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## Baylor University's Late President And the Man Who May Fill Vacancy



DR. S. P. BROOKS



PAT M. NEFF

Dr. Samuel Palmer Brooks, president of Baylor University at Waco for 23 years, succumbed early Thursday morning. His death was attributed to the ravages of a cancer. Shortly after Dr. Brooks' death, news stories were sent out that former Governor Pat M. Neff, close friend of Dr. Brooks, would be named as president of the Waco school.

## ARMY PLANES ARRIVING IN DAYTON TODAY

DAYTON, O., May 14.—(AP)—The first of the planes to participate in the greatest concentration of army aircraft in the country's history were due here today and by tomorrow the air will be thick with battle fleets.

Five Washington national guard planes were scheduled to make their final hop from the Chicago municipal airport. Tomorrow national guard and army ships of all descriptions—pursuit, attack, bombing and observation—will descend on Fairfield and Wright fields.

Ships from the Pacific coast and Southwest were quartered at Canby Field, Rantoul and Scott Field, Belleville, in Illinois; at Memphis, Tennessee and other points, ready for their last jaunt here tomorrow.

Others were scattered over the country. Thirty bombers from Langley Field, Virginia, head for Cleveland, where they will stop overnight.

By assembling a total of 670 planes here, army officers hope to show that Dayton is the logical center for a defense of the Eastern and Middlewestern industrial sections, and that the air corps can be mobilized here within 24 hours.

**98 Planes at Fort Sill**  
FORT SILL, Okla., May 14.—(AP)—Ninety-eight ships of the army aerial forces took off here early today bound for Scott Field, Belleville, Illinois, en route to Dayton, Ohio, where they are to take part in the annual war maneuvers.

Only one of the 98 ships that left San Antonio, Texas, in this group yesterday morning was left behind. Motor trouble kept it on the ground at Dallas.

## PECAN MEN TO MEET SATURDAY

Directors and members of the Heart of Texas Pecan Growers' Association have been called to meet at the court house at 2:00 o'clock Saturday afternoon by A. I. Fabis, president.

Directors will discuss final business matters for the association in connection with the past pecan season and several important business matters will be closed, it is said. All directors are urged to attend the meeting and assist in finishing up the season's business so the association will be ready for the opening of the pecan marketing season next year.

## LARGEST WELL LATHROP POOL

LONGVIEW, Texas, May 14.—(AP)—The F. H. E. Oil Company's No. 1 Julia Flenister test, completed yesterday to extend the Lathrop pool, the largest producer in the Lathrop pool, according to an official gauging taken today by A. B. Capers, production manager.

The well flowed 140 barrels of oil during the third hour of the test through an eleven-sixteenths inch choke on tubing.

The largest producer before this flowed only 105 barrels in the third hour test. At that rate, the well would be capable of producing about 49,000 barrels daily, open flow, officials said. It cored 25 feet of rich sand from 3,598 feet to 3,633 feet. It is on a 37-acre tract in the G. W. Hooper survey in Gregg county, about two miles southeast of the Mudge Oil Company's No. Richardson producer in Upshur county.

## PROPOSED FISH HATCHERY SITES ARE INSPECTED

C. B. Grater, supervisor of five states for the federal government fish hatcheries, and Mr. Kirby, superintendent of the federal hatchery proposed fish hatchery to be located in West Texas. The two men came here on a tour of inspection, which includes several towns that have asked for the location of the fish hatchery.

This is Mr. Grater's second visit to Brownwood recently and he stated yesterday that he was going to Washington, and immediately upon his return would come back to Brownwood for further investigations. He planned to inspect tracts at Abilene today and at Sweetwater Friday.

While here he was entertained by the industrial committee of the Chamber of Commerce who supervised the tour of inspection. After looking over the land Mr. Grater said that he did not know exactly what the government expected in reference to title to the land, but would know in the near future.

Both Mr. Grater and Mr. Kirby were pleased with the site offered by Brownwood. All local sites except one have been abandoned and all efforts are being concentrated on the city land and fair ground land, just north of the pump station on Pecan Bayou. This site will be easily accessible to an ample supply of water as well as being situated where a beautiful park may be constructed.

Mr. Grater said that the slough which runs near the place could be dredged and made into an ideal drain for the fish ponds and that it was in reality an asset to the land. He was very enthusiastic over the proposed site for a park and hatchery and said that if Brownwood's offer was accepted that a landscape engineer would come here and make arrangements for a park.

## Track Records Made In Texas Meet Have Been Sent Chicago

AUSTIN, Texas, May 14.—(AP)—Efforts to make official the unofficial national interscholastic records established during the 1931 Texas University Interscholastic League track and field meet have been made by Roy B. Henderson, athletic director of the University Interscholastic League.

New records were established by J. C. Petty of Kaufman, who hurled the discus 154 feet and six and one-half inches to better the national record by a full nine feet and by Schimser of Main Avenue High of San Antonio, who leaped 24 feet and one-half inch to better the national broad jump record of 23 feet and seven and one-half inches.

Henderson has forwarded the records to the National Federation of High School Athletic Associations in Chicago.

## COURT ORDER ATTACHES PROPERTY OF JULIAN OKLAHOMA CITY, May 14.—(AP)

A court order attaching \$183,119.97 personal properties of C. C. Julian, oil operator, was served here today shortly before Julian was to appear in district court to be questioned anew concerning his holdings. Julian recently told the court his "total personal worldly possessions" consisted of "four \$1 bills, a knife and bunch of keys." John Salsberry of Los Angeles demanded the court order to satisfy judgments obtained in California courts.

**NEW YORK AND CLEVELAND MEN NEW DIRECTORS T. & P.**  
NEW YORK, May 14.—(AP)—Frank Altschul, of New York, and Henry C. Dalton, of Cleveland, have been elected directors of the Texas and Pacific Railroad to fill vacancies. Other directors were re-elected.

## BANK ROBBERY SUSPECT HELD AT TEXARKANA

TEXARKANA, Texas, May 14.—(AP)—Jack Wilson, 28, last of a quartet of men charged with the \$11,000 robbery of the First State Bank of Frankston last December 10, was held in jail here today after his arrest last night near Ashdown, Ark.

He was captured at a farm house by a posse of officers from Anderson and Bowie counties, Texas, and from Little River county, Ark. Wilson waived extradition in returning to Texas and was held under heavy guard last night. Whether he would be returned to Frankston immediately had not been decided.

Sheriff Sutton of Sevier county, Arkansas, was expected to arrive here today to attempt to identify Wilson in connection with a recent bank robbery at Horatio, Ark.

**Surprised by Officers**  
Wilson recently purchased a home near Ashdown, acting upon a tip that Wilson was in Little River county, Sheriff A. D. Brown of Anderson county came to Texarkana yesterday and the posse of officers was formed. When they entered Wilson's house with drawn guns, they found the house unoccupied.

While seeking information from neighbors as to his whereabouts, they heard someone coming along a road. Hiding in the woods, the officers waited until Wilson entered the house, then rushed in upon him. They said he admitted his identity.

Three other men charged in the Frankston robbery were arrested last January. Joel Carroll was captured after a gun fight with Fort Worth officers in which one police officer was wounded. W. W. Quinn and John C. Elg were arrested in connection with a Montgomery county robbery and later were identified as members of the Frankston bank robber quartet.

Wilson had been living near Ashdown with his wife and two daughters for about six weeks, under the name of E. L. Bishop. His wife is ill in a hospital at Hot Springs, Ark. and the two daughters are with her. Wilson formerly lived at La Rue, Texas.

## START POURING CONCRETE NO. 7 BRIDGE TONIGHT

Concrete pouring will start tonight on the main span of the new bridge across Pecan Bayou near the pump station on Highway No. 7. Forms are being completed today and the concrete will be poured continuously until completed. It is thought that the pouring will start at about 10 o'clock. It is estimated that it will take 20 hours to pour the span.

The span is 130 feet long and 30 feet wide and will require more than 300 cubic yards of concrete to complete. Two two-batch mixers will be used in obtaining the constant stream of concrete.

Other highway work in the county is progressing rapidly with the continued good weather, although a slight delay was caused Wednesday on highway No. 10 when a breakdown slowed up the concrete work on that road. Pouring on this project has almost reached Early High school, a short distance east of town and it is thought that this place will be reached before the end of the week.

O. F. Mouraud, district engineer, with headquarters at San Angelo is here today making inspections of the highway work and has spent most of the day on the highways in company with Resident Engineer Leo Ehlinger. Mr. Ehlinger returned to his work only recently after an illness which kept him confined to his home for some time.

## RESIGNATION OF BRIAND IS NOT ACCEPTED

PARIS, May 14.—(AP)—Aristide Briand, defeated in yesterday's presidential election, today offered his resignation as foreign minister, a post he has held for seven years, but Premier Laval and his other colleagues in the cabinet persuaded him to remain in that important office at least until his immediate tasks at Geneva are completed.

The cabinet decided he should go to Geneva tomorrow for the meeting of the committee on European federation, as he had planned to do before his election.

When Briand left the Quai d'Orsay where the cabinet met, he confirmed the report of his resignation, adding "they refused to accept it," but indicating that the resignation still stands.

Briand in defeat was more in the French eye than Paul Doumer, successful candidate for president. Briand's associates thought his friends had repudiated him and the policies of international conciliation which he favored.

The Parisian Press today generally rejoiced at the selection of M. Doumer. There were a few exceptions such as the socialist organ, popular, which called him "the candidate of reaction and treachery."

Geneva dispatches, commenting upon defeat of Aristide Briand for the French presidency, indicated a hope he would continue in the foreign office where his efforts in behalf of the League of Nations and world peace would still be felt.

Berlin newspapers generally regretted his defeat, and the Tagblatt commented: "May 13 must now be reckoned as a black day for French politics." Vossische Zeitung declared his defeat was caused by petty parliamentarians distrustful of a man of his calibre, who is rare in post war Europe.

## \$300,000 IS ESTIMATE OF OIL FIRE COST

TYLER, Texas, May 14.—(AP)—Officials here of the Sinclair Oil & Gas Company said today the wild fire, which opened yesterday with 159 jets on exhibition. Among the exhibits were nine county herds from Frath, Hood, Hamilton, Somerville, Wise, McLennan, Tarrant, Comanche and Johnson counties. Fifty-one Jersey breeders were represented.

Winners in a band contest held yesterday were: Brady, first; Ranger, second; and Comanche, third. Other bands were sent by Hamilton, Cross plains and Carlton.

## Invites Mexican Ruler to Texas



Wilbur C. Hawk, above, general manager of the Amarillo (Tex.) News-Globe, is taking 150 people on a 5000 mile trip to Mexico to invite President Rubio to come to Amarillo to open the Amarillo exposition this fall. The trip costs \$20,000.

## GIANT PATRIOT AND CHRISTIAN STATESMAN

When news of the death of Dr. Brooks reached Brownwood this morning Dr. Thomas H. Taylor, president of Howard Payne College, a graduate of Baylor University and former pupil of the Waco educator, made the following statement:

"The outstanding teacher of Texas has fallen. Samuel Palmer Brooks was a great man in school and church and state. As president of Baylor, the foremost Baptist university in the South, he was the dean of Texas education. His life was an inspiration and a benediction to tens of thousands of Baylor boys and girls. He was a man of massive spiritual, physical and mental proportions. To his patriots and Christians statesmen marching with B. H. Carroll down the centuries."

## BANGS SCHOOL CLOSING TERM

Commencement season for Bangs school begins Friday evening, May 15th, with the presentation of the senior class play at the school auditorium. Baccalaureate services are to be held Sunday, May 17th, and commencement exercises will be held Thursday night, May 21st, with Walter U. Early of Brownwood delivering the address. On Tuesday night, May 19th, a music recital under the direction of Mrs. F. R. "They" will be held at the school. Grammar school graduating exercises will be held at 10:00 o'clock Friday morning, May 22nd.

Baccalaureate program has been announced as follows:

"Come Thou Almighty King," by the congregation.

"Invocation. Rev. E. P. Swindall.

"The Green Cathedral," girls' chorus.

Scripture reading, D. F. McDonald.

"Holy, Holy, Holy," by congregation.

Announcements by Superintendent R. M. Wedgeworth.

Offertory, "Adagio Cantabile," Beethoven.

"They That Trust in the Lord," Mrs. Raymond Rucker.

Sermon, Rev. W. H. Rucker.

## Judging Continues In Heart-Of-Texas Jersey Show, Dublin

DUBLIN, Tex., May 14.—(AP)—Judging continued today in the second annual Heart of Texas Jersey Show, which opened yesterday with 159 Jerseys on exhibition. Among the exhibits were nine county herds from Frath, Hood, Hamilton, Somerville, Wise, McLennan, Tarrant, Comanche and Johnson counties. Fifty-one Jersey breeders were represented.

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## DR. S. P. BROOKS IS DEAD AFTER FUTILE FIGHT

WACO, Tex., May 14.—(AP)—Dr. Samuel Palmer Brooks, 67, president of Baylor University here for more than 23 years, died today at the Central Texas Baptist Sanitarium. He had been ill with cancer since last year and had been a patient at the sanitarium about two weeks.

Dr. Brooks had known for some days that death was certain. His physicians said only the unusual strength of his heart, which kept beating steadily for days after they had despaired of his life, postponed the end. With him when he died were Mrs. Brooks, two children, former Governor Pat M. Neff and several other friends. His children are Sims P. Brooks, Waco attorney, and Miss Aurelia Brooks, graduate student at Columbia University.

Former governor Neff came here early in the week to spend his friend's last hours with him. Their acquaintance had covered 40 years.

At Dr. Brooks' request, Neff kept vigil at the hospital to hold his old friend's hand when the end came.

The University President's last labor for Baylor was to sign diplomas to be presented to members of this year's graduating class. He had signed more than half of them when he became so weak that his doctors forbade him to continue.

Dr. Brooks, born in Milledgeville, Ga., became president of Baylor in 1902. His parents had moved to Texas when he was five years old and until he was 22 he had received no formal education. After receiving an A. B. from Baylor, he studied at Yale for a time, then became a school principal at McKinney. He was recalled to Baylor as professor of history and economics and was elected president while he was studying for his doctor's degree at Yale. During his presidency the institution increased its enrollment fourfold and added several new schools and departments.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon, at an hour yet undesignated, from Waco Hall, main auditorium of the school. Dr. J. M. Dawson, pastor of the First Baptist church of Waco and lifelong friend of Dr. Brooks, will officiate with Dr. George W. Truett of Dallas, now en route to Waco, from Birmingham, Ala., where he was attending with the Southern Baptist General Convention.

Dean W. S. Allen, acting president of the school, announced that classes were suspended until Monday.

## ABILENE BELL BOY IS SHOT, GIRL ON BOND

ABILENE, Texas, May 14.—(AP)—Buddie Rutherford, 18, bell boy at a local hotel, was fighting for life in a hospital here today, and Cleora Moxley, 22, elevator girl at the same hotel, was at liberty under \$1,000 bond on an assault to murder charge as a result of a shooting late yesterday in an attorney's office, where the pair said they went for legal advice on marriage.

Rutherford, in a statement from the operating table, told officers that an argument followed his statement that he was too young to marry, and that as he turned to leave the room, he was shot in the back. The bullet lodged near the spine just below the heart, and doctors today had not attempted to remove it due to the patient's weakened condition.

The girl has made no statement. Rutherford is given only a slight chance to live.

## UNVEIL BUSTS 4 AMERICANS

NEW YORK, May 14.—(AP)—Busts of four illustrious Americans were unveiled in the Hall of Fame today and a distinguished company celebrated their memory in prose and poetry.

The statues, which were placed with those previously unveiled in the Colonnade on the campus of New York University, are likenesses of the following:

James Monroe, fifth president, sponsor of the Monroe Doctrine.

Matthew Fontaine Maury, oceanographer, called the "father of the seas." His researches in magnetic ocean currents and winds saved millions of dollars to shippers by reducing sailing time.

James Abbott McNeill Whistler, painter, etcher, water colorist and satirist.

