since 1913, today gave little comfort to the grower.

The estimate was 101,000 bales above the August forecast of 15,784,000 bales, which caused immediate price declines on the exchanges ranging from \$6 to \$7.50 a bale.

Private estimates on the average were almost 1,000,000 bales lower than the August forecast, but since they have revised their predictions upward on the whole averaging about 15,100,000 bales.

The figure on the area left for harvest in today's report was 40,889,000 acres as compared to the 40,129,000 acres used as the basis for the August production estimate.

The change was not regarded as unusual but an indication why the agriculture department believes that this year's crop will yield more than a million bales over that of 1929 was seen in the condition forecast.

On September 1 last year it was estimated at 53.2 per cent, and in today's report at 68.5.

The production estimate for September 1 last year was 14,340,000 and the final estimate, based on ginnings, was 13,932,000.

Attempts to Raise Prices. An almost continuous demand for some plan to raise the price of cotton, more than seven cents at principal markets, and near five at many small buying markets, rose in the wake of the August forecast.

These ranged from requests that the farm board buy several million bales of this year's crop to moves in the cotton states themselves for a reduction or total cessation of cotton planting next year.

The Louisiana legislature has already adopted a statute to prevent cotton planting next year, but this is dependent upon similar action in the principal cotton growing states.

Special legislative sessions in several southern states, including Texas, may pass on the situation soon.

William L. Clayton, a Houston, Texas, cotton merchant, called at the White House today to discuss the situation with President Hoover, but declined to say what had been the nature of his conversation.

An indication that the cotton farmer is moving his crop to market slowly was seen in today's ginning figures. They were 555,100 bales as compared to 1,879,919 last year, although the lateness of this year's crop was undoubtedly a factor in the staple's slow movement.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—(AP)—This year's cotton crop was estimated at 15,885,000 bales today by the Department of Agriculture.

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compared with 15,884,000 bales a month ago. The department's estimate was based on the condition of the crop September 1st, which was 68.0 per cent of a normal, as compared with 74.9 per cent a month ago and 53.2 per cent a year ago, and on the estimated area remaining September 1st for harvest, which was 40,889,000 acres.

The August estimate of production, which caused a heavy slump in cotton prices, was based on the July acreage less the average ten year abandonment. July acreage was 41,491,000 but application of the average abandonment resulted in 40,129,000 acres being used as the basis for the August production estimate.

Actual abandonment since July 1st this year was placed at 1.5 per cent, as compared with 3.4 per cent for the ten years 1921-1930.

This year's indicated yield is placed at 183.6 pounds per acre, as compared with an estimate of 183.5 pounds a month ago, 147.7 pounds produced last year and 134.4 pounds, the ten year average.

The report indicated Texas acreage at 15,852,000 acres, condition of crop 67 per cent and probable production 5,094,500 bales, all as of September 1st.

## Zephyr

Mr. and Mrs. Porter McKinney and children of Shreveport, Louisiana, spent the week-end with his brother, Mr. Edgar McKinney.

Misses Mattie, Virgil and Myrtle McKinney of Brownwood spent Sunday with their father, Edgar McKinney.

Roy Ware of Richland Springs arrived Sunday to spend the winter with his uncle, George Ware, and attend school here this winter.

J. L. Van Zandt, Lelias and Arel spent the week-end in May Pearl.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Lea of Brownwood spent Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Dabney.

C. N. Davis and two sons, Chas. and Lawrence, William Lolye of Brownwood and Roland and Ivy Jenkins spent Wednesday and Wednesday night in San Saba.

The Epworth League will present the following program Sunday evening, September 13th: Leader, Mrs. Carl Belvin; prayer, Mrs. Smoot; leader's talk, I, Why are we concerned about "Deciding for Ourselves?" Aurelia Pett, II, Scripture comments, (1) Alla Rae Coffey; (2) Eloise Cabler; (3) Charles Cabbler; (4) Mae Van Zandt; (5) Mrs. Philip Locks.

"When Are We Entitled to Decide for Ourselves?" Bob Coffey; song; closing prayer, Brother Smoot.

Mrs. Arthur Driskill and daughter, Mammie Dell, attended the Brown County Baptist Association, which was held at the First Baptist Church at Brownwood Thursday.

Charlie Jones left Monday for his home at Houston after a week's visit with his parents here.

Miss Lona Underwood returned to her home at Beattie, Texas, after visiting her cousin, Miss Ester Underwood, here.

L. T. Cobb and E. C. Renfro made a business trip to Tuscola one day last week.

Miss Lottie Beth Morris of Douglasville arrived Sunday to spend the school term here.