Walt Whitman, called the "Poet of Democracy."

President Hoover sent a letter praising the enduring quality of the work of the four men. He said the Monroe Doctrine "has formed the firm foundation upon which had steadily grown an ever increasing mutual respect and good will between our own country and those advancing nations to the south of us."

## DOMESTIC ORIENTAL IN GREATER VARIETY OF COLOR AND DESIGN

The coming June bride, when she selects the floor coverings for her new home, will do well to remember the domestic Orientals, or sheer type rugs. These are being made in beautiful and attractive colors and in greater variety of design.

Care should be taken in having them cleaned that the process is handled by someone who thoroughly understands it, as the beauty of the rugs might easily be destroyed by an inexperienced or unskilled workman.

## Putting Color In Inlaid Linoleum

Inlaid linoleum is made by blending each of the desired colors with a certain amount of linseed oil and cork. This is rolled into a sheet and the designs of blocks, diamonds, or oblong shapes are cut out just as cookies are cut out, only by machine.

All the blocks of one color are placed on the burlap by machine, leaving spaces for the other colors. When all have been placed the burlap is passed through a pressure machine which firmly fastens linoleum and burlap together. This process makes it impossible for the color of inlaid linoleum to wear off.

## BIG SIX NET STARS BEGIN TILTS TODAY

First round play in singles of the Texas Conference tennis tournament started this afternoon at 2 o'clock with two matches in progress. The first round included two matches and six byes in the two brackets and at 2:30 neither of these had reached a point where the outcome could be determined with both being rather equal.

Sewell of Simmons and Fowler of Trinity furnished the opposition in one match while Morrow of Howard Payne was pitted against Hawes of Trinity in the other match. The Sewell-Fowler match was deuced in the first set and had gone into extra games before it was decided. Morrow held a slight advantage over his opponent placing the crushing drives offered by Hawes.

Mosquito of St. Edwards was scheduled to meet the winner of the Morrow-Hawes game and Keyser of Southwestern was to oppose the winner of the Sewell-Fowler tilt to complete play in the first round.

The complete pairings were as follows:

**First Bracket**  
White, Trinity, bye; Canady, Howard Payne, bye; Mosquito, St. Edwards, bye; Morrow, Howard Payne vs. Hawes, Trinity; Steakley, Simmons, bye; McMahan, Austin College, bye; Keyser, Southwestern, bye; Sewell, Simmons vs. Fowler, Trinity.

**Second Bracket**  
Arnsperger, Howard Payne, bye; DeMack, St. Edwards, bye; Wilcox, Southwestern, bye; Loftin, Austin College vs. McCollum, Simmons with Wilcox meeting the winner; Moody, Austin College, bye; Wheeler, Simmons, bye; Harty, Trinity, bye; Huddleston, Southwestern vs. Ross, Howard Payne for other first round match of the second bracket with Harty playing the winner.

## Arrested Last Night GILMER, Texas, May 14.—(AP)—

Acting upon instructions from the state comptroller's office, State Ranger M. T. (Lone Wolf) Gonzales last night arrested Claude Ray, district clerk here for eight years, for questioning in connection with an investigation of forgeries and padding expense bills. Amounts involved were not announced. Ray was taken to an undesignated jail pending the investigation. Books of the office were audited recently.

## MAN SURRENDERS TODAY FOR SHOOTING OF KILGORE MAN

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## BRIG. GENERAL ELTINGE DIES IN OMAHA HOSPITAL

OMAHA, Neb., May 14.—(AP)—Brig. General Leroy Eltinge, 59, commander of the 14th Infantry brigade and the 89th division of regular army reserves, died at a hospital last night. He had been ill since Saturday.

## Afternoon of Entertainment

Tomorrow afternoon will be filled with entertainment for Brownwood people. With the Volunteer Fire Department celebrations, the Flower Festival of the Brownwood Garden Club and county home demonstration clubs which includes a Pled Piper Parade and the May Fete at Howard Payne College, no one in Brownwood should lack entertainment.

The Flower Festival will be seen throughout the day and Saturday too, but the Festival really starts with the Pled Piper Parade at 5:30 o'clock. Some of those in the parade will also take part in the May Fete.

Major activities of the afternoon start at 3 o'clock with the firemen's races. The firemen end their celebration with a practice run at 8:30 o'clock.

Howard Payne College May Fete begins about 6:30 o'clock on the campus with many students of schools of the city to take part.

## GILMER CLERK ARRESTED FOR FEE FORGERIES

AUSTIN, Texas, May 14.—(AP)—Ranger Robert G. Goss and George H. Sheppard, state comptroller, returned to Austin today with Claude Ray, Upshur county district clerk, alleged to have forged witness fee certificates.

This was the third case of alleged forgery uncovered by state investigators. Two men had committed suicide and a third had been indicted here on nine counts in connection with the other two cases.

Bruce Bryant, first assistant attorney general, was preparing to file charges against Ray.

Sheppard discovered the alleged forgeries which led to Ray's arrest. Filing of charges was being held up pending the making of photostatic copies of some of the alleged forged certificates.

Assistants in the Attorney General's department stated Ray had made a statement.

Bryant said the alleged forgeries totaled at least \$2,000. He stated Ray had said they were committed over a period of three or four years.

Goss arrested Ray yesterday afternoon. He and Sheppard drove nearly all night returning Ray to Austin, reaching here about 4 o'clock this morning.

Ray was questioned all morning by Bryant. He signed a confession admitting several forgeries, Bryant said.

Bryant said Ray had been placed in jail and the grand jury would begin investigating the case early this afternoon.

Separate complaints will be filed on each of ten or fifteen alleged forgeries, Bryant stated.

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Col. William L. Black

DEATH has removed another colorful figure from West Texas with the passing of Col. William L. Black at his ranch home near San Angelo.

Col. Black made his home here for some time, and is remembered by many Brownwood and Brown county people. He was a kindly gentleman, affable and agreeable in all his contacts...

has been before the state for a long time and should have been disposed of a month ago. Both houses have yet to receive and consider conference reports on such important matters as redistricting, truck and bus regulation, special appropriations for eleemosynary institutions...

There is always too much criticism of the Legislature, but we feel that the people have a just cause for complaint against the work and the methods employed by the present Legislature. It has not kept the faith with the people who approved its own suggestions for improving its work.

Sweating But Conforming

ALTHOUGH women's clothes these days are both pleasing to look at and comfortable to wear, men's clothing is still as heavy, stuffy and uncomfortable as the clothing men wore a century ago.

The Prince Advises

TALKING to a large group of British manufacturers the other day, the Prince of Wales gave them the conclusions he had reached after an intensive study of commercial and industrial conditions in South America, and urged them to lay aside their traditional dignity and go after the profitable business that is available for them in the western hemisphere.

Marriages That Endure

THE college campus seems to be a propitious spot for matchmaking. Miss Rita S. Halle, writing in the current issue of Good Housekeeping magazine, reveals that whereas there is now one divorce to every six marriages, only one divorce occurs to every 75 marriages that resulted from college romances.

Not According to Schedule

WHEN the people were asked last year to approve a constitutional amendment changing the length of the regular session of the Legislature to 120 days and doubling the maximum per diem that could be drawn by the members of the two houses during the regular and called sessions, the principal supporters of the amendment were the same men who during the session now hearing an end have been largely responsible for misinterpreting its provisions.

The Postal Deficit

IF THE GOVERNMENT should operate Muscle Shonis as a public enterprise, which fortunately will not be done because of President Hoover's timely veto of a bill making provision for such operation, there is reason to believe it would prove expensive to the public. The government's operation of the greatest business monopoly in the country is disastrous, according to Postmaster General Brown, who says the postal deficit at the end of this fiscal year will be at least \$140,000,000, or almost fifty per cent more than the loss for last year.

day by Assistant Postmaster General Tilton in an address before a group of Texas postmasters, the unusually large deficit is not due in any appreciable measure to the general business depression. Postal deficits are the rule rather than the exception, due primarily to the policy of attempting to render postal service to the public at less than its cost.

Among the plans suggested for clearing up the deficit and avoiding its recurrence next year is an increase in the letter postage rate to 2 1/2 cents, apparently a slight increase and yet one which would add 25 per cent to the revenue from first class mail; a readjustment of parcels post rates, and extension of parcels post service to include parcels not now mailable. Parcels post rates have been too low, and have prevented unfair competition to privately owned transportation systems.

A Benefactor to Youth

THE PASSING of Dr. Samuel Palmer Brooks, president of Baylor University for the past twenty-nine years, is genuinely regretted throughout the state because the respect and admiration he had earned during his long service as an educator was not confined simply to the religious denomination in whose major institution he labored.

Rich Heiress Of Chicago Will Wed Perkins Bull Son

CHICAGO, May 14—(P)—Miss Rosemary Baur, known as one of "Chicago's richest heiresses," the daughter of Mrs. Bertha Baur, civic and social leader, will become the bride of Bartle Bull, eldest son of W. Perkins Bull, K. C. The announcement was made last night at a dinner party in Mrs. Baur's home. Miss Baur was 20 years old today, while the groom-elect is 29.

Japanese Flier En Route To America Delayed By Weather

SHANA, Japan, May 14—(P)—Seiji Yoshizawa, trans-Pacific flier who left here early today for Muroto in the Kurile Islands on another leg of his projected flight from Japan to the United States, encountered a fog bank and landed at Shimushiro island this evening. Yoshizawa left Tokyo May 4 and has met with considerable delay because of unfavorable weather.

Minister Denies He Is To Wed Daughter Of Senator Morrow

NORTH ARLINGTON, N. J., May 14—(P)—The Rev. Clyde H. Roddy today flatly denied he was engaged to marry Miss Elizabeth Morrow, daughter of Senator and Mrs. Dwight W. Morrow. Mr. Roddy added that his sister, Miss Myrtice Roddy, of Baton Rouge, La., also was denying statements credited to her that the couple are or had been engaged.

Southern Baptists Seek Devise Means To Help Finances

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., May 14—(P)—The Southern Baptist Convention, representing 18 states and the District of Columbia, today sought to devise means for resuscitating depleted finances. Entering the second day of its annual conference here, the convention prepared to consider a report of a special committee of 19 named by President W. J. McGlothlin to bring expenditures within income and insure no further increase in indebtedness.

W. T. C. C. GROUP MEETINGS ARE BEING PLANNED

All county agents in West Texas have received letters from Maury Hopkins of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce concerning the group meetings to be held during the three-day session. These meetings, according to the letter, will concern the advancement of farming and other industries in West Texas. These letters are also being sent to the secretaries of chambers of commerce throughout the section served by the West Texas Chamber.

Aggricultural Conference

The agricultural development conference will be for the purpose of developing plans for the better utilization of West Texas agricultural lands, crop diversification, and aiding agricultural prosperity. James M. North, Jr., editor of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, and head of the Land Utilization Association of Texas, is to be chairman. C. T. Watson, manager of the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce, who used to be a county agent, is secretary. Dr. T. O. Walton, president of A. & M. College, and Dr. Tait Butler of Memphis, Tennessee, founder of the Progressive Farmer, have been invited as speakers for this conference.

Talking Too Much

George F. Baker, who recently died in New York at 82, the third richest man in the world, said "Silence is the secret of success." He started business salvaging cranberries left behind by workers on his uncle's farm. Silence may contribute to success, but like everything else it can be over-emphasized. Most of us talk too much about unimportant things, but too little about the things really worth while.

Homecoming Rally

Miss Lillian Peek, State Supervisor of Home Economics Education, several years ago initiated the State Homecoming Contest, has recently held a "Homecoming Education Rally for Texas High Schools" at Lubbock, at which the scope of the clothing contest was broadened to include a study of most of the problems of the home, along with the best features of the clothing contest. The large number of entrants and visitors, as well as the wide variety of studies and exhibits, show that the Texas schools are thoroughly appreciative of the advantages of home economic instruction in all its branches.

Better Than Oil

A correspondent of the San Antonio Express feels that in the race for riches in the East Texas oil fields something is being lost that is far more valuable than the oil that is being found. He thinks that the far-famed East Texas hospitality and friendship are disappearing in the scramble for wealth, that in some instances brother has turned against brother, father against son, neighbor against neighbor, and each other in their mad race for money. There have come joy and sorrows, wealth and disaster, wrecked homes and charred bodies until East Texas is not at all what it used to be, leaving onlookers to wonder whether the chase has been worth it all this cost.

American Is Murdered By Unknown Mexicans

MEXICO CITY, May 12—(P)—Dispatches from Tampico to the newspaper El Universal today said an American named Samuel Pruis, whose address in the United States was not given, was murdered by several unidentified men in his home on the outskirts of Tampico yesterday.

TEXAS AND TEXANS

By WILL H. MAYES Austin, Texas "All Texans for all Texas" Texas Highway Program Texas will spend more than \$60,000,000 for highways this year, an average of over \$5,000,000 a month. Of this, about \$45,000,000 will be in building and maintaining State highways and the rest on county roadways. About \$1,000,000 will be spent for highway equipment as compared with \$1,500,000 last year. The State highway mileage is now nearly 20,000 miles. At the rate road building is being speeded up the network of State roads will soon cover most of the thickly populated parts of Texas.

Ten Million Plant

The Southern Alkali Corporation of New York has closed options on 350 acres of land two miles from Corpus Christi and will build there a \$10,000,000 chemical plant. Dredging a new ship channel two miles long from Corpus Christi Bay to the site of the plant is included in the construction plans. The exact nature of the chemical industry contemplated has not been announced. The company is an auxiliary of the Pittsburgh Plate Glass Company, makers of glass, plate and other products, but it is believed that the company will make a general line of commercial chemicals.

Building Kyle Dam

In line with the plan to construct several hundred small dams on the numerous streams in the Hill Country of Texas by neighboring cooperation, citizens of Kyle and San Marcos joined community residents in building a dam just completed on the Blanco river between the towns named. Secretary James W. Chapman, of the Hill Country Chamber of Commerce, is actively supervising construction of these dams and says he expects to keep up the work until that section of Texas is made the greatest fishing resort in the Southwest.

Huge Sheep Ranch

W. A. Miers, who is said to be the largest sheep owner in Texas, his flock numbering 50,000 head. He has recently bought 50,000 acres of land in Culberson county and has 70,000 acres leased. Evidently he plans his faith to Texas sheep and Texas lands.

Cotton Stationery

Texas cotton growers are interested in experiments being made in using special cotton fabrics for business and social stationery, maps, envelopes, menu cards, programs, business cards, book jackets and various other purposes for which paper is largely used. Several mills are making these products of quality equaling the best bond papers, and it only remains for the prices to be lowered enough to make regular their use. As yet they are so high priced as to be classed as novelties.

Seize Funds Credited to King Alfonso

MADRID, May 14—(P)—Catholic Spain went to church today after the riots of the past four days in which Catholic buildings in many of the big cities were laid waste by fire. Today was the feast of the Ascension, one of the most important days in the Catholic calendar and a national holiday in Spain. The banks were closed, business and industry were suspended and the churches were thronged. Cardinal Segura, primate of Spain, had fled to France on the way to Rome, and charred ruins of churches and convents were guarded by soldiers, but the anti-Catholic disorders apparently had ended. Martial law continued in most of the important cities, however.

Truck Regulation

The law under which the Commission regulates the trucks, Mr. Terrell said, is badly defective. As a matter of fact, the commission has control over only 3,500 of the 206,000 motor trucks registered by the Highway Commission. "We have control, as to rates only, of one and one-fourth per cent of the total number of trucks," he said. "Speaking of the work of the oil and gas division, Chairman Terrell said the only purpose of proration is to prevent the waste of natural resources, and if proration for the oil, so much the better. Every case involving proration regulations is heard on its own merits, and we

or truck that has blazed a trail like the railroad, or built a city or town, or increased the value of property?" We are too likely to forget the agencies that have done most for the country and that have made our civilization what it is.

Local Industry Show

Midland has set a good example for other places by staging a show of the products of Midland industries. Texas manufacturers have been a bit too timid in exhibiting their wares both in showing them and through the columns of the newspapers.

Sidelines to Farming

Between 3,000 and 4,000 acres will be planted to cantaloupes in Wise and Montague counties, thus insuring co-operative marketing. There will be from 10 to 15 per cent increase in East Texas truck gardening, 15 per cent more corn, 5 per cent more hay, 10 to 15 per cent more soybeans, cowpeas and vetch, and less money spent for fertilizers.

Wharton County School Boys

Wharton county school boys have been raising hogs at a cost of 6 1-2 cents a pound and find they can make money feeding 75 cent corn combined with a protein supplement. A Lee county farmer was offered 50 cents for his corn, but got 80 cents a bushel by feeding it to his hogs.

Entertaining Program

An entertaining program was given Tuesday night, under the direction of C. L. South, newly elected district attorney and a resident of Coleman. Following the invocation by the Rev. R. Matthew Lynn of the First Presbyterian church, there were several musical numbers, including selections by the School Orchestra under the direction of Jimmy King. The Kewaha quartet, Messrs. Arthur Kelly, Jimmie Watson, Andrew Watson and Gene Hatcher, gave several selections, and Raymond Baxter entertained with songs and guitar numbers. Miss Irene Hamilton of the White Chapel school, winner in the interschoolic legation declamatory contest at Austin last week, gave a reading. Weldon Allen, veterinarian, and Miss Sarah Tom Jones, salutatorian of the Coleman High School, were introduced and applauded. The pleasant task of thanking the home demonstration club women and others who contributed to the success of the dinner was assigned to Leon Shield. The menu was composed of Coleman county products almost exclusively.

Terrell Speaks

Hon. C. V. Terrell, chairman of the State Railroad Commission, in a brief address discussed the work of that important state agency. He has been a member of the Commission for six years, and became its chairman a few months ago. Tracing the history of the Commission, he said it was an outgrowth of the Hogg-Clarke controversy of forty years ago, when James Stephen Hogg succeeded in winning popular approval of his plans for the beginning of corporation control in Texas. The bill creating the Commission was introduced in the house by Judge Brown of Sherman, and after much discussion was passed in both houses of the Legislature. John H. Reagan, gave up his seat in the United States Senate to come back home and take the chairmanship of the new Commission, and associated with him were Messrs. McClellan and Foster.

Extension of Functions

"In the beginning," Mr. Terrell continued, "the Commission had control only of the railroad systems of the state for the regulation of rates. In 1917 the pipeline carriers were added, and in 1919 the oil and gas division was set up under Railroad Commission control. In 1920 the Legislature added gas utilities regulation, giving the Commission power to act in rate controversies. The Fortieth Legislature added bus regulation to the duties of the Commission, and the Forty-First Legislature added common carrier trucks. Thus the functions and responsibilities of the Commission were increased until today it is probably the most important division of the state government. Incidentally, it is a matter of pride with us that since the Commission took over regulation of bus operation, 25,000-000 passengers have been carried in the public buses and not one has been seriously injured or killed because of the negligence of the driver. This is due, we believe, to the reasonable rules and regulations we have provided for their guidance."

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COLEMAN C. C. NAMES HEAD AT ANNUAL FEAST

BY JAMES C. WHITE COLEMAN, May 13—The work of the Coleman Chamber of Commerce will be directed during the coming fiscal year by R. I. Bowen, veteran business man of this community and former member of the directorate of the organization. His election as president was announced Tuesday night at the annual membership meeting, attended by about 200 men and women, when a substantial dinner was served by the home demonstration club women of the county, under the direction of Miss Gertrude Brent, home demonstration agent.

Secretary O'Neal

Secretary O'Neal on program with an expression of appreciation for the co-operation that had been given by Coleman county people the past year, and wish of a successful year's done.

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keep in mind in every to help in the present and the conservation of resources for the benefit of generations.

Mr. Terrell pointed out the fact that during the year he has heard 11,000 kinds, issuing a writ each case upon reaching every party to each and while there have appeals there have instances in which the order was reversed by this is due in large measure to the efficient large staff of engineers who assist the Commission.

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COURT AFFIRMS WILL JENKINS' DEATH VERDICT

AUSTIN, Texas, May 13.—(AP)—The court of criminal appeals today affirmed the death penalty of Will Jenkins from Harris county, negro, convicted of criminal assault on a 12-year old girl.

The indictment against Jenkins alleged he had been convicted on another charge of criminal assault in 1922. The last attack was alleged to have occurred August 27, 1930.

Jenkins was indicted for criminal assault as a habitual criminal. He claimed he was ill in bed at the time. His attorneys contended the state was not entitled to bring in the previous conviction but the appellate court overruled them.

The court made final its decision holding unconstitutional the motor patrol uniform law, denying the appellant's motion for rehearing in the case of J. C. Scoggin from McCulloch county, assessed one year upon conviction of transporting liquor.

The law was enacted by the last legislature, Senator Williamson of an Antonio having introduced the bill. It required any person making a traffic arrest on a state highway to wear a gray coat and trousers, a cap and a diamond shaped badge.

RESCUED BRITISH SCIENTIST RELATES EXPERIENCES WHILE BURIED BENEATH ICE-SNOW

ANOMAGSALIK, Greenland, May 14.—(AP)—A story of being buried two months beneath ice and snow in an igloo was told here today by Augustine Courtauld, the British scientist, who was rescued last week by fellow members of the British Arctic air route expedition.

Courtauld, whom Captain Albin Ahrenberg, Swedish aviator, brought here with H. G. Watkins, chief of the rescue party, from their inland base, was unshaven and unrecognizable beneath a long growth of beard, and appeared somewhat the worse for a long enforced diet of seal meat.

Watkins said his rescue party had toiled many weeks over the ice crags toward the locality where at the winter's beginning they had left Courtauld to observe weather conditions. They frequently lost the trail and near the place they reckoned Courtauld to have been left were delayed for days when the skies clouded up and they could not ascertain their position.

In searching a wide ice field they found an enormous drift, covered with a thick layer of ice which they at once concluded must have been Courtauld's igloo. At the top of the snowmound, which rose above the surrounding acres of frozen snow the weary party found a small hole which was the only opening in the surrounding desert and which they concluded must be igloo's chimney.

They shouted down into it, hoping the comrade was safe below, and heard in reply an unexcited: "Hello. All right," which relieved their doubts and assured them that the imprisoned man was very much alive. They went to work with spades and within fifteen minutes had dug down and reached Courtauld.

Courtauld said that two months before a blizzard had raged for several days, completely covering the igloo. It was out of the question to try to dig himself out, first because the snow would have fallen in on him and then because he had left his only shovel outside before the blizzard began. Part of his supplies also were outside.

PLOT AGAINST MEXICO HEADS NIPPED IN BUD

MEXICO CITY, May 13.—(AP)—Assassination of President Ortiz Rubio and General Plutarco Elias Calles, police of the federal district charged today, was planned by conspirators in a revolutionary plot just exposed. The assassinations were planned as a call to Mexicans to arms to overthrow the present government.

Two retired generals, Mario S. Martinez and Julio Marquez Carmona, and a former Colonel, Alvaro Lucio Alcazar, are among nine persons arrested and being held for questioning in the plot, the alleged leader of which, Luis Cabrera, former finance minister, was deported to Guatemala Saturday.

Documents seized at the plotters' headquarters revealed that simultaneous armed uprisings were to occur in Mexico City, Puebla, Oaxaca and other parts of the country on May 4, the "Cinco De Mayo" on which Mexico celebrates the battle which thrust the French from the country.

The plot was discovered by a detective who posed as an enemy of the government and gained the confidence of the conspirators. He obtained a copy of the manifest in which the conspirators detailed their plans, pledging themselves among other things to deliver the Mexican oil fields in their entirety to Mexican capitalists.

A "light without quarter" was planned. There was to be a forced loan from Mexican banks and commercial establishments and the newly opened Mexico City-Laredo highway was to be closed since it merely opened the way for entrance of more Americans into Mexico.

Police in their raid on the plotters' headquarters confiscated a large quantity of arms and ammunition.

One 10,000 Acre Deep Test Block Is All Signed Up

One block of acreage has been completed for the deep oil test that it is proposed to make in Brown county, states Dave Gully, member of the committee in charge of this project.

This is a block fifteen miles south of Brownwood, and report of the move toward blocking the acreage was made in The Bulletin a few weeks ago.

Geology Work Soon. Mr. Gully states that the last tract in the ten thousand acres was signed up Tuesday and the geologist will begin work on geologizing the block this week.

Some of those interested in the plans for the deep test state that it now looks as if this may be the only block completed and submitted to the committee, as Mr. Gully states that he expects the location to be selected by the first of June.

He declared today that there was no reason for begging the people to come in on the proposition and that it was "absurd to be three months in doing something that should be done in one week."

The block close to town has failed because one person refuses to come in who owns land in a long strip right through the middle of the block and this makes it impossible to get a deep well drilled on the block, Mr. Gully stated.

Center of Interest



This exquisitely graceful buffet, with the large painting above it, make a grouping that would be the center of interest in the dining room.

RUGS HAVE NEW BOLD DESIGN FOR OUTDOOR USE

The prospective June bride will want her new home to be in contrast with summer attire. She will want to make sure the rug for the porch, sunroom or terrace has been selected.

URGENT TO WRITE IS GAINED BY ATTRACTIVE DESK

A sure inspiration to letter writing is an adequate and attractive desk. A feeling of importance in the world somehow accompanies sitting down to the well-appointed desk.

There are desks for every room and for every kind of home. A large, substantial one finds its place in the man's study; the Colonial home needs a Governor Winthrop; dignified secretaries, delicately suggesting the high place of the art of letter writing, are appropriate with 18th century furnishings; the spindle desk is perfectly suited to the bedroom or guest room.

Pure bred Rambouillet vealering rams, best blood lines and quality. Reasonably priced. Will Simmons, Brownwood, Texas.

EMPIRE FURNITURE COMPANY DISPLAYS HOME WEEK ITEMS

The Empire Furniture Company is celebrating the National Better Homes Week by a special display of porch and garden furniture. One of the varieties of garden furnishings is made of Verona Artistic Metal Furniture made in the newest and most modern style.

The set of the furniture is in five pieces, one bench, two chairs, a small metal table with a marble finish, and a smaller chair made on the order of a camp chair, but constructed entirely of metal.

A Glider Hammock. The other type that is being shown by the Empire Furniture Company is a glider hammock. It is made along the order of the regular porch swing but is not as tall. The frame work is of steel and the cushions rest on steel coiled springs.

Mexican-American Air Derby Planned To Begin Friday. MEXICO CITY, May 14.—(AP)—A Mexican-American aeronautical exposition will be inaugurated tomorrow at the Emilio Carranza Civil airport here, coinciding with the official opening of the port, one of the finest in America.

Real Estate Transfers. Warrant Deeds. J. W. Lockhart et ux to A. L. Litch, tract of land of W. H. Litch survey, \$10 and other valuable considerations.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE. By Ahern. PROFESSOR! PROFESSOR! THERE'S THE GHOSTLY NOISE! WEGAD, PROFESSOR, WAKE UP!! DRAT IT, THIS MAN SLEEPS AS ONE UNDER ETHER!

ARTHUR EVERTS NAMED PRESIDENT OF NATIONAL SOCIETY

PHILADELPHIA, May 14.—(AP)—Arthur Everts, from the East, was named president of the National Society of the Texas Woman's Club at a session here last night in the 46th annual convention.

The 29-year murder sentence of Burt Hall from Collingsworth county, 25-year criminal assault sentence of W. J. Naugle from Hill county and the 18-year murder sentence of Fred Mathews from Milam county, likewise were affirmed.

The court affirmed one of two cases alleging making false entry, that of Paul J. Sulak, six years, from Jackson county and reversed and remanded the other, R. E. Martin, two years, Wilbarger county.

MINIMUM FOR EXEMPTION IS SET AT \$3000. AUSTIN, Tex., May 13.—(AP)—The Senate voted 29 to 1 today to pass a House resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution exempting \$3,000 of the taxable value from tax levies. As passed by the House the resolution would have exempted \$2,000 of the value.

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There was no opening to the outside world from the murky igloo except by the chimney, which he had to keep open and provide him with air. For a month he was without a permanent light and depended for an occasional glimmer on a little gasolene lamp which he used to melt snow to obtain drinking water.

PAPERING paneled room. Figured Wallpaper May Be Used With Panels in Rather Small Rooms. Brocades, velvet and crevel pattern papers are excellent choices for papering in the paneled room.

HOW TO KEEP LINOLEUM: Use Caps Under Heavy Furniture; Wash Only With Neutral Soap. Flat glass or metal caps should be used under casters and legs of heavy furniture resting on a linoleum floor covering.

SALESMAN SAM. WELL, THEN MRS. HADDOCK WON'T NEED THIS FISH—I'LL GET RID OF IT! I'LL GO OVER TO THE ZOO!

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THE HOUSE immediately concurred in the Senate amendments to the resolution. The proposed amendment will be submitted to the people during the general election in 1932.

THE HOUSE voted 13 to 8 against printing the Johnson delinquent tax collections bill on a minority report. Sponsor Woodward of Coleman, moved to reconsider the vote. The Woodward motion was withdrawn.

Salt in History. Salt was known to all European nations at a very early period, and the word for salt is almost the same in all languages of Europe.

So Why Kick? HERE YA ARE, FELLY, OLD BIRD! DON'TCHA MUFF IT!

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MORTUARY. MRS. CORA COX. Mrs. Cora Cox, 30, wife of A. C. Cox, 415 Gill Street, passed away at her home at 8:45 o'clock Tuesday morning and services were held at the Melwood Avenue Baptist church at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon with Rev. J. M. Cooper, pastor officiating.

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In 1921, You Paid \$2.20 for Similar Quality! Now One Now



\$1.00

Ruffled Sets

They Cost You \$2.75 in 1921 Our Summer Sale Price Only



69c

Panel Curtains

1921's Price was \$1.50 Our Summer Sale Price



98c

Boys' U. Suits

1921 Price Was 67¢ Each! Buy in Summer Sale at



\$1.00

Men's Shorts

Fancy Assorted Patterns! They're 30¢ Values, Now



\$1.00

New Kitch Kan

Convenient Foot Cover! Buy It in Summer Sale!



89c

Garbage container. Green enameled outer pail, 8-qt. inner pail, bail.

Girls' Undies

In 1921, Similar Slips and Combinations Cost \$1.10!



3 for \$1.00

Rayon and cotton Crepe in flesh and peach. Hemstitched.

Listerine

In 1921 this large bottle sold for \$1. Ward's price is now



69c

Boys' Longies

White Washable Duck. Stock Up for Summer!



\$1.00

Strong duck—Barracked. Cuff bottoms, separate waist bands.

Men's Overalls

Ward's 1921 Price Was \$1.79 Buy in Summer Sale! Save!



\$1.00

High or low back styles. Durable made of white, back Blue Denim.

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Ward's Sold Similar Quality 10 Years Ago, for \$1.40! Now

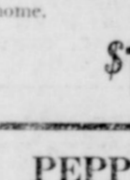


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Pure white, "Longwear" brand—firm weave, \$1.90. Cases 4 for 69c

Health Cooker

4 quarts, 2 compartments. One of these should be in every home.



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Large assortment of neat patterns. Yard



18c

Our LOWEST PRICES in 10 years! WARD'S NATION-WIDE SUMMER SALE

Automatic Day Bed and Pad. Summer Hats of Novelty Straws. Cost \$39.50 in 1921. Now, \$19.95. Our 1921 Price, \$4.98. Now, \$1.66.



5-Piece Breakfast Set. Sets Like These Cost \$39.95 in 1921! In the Summer Sale They're Only \$17.95. 5 pieces at LESS THAN HALF the cost 10 years ago.



A Living Room. This Was \$50. You Can Get a Better Quality Here's another typical example of prices are down (lower than ever Summer Sale! The luxuriously ro size Arm Chair, and the Button- fully upholstered in soft toned colored, reversible cushions.