Mrs. Jessie Driskill and children of Elkins are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Shelton.

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Wadsworth spent Saturday with his mother, who is critically ill in Abilene.

Mrs. E. E. Stoker of McKinney, Texas, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Couch, a few days last week.

Little Minnie Sue Wright of Brownwood spent Saturday and Sunday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Dabney.

Sallie Baker made a business trip to Comanche Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Weidon and children returned home Monday from a visit in East Texas.

Mrs. Eva Piper and Robetta Bingham left Tuesday for their home at Bertram where Mrs. Piper will be a member of the school faculty and Miss Bingham will attend school.

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The program was opened with singing of "America," led by Miss Inez Petsick. The devotional exercises were led by Rev. J. D. Smoot of Comanche and Miss Petsick gave a vocal solo.

Short talks were made by F. D. Pierce, county superintendent; Mrs. Kilgore, teacher of public school art; and G. W. McLean, president of the county school board.

Announcements were made by Superintendent Leslie Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ware and children of Richland Springs spent Sunday with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. George Ware.

Pauline Glass entertained a few of her friends at her home Thursday evening with a forty-two party.

A dainty refreshment of ice lemonade and cake were served to the following: Lucile Reasner, Mary Helen Little, Charles Davis, Marvin Lee Ford, Shirley Wadsworth, Lewis Beard and the hostess. Everyone reported a nice time.

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Mollie Lee Sears gave a birthday party Wednesday afternoon honoring her tenth birthday.

Various games were played after which a refreshment of coolade and cookies were served to the guests. It was enjoyed by all.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Daniel, Modie Glass and daughter, Dorothy, visited Mr. and Mrs. Boulter at May Sunday afternoon.

Virginia Shafer of York, Nebraska, is spending a few days with her cousin, Dorothy Glass.

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## Man Falls To Death From 24th Floor Of Alamo Bank Building

SAN ANTONIO, Sept. 9.—(AP)—A man fell to his death today from the lofty Alamo National Bank building here, crashing to the pavement amid a crowd of hurrying pedestrians.

Office workers on the twelfth floor said they saw the body flash past their windows, but apparently no one saw the beginning of the fall. A hat was found on the twenty-fourth floor.

Officers hoped to trace the man's identity by means of a name marked in the waistband of the trousers he wore. The name was G. S. Simpson. He was believed to have resided at Little Rock, Ark.

## Davis to Favor Conservation Plan At Extra Session

Judge E. M. Davis, representative of the legislative district composed of Brown and Coleman counties, left Tuesday morning for Austin to attend the special session of the legislature called by Governor Sterling to deal with the cotton situation.

Judge Davis said before leaving that the only legislation bearing on the limitation of cotton planting that he would advocate or support

would be a conservation measure, aimed at the conservation of the soil. If a bill were passed requiring the rotation of crops, prohibiting, for instance the planting of land to the same crop two years in succession, it would while working primarily to retain or restore the fertility of the soil, at the same time bring about a solution of the cotton acreage problem, he believed.

## Blanket School Opening Program Saturday Night

Formal opening of Blanket school will be held Saturday night, September 12, at 8 o'clock and school will open the following Monday.

Superintendent R. L. Fortune said today the school is to hold the opening on Saturday night because a great number of patrons and friends find it inconvenient to attend the exercises on Monday morning.

There will be no exercises Monday morning and the students will assemble in the class rooms to have their books issued and lessons assigned.

A speaker from John Tarleton College will make the principal address on the Saturday night program. Other talks will be made by Blanket and county educationalists. The program will also include musical numbers and readings.

## Highway No. 10 South Loop Now Open For Traffic

Paving of the South Loop of Highway 10, former route of highways 10 and 7 into Brownwood, has been finished, accepted and opened for traffic, according to resident Engineer, Leo Ehlinger.

A two-course asphalt paving at a cost of between \$4,000 and \$5,000 was put on the highway by the Southern Paving Company. Lawrence Moore has completed the contract of widening the slough bridge on the road.

At the time the work was started it was pointed out that paving the south loop would give people in the eastern part of town a route to reach new highway 10 without having to enter the new concrete highway where it enters the city at Main Avenue.

Edmund La Juan, a Mexican immigrant, was today by the city police for investigation in a case. The Mexican was taken to court for drunk driving.

PAMPA, Texas, Sept. 9.—(AP)—C. Alexander, 42, commander here today of pneumonia, well known as an oil operator.

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21x4:50 . . . 5.65	21x4:50 . . . 6.90

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RAISERS BRING FOR MARKET

Up of pecan growers in this region and of the Heart of Texas Association a regional of a county local, directors will be installed in this district, president of the National Marketing Association, association here is a board of directors will be organized and there will be pecans according to value, says Mr. Lucas.

250 TEACHERS EXPECTED HERE FOR INSTITUTE

More than 250 teachers are expected to attend the institute for teachers of Brownwood city schools and Brown county schools which opens at 8:30 o'clock Friday morning, September 11. The meeting will continue through Saturday.

EMMETT DALTON, LAST OF DALTON GANG, IN ST. LOUIS ON VISIT

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 7.—(AP)—Emmett Dalton, last survivor of the Dalton gang, notorious outlaws of the old Indian territory days, came to town on a little business trip Saturday, but he came without his pistols and departed without a posse on his heels as of old.

Special Friday and Saturday READ and BUTTER Store

Table with 2 columns: Product Name and Price. Items include Corn, Rice, Salmon, Pork, Beef, Soap, Brooms, Flour, and Sugar.

chine on which the California Walnut growers spent \$50,000 in perfecting. In a short time grading schools will be given for all plant managers in order to give proper instructions in making the gradings at the local.

Standard Grade Basis The national association adopted the standard of grades last year and is selling pecans on that basis. The list of grades and the actual pecans to illustrate the grades will be installed in every local headquarters this season and plant managers will make grades accordingly.

Friday Afternoon. Music by the Line Riders Class male quartet of the First Baptist church. Address by Dr. M. E. Davis, Howard Payne College. Address by a representative from the department of health.

High School: "Special Problems of the Consolidated Schools," Supt. Horace White, May; "Department Co-ordination in High School Instruction," J. R. Stalcup, principal Brownwood senior high school; General discussion.

Other companies submitting bids were the Standard Paving Company of Fort Worth, J. Floyd Malcom of Abilene, Sandifer Bros. of Big Wells, Monarch Engineering Company of San Antonio, McClung Construction Company of Fort Worth, Crouch and Noland of Strawn, L. D. Parks of Fort Worth, Jno. P. Buckner of Cleburne, Austin Bridge Company of Dallas, Thomas and Ratliff of Rodgers, J. S. Harrison Construction Company of Waco and Brown Abbott Company of Dallas.

Friday, September 11. 8:30-9:15: Registration at Brownwood High School. 9:15-9:40: Invocation. Music by ladies' quartet, Mrs. Hal Cherry, Mrs. Henderson, Mrs. Keith and Mrs. Evans, accompanied by Mrs. Edna Savage Saunders.

BIDS ACCEPTED FOR BAYOU AND JIM NED SPANS

Contracts on the Jim Ned and Bayou bridges were let for \$55,899.27 and \$33,967.21, respectively, by the commissioners court in session Monday. W. S. Thompson Company of San Angelo was awarded the Jim Ned bridge contract and McDonald, Moore & Son of Brownwood were awarded the Bayou bridge contract.

Both bridges will span the respective streams on the Brownwood-Cross Cut road. The Pecan Bayou bridge is to be 232 feet in length. The Jim Ned bridge is to be a 402 feet span. Both structures will be concrete and steel.

Bids on both bridges were several thousand dollars under the estimate made by Resident Engineer Leo Ehlinger. His estimate was \$67,000 for Jim Ned bridge and \$45,000 for Pecan Bayou bridge.

Other matters of business before the court was accepting of final estimates on the South Loop of highway 10. Lawrence Moore, bridge contractor, gave his final estimate as \$482.40. Southern Paving Company, paving contractor, had an estimate of \$1,904.72. Regular monthly bills were also paid.

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BANGS

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EMMETT DALTON, LAST OF DALTON GANG, IN ST. LOUIS ON VISIT

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 7.—(AP)—Emmett Dalton, last survivor of the Dalton gang, notorious outlaws of the old Indian territory days, came to town on a little business trip Saturday, but he came without his pistols and departed without a posse on his heels as of old.

Brooks and Miss Ella Gilbert, Dorace Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Carr, C. W. Adair; Mesdames J. K. Davis, and Patsy Pulliam were among those to attend the Brown County Baptist Association in the First Baptist church in Brownwood last Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Guthrie, and sons of Winchell were visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Sheffield Sunday. Miss Una McClatchey of Salt Branch was the guest of Miss Muriel Matthews Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Winn and children of Muleshoe are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Brooks. Horace and Joe Louis Wilson spent last Thursday in the home of their aunt, Mrs. Fred Vincent of Brownwood.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist church met in the home of Mrs. O. M. Leonard Monday afternoon in Bible study. The pastor teaching the book of Micah. There were only seven present, but a profitable meeting was enjoyed by those present.