Kerosene Range. In 1921 a Plain Four-Burner Size Cost \$39.85! This Five-Burner Size, Now, \$34.95. Only \$2.50 Down, \$5 Monthly. Just look at this modern 5-burner "Seminole" Windsor! It has the built-in oven, marbled enamel splashes and doors, and visible oil-tank. What a difference from the plain black and white stove of 10 years ago, with only 4 top burners and removable oven. Save in Summer Sale!

You Couldn't Buy Ward's Zinc-It Paint At ANY Price Back in 1921. There Was No Such Paint on the Market! GALLON \$2.75. Zinc-It is a modern paint—the result of seven years of research by two great paint chemists. It's made of the finest materials under Ward's own supervision and scientifically checked at every step. One gallon of Zinc-It is guaranteed to cover 400 square feet with two good coats. Even inexperienced painters find it easy to apply. Paint up now. Save at Ward's on the lowest paint prices in 10 years!

Bedroom Suite. "Low Price" \$2.50 Down. Illustration of a bedroom suite.

A Riverside Tire. (Ford Size) Cost \$19.45 in 1921 Buy Riversides Today. 29x4.40 Size \$4.55. And 1931 Riversides Give You Three Times Greater Mileage! Furthermore, these Riversides of 10 years ago were guaranteed for only 10,000 miles. Now Riversides are guaranteed to give complete satisfaction without limit as to time or mileage! And they cost only one-fourth as much! Buy Them in Pairs for Greater Savings!

In 1921 We Thought \$4.55 Was a Low Price for WOMEN'S SHOES. In the Summer Sale They Cost Only \$3.98. No Wonder Ward's Stores Are Among the Greatest Retailers of Women's Shoes in America! ONE STRAPS of Black Patent with dull kid trimming, junior Louis heel... Seaside Kid with putty beige trimming, covered Cuban heel... and dull Black Kid with covered Cuban heel. All with flexible inner soles, high grade outer soles. Sizes 3 to 8. COLONIAL PUMP of new Putty Beige Kid, covered Cuban heel, quality outer sole. Sizes 3 to 8. 3-EYELET TIES of Brown Calf Grain, covered Cuban heel. Brown reptile trimming. Sizes 3 to 8.

Combination. 2-Qt. Bottles and Sprays in 1921 Were \$1.98! Now Only 79c. Of one-piece live rubber, molded, 5 ft. tubing, shut-off.

MONTGOMERY WARD. Center at Adams. Ask About Our New Service Order Plan! Any

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Ask About Our New Service Order Plan! Any

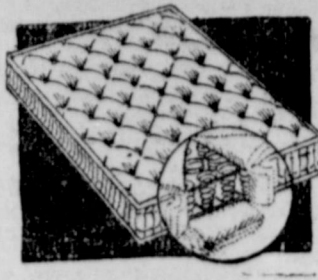


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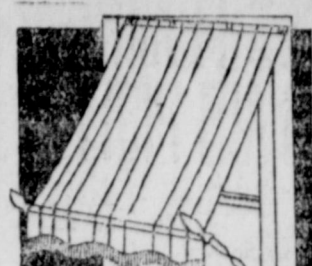
12 Wardoleum Rugs! Waterproof  
1921 Price, \$10.95  
Now, **\$4.95**



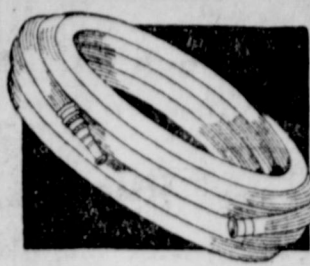
Restful Inner-Spring Mattress  
A Modern Comfort  
Now, **\$14.95**



SPECIAL ASSORTMENT  
Printed pongee, batiste, flaxon, voile; printed broadcloth and dimity... all guaranteed fast colors. Yard  
19c



Genuine Spear-Head Awnings  
Priced \$2.25 in 1921  
Now, **\$1.00**



Single Braided Garden Hose  
Cost \$5.95 in 1921  
50 ft. **\$3.98**  
Now, **\$3.98**

SILK HOSE  
79c  
Clifton and service weight. In 1921 this hose sold for \$1.50.

Spark Plugs  
5c Was the 1921 Price! Our Summer Sale Price  
55c  
A.C. Spark Plugs for quicker performance. Get a supply!

Mesh Undies  
Of Cool and Durable Rayon  
Bargains for women and misses  
49c  
Step-ins, Panties, and Shorty Bloomers of new mesh rayon.

Men's Ties  
In 1921, Such Ties Cost \$1.29  
Now in Summer Sale, They're  
69c  
Hand tailored silk, in plain colors, fancy patterns. For your new suit!

Play Suits  
In 1921, Similar Suits Cost \$1.65! Buy in Summer Sale!  
69c  
Shirt style, short sleeves, flapper pants. Khaki, or covert in colors.

Hand Bags  
In 1921, Similar Quality Sold for \$3.85! Now Only  
\$1.00  
Moire, tapestry, fabricoid leathers! Inverted frame, smart styles.

Camp Jug  
\$1.00  
Stoneware-lined. Not to be compared with glass lined jugs. A \$2 value.

You Couldn't Begin to Buy Radios Like These in 1921 for Less Than \$200

# RADIOS

Our Summer Sale Offers Great Savings On These AIRLINE Models!

The Challenger  
**\$39.95**  
Complete with Tubes and Installed.

5 tubes... triple screen-grid, super-Dynamic Speaker, and beautiful console cabinet are features of this radio... Licensed by R. C. A.

The Fayette  
**\$69.85**  
Complete with Tubes and Installed.

A 7-Tube Set that is a marvel for tone and volume. Triple screen grid, tone control, and walnut veneer cabinet. Licensed by R. C. A.



The Sovereign  
**\$79.85**  
Complete with Tubes and Installed.

An 8-Tube Set—one of the finest radios today! Tone Control, Triple Screen Grid. Licensed by R. C. A.

The Conqueror  
**\$89.95**  
Complete with Tubes and Installed.

Compare it with sets far higher priced! 8 tubes, triple Screen Grid, and 12 inch Super-Dynamic Speaker. Beautiful rich Walnut cabinet... Licensed by R. C. A.

## \$2.50 DOWN ON ANY RADIO

WINDSOR CLEANER  
In 1921, Price for Vacuum with Fewer Features, Was \$57.50! In Summer Sale,  
**\$27.95**  
\$2.50 Down, \$5 Monthly

It's a marvel of efficiency, workmanship, and value! Note especially the heating, sweeping, suction action that gets ALL the destructive dirt! MOTOR DRIVEN BRUSH, BALL BEARING MOTOR. Economical, easy running. GUARANTEED FOR 5 YEARS!



9x12 AXMINSTERS  
In 1921, We Considered Such Rugs Bargains at \$39.75! In the Summer Sale, Only  
**\$24.95**  
\$2.00 Down, \$3.00 Monthly

Now, indeed, is the time to buy Rugs! Brand new, SEAMLESS Axminsters, specially purchased and specially priced for Summer Sale! Firmly woven of heavy ALL WOOL yarns, in rich floral and Oriental patterns. Every one a bargain!



Men's Shirts  
Exceptional Opportunity to Stock Up In Summer Sale!  
3 for **\$1.00**  
Athletic style, good quality Swiss ribbed cotton. Elastic, comfortable.

New Baseball  
In 1921, Official League Ball Was \$1.85! Now It's  
**89c**  
"Double Header" balls. Hard rubber center, wound tightly.

NEW TENNIS SHOES  
In 1921 price for such shoes was \$1.98.  
Now, **89c**

Radiator Grill  
With Fittings, Easy to Attach Non-Tarnish Chromium Finish  
**\$3.98**  
For Ford Model A-A A 1930-31; for Chevrolet 6, 1929-30-31.

Swimming Suits  
We sold in 1921 up to \$4.98  
Now, **\$1.98**  
All wool, rib knit, choice of popular colors.

Electric Iron  
Our 1921 Price Was \$4. Now, Better Quality Iron  
**\$1.98**  
6-lb. nickel plated Iron — tip-back rest, grip handle. Less Cord!

Electric Toaster  
In 1921, a Similar Toaster Was \$4.95! Buy This One at  
**\$1.29**  
Toasts 2 slices at same time. Nichrome wire heating element. Nickel.

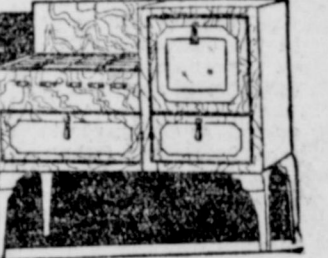
## Down Payments Cut One Half!

An extraordinary announcement for the Summer Sale! Not only are prices the lowest in 10 years, but we also give you the opportunity to buy Easy Payment merchandise ON ONLY ONE-HALF THE FORMER DOWN PAYMENT! Buy Furniture, Rugs, Radios, Cream Separators, and many other home and farm needs now! EVERYONE can take advantage of Summer Sale Savings!

On Any Order of \$20 to \$25 On Any Order of \$25.01 to \$100, Now Pay Only

**\$2.00 DOWN**      **\$2.50 DOWN**  
Orders \$100.01 to \$150 Now, \$5 DOWN      Orders \$150.01 to \$175 Now, \$7.50 DOWN      Orders \$175.01 to \$200 Now, \$10 DOWN

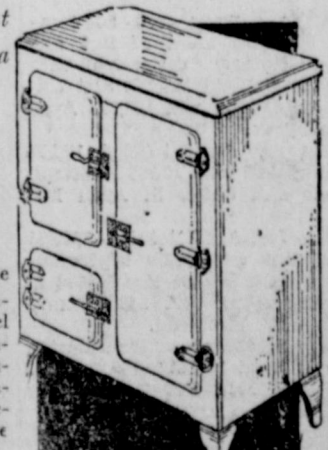
DeSoto Windsor New Gas Range  
Ten Years Ago, \$150  
Now  
**\$74.95**  
\$2.50 Down, \$5 Monthly  
4-burner cooking top. Big Oven. Marbled Finish



4-BLADE LAWN MOWER  
In 1921 It Sold for \$11.95—  
Now It's Better Than Ever,  
And the Price Is  
**\$6.95**  
Its four keen 14-inch blades revolve on smooth ball bearings. It's built to last a lifetime yet it's so light and easy-running a small boy can push it! Save at this Summer Sale price!



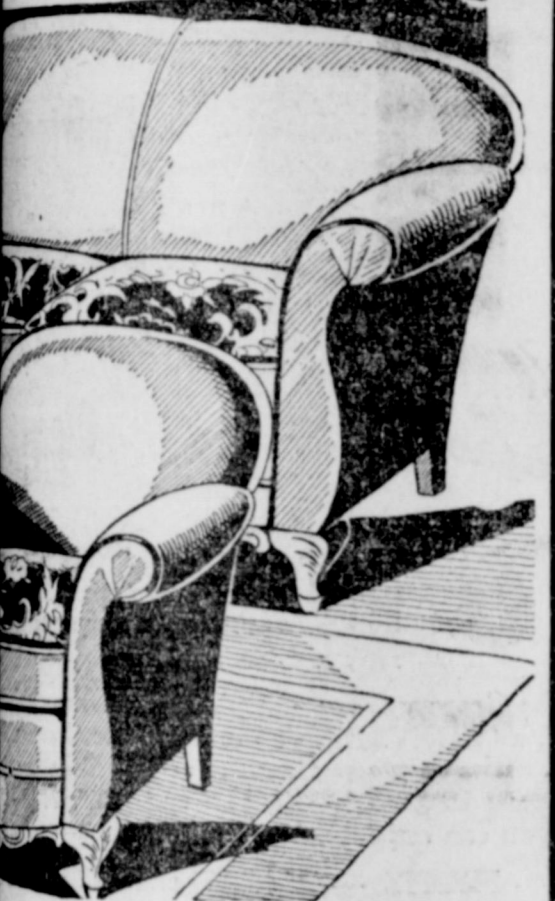
75-LB. REFRIGERATOR  
An Enamel Steel Case at Less Than You Paid for a Wood Case in 1921!  
**\$33.95**  
Only \$2.50 Down, \$5 Monthly  
What an improvement over the wood case of 10 years ago! Latest style Refrigerator of all-steel construction, white enameled inside and out. "Nu-Wood" insulation maintains average temperature of 50 degrees. New off-the-floor 8-in. legs. Non-tipping wire shelves!



Fancy Socks  
In 1921, 40c Was the Price Of Similar Quality! Buy Now  
3 Pair For **50c**  
Rayon Socks with knit-in design. Mercerized tops, toes, heels.



# WINTER SALE



Suite Like \$50 in 1921

**\$84.95**  
as This Were \$50 in 1921

**\$64.95**

INGS BY APPOINTMENT of Homefurnishings and Radios

# WARD & CO.

Brownwood

Glad To Explain This Shopping Service To You!

An Example of How Prices Have Dropped  
Twice as Efficient as Washers That Sold for \$143.50 Ten Years Ago!

## Windsor Washer

It cost you twice as much to have a Windsor Washer in 1921! And, today's Windsor Gyrator is twice as efficient, and easy to operate! Its big porcelain enamel tub turns out a tubful in from 5 to 7 minutes. It's equipped with Genuine Lovell Wringer, nationally advertised and famous for quality! No center post to tangle clothes! Our Summer Sale prices save you up to \$50.  
\$2.50 Down, \$5.00 Monthly



STARTS SATURDAY!



# JURY LIST FOR JUNE TERM OF DISTRICT COURT

Drawing for the jury lists for the four weeks of court and the grand jury has been completed and the five jury panels have been announced by District Clerk Allen D. Forsythe as follows:

**Grand Jury**  
W. L. Stewart, Zephyr; E. P. Killgore, Brownwood; L. N. Yarbrough, Brownwood; W. Lee Watson, Brownwood; D. C. Owings, Jones Chapel; W. D. Pierce, Blanket; O. Leatherwood, Rising Star; Joe Woodson, Brownwood; G. G. Goss, Rising Star; Eli Crisp, Blanket; W. H. Simmons, Indian Creek; A. E. Keeler, Thrifty; R. O. Sheffield, Brooksmith; J. J. Eddington, Grosvener; W. R. Chambers, May; E. J. Pyle, Cross Cut.

**Fetit Jurors, First Week**  
J. A. Kesler, Blanket; Tom Bailey, Brownwood; M. Chambers, May; C. A. Levisy, Blanket; C. A. Eary, H. Beck, S. G. Drake, Brownwood; J. T. Woods, May; W. O. Hollingsworth, Zephyr; L. M. Garman, Brownwood; W. B. Richmond, Brownwood; W. M. Harris, Brownwood; Cook Sheffield, Bangs; Carrington Ezra, Owens; C. L. Martin, Bangs; Ed Counts, Brownwood; M. N. Cobb, Zephyr; P. C. Boyd, Brownwood; J. E. Caldwell, Blanket; Q. W. Duffier, Grover; Grooms, Brownwood; S. F. Ashcraft, Grosvener; F. M. E. Harris, Brownwood; M. P. Braddock, Zephyr; W. M. Wilson, Bangs; F. W. Miller, Bangs; R. C. Hubbard, May; L. M. Rountree, Brownwood; Alpha Blanton, Blanket; J. W. Nichols, Brownwood; H. C. Williams, May (Rising Star); J. M. Moore, May; R. N. Green, Zephyr; J. S. Punderbark, Brownwood; Floyd Eoff, Blanket; Bart W. Milhollen, Brownwood.

**Second Week**  
Eli Horner, Zephyr; N. B. Douglas, George Cole, Zephyr; G. W. Cleaton, Blanket; A. O. Angel, May; J. B. Strickland, Blanket; C. C. Conoway, C. A. Cavel, J. G. Gaines, Sidney Mauldin, Brownwood; Lee Roberts, Brooksmith; Noah McGaughey, Bangs; J. T. Arlege, Cross Cut; H. H. Stagg, Fred Perry, Bangs; T. M. Burleson, A. C. Dunn, Brownwood; O. J. Huggins, Zephyr.