Ben Crowder was a business visitor Monday to Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Sheffield and son were week-end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Sheffield.

Forrest Gilbert came in Monday from Comanche for a visit to his father, W. J. Gilbert, and his grandfather, W. J. Gilbert. Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Seal spent the week-end in Levelland with friends. Miss Oda Martin has returned to her home in Fort Worth, after a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Martin.

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Miss Myrtle Gaines and mother, visited in the home of relatives at Coleman last Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Preston and children have returned to their home at Winters after visiting relatives here.

Miss Leora Stephens is greatly improved after undergoing a minor operation last Tuesday. Clarence, Dorothy and Florence Brooks returned to Fort Worth Sunday after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schulz and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Garret of Hobbs, New Mexico, arrived Saturday for a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Swenson, Mrs. Garret will be remembered as Miss Winnie Swenson.

Among those of our young people who will attend school away this year, are Hope Schulz, Bruce Pike and Morris Rogers who entered Daniel Baker college this week and Miss Melba Walker, who will attend Brownwood high school.

Mather Schulz has returned to his home at Fort Worth, after spending some time in the home of his grandfather, uncle and aunt. Ben and James Sullivan, had as their guest last week, their cousin, John Allen of Brooksmith.

accompanied Rob, and Mr. and Mrs. Orman Means home, who had visited him in Austin. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Reynolds of Oklahoma City left Wednesday for Lampasas, after a visit to their son Virgil, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Yarbrough.

DICK MCCABE WILL HURL FOR BUFFS IN SERIES HOUSTON, Sept. 10.—(AP)—Dick McCabe, veteran right hander of the Fort Worth Cats, will hurl for the Houston Buffs in the Dixie series against Birmingham of the Southern Association League. McCabe was selected by Houston officials in an agreement with the Birmingham club. Indications were that McCabe would follow the two Houston aces, Dizzy Dean and George Payne, in doing mound duty.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Owens attended the funeral services of the two children of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Moore, in Brownwood Tuesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Yarbrough are leaving this week for Amherst, to visit in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Yarbrough.

Miss Grace Sheffield visited in the home of her brother, Rob Sheffield at Brooksmith Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Williams and children, who formerly lived near Brooksmith, have gone to Levelland to make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Sheffield, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sheffield at Brooksmith Sunday and their brother, Goldman, formerly of Austin was also a visitor in the home, having

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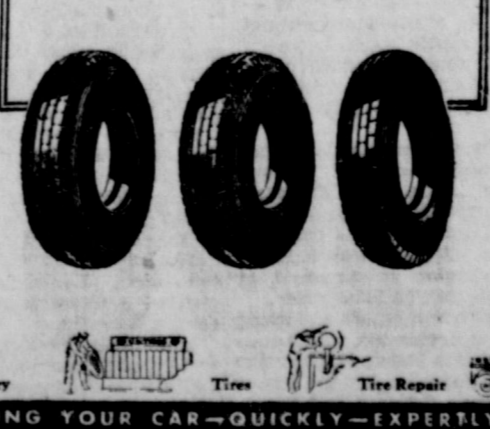
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# HOOVER TRIES RAISE COTTON PRICES AGAIN

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—(AP)—Three of the men who sought means to arrest the decline in cotton prices following the huge crop of 1926, again are trying to raise the depressed price of the staple.

One is President Hoover, secretary of commerce five years ago. Another is Eugene Meyer, governor of the federal reserve board. The third is William L. Clayton, head of one of the largest private cotton firms in the world.

Their efforts have been directed toward arranging some form of credit for the export of cotton, now at one of the lowest prices in its history.

No decision has been decided upon or methods of relief. However the president plans to continue his conference with bankers and the cotton men in the hope that some solution may be found soon.

The 1926 crop, of approximately 13,000,000 bales, was the largest on record. A near panic prevailed as it started to market.

Cotton mills, anticipating lower prices, bought cheaply and cotton trade channels seemed clogged.

In early October the average price in southern spot market was 13.25 cents a pound, which was below production cost but double the 1931 price.

Called Meeting  
Mr. Hoover and Meyer, who had had previous experience in setting up establishments for financing cotton exports while chairman of the war finance corporation, suggested a meeting of bankers and cotton men which was held in New Orleans to consider the situation.