# SELF RELIANCE LABOR SAVIOR, DOAK ASSERTS

HOUSTON, Texas, May 13.—(AP)—W. W. Doak, United States secretary of labor today warned members of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen against "yielding to the lure of associations or societies of high sounding titles, claiming to be the true saviors of the downtrodden workers of America." He urged, instead, in an address before the brotherhood in triennial convention here, "self reliance."

Many of these societies, the cabinet member said, teach that only the intelligence can save you from economic and social ruin.

"Their theories of conduct and procedure would lead labor into a slough of confusion and despond," he said. "There are influences abroad in our land which tend toward the socialization of all kinds of activities. These forces, in our struggle to preserve the freedom of the organized labor movement from the destruction of collectivistic legislation in the days through which we have passed only a few years ago, were in the main in opposition to us. They have changed only in the degree that they have been forced to recognize organized labor as a factor, and as such they now seek for self interest to have the movement united with them under the guise of friendship."

"If we have success without them, the secretary went on, "in fact despite them, why should we now unite with them after we have demonstrated our ability to get along without them? We here, with propriety I think, may suggest some of the tendencies of the times. In the world today we have the example of a new republic which, while it succeeded an absolute monarchy, had no sooner obtained a foothold than it developed a scheme of actions fraught with deadly danger to real freedom, because it undertook to socialize everything, not excepting religion."

# CLEMENCIES TO 23 GIVEN BY GOVERNOR

AUSTIN, Tex., May 9.—(AP)—Gov. Sterling today granted 23 Mother's Day paroles and two furloughs. Most of the clemencies went to first offenders, 18 to 25 years old, who had good prison records.

The following convicts received paroles:

Frank Turner of Collin county; Phazer Colley of Sabine; Jimmie Smith of Van Zandt; H. B. Coffey of Harris; Edgar Oliver of Coryell; Willie McPherson of Jefferson; Bobby Smith of Wilbarger; Jess Rutson of Wilson; Willie Ratley of Bowie; Sidney Price of McLennan; W. M. Johnson of Bowie; Herman Freitag of Williamson; G. H. Hubbard of Tarrant; Harry Brunson of Dallas; Calloway Warden of Rains; Mitchell Franklin and Roy Wilson of Jones and Donley; Thomas Mata of Caldwell; B. L. Lovell of Ellis; Arley Barker of Collin; Renfro Harrison of Polk; and Clyde Tanner of Jefferson.

A sixty day furlough was issued B. O. Hardin of Jefferson county and a 30 day furlough to Bunk Harris of Howard county.

# DEMO LEADER URGES TEXANS TO AID PARTY

AUSTIN, Tex., May 13.—(AP)—Jouett Shouse, chairman of the Democratic national executive committee, urged Texans last night to help the party take a definite stand on prohibition at its next national convention.

Shouse advocated a change, speaking of the "evils that have grown up under prohibition," but added he would rather see the party make a declaration for continuance of present conditions than sidestep the issue.

The national party leaders spoke on invitation of the Legislature and enough outsiders were present to fill the House chamber and gallery. Gov. Sterling and several members of the Legislature sat on the platform.

The economic question and not prohibition should be the Paramount issue in next year's campaign, Shouse insisted. He assailed the Hoover administration for its asserted failure to cope with the economic crisis, the continuation of which he ascribed as due in no small part to the "Hoover-Grundty" tariff.

**Refers to Wilson**  
The speaker was applauded loudest when he referred several times to Woodrow Wilson. He criticized President Hoover for not paying the proper tributes to President Wilson, "the man who made him."

"The Democratic party in 1930 won not so much a victory as an opportunity," Shouse said. "Its future will depend upon the way it takes advantage of that opportunity."

On the power question, Shouse asserted the Democratic doctrine was that sources of power belong to the people and must be preserved to the people.

Shouse was introduced by Jed Adams of Dallas, Democratic national committeeman for Texas, who had been presented by Edgar E. Witt, Lieutenant Governor. Witt stated he believed that never again would "the Democrats have to be preached to in order to get them to come to the aid of their party."

Adams commended Shouse and John J. Raskob, chairman of the Democratic national committee, for "making the Democratic party in-lit-tant 365 days out of the year."

He asked Texas Democrats not to become embroiled in controversial issues and he told Shouse that the conclusion of the meeting that "Texas is more interested in bread than in liquor."

# BOSTON MAN IS WINNER IN BIG CONTEST

WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., May 13.—(SP)—James Thomas Sharkey, 32, a milkman in Boston, was awarded the \$25,000 first prize in the \$50,000 nation-wide contest for the best letter setting forth the advantages to smokers of the new moisture-proof cellophane wrapper on Camel cigarette packages, officials of R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company and the contest judges announced today. Sharkey lives at 101 Train Street, Dorchester, Mass., a suburb of Boston.

Mrs. Walter Sweet, mother of three children and wife of a Marine Corps captain now stationed at the Brooklyn (N. Y.) Navy Yard, won the second prize of \$10,000.

Third prize of \$5,000 went to Julius M. Nolte, real estate dealer of Duluth, Minn., and former secretary of the Duluth Commercial Club.

In all thirty-eight prizes were awarded, of which five were for \$1,000 each, five were for \$500 each, and twenty-five were for \$100 each. Judge of the contest were Roy Howard, Chairman of the Board of the Scripps-Howard League of newspapers; Charles Dana Gibson, famous artist and publisher of Life Magazine; and Ray Long, President of the International Magazine Company and editor of Cosmopolitan.

The five prizes of \$1,000 each were awarded to the following:  
Albert E. Franklin, 3rd, 22-year-old graduate student at Harvard,

# NEW ELEVATORS ARE BEING BUILT ALONG NEW SANTA FE LINE

AMARILLO, Texas, May 13.—(AP)—Fourteen new elevators are under construction on the Santa Fe's new line from Amarillo to Boise City, Okla., which will be opened for traffic on Friday.

The elevators will be completed in time to handle the 1931 wheat crop, expected to begin moving late in June.

The Kearns Grain Company of Amarillo is building elevators at Cardaro, Sairen, Mallett, Bautista and Frick.

The Hilker Grain Company is building one at Frick; Wadley Grain Company of Texhoma, at Kerrick; Connally Grain Company of Amarillo at Dumas; Strader Grain Company of Amarillo at Dumas; Beasley Grain Company of Amarillo at Dumas and Machow; Roberts Grain Company of Amarillo at Eter; Johnson Grain Company of Enid, Okla., and Collard Grain Company of Spearman at McGibben.

# Sam Rivette Gets Ten Year Sentence For Meyer's Death

GALVESTON, Texas, May 13.—(AP)—Sam Rivette today was under a ten-year sentence on a charge of being a principal in the killing of jail guard Joe Meyer, slain a few months ago when Tommy Reis escaped from jail. The verdict was returned late yesterday. He also faces a charge of robbery with firearms.

Reis, under 35-year sentence for robbery, testified yesterday that Rivette arranged the jail break, persuaded Roy Britton to help liberate Reis and drove the car in which the two fled. Britton was charged with the actual shooting.

Rev. I. K. Kloyd, pastor of the Austin Avenue Presbyterian church, is to go to Zephyr tonight to lead the prayer meeting there. Rev. Pyle will comment on one chapter of the Bible in an informal discussion.

# Former Citizen of Brown County Is Buried at Del Rio

Mrs. Walter Mosier and Miss Mildred Waldrum of Brownwood and Mrs. Clyde Greer of Zephyr returned Sunday from Del Rio where they had gone to attend the funeral of their father, B. F. Waldrum. Mr. Waldrum shot and killed himself Wednesday afternoon about 2 o'clock, members of the family state. He was buried Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock in Del Rio.

Mr. Waldrum lived in Zephyr for ten years, but soon after his wife died, he broke up house keeping and lived with his children in different parts of the state. He was visiting his daughter, Mrs. B. M. Martin, who lives on a ranch 32 miles from Del Rio, at the time of his death. Two shots were fired from a 22 caliber revolver, the first one grazing the head, and the second entering the brain causing death.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin heard the shots, but thought he was shooting at blackbirds as was his habit when visiting them. When they saw him, they took the body into the house and drove six miles to the nearest telephone and called Odus Waldrum, son of the dead man. He brought a doctor to the scene, but Waldrum was dead when the doctor arrived.

It was said that he had been dependent for several weeks previous to his death. No other reason could be found for shooting himself.

Mr. Waldrum is survived by one sister, Mrs. John Nation of Del Rio, two sons, Odus of Del Rio and Clifford of Dryden, and six daughters, Mrs. Walter Mosier and Miss Mildred Waldrum of Brownwood, Mrs. Clyde Greer of Zephyr, Mrs. B. M. Martin of Del Rio, Mrs. A. W. Williams and Mrs. G. W. Williams of Cotulla.

Mr. Waldrum was a native born Texan, having been born and reared in Fannin county, moving to Zephyr from there. At one time he had been a member of the Coggin Avenue Baptist church of this city.

## Backache Leg Pains

Getting Up Nights, Backache, frequent day calls, Low Pains, Nervousness, or Burning, due to functional Bladder Irritation, in acid conditions, makes you feel tired, depressed and discouraged, try the Cystex Test. Works fast, starts circulating thru the system in 15 minutes. Relieved by thousands for rapid and positive action. Don't give up, try Cystex (pronounced Sissidex) today, under the Iron-Clad Guarantee. Must quickly relieve these conditions, improve sleep, eat sleep and energy, or money back. Only 50c at J. F. Renfro Drug Co., Successors to Camp-Bell Drug Co.

# Local Methodists Among Delegates Annual Conference

Mrs. R. O. Sory of the First Methodist church and Mr. and Mrs. Hal H. Cherry of the Central Methodist church were elected delegates to the annual conference to be held at Waco by the district conference held at Winters this week.

Those who attended the district conference from the First Methodist church are: Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Bludworth, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. McMullen, Mrs. R. M. Ramsey, Mrs. C. C. Fenton, Mrs. J. A. Snoddy, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Green, Frank O'Hearn, and Mrs. R. O. Sory.

Those from the Central Methodist church who attended were: Rev. and Mrs. P. T. Stanwood, Mr. and Hal H. Cherry, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Hinkle, Mr. and Mrs. R. Silvey, Mrs. L. N. Marquart, Mrs. H. A. Newby, Mrs. Truman Harlow, Mrs. H. M. Fields, Miss Emma Lois Kilgore, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Wilkes, Jeff Thomas, Wilkes, Rev. C. A. Moore, Mr. Frank H. Sweet, Mrs. O. T. Shugart.

# Gas Line Break Kilgore Repaired

LONGVIEW, Tex., May 14.—(AP)—M. A. Ream, division manager for the United Gas System, said today the break in the company's eight-inch gas line, three miles northwest of Kilgore, was repaired shortly after midnight.

The big artery, supplying gas to Kilgore, Tyler, Lindale and Swann, was broken yesterday by a ditching machine valued at \$9,000 which was consumed in flames that resulted when the escaping gas was ignited by sparks from an automobile exhaust. Several men narrowly escaped death when the gas was ignited.

The blaze, shooting 75 feet into the air under 250 to 300 pounds pressure, was extinguished by cutting off the gas flow. Repairs were then completed.

Gas supply of towns supplied by the line was not affected, as the lines were packed before the flow was cut off.

# Cotton Consumed In April Is More Than Used During March

WASHINGTON, May 14.—(AP)—Cotton consumed during April was announced by the census bureau today to have totaled 508,744 bales of lint and 66,807 of linters, compared with 490,586 of lint and 62,771 of linters in March this year and 531,911 of lint and 67,454 of linters in April last year.

Cotton on hand April 30th was held as follows:

In consuming establishments 1,370,044 bales of lint and 290,832 of linters, compared with 1,477,758 and 292,955 March 31st this year and 1,662,215 and 239,495 April 30th last year.

In public storage and at compresses 6,034,295 bales of lint and 86,767 of linters, compared with 6,642,648 and 81,661 March 31st this year and 3,637,046 and 103,966 April 30th last year.

Imports for April totaled 17,257 bales, compared with 10,296 in March this year and 67,397 in April last year.

Exports for April totaled 391,871 bales of lint and 9,099 of linters, compared with 605,461 and 349,762 in March this year and 349,762 and 10,959 in April last year.

Cotton spindles active during April numbered 26,645,404 compared with 26,499,832 in March this year and 28,851,112 in April last year.

# West Texas Wool Sales Announced

SAN ANGELO, May 14.—(SP)—The Texas Wool & Mohair Co., of San Angelo has sold approximately 65,000 pounds of twelve months' wool to the Thomas Westenhorn & Sons Co., mill of Philadelphia, which was represented by Gene Hogan and J. J. Walker.

Henry D. Allen, representing Charles J. Webb Sons' Co., of Philadelphia, bought between 5,000 and 40,000 pounds of wool from Whitfield & Bishop of Millersview, Comcho county.

The Wool Growers' Central Storage Co., was scheduled to offer 75,000 pounds of long wool at sealed bid auction Thursday. The firm has the largest inland wool warehouse in the United States, San Angelo being the largest inland wool market in the country, and handles between 13,000,000 and 14,000,000 pounds of wool annually.

# Children need not steal your health

There should be no health penalty attached to motherhood. There isn't among really healthy women. Expectant mothers who think of the baby's health as well as their own, should take a good vegetable tonic to protect the two lives—Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. All dealers. Every package of it contains a Symptom Blank. Fill it out and mail it to Dr. Pierce's Clinic, Buffalo, N. Y., for FREE medical advice.

## COURTEOUS Convenience And Clean

These are six very important factors considered of a grocery store and marked by the consumer, before you have a regular customer...

## C. B. KYZAR

Bud Hart and Ruben Brownwood  
301 Fisk Avenue

## SAVE AT Peerless Drug Co.

Owned by D. S. Camp, A. H. Bell, J. W. Taber and David Camp, Jr.

### SPRAYING PAYS

Insects cost truck growers, fruit growers and farmers thousands of dollars annually. Check the loss and protect the income from your crops by spraying now.

**USE "BLACK LEAF 40"**  
(Nicotine Sulphate)

This is a very effective insecticide for use in destroying plant life.  
(One Ounce Makes 6 Gallons of Spray)

**ACME ALL AROUND SPRAY**  
(Controls both sucking and chewing insects)

A triple service spray that will combat most all types of insects at once.

**ACME LIME SULPHUR**  
Dry lime sulphur is used in combatting scale insects, scab, red spider, etc.

**Specials For Friday and Saturday**  
Over 100 Staple Drug Items on Sale

**Free Delivery Service**

To Those GRADUATING from High Schools—and those intending to attend college another year—

**We Urge That You Make a BROWNWOOD COLLEGE Your Choice Next Fall**

**Gifts For The Graduate**

There are many things we have in stock that are exactly pleasing to the GRADUATES—see us first.

# HOWARD COUNTY TEST

BIG SPRING, Tex., May 13.—(AP)—The Continental Oil Company's No. 1 Brindley test today was reported as drilling at 2,991 feet in lime. It struck water at 2,830 feet and a small showing of gas at 2,845-50 feet. The location is 660 feet from the south and east lines of section 18, block 28, township 1 south, T. & P. Railway survey, in Howard county. It is seven miles southwest of Big Spring and a half mile north of Continental's No. 1 Harding, discovery well of the area.

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The Wool Growers' Central Storage Co., was scheduled to offer 75,000 pounds of long wool at sealed bid auction Thursday. The firm has the largest inland wool warehouse in the United States, San Angelo being the largest inland wool market in the country, and handles between 13,000,000 and 14,000,000 pounds of wool annually.