It was agreed to recommend that growers discontinue the sale of cotton at prevailing prices and to urge mills to buy cotton as an investment.

Shortly afterward Meyer set up a number of cotton finance corporations in the south. Ample credit was provided and arrangements were made to finance farmers but cotton storage places were insufficient.

Clayton, who participated in the cotton discussion, advised his agencies abroad to urge spinners to buy substantial stocks as an investment. Approximately 15 per cent of the 1926 crop was handled by his firm.

The agriculture department has placed the 1931 crop at 15,685,000 bales. The farm board has estimated the carry-over of domestic cotton a year hence will be 11,000,000 bales.

After accumulating 300,000 bales in 1930 in an effort to stabilize cotton prices the board announced no more cotton would be purchased for that purpose.

## McCulloch Farmers Protest Plans Drop County Agent Work

BRADY, Texas, September 10.—Upon apparently well founded rumors that the McCulloch county Commissioners Court is contemplating to discontinue the offices of the county agent and the county home demonstration agent as well as the county library, a county wide protest

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test meeting has been called for next Tuesday afternoon before the Commissioners Court at the Brady court house.

Committees seem to have been organized in the many communities of the county to urge all supporters of these services to attend the meeting at the court house Tuesday afternoon.

According to reports the commissioners seem to be unanimous in the decision to discontinue these services in order to effect economies in the county expenditures.

In 1925 a similar action was taken by the county commissioners which resulted in a farmers' meeting at the court house and the subsequent retention of the county agent's services. The county library was established in 1928.

## HEALTH PICTURE TO BE SHOWN ON MORNING OF CLINIC DAY, SEPT. 24

Plans are going forward for the Clinic for crippled children and Brownwood Health Day, sponsored by Brownwood civic clubs to be held all day September 24.

The free picture to be shown at the Lyric Theater on the morning program is a story about a young doctor studying cancer cure and it is meant to teach the lesson that cancer can be cured if properly handled.

Following is a review of the picture:  
**This Great Peril**  
Gordon Crane, a young physician, has fallen heir to his father's large and lucrative practice in a thriving community. The young man neglects this practice and devotes his entire time to research work in his study of cancer. Young Crane believes that cancer can be controlled, if properly dealt with, and to this end he is constantly lecturing and writing, analyzing and experimenting.

Margaret Salter, Gordon's fiancée, shows whole-hearted interest in his work at first but as time passes, and the practice is sacrificed to Crane's cancer studies, she wonders if he will ever be in a position to marry.

Her mother, who detests young Crane for his apparent selfishness and self-centered interests, influences insidiously Margaret's mind—telling her that she is sacrificing her life and hopes for Gordon, when there are many eligible men waiting for her.

The argument is broken when Gordon announces that he is going to New York for two years as assistant to a world-famous surgeon and cancer specialist.

Mrs. Salter, the mother, is ill and has long suspected that her ailment is cancer, inherited from her mother. A "quack" advertisement attracts her attention and she writes to a "Cancer Cured" company of charlatans. Margaret opposes her mother's action, sensing the danger of fake treatment. The mother persists; she is hoodwinked and coerced into being a patient in the "quack" sanitarium in New York, where the schemer proceeds to relieve her of her money for a "bread pill" cure.

In desperation, Margaret turns to Dr. Gordon Crane. The young doctor has little interest, beyond informing Margaret that her mother must personally send for him, also, that he will have nothing to do with the case unless Mrs. Salter leaves the charlatans' sanitarium.

Margaret persuades her mother to swallow her pride and send for Gordon. Gordon advises an immediate operation. The young man now is a brilliant surgeon, trained under a master physician.

The operation, Margaret in suspense. Enter Gordon Crane. Operation successful.

Gordon wastes no words in telling Margaret what the delay might have meant. He declares emphatically that there are no excuses for such an operation; a few months before, the trouble might have been corrected with radium, or a very slight operation.

Margaret puts her pride in her pocket and lets her help him in his cancer work. The young doctor believes she is insincere, seeking only the prestige of life with a successful surgeon. He tells her he is but an assistant surgeon.

Margaret is sincere and finally the reunion is accomplished as Gordon tells Margaret he is not an assistant but a full-fledged, recognized specialist.

As to mother—well, she comes around as all mothers will.

## Polo Horses From Brady Purchased By Mexican Army Men

BRADY, Texas, September 10.—A shipment of seven thoroughbred polo horses has been made to prominent Mexican army stables by White and Strickland, owners of the Brady polo farms, this week.