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 Petty and Collins spent Sunday in Coleman.  
 Driskill, T. F. and ...  
 Shelton, a nurse returned to her home for a week visit with her ...  
 Ward and Parks of ...  
 Petty spent the ...  
 Brownwood with Miss ...  
 Vanzandt, Ailie Rae ...  
 Petty, Messrs. Bob ...  
 Nesmith and Phyllis ...  
 given by Howard ...  
 Berfro and Roy ...  
 home Sunday from ...  
 in Corpus Christi.  
 Mrs. J. A. Cunningham ...  
 J. A. III, Houston ...  
 Brownwood spent Sunday ...  
 Mrs. J. A. Cunningham ...  
 Shelton spent last ...  
 visiting her ...  
 Mrs. Charles Forsythe ...  
 Highland Springs cave ...  
 Kirby Kinsey and ...  
 of Sweetwater spent ...  
 with Mrs. Kinsey's ...  
 Mrs. J. H. Wood ...  
 Floyd Gentry of ...  
 spent Sunday with ...  
 parents, Mr. and Mrs. ...  
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Vanzandt and Eloise Cobler attended the quarterly conference in Winters this week.  
 Mr. Luther Porter of Blanket was in Zephyr Monday.  
 Messrs. Hermon and Osa Byerly of Coleman visited Mrs. Chester Massingill Sunday.  
 Rev. J. D. Smoot filled his regular appointment at the Methodist church Sunday morning at the evening service, A Mothers Day program was given.  
 Mr. H. Y. Yates made a business trip to Goldthwaite Monday.  
 Mr. Roy Belvin and Miss Bernice Morris attended the quarterly conference at Winters this week.  
 R. A. Scott, 75, of this place passed away at his home at 6:45 o'clock Friday morning, May 8. Funeral services were held at Zephyr Saturday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock.  
 Rev. J. D. Smoot of Comanche officiated, assisted by Rev. L. A. Clark. Interment was made in Zephyr cemetery. Mr. Scott had lived in Brown county 16 years having moved here from San Antonio.  
 He is survived by his wife, one daughter, Mrs. Beryl Wright of Fort Worth, one son, William C. Scott, one stepdaughter, Mrs. Geo. D. Station of Wills Point, two sisters, Mrs. Will Hallford and Mrs. Ruth and Vera Bogush, San Saba; Mrs. Paul Lockhart, San Antonio; Mrs. J. B. Cole and Mr. Max Cole, Rolls; Mr. W. L. Johnston, Miss Mae Johnston, Mrs. Johnston, Mrs. Ernest Marable, Mrs. W. M. Hooper, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Longley and Loneta Mae, Mr. and Mrs. Clem

Longley and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. DuBoise, Brownwood.  
 Mrs. Roy Holley of Brownwood visited her mother, Mrs. S. E. Petty on Monday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Everett Lea of Brownwood spent Sunday with Mrs. Lea's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Dabney.  
 Mr. and Mrs. J. H. DuBoise of Brownwood spent Sunday with Mrs. DuBoise's mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Matson.  
 Mrs. Clyde Greer returned home Sunday from Del Rio where she had gone to attend the funeral of her father, B. F. Waldrum. Mr. Waldrum died and killed himself Wednesday afternoon about two o'clock, members of the family stated. He was buried Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock in Del Rio.  
 Mr. Waldrum lived in Zephyr for ten years. After his wife died he broke up house keeping, and lived with his children in different parts of the state. He was visiting his daughter, Mrs. B. M. Martin who lives on a ranch 22 miles from Del Rio, at the time of his death. Two shots were fired from a 22 caliber revolver, the first one grazing the head, and the second entering the brain, causing death.  
 Mrs. S. C. Kesler was honored by a surprise birthday dinner at her only daughter, Mrs. M. L. Smith Sunday, May 10. The birthday cake was beautifully decorated with 75 candles.  
 The house was decorated with red and white flowers in memory of Mothers' Day.  
 Those enjoying the dinner were Mr. W. B. Acree, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Acree of Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Smith, Zephyr; Mr. H. W. Kesler, Blanket; Mrs. W. D. Kesler, Zephyr; Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Kesler, Blanket; Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Smith, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cauton, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Smith, Mrs. Ellen Hardin, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mackey, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fry, Harvey, James, Allen and Cordelia Kesler, J. T. Kesler, Howard Kesler, Mary Louise Smith, Flora Jane and J. T., Jr., Canthen, Mattie, Tommy, Pauline, and H. H. Jr., Smith; Morgan, Cecil and Evelyn, Fay Hardin, Mannel, Bessie Mae, and Bobby Jean Mackey, Mmes. N. B. Gist, W. B. Ware and Rev. Paul McCasland.  
 All of Mrs. Kesler's grandchildren were there but one. Mrs. C. C. Randle of Lake Creek, Tex., also one sister, Mrs. Nettie DeBusk of Idalou, Tex.  
 Messrs. and Mmes. Hubert Roach, M. B. Horton visited Mrs. Tom Damron who is seriously ill Sunday afternoon.  
 Mrs. George Petty was shopping in Brownwood Monday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Fred Matson spent Sunday in Brownwood with Mrs. Matson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Daugherty.  
 Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Petty and son John were in Brownwood Tuesday morning.  
 Mrs. J. B. Cole and son, Max left Tuesday morning for their home at Rolls, after a few days visit with Mrs. R. A. Scott.  
 Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Nesmith and children of Brownwood spent Sunday with Mr. Nesmith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Nesmith.  
 Misses Eloise Cobler, Emma Nesmith, and Mr. Jene Skipping are taking Daniel Baker College entrance examinations this week.  
 Mrs. Ella McBurney visited her daughters, Mmes. T. H. Hart and E. P. Thompson in Brownwood this week.  
 Mr. Edd Morris has returned from Dallas where he visited his sister, Mrs. Leslie Marquet.  
 Mrs. W. F. Timmins was shopping in Brownwood Tuesday.  
 Mr. T. F. Bird of Blanket was in Zephyr Monday.  
 Miss Vivian McDaniel was in Brownwood Saturday.  
 Mr. C. C. Petty transacted business in Brownwood Monday.  
 Mr. J. L. Vanzandt was in Brownwood Saturday.  
 Miss Mae Vanzandt, who has been staying in Brownwood with her sister, Mrs. Stella Clayton, returned to Zephyr Saturday night.  
 Mr. Leslie Griffin who is attending Howard Payne College was in Zephyr Saturday.  
 Mrs. Marion Smith and Mrs. Ellen Hardin were in Brownwood on Tuesday.  
 Mrs. O. C. Schulze and daughter, Elle visited Mrs. Schulze's mother, Mrs. Fred Schulze at Pottsville on Sunday.  
 Miss Lula Cunningham was shopping in Brownwood Wednesday.  
 Mrs. Mae Williams and little daughter, Mary Helen were in Brownwood Wednesday.  
 Mr. A. B. Driskill made a business trip to Brownwood Tuesday.  
 Ernest Phillips and daughter, Ernestine from Breckenridge spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Schulze.  
 D. F. Petty was in Coleman Thursday attending court.  
 The girls recreation club met Thursday, May 12, there were nine present, a very interesting program was rendered. There were four new members, one of the most interesting features of the afternoon was planning made over dresses and placing the pattern on the material. All girls are urged to come and take part in the club. The club will meet again on the fourth Tuesday.

week from Arlington where she has been visiting Miss Cora Posey.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Bud Reese and daughters of Woodland Heights spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Boyd.  
 Miss Edith Hawthorne is recovering from an appendicitis operation which she underwent at a Brownwood hospital last week.  
 Miss Barbara Shaffer of Jordan Springs attended the social here Friday night.  
 Mrs. Joe Edwards left Saturday for Comanche to visit her son. She has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. A. Dixon, for several weeks.  
 Floyd Allen of Rising Star spent several days last week here with Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Allen.  
 Orbie Wilson, Jot Gore, Elmo Cooper, Howard Conaway, Shortie Rountree and J. C. Wilson of Jordan Springs attended the social here Friday night.  
 The boys 4-H club met Monday morning at Mr. W. G. Grady's to judge dairy cattle. There were ten members and O. P. Griffin, county farm agent, present. Francis Hobbs and Shortie Rountree made the highest scores.  
 Rev. and Mrs. Henry Francis spent Saturday at Bangs visiting Mrs. Francis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Snow.  
 The subject for the B. Y. P. U. program for Sunday, May 17, is "The Holy Spirit and Assurance of Salvation." Thelma Dixon is the leader. Other parts are: 1. "The Basis of Assurance," by Dosis McBride. 2. "The Witness of the Holy Spirit" by Nellie Grace De Hay. 3. "Our Assurance Depends upon Our Faith" by Edna Merle Smith. 4. "Our Assurance Depends upon Our Loyalty to Christ" by Letha McDermmond. 5. "Our Assurance Will be Affected by Our Service to Others" by Pauline McBride. 6. "The Value of Assurance" by Willie Edwards. 7. "The Cure of Doubt" by Lillian McBride.  
 Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ringo and daughters attended the closing of school program at Grosvenor Friday night.  
 Miss Martha Margret Herring spent last week at Brownwood with her aunt, Mrs. Bruce Francis.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Luther Jernigan and children of Goldthwaite spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. J. M. Jernigan.  
 Fay Curry of Glynn Cove visited in the George Creamier home last week.  
 Truman McAden of Lohn spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. McAden.  
 Rev. Henry Francis filled his regular appointment at the Methodist church Sunday morning and Sunday night. The morning service was a special service, observing Mother's Day.  
 Phil Grady of Woodland Heights spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Grady.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ratliff of Woodland Heights visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Allen, Sunday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Joe Middleton attended the school program at Grosvenor Friday night.  
 Lois Creamier of Glynn Cove spent several days last week with his mother, Mrs. Mary Curry.  
 Bill Adkins of Coleman visited friends here Sunday.  
 Mrs. John McDermmond and son, Horace, of Jordan Springs spent Sunday with Mrs. Letha McDermmond.  
 Miss Elma Middleton who has been teaching in the Grosvenor school, has returned to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Middleton.  
 Mrs. Mack Howell and little daughter, Elinor Louise, of Lohn visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. McAden Sunday.  
 Miss Eulalia Grady of Brownwood spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Grady.  
 Mrs. Jim Keen of Jordan Springs spent Sunday here with her mother, Mrs. J. M. Jernigan.  
 Miss Lottie McMullen spent Saturday night at Brownwood with her sister, Mrs. Rawleigh Egger.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Holmes Martin and son, Donald Dean, of Brownwood spent Sunday with Mrs. Martin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gable.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Homer McCoy of Brady were in this community Sunday afternoon.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Rawleigh Egger and daughter, Patsy, of Brownwood were visiting her mother, Mrs. C. A. Knappe, Sunday.  
 Miss Nina Lee Perry is visiting her sister, Mrs. Odie McCoy, of Cleburne.  
 Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ringo and daughters spent Sunday at Tricham with relatives.  
 Ralph Wilmetth and Hubert Reeves of Ebony attended church here Sunday night.  
 Misses Lydia Boenicke and Lillie Bud Boenicke of Brownwood visited in the C. C. DeHay home one day last week.  
 Mrs. L. T. McBurnett and sons, Adrian and Raymond, of Brownwood were in this community Sunday afternoon.

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 Dave Porter and Elsworth Raney visited at May Sunday afternoon.  
 Mrs. S. J. Bolton left Sunday night for Dallas county where she expects to spend some time with relatives.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Curry Wiley and Mrs. Orr Haddon had business in Brownwood Monday.  
 The Senior B. Y. P. U. members with the Epworth Leaguers as invited guests, were entertained with a social in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Luke Reeves Friday evening. Cake and chocolate were served to about 45.  
 Misses Elsie, Letrica and Beatrice Zoff and Annie Strickland visited Miss Leva Eoff at Elm Grove near Milburn Thursday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reeves and son, Joe Jr., of Dublin, spent Sunday

with Mr. Reeves' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Reeves.  
 Misses Ina Mae and Ruby Lightsey returned home Saturday from Sudan, where they taught the past school term.  
 Miss Stella Moore who has been ill in Central Texas Hospital at Brownwood for the past two weeks following an operation, was able to be moved from the hospital a few days ago.  
 Mrs. Grace Reeves of Coleman visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Reeves, Sunday.  
 Beth, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Nix, was real sick the first of the week.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Tunnell and Mrs. Sarah Magill of Clyde and Mrs. Lyle Magill of Coleman returned to their homes Sunday after a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Will Tunnell.  
 Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Damron and

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Dabney spent several days last week at Zephyr at the bedside of Mr. Damron's sister-in-law who has been dangerously ill for several days.  
 Miss Minnie Gleaton spent last week with her aunt at Blake.  
 George Gleaton and family spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives at Blake.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Levisay, Mrs. Herman May and daughter, Miss Jessie, of Newburg, were visiting here Sunday afternoon.

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**Indian Creek**  
 Quite a number attended the social at the Methodist church Friday night. Games and entertainments for the evening were under the direction of Misses Edna Merle and Vida Lowery.  
 Vernon Holleman of Jordan Springs was a business visitor to this community Wednesday.  
 Will Perkins and Misses Arico and Ruby Dee Perkins of Jordan Springs attended the social at the Methodist church Friday night.  
 Mrs. Jim Lowery of Brownwood spent Friday afternoon in this community visiting Mrs. C. W. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Sailee and sons left Friday for Cherokee where they will spend the summer.  
 Aubrey Vinson of Brownwood attended the social at the Methodist church Friday night.  
 Miss Maggie Grady returned last

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**New! Is Eyelet Lawn 59c**  
Arrived this morning, solid colors in white, rife, pink, maize, has a small, round eyelet pattern that is made to resemble eyelet embroidery. (Fast color, washable.)

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The attractive show windows will include besides the regular display of merchandise these flower series in the annual spring festival being sponsored by the Brownwood Garden Club in celebration of Better Home Week, a nationwide event.

**Various Hues and Shades**  
In ladies' ready-to-wear shops the bright colors will run rife with the many delicate shades, pride of Mother Nature vying with the chemist's eye for brilliance of color where dress goods and beautiful dresses are displayed. Draped dress goods will lend a beautiful background to the many flowers displayed in the windows. Cool, airy garments of spring and summer will be enhanced with the arrangements of cut flowers which will celebrate the local interest in Better Home Week.

In show windows displaying the men's garments the backgrounds of clothing, darker and in far less variety of colors than that of the ladies' windows will lend a more somber background for the gay offerings of the flower displays. These garments, brought into the limelight by the many colors exhibited before them will bask in the brilliance of the leaders in flower gardens in Brownwood.

Not only this but the dignity which will be added to the flowers by being placed in windows with darker garments will be lessened to some extent by men's shirts and underwear, where exhibited as it will be here bring more contrasts into the color scheme as blues, whites, various shades of brown and other colors vie with the flowers for prominence in the displays.

**Flowers And Furniture**  
In furniture stores housewives will have a chance to view the blendings of colors of flowers with various finishes for furniture, bright themselves. The summer furniture displays will bring much to the flower displays and the real air of a summer garden may easily be obtained with the combination of flowers with garden furniture. Going down the streets, glancing in windows showing beautiful garden and porch furniture and an array of flowers will make any young man's fancy lightly turn to thoughts—etc.

In hardware windows the garden and flower enthusiast can see the many implements which make the flower growing an even greater pleasure and in all probability will see things there that will be purchased immediately to lighten work in the flower gardens and bring better results.

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And she will want to sing, too, for the most inspiring colors of nature were at her command when she planned the color scheme of her work-shop. Kitchen equipment and furniture now come in so many tints that it is a poor imagination, indeed which cannot work out a real color symphony to stimulate work and make the kitchen seem a jolly place to be.

**How to Avert Damage**  
But, things will get spilled now and then and sometimes a careless maid will set a hot dish on a checkered table top, and the stools are sometimes bumped against the table legs. If all these accidents are going to spoil the finish and introduce a jarring note into the kitchen harmony, then the accident becomes a catastrophe.

The housewife is safe, however, if she has chosen her kitchen furniture wisely. For it is possible to obtain kitchen furniture which has been finished in such a way that all the minor and most of the major calamities have no effect on it, and leave it smooth and colorful as it was when it was new. Of course, there is no finish that will protect furniture against Junior's experimental onslaughts with his new knife, but most mothers know that Junior would be just as happy hitting a nice board as he would the corner of the kitchen cabinet, so that is a contingency it is not often necessary to meet.