The deal was consummated after Captain Rosendo Perez and Colonel Rosendo de Anda of Monterey, Mexico, personally selected these ponies. The purchase was made by the Mexican officials through Sheriff Alonzo Taylor of Jimm Hogg county, who acted as interpreter.

All of these seven horses are young Kentucky thoroughbreds, which constituted part of a string of Kentucky blue bloods imported by the Brady farms last year Calanac and Sporting Miss, two of the horses included in the deal, have won a number of races in the race meets of this section during the summer.

This is the second sale of thoroughbreds made by the Brady men to Mexican army officials in the past few months. The horses were shipped by truck to Monterey.

# GOV. STERLING HECKLED WHILE MAKING SPEECH

AUSTIN, Tex., Sept. 10.—(AP)—The 1932 cotton prohibition plan advocated by Governor Huey P. Long of Louisiana was mounting in strength in Texas today as the result of continued agitation from other Southern states and a large mass meeting of farmers who vigorously cheered the complete "holiday" idea here last night.

While no later poll of the Legislature than the one taken by Gov. Ross S. Sterling before he called the special session was available, indications were the fight Governor Long and his supporters were making for adoption of the no cotton plan was gaining legislative adherents daily.

A canvass of a week ago showed Texas legislators overwhelmingly in favor of a 50 per cent curtailment plan.

Bills covering a variety of plans are before both branches of the Legislature and the time when the first test of strength will arrive was awaited.

More than 7,000 Texas farmers listened to cotton oratory for hours last night. Governor Long speaking over radio was cheered and Gov. Sterling of Texas was heckled at intervals.

Long Plan Adopted  
At the close of Governor Long's speech a motion endorsing the Long plan was adopted with a roar of applause.

Governor Long in urging the people of Texas to fight for the "no cotton" plan predicted the price of commodity would sink to two or three cents per pound with possibly no market unless planting was prohibited in 1932. A law reducing acreage would be unconstitutional, unenforceable and would not help the price, he contended.

He pointed to the huge carry-over supply of cotton now as sufficient to care for the demand next year and asked why should Southern farmers plant a single cotton seed. He charged speculators were trying to give the farmers a "pacifier" through adoption of some other plan.

Governor Sterling was interrupted at times in by cries, "hurrah for Long!"

"When you get too much government in business you won't be a free people very long," the Texas executive warned the farmers.

"We aren't free now," cried some one in the crowd.

Governor Sterling attributed the condition of the farmers largely to the special policies of the federal government. He attacked the Republican tariff bill and referred to President Hoover as "that spineless cactus at the head of the government at Washington." He said something must be wrong with the distribution system which permitted hunger in a world of plenty.

"What a splendid example they think if he should suddenly return to life and see the Governor of Louisiana telling the people of his beloved Texas what to do?" Sterling asked.

"Hurrah for Long," several shouted.

Three States Represented  
Louisiana, Georgia and Mississippi were represented on the platform. Eugene Talmadge, Georgia Commissioner of Agriculture, predicted Georgia, Mississippi, Alabama, South Carolina and other states would adopt the 1932 cotton prohibition plan if Texas should set the precedent.

W. B. Roberts, chairman of the finance committee of the Mississippi Senate and representative of Gov. Bilbo of that state, urged that Texas proceed with caution. He spoke in behalf of moderate acreage restrictions as opposed to the Long plan but pledged support to any program Texas would adopt.

"What Texas does, I will recommend that Mississippi do likewise," he said.

O. K. Allen, Louisiana Highway Commissioner, urged the farmers to take vigorous action to obtain legislation prohibiting planting cotton in 1932.

"Let's storm this Legislature and enact this law," Allen shouted. "It is your duty to get behind your Legist and let them pass what the big fellows want. This is a farmers' session. Let's make it one in name and fact, too."

Cries of "we're for you," echoed through the park as Allen discussed claimed benefits of the Long plan.

Eyes Open Texas  
ATLANTA, Ga., Sept. 10.—(AP)—The interest of the south today centered upon whether Texas, producer of a third of the nation's cotton crop, would enact a fifty per cent acreage reduction measure of the Louisiana plan to prohibit cotton production entirely in 1932.

Both the proposed cotton relief measures were before the Texas legislature, called into special session on the cotton crisis.

# WEEDON PREACHES TO BIG REVIVAL AUDIENCE ON WEDNESDAY NIGHT

Large audiences are attending the revival services at Coggin Avenue Baptist church conducted by Rev. Frank Weedon. Report of the services furnished The Bulletin from the church today is as follows:

"All the people in Brownwood did not go to the circus last night. One of the largest crowds that has attended the revival at Coggin Avenue Baptist Church greeted the evangelist at the evening service yesterday. The meeting is greatly handicapped by so many other activities incident upon the opening of the schools, etc. But a large and enthusiastic crowd is attending and now that the schools are getting into their regular schedules it is believed that the attendance will be greatly augmented by the end of the week."

"Fighting the Devil" was the theme of last night's sermon. Frank, as the evangelist is affectionately called, was at his best. At times the audience was convulsed with laughter as he told of incidents of his life on the farm. He described his efforts to ride bucking bronchos and their disastrous results. "Most of my youthful days were spent with my toes 'done up in turpentine," he declared. One useful lesson he learned was not to stub his toe on the same stone twice. A good lesson for stumbling Christians. With great emotion he described some of his experiences in soul winning. "I would rather be in hell with my back broke, than to listen to a crying preacher," one man had said. "Poor old Mack, he is in hell tonight. My guess is, that if Mack could come back, he would be glad to listen to a man who cared enough for his soul to weep over it."

"This audience was greatly moved as he told of an old drunken father who was won by the tears and prayers of his little son. 'We can minister to broken hearts, as we, ourselves, have bleeding hearts,' he quoted from J. H. Towett, 'Compassionate hearts will make winsome lives.'"

"If we are to win this fight with the devil, we must know that we are saved, live a consistent life, have a knowledge of God's Word, pray and break our hearts in compassion for a lost world."

"Tonight, it is announced, the subject of the revival will be 'The Meanest Old Man in Brownwood.' One little boy said he was sure going to talk about his daddy."

Mike told us about seeing a couple of big tigers tear a man to shreds one time during a parade. "Those were the good old days," he said, "and we are all thankful they are gone. We had to work fearfully hard, live in the midst of hardships all the time, and get very little money for our labor. Now the circus employes are well fed, comfortably housed in their cars, and well paid for all they do."

Later, Golden launched his own circus, but soon went broke and got back on the payroll. Occasionally he did some newspaper work, but could never get far away from the big tents and the noise and apparent confusion of the circus.

"Confusion?" he said, "there is no confusion on a circus lot. There is no better organized group of workers in the world than those who seem to be running around aimlessly here. Every man has his job to do, and does it with a minimum of effort and with no loss of time. We have traveled over thirteen thousand miles this season, and have unloaded and erected these tents and other equipment so often that the whole thing is done with as much precision as a machine performs its work."

So we saw the circus and learned all about it, and enjoyed it very much, although we went as a matter of duty. Parents should always give their children the advantage of such educational opportunities as circuses.

Another bogus bill has been discovered in Brownwood, it is reported today. A woman had a check cashed today at one of the banks and went to the other bank to make a deposit.

The cashier happened to run his finger across the faked bill and discovered the pasted ends. The bill was given back to the woman and the other bank made it good, taking the bill to send it in to the treasury.

People here have been warned to look out for bogus \$10 bills made from \$1 bills. The fake is accomplished by cutting the ends off a \$10 bill and pasting them on a \$1 bill. The \$10 bill is then sent to the government and redeemed as a mutilated bill and the faker makes a good profit.

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Our Better Days  
A correspondent wants to know what gave rise to the modern fashion of handshaking as a greeting. It is a gradual evolution from the days when savage fight hands went out instinctively with a weapon when strangers approached.

Preserving Sign Language  
In order to preserve the sign language of the Indian tribes, a motion picture was made in Montana by the Interior department of the United States.

Hospital Notes  
Doris Faye Burrows, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Burrows, Winchell, has been discharged after medical treatment.

Chas. Rogers, Jr., Lingleville, has left after a minor operation.

H. B. Jones, 418 Milton avenue, who has been in a critical condition at a local hospital is reported improving. Mr. Jones has recently undergone three operations.

Mrs. Louis Roberts, 1018 Vine street, who has been in a critical condition is improving, according to attendants.

Mrs. E. D. Nabors, Blanket, is receiving medical treatment.

# Circus - - SECRETS REVEALED TO INQUIRING GUEST OF VETERAN PRESS AGENT.

BY J. C. W.  
Yesterday we attended the Al G. Barnes circus as the guest of Mike Golden, veteran press representative, whose name indicates that he is either Irish or Jewish. We made the interesting discovery that he is a Scotchman, and that he is only one of his kind in the world. If all his offers of entertainment had been accepted, we would be carrying a thirty-pound cherub through side shows to this good hour, and the visible supply of peanuts and popcorn would have been decreased to such an extent that the Legislature could adjourn and go home without worrying further about overproduction of farm products. Mike even offered to hold the baby for a while, which was a gesture of real kindness, inasmuch as the temperature under the big top was like a politician's dream of the hereafter, and holding the baby was conducive to minor perturbation.