It is surely a satisfaction to know that the lovely color scheme you have so carefully planned will be just as beautiful a year from today. Kitchen equipment, properly finished, will withstand heat, cold, scrubbing and the occasional hard knocks that are all in a day's cooking, and the rainbow colors will remain undimmed through countless scrubbing.

**West Refuses to Rule on Petition in Injunction Suit**  
SAN ANTONIO, Texas, May 14—(AP)—Disposition of an injunction suit testing the right of the state railroad commission to prorate oil production today had been left to the United States circuit court of appeals at New Orleans.  
Judge Duval West of federal district court yesterday refused to rule on the petition of Alfred McMillan of the McMillan Petroleum Company that the commission and A. B. Capers be restrained from limiting the company's production. McMillan claimed that proration interfered with property rights as guaranteed in the United States constitution and would amount to confiscation in this instance, since his company must meet land development and oil sales contracts.

### HOME WEEK IS FEATURED BY AUSTIN-MORRIS

"In our 'Economy Cottage' on the mezzanine floor of our store, we will have a special display in connection with the National Better Homes Week that is now being celebrated in Brownwood," Sam Morris, manager of the furniture department of Austin-Morris Company, and secretary-treasurer of the firm, said this morning.  
"We will probably have wicker furnishings in the cottage wherever possible," he continued, "in order that it may fit the season better. I have been told that some members of the Garden Club are to arrange flowers around the rooms, and the wicker work will harmonize with it."  
"The Economy Cottage is a radical departure from the ordinary way of selling furniture," Mr. Morris said. "When people come into the building, wishing to purchase a piece of furniture, we ask them to come back later in the day. When they return, we have the article in the cottage and have the rest of the ensemble in place so that the prospective buyers are able to see how it will look when it is placed in their home."

**Three-Room Cottage**  
"In the cottage, there are three rooms, a living room, a dining room, and a bedroom. With this combination, it is possible to demonstrate an entire set of furniture, and when some people come in, we are able to sell them all that is necessary without leaving anything to chance. They are able to see what each room will look like before they have paid a cent or are under any obligations," he concluded.  
Everything home furnish may be purchased at Austin-Morris Furniture Company, and Mr. Morris said that, if necessary, they could take care of that also.

One of the things that contributes to the success of the company is the fact the salesmen have been in special classes once each week for the past two years, it was said this morning. The text that is being used now is "The Road to Higher Earnings" published by the National Home Furnishing Program. The purpose of the special training course, Mr. Morris said, was to promote a higher type of salesmanship.

One of the features that is seldom found in the average furniture store is a complete bedding department. In this section, mattresses and springs of the best makes are kept on a bed so that the customer may get the full benefit of their inspection of the material.  
In two departments, the Austin-Morris Furniture Company, are leaders in this section of the country. The floor covering section, especially the linoleum department, they claim to be the finest in a radius of 100 miles. There are 64 different patterns in stock now, and at all times there are from 60 to 100 patterns a prospective buyer may choose from. All grades are included in this stock, from the ordinary covering to the finest inlaid line.

**Window Shade Department**  
The other line in which the company excels is in window shades. At times they have a stock of over 100 different shades of all descriptions on hand. Mr. Morris said that he was under the impression that in the territory between San Antonio and Amarillo, there was no store that could compare with the local one for variety and completeness of merchandise.

Men who are employed by the company to install shades and floor coverings, at no additional cost to the purchaser, have had 20 years experience in the work, it was said.  
Not only does this company handle home furniture, but they are at the forefront in office supplies, doing a wholesale business in chairs in particular.  
"Furniture prices at the present time are lower than ever before in history," Mr. Morris announced. "It is due only partially to overproduction, but mainly to the fact that overhead has been cut so much and the volume of sales has been raised. Things like overstuffed suites are now bought by the average workman because it is as cheap as the ordinary divan and leather covered chairs of several years ago."  
Austin-Morris Company is one of the pioneers in this section in adopting new aids to home hold comfort and beauty. Several traveling men have told Mr. Morris that the local company had one of the best stocks of home furnishings in any town of this size in the United States.

**Five Indicted For Kidnaping Of Cert Youth At Corsicana**  
CORSIKANA, Texas, May 14—(AP)—Doyle and Jimmie Nash, Charles Hassell, Currie Caldwell and a man yet to be arrested were under indictments today for kidnaping and conspiracy, returned yesterday in connection with the abduction of Robert Cert, 28, son of I. N. Cert, Corsicana banker, Young Cert was kidnaped last December and released on payment of \$15,000 ransom.  
The Navarro county grand jury prepared to resume sessions today but it was not known if further indictments were likely in the kidnaping case. Caldwell was in jail at Waxahatchie, Hassell at Groesbeck, Doyle Nash at Hillsboro, and Jimmie Nash here. Caldwell, in a statement witnessed by Police Chief Will S. Knight and County Attorney Cleo Miller, admitted taking part in the kidnaping.

### Final tributes Paid Memory of Mrs. Helen Brian

Funeral services for Mrs. Helen Brian, 70, who passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fred S. Abney May 1, were held at the First Methodist church at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Rev. Joseph S. Cook, pastor, officiated. Interment was made in Greenleaf Cemetery immediately following the services. Austin-Morris Company had charge of the arrangements. Services were delayed until yesterday so that a daughter, Mrs. John H. Harrison, Abney, who were on a tour of Europe, could return from Budapest, Hungary, where they were reached at the time of Mrs. Brian's death.  
A large crowd of friends attended the services. The floral offerings were unusually beautiful.

Mrs. Helen Brian was born in Winfield, La., September 24, 1860, the daughter of Judge Daniel and Mrs. Anne Little Kelly. She was reared in Winfield and as a young woman was married to Morgan Brian, prominent attorney of that place. The couple moved to Alexandria, La., where Mr. Brian died in 1888, leaving Mrs. Brian a widow with five step children and two daughters of her own.  
In the spring of 1889 the family moved to Waco where the two daughters were reared. Since 1907 Mrs. Brian has made her home with her two daughters who survive her, Mrs. Fred S. Abney of Brownwood and Mrs. John H. Harrison of Chicago.

Besides the daughters Mrs. Brian is survived by three brothers, John F. Kelly of San Antonio, D. A. Kelly of Dallas and R. H. Kelly of Fort Worth, three step children, Mrs. Kenneth H. Ayresworth of Waco, Mrs. Harry P. Gamble and Alexis Brian of New Orleans and two granddaughters, Miss Helen and Genevieve Abney of Brownwood.

### Woman Is Acquitted On Murder Charges In Lindstrom Case

LOS ANGELES, May 14—(AP)—A jury of seven women and five men last night acquitted Mrs. Anna Erickson of the poisoning last February of her neighbor, August Lindstrom, 81, retired lumberman.  
The slight, 42-year-old defendant faintly when the words "not guilty" were read. Five minutes passed before she could be revived to hear the brief formalities that discharged her from the court. Her husband and two children attended her.  
Instructions of Judge Reuben Schmidt held that the evidence required that she be either acquitted or convicted of first degree murder.  
Mrs. Erickson was accused with Mrs. Esther Carlson, Lindstrom's house keeper, who died of natural causes last week in a prison hospital ward without being brought to trial. The state contended the two killed Lindstrom by administering \$2,000 he had deposited in a bank to be claimed by Mrs. Carlson after his death. Mrs. Erickson admitted receiving \$300 of the money but asserted it was in payment for assistance in caring for Lindstrom.

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS To Be Sheriff or any Constable of This County in the County of Brown County, Texas

You are hereby commanded to summon N. O. Roberts by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Brown County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Brownwood, on the second Monday in June, A. D. 1931, the same being the 8th day of June, A. D. 1931, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 7th day of May, A. D. 1931, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 6032, wherein R. F. Andrews and Ellen Andrews are plaintiffs, and N. O. Roberts, Clyde A. Spain and B. H. Baxter are defendants, and a brief statement of plaintiff's cause of action, being as follows:  
Suit for title and possession of that certain tract of one acre of land, more or less, lying and being situated in Brown County, Texas, a part of the M. W. Shannon Survey No. 26, Abstract No. 836, and being the same land and premises conveyed by Clyde A. Spain to N. O. Roberts by deed dated the 17th day of June, A. D. 1930, and recorded in Vol. 261, page 129 of the Public Records of Brown County, Texas, and in the alternative for foreclosure of a certain Vendor's Lien Note executed and delivered by the defendant, Clyde A. Spain, to the plaintiffs in the principal sum of \$655.00 of even date with deed from said plaintiff to said defendant, Clyde A. Spain, dated February 18th, 1930; said note being payable in installments of \$20.00 each per month, the first installment due on the 1st day of July, 1930, bearing interest at the rate of 8% per annum, payable monthly and containing the usual accelerated maturity clause and 10% attorney fee clause, upon which said note the total sum of \$140.00 and interest to January 1st, 1931, been paid, and the balance of \$515.00, together with interest thereon from the 1st day of January, A. D. 1931, at the rate of 8% per annum and 10% additional as attorney fees.  
Herein fail not but have before said court, at its next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Brownwood, Texas, on this 7th day of May, A. D. 1931. ALLEN D. FORSYTHE, Clerk, District Court, Brown County, Texas. May 7-14-21-28

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### Spring Flower Show Will Be Brilliant Feature of The Better Homes Week

That growing flowers and shrubs is considered one of the chief means of improving home surroundings, making it a more beautiful and livable place, is given by members of the Brownwood Garden Club as the reason for holding their Spring Flower Show in connection with the two-day program Friday and Saturday, given to observe National Better Homes Week.  
Instead of holding the flower show in one building, displaying all entries at one place as done by the club during the fall flower show, the exhibits are to be distributed in the girls, children, visiting flower growers, the Nature Study Club of Junior High School, and professional florists and nurserymen.  
**Prizes Offered**  
Several merchants of the city have offered attractive prizes which will be awarded to winners in the children's section and in the 4-H club girls' exhibits. Although there will be no other prizes given, all persons viewing the show will have an opportunity to vote on the best display and a friendly rivalry in the other sections of the show will be encouraged. Mrs. C. M. Carpenter is chairman of the voting boxes.  
Mrs. Fowler points out that flowers may be entered in baskets, vases and pots, and that contestants will be expected to have their entries at the assembling place as early as possible Friday morning when members of the Garden Club will receive them and the necessary labeling and numbering and see that they are properly placed in the display.

NEW ORLEANS, May 14—(AP)—Cottonseed oil closed steady. Prime summer yellow 7.65-7.15; prime crude be 7.02-7.00. June 7.15; Oct. 7.12; Nov. 7.15.

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# Schools Rounding Out Year's Work

## Principals, School Officials Pleased With 1930-1 Terms

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## D. B. C. Graduation Dates May 24 and 25

For the week preceding the graduating exercises of Daniel Baker College, many entertainments are planned. The baccalaureate sermon will be given Sunday, May 24, at 11 o'clock, with Rev. Guy Davis, D. D., preaching, in the First Presbyterian church. Dr. Davis is from San Angelo.

The graduating exercises of the Senior class will be held in Coggin Memorial Chapel at 10 o'clock Monday morning, May 25, with Mrs. J. W. Trapp making the commencement address.

The fourteen candidates for the Bachelor of Arts degree are: Dorothy Deane Branom, Charles Henry Bell, Eugenia Octavia Crabtree, Kenneth W. Harlow, J. Mac Miller, Alexander McBroome, Lelia Louise McCulley, William L. Nardin, Evelyn Robinson, Myron Boyd Taylor, Angus Sonoma Williams, Rhoda Gaster Willeford, William Erwin Wilson, Jr., and Wilma Lucile Way. Lois E. Snoddy is a graduate in piano and Rose Elizabeth Bowden is a graduate in voice.

The program for the graduating exercises is as follows: Graduating recital Friday, May 15, 8 o'clock at Coggin Chapel. Miss Rose Bowden in voice, presented by Miss Virginia Hardy, director. Miss Lois Snoddy, in piano, presented by Miss Mae Branom, director.

Annual concert of the Fine Arts Department, May 22, 8 o'clock. Recital, Expression Department, Miss Virginia Skinner, May 23, 8 o'clock.

Baccalaureate sermon, Sunday, May 24, First Presbyterian church. Graduating exercises, Monday, May 25, Coggin Memorial Chapel, 10 o'clock. Mrs. J. W. Trapp, address.

## CELEBRATION IS PROPOSED FOR HIGHWAY WORK

Financial matters consumed most of the time of the Chamber of Commerce directors in regular luncheon Wednesday at Hotel Brownwood. Plans for increasing the approximately \$9,000 already subscribed were discussed and B. A. Fain, chairman of the membership drive, met with the directors. Several plans were discussed but it was decided that Mr. Fain should consult with officials of The Bulletin before any announcement was made concerning efforts to secure additional funds for operating the Chamber of Commerce.

Industrial matters, including a proposed glass factory, were discussed but no definite action was taken.

E. B. Henley, Jr., introduced a motion that the Chamber of Commerce oppose a proposed bill before the legislature giving complete power over oil production in Texas into the hands of the Railroad Commission. It was pointed out that such absolute power might end disastrously for the small oil operators in the future. The motion carried and the Senator and representatives as well as the committee considering the bill will be asked to favor the legislation.

Hilton Burks said that it had been suggested to him that upon the completion of the concrete highway and its opening for traffic a "Comanche Day" be celebrated here with a program and some kind of entertainment with Comanche citizens as guests of Brownwood in the intercity celebration. This matter was discussed but referred to the entertainment committee.

Officials of the federal fish hatchery at San Marcos were to be entertained this afternoon by the industrial committee of the Chamber

## Fire Does Damage Of About \$3,500 W. O. Kemp Home

Fire, believed to have originated from a short in the wiring did approximately \$3,500 damage to the home and contents of W. O. Kemp at 2703 First Street Tuesday night at about 9:35. The family was away at the time of the fire and it was discovered by neighbors after it had gained considerable headway.

Fire Marshal Ivan Ellis said today that it seemed that the fire originated in the ceiling of the home.

Mr. Kemp was away fishing and Mrs. Kemp was visiting relatives in another part of town. Mr. Kemp is a book keeper at the First National Bank.

The loss was covered by insurance.



## Brownwood Boy To Graduate From U. of California

An invitation has been received by C. N. Davis, city water engineer, to the graduation of his son, Jeff Davis, from the University of California at Berkeley on May 13.

Jeff Davis was a member of the 1928 graduating class of Brownwood high school and is also a former student of Howard Payne College. He also attended A. & M. College before entering the University of California.

BUYS INTEREST IN CAFE

A. L. Jacks has bought an interest with W. A. Key in the cafe on Fisk Avenue next door to the White Grocery Store and is now actively connected with the business. A number of improvements are being made in the cafe, including the enlarging of the dining space, lengthening of the lunch counters and putting in new seats.

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## ONE DEAD AND MANY BURNED SERIOUSLY IN JAPAN FIRE

TOKYO, May 14.—(AP)—One person was burned to death, twenty were injured seriously and 30 slightly injured in a vast fire at Shirane, Machi, about 150 miles north of Tokyo last night. The fire, which did damage estimated at 1,500,000 yen (\$750,000), was believed due to incendiaryism. It destroyed more than 500 buildings including the town bank, the town hall, postoffice, theater and temple before it was brought under control.

## WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS, MAY 14

Acquisition of third baseman Walter Euler from the Milwaukee club of the American Association was announced today by Secretary Guy Airey of the Texas League club here. Euler, who played third base for the Spudders last season, has been obtained an option of recall and is to report to the club here Sunday.

## GREETINGS

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The second reason was because he was afraid, he continued. He did not love his job and therefore he was not interested enough to be unafraid. Love is the motivating influence in any field, without it, there is only fear. The reason Africa is known as the dark continent today is because the natives are afraid to venture into the forest after night, because they think that some evil god will devour them.

"The third reason was because he was a quitter. He found that it was hard to do anything with his talent, so instead of getting to work, he quit because it was hard."

In the course of his talk, Dr. Godbey mentioned some of the trials of Demosthenes, Jenny Lind, Columbus, Livingstone and Pasteur, and implied that if they had not been handicapped, they would not have amounted to anything like as great people as they do.

In conclusion, Dr. Godbey said that talent is finding the thing that a person likes to do and which will do the most for his fellow man, and then working at it.

**Society Membership**

The members of the Lincoln Scholarship Society are: Virginia Champion, Fay Galaway, Floy Nicholson, Esther Prince, Florence Harris, Vernon Davison, Leslie Evans, Harvey Sutton, Minerva Hereford, Louisa Stark, Brooke Smith, Sheridan Newman, Maurice Bird, Kenneth Wise and D. D. Tidwell. The faculty representatives are: T. R. Havins, Adviser, Miss Annie Shelton and Miss Cleo McChristy.

The program for the banquet this evening with Dr. Thomas H. Taylor as toastmaster, is as follows: Vocal Solo, Kenneth Wise; Reading, Lucile Jones; Report, Floy Nicholson; Report of Convention of Scholarship Societies of the South, which met with Baylor College; Address, Dr. J. C. Godbey; "Carry On" (A Challenge) Fay Galaway; "Carrying On" (Accepting Challenge) Virginia Champion; "Laying The Foundation," Charlie Smith; Piano Solo, Virginia Champion.

## County Board of Equalization Will Meet on May 23

Arrangements for the meeting of the County Board of Equalization on May 23rd were completed at the regular session of commissioners court this week. The board is composed of the commissioners and the county judge.

The quarterly report of Allen D. Forsythe, district clerk, for the quarter ending March 31st, was read and accepted by the court.

Bob Parker was allowed a total of \$19.32 for crop damage where the right-of-way for Highway No. 7 crosses a part of his land.

A charity matter was discussed and an award of \$10 per month has been made.

German and Romines were allowed an additional \$150 damages for property on the right-of-way for Highway No. 7. This grant was made in addition to a previous grant of \$350.

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# Forty-One Candidates for Bachelor of Arts Degrees Howard Payne

With Dr. W. H. McKinzie, pastor of the First Baptist church of Waxahachie and president of the executive board of the Baptist General Convention of Texas, as principal speaker, the 41st spring graduation of Howard Payne will be held Wednesday, May 20. There are 41 candidates for the Bachelor of Arts degree. Dr. McKinzie will deliver both the commencement sermon and the baccalaureate address to the graduates.

## H. P. C. SPEAKER



DR. W. H. MCKENZIE  
Dr. W. H. McKinzie, pastor of the First Baptist church of Waxahachie and president of the executive board of the Baptist General Convention of Texas will deliver both the commencement sermon and the baccalaureate address for Howard Payne graduates.

Graduation exercises for the Howard Payne Academy will be held on Tuesday, May 19, at 10 o'clock. The Fine Arts recital will be presented on Tuesday, May 19 at 8:15 o'clock. The complete commencement program is as follows:  
Tuesday, May 19—Academy graduation exercises at 10 o'clock. Fine Arts recital at 8:15.  
Wednesday, May 20—Commencement sermon at 10 o'clock, delivered by Dr. W. H. McKinzie. Semi-annual meeting of Trustee Board at 3:00 o'clock. Baccalaureate address at 8:00 o'clock, delivered by Dr. W. H. McKinzie. Alumni Banquet immediately following presentation of diplomas.  
Thursday and Friday, May 21 and 22 examinations for all under-graduates with school closing Friday afternoon.

**The Graduates**  
The 41 candidates for degrees are: Charles Anderson, Brownwood; Maurine Bird, Blanket; Jack Bettis, Haskell; Louise Bettis, May; Elizabeth Bryson, Millersville; Maurine Buck, Brownwood; Clyde Boyd, Custine; Murray Canady, Brownwood; Thelma Cartwright, Brownwood; Olene Casbeer, Lampasas; Mary Cross, Brownwood; Violet Cross, Brownwood; Flora Fuller, Brownwood; Fay Galaway, Brownwood; Winnie George, Blanket; Lavern Gilger, Electra; Paul W. Gibbs, Bristow, Oklahoma; J. V. Glover, Brownwood; Ray Glascock, Sonora; Joel Grimland, Cranfills Gap, Texas; Mrs. Myrtle Henry, Mullen; Mary Bess Hooper, May; Sidney Hughes, Brownwood; Minerva Herford, Bangs; Spurgeon Hornburg, Brownwood; Eloise Lawrence, Thorndale; Clarence McCarver, Ballinger; W. H. Moore, Brownwood; Floy Nicholson, Loving, New Mexico; Louisa Stark, Brownwood; Nita Swindle, Brownwood; Lillian White, Sonora; Kenneth Wise, Brownwood; Christine McNeil, Brownwood; Norine Allen, Bloomberg; Fred Leach, Bangs; Paul McCasland, Quinlan; Mrs. Paul McCasland, Quinlan; Sheridan Newman, Brady; Carl Shannon, Brownwood.

## Demonstration Fire Run Will Be Made Friday Evening

Announcement has been made of the first annual "Fire Run" to be staged here Friday night at 8:15 o'clock by all of Brownwood's fire departments. The run is a demonstration of fire fighting equipment and will start at Walker-Smith Co. headquarters on Center Avenue. It will make the run down Center and on to the court house square, circling the square and proceeding to the city hall where the parade will end. All trucks will be lighted by red flares during the entire parade. Following the equipment display, ambulances from the two funeral homes will be included and then members of the Volunteer Fire Department. This event is staged in many cities each year both as a demonstration and as a social event for firemen. It originated in Denver, Colorado, and from there has spread over the entire country. Where this has been established for several years large crowds turn out to see the lighted parade. During the time of the demonstration all traffic will be cleared from the streets to be traversed so that the trucks running at a high rate of speed will not endanger lives of citizens. The lighted parade will rush down Center Avenue with sirens blowing and bells clanging and will give all appearances of trucks enroute to fight a fire. This will come as a climax to the annual field day established last year and which will feature many kinds of races between local firemen and then end with a tug of war by the smoke eaters, which will come at 5:30 o'clock and which will be followed by the evening program. The field day and run are being inaugurated here to stimulate interest in the fire department and also to exhibit to citizens the fire fighting equipment of which Brownwood boasts.

# One Hundred and Ten Will Receive B. H. S. Diplomas

Commencement plans of the senior class of Brownwood high school are almost completed with only a few details of the baccalaureate and commencement programs to be worked out. Baccalaureate services are to be held at the First Methodist church Sunday, May 17, with Rev. J. S. Cook, preaching the sermon and commencement exercises will be held at the Howard Payne auditorium May 22 with Rev. W. R. Hornburg delivering the address. There are one hundred and ten members of the class. The members are already sending out invitations to the exercises and the caps and gowns and diplomas have been received.

bottom, Mary Jo Salice, Bertie Lee Sanders, Elwood Scharrenbeck, C. L. Scott, Jr., Neida Seward, Jim Tom Sims, Phiney Sims, Doyle Singleton, Virginia Skinner, Carl Stanley, Davis St. Clair, Gretta Taylor, Norris Taylor, Jesse Thomas, J. A. Tibbets, Jr., Mary Bell Timmins, LeRoy Vaughn, Roy Vaughn, Reba Vinson, Lacy D. Way, Aulhala Williams, Mima Williams, Lillard Wilmett, Harold Wood and Vanita Yates.

## Motorcycle and Auto in Collision

Red Garner, delivery boy for the Peerless Drug Company, suffered a fracture of his left wrist Sunday afternoon when his motorcycle collided with a heavy sedan near the south entrance of the Austin Avenue subway. He also received minor bruises over the body. Garner was riding toward town and the automobile was coming out of the subway from town. Garner said after the car came out of the subway he saw he was either going to collide with the car or run into the cement wall at the side of the subway so he hit the car. For several minutes after the accident Garner did not know his arm was broken and rode his motorcycle to town before realizing how badly he was injured.

## Many Drive Over New Paved Street

Concrete work on curbs and gutters for two blocks of paving on East Depot street was started this week. Excavation work and setting of the grade on the street was completed last week and immediately upon the completion of the curb and gutter work the laying of the base for the paving will be started. The paving is being done by the Jague Construction Company, on the two blocks between Center Avenue and Fisk street. Paving on Vincent street was also completed last week and the street accepted by the city council in called meeting this morning. Since the completion of the work on Vincent street many Brownwood citizens have driven over the street inspecting the first permanent paving to be laid in Brownwood. Sunday afternoon and night many hundreds of automobile drove over the new paving. This work was done by the Jague Construction Co. An inspection was made of the street Saturday by members of the city council. An inspector, Mr. Hughes, from Dallas, came here last week and in company with the council made the tour over the street Saturday. He made an inspection of the asphalt and topping work and pronounced it in first class condition, according to City Manager H. V. Hennen, who accompanied the council on the tour of inspection. CAIRO, Egypt, May 14—(AP)—Ten men were reported killed and 86 injured today when striking railway shop workers fought with police in the streets. Two of the injured were British engineers. Unofficial estimates placed the number of dead at more than a score but there was no opportunity to check these figures for the riots spread from the railway shops to other sections of the city and the government was considering calling out the troops.

# J. C. PLUMMER ENDS OWN LIFE EARLY TODAY

Because of ill health for the past four years and other difficulties, according to members of the family, James C. Plummer, 50, took his own life by putting a shot from a 410 gauge shotgun through his brain at 5 o'clock this morning at his home near Elkins. His wife and five children were still in bed. Mr. Plummer, the son of C. W. Plummer of May, was born and reared in this county, having lived near May almost all his life until about ten days ago when he moved to a place 17 miles south of Brownwood near Elkins. The father said this morning his son had been in ill health for several years and together with other worries this was given as the reason for the suicide. Plummer arose about 5 o'clock this morning and went into the kitchen to build a fire. Members of the family say that it was at that time he killed himself, although they did not hear the shot. The charge from the gun went in a little above and in front of the right temple and lodged in the head. When other members arose and went in the kitchen several minutes later they found him lying on the floor with the gun nearby.

**Funeral at May**  
Funeral services are to be held at the G. W. Plummer residence at May Sunday morning at 10 o'clock with Rev. Sam Steele of May officiating. Interment will follow in May cemetery. Mr. Plummer is survived by his wife, five children, Earl, 14, Elizabeth, 12, J. C., 10, Doyle, 8 and Catherine, 6; his father, G. W. Plummer; a brother, W. R. Plummer of Comanche county; a half brother and half sister, George Plummer of May and Mrs. May Cook of New Mexico. He was a member of the Masonic lodge and of the Odd Fellows. Judge E. T. Perkinson, coroner, said today there would be no inquest held until a later date.

**Denton Ranchman Dead**  
DENTON, Texas, May 9—(AP)—Frank Davis, ranchman in Denton county for many years and vice

president of a Denton bank, was found shot to death at noon today at his home here. A pistol lay near him.

## Setting Forms For Concrete Base of Large Conduits

Contractors at the dam site are now setting forms for the concrete base of the large conduits through the dam and will begin pouring concrete for the base during the next week. The excavation work has consumed a large amount of time, but now the work will progress very rapidly. Crews will be started driving sheet piling for the dam during the next week and other work will also be started soon. The concrete in the core trench of the dam has already been laid and other concrete work is under way.

## HARRISON, BURKS TO REPRESENT BROWNWOOD AT WTCC CONVENTION

Hilton Burks, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, and Chester Harrison, Brownwood director for the West Texas Chamber of Commerce left Wednesday afternoon for Lubbock to attend the annual West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention, which opens tomorrow. Miss Leota Leach, who has entered the "My Hometown" contest, was undecided this morning as to whether she would go today or wait until Friday. Mr. Burks will take the Brownwood exhibit to the convention. Mr. Harrison will represent Brownwood in all voting matters to be brought before the convention. He was recently re-elected to the directorship from Brownwood. Mr. Burks and Mr. Harrison post-

poned their departure until after the convention. Mrs. Helen Burks will spend the night in Lubbock.

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We Say to TEXAS PEOPLE, when you BUY TEXAS MADE GOODS, you Help Texas—when you buy Goods made in other States, you are helping outside industries—Here's a Big Texas family.

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TEXAS PIONEER WHOLESALE GROCERS

## Two Fort Worth Doctors Address County Society

Dr. Will Horn and Dr. George Enloe, both of the Harris Clinic at Fort Worth, made the main talks at a meeting of the Brown County Medical Society at the Southern Hotel Tuesday evening. The meeting was attended by between 15 and 20 doctors. Dinner was served to those present before the program. Following the program a brief business session was held. Dr. Horn gave a paper on "High Blood Pressure," and Dr. Enloe gave a paper on "Obstruction of the Stomach." Dr. Enloe is a former Brown county man.

## Three Clubs Are Represented at Dulin Meeting

Dulin, Brooksmith and Winchell home demonstration clubs held a joint meeting at the Dulin club's house Wednesday. Each member attending the meeting carried one dish of food and a sumptuous meal was spread at noon. The three wardrobe demonstrators of the club, Mesdames Dykes, Taber and Smith demonstrated the making of foundation patterns and eleven patterns were completed during the day. Others present besides the demonstrators were: Mesdames Lancaster, Jones, Page, Medley, Parker, Brown, Esomick, Lyons, George, Wise, Churchill and Martin and Misses Patsie and Wilson.

## Elkins School Is Consolidated With Indian Creek

Elkins school was consolidated with Indian Creek school district at a meeting of the county trustees Saturday afternoon. Trustees were appointed for some county schools to complete all definite action. A new board of trustees was appointed for the Blanket school, which recently became an independent district. They are L. F. Bird, T. E. Levisay, L. L. Lanford, T. O. Fry, J. P. Bush and J. A. Brewster. Three trustees were appointed for the May school. They are M. W. Robinson, W. H. Smith and R. T. Willett. K. H. Boyd was appointed a trustee for the Woodland Heights school.

## We Are Proud

of the boys and girls who graduate this year from Brown County High Schools, and extend to you a special invitation to

ATTEND ONE OF THE COLLEGES IN BROWNWOOD NEXT FALL

Congratulations to the COLLEGE GRADUATES May your life's work be successful. We handle a very fine and Complete Line of Art Materials for Artists...

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### OPS MENACED BY THE ATION OF THOUSANDS OF WORMS, STATES GRIFFIN

Threaten to eat the crops in the county, county agent O. P. Griffin says today. He says the worms are now in the county and are eating the crops. Griffin says the worms are now in the county and are eating the crops. Griffin says the worms are now in the county and are eating the crops.

### C. L. WILLIAMS FATALLY HURT SATURDAY NIGHT

Funeral services for Clarence Lovell Williams, 25, who died at 5:15 o'clock Sunday morning from injuries received when the light coach automobile in which he and Earl Loudermilk were riding collided with a heavy coupe driven by W. D. Dyer of Mercury on Center Avenue at 9:45 o'clock Saturday night, were held at Cherokee, San Saba county, at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon.

### Frank Sweet, Jr. Is Injured When Car Hits Bicycle

Frank Sweet, Jr., 12 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Sweet, 1209 Avenue G, suffered two broken ribs on the left side and an injury to his left foot when an automobile struck his bicycle at Seventh Street and Coggin Avenue at 9 o'clock Saturday night.

### VINCENT PAVING IS ACCEPTED BY CITY TUESDAY

Final acceptance of all paving work on Vincent Street was made at a call meeting of the city council Tuesday at 10:00 o'clock. All specifications for the work were brought before the council, the contract read, the maintenance bond read and other details discussed before final acceptance was made.

### Frank E. Wilson, Comanche County Pioneer, Is Dead

Frank E. Wilson, about 72, father of Mrs. Lucile Holman of this city, died Saturday at Jacksonville, Texas, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Arch Adams, and funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at Comanche. Mr. Wilson was one of the pioneers