The circus was the best we have ever attended, and we have been going to circuses ever since we became a print-shop devil and began getting free tickets. Every act was good, and some were particularly fine. What we enjoyed most, however, was the opportunity to ask all the different kinds of questions we have always wanted to ask, and Mike answered every one of them. We shall never know how much of truth was in his answers, but what does it matter? We learned that the little girl who was doing the fancy work on the high trapeze was the mother of the big brags who was manhandling one of the elephants. That was hot information. Ladies who want to preserve their youthful figures and school girl complexions should go in for trapeze performances.

We learned, also, that the troupe of daredevils performing the high wire were German and that they receive \$500 per week. The head man, who was the one with the bushy hair, fell from the wire not long ago, and they had to get a pair of elephants to pull him out of the ground. Another thing we have always wanted to know was whether the animal trainer who always starts rows with one of the lions or whether the animals actually are bad actors. We found that the animals themselves have the bad dispositions, and that their roars are genuine.

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# Texas Oil Men To Organize Two New Protective Bodies

DALLAS, Sept. 10.—(AP)—Texas oil men met here today to organize two new associations for the protection of independent operators.

Organization of the oil producers sales agency was to be effected first. S. A. Guberson, elected president at a conference of operators recently was to preside. Discussion was to center around the marketing plan as drawn up by Sam McCorkle of Mexico.

Col. J. Lewis Thompson or Dr. W. L. Todd was to preside at the gathering of independents. Proposed legislation up for discussion was to be creation of a special oil and gas commission, and advisability of trying for a law setting it up at the present special session of the legislature.

DALLAS, Sept. 10.—(AP)—Independent Texas oil men, still at odds over various plans for bettering conditions in the industry and divided into five rival groups, met here today in two separate conferences to again attempt agreement.

During the morning, proponents of a plan to enlist independents in a cooperative marketing association, such as exists in California, began work of perfecting their organization. This group took up work started several weeks ago when the oil producers sales agency of Texas was launched.

S. A. Guberson, Jr., who was made president of the agency at its first meeting, presided. He had expected about 200 independent operators to attend but not more than 50 appeared. The agency is a non-profit sharing marketing group which claims about 40,000 barrels of oil per day already pledged by members.

The five rival groups were expected to be represented at a separate meeting in the afternoon, to work out a coordinated program. This meeting was expected to demand additional oil control legislation from the present special session of the lawmakers at Austin. Many favored asking for creation of a separate oil and gas commission, such as was rejected by the last special session of the legislature.

This plan was espoused by many oil men because of dissatisfaction with the present operation order in the East Texas field, setting up regulation on a well basis rather than on the unit plan.

The five groups represented were: The Texas oil emergency committee, the East Texas steering committee, the East Texas Lease, Land and Royalty Owners' Association, the San Antonio Petroleum Club and the North Texas Oil and Gas Association. The last named group has demanded impeachment of the present state railroad commission because its East Texas promotion order was issued on a well basis.

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# Red Cross Is Ready To Administer Help During Winter 1931

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—(AP)—The Red Cross steeled prepared today to administer relief next winter through its local chapters to those suffering and in want from any cause which is not being met by others.

This policy was set forth in a letter from Chairman John Barton Payne to all chapter heads, at the same time he said in a statement more than 1,000 units were engaged in unemployment relief work.

"Where there is suffering and want from any cause and the fundamental local needs are not being met," Payne said, "chapters may participate in the community plans for meeting the need."

He offered the advice and cooperation of national headquarters to local units in stressing their relief principles, but stressing the Red Cross principle of distinguishing between distress resulting from "natural" and "economic" causes.

The Red Cross, he added, did not duplicate work of other agencies but that its chapters undertook general relief work when adequate aid was unavailable. Financial support for such work, he explained, had to be provided locally.

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# Five Utah Convicts Placed In So Confinement

SALT LAKE CITY, Sept. 10.—(AP)—Five convicts were placed in solitary confinement today as a result of a riot at the state penitentiary in which several convicts were injured.

Warden W. E. Davis, in a statement, said that the deputy sheriffs had broken the walls to reach the convicts who were attempting to escape.

The warden expressed his hope that six or seven other convicts who were implicated in the riot would be confined to their cells.

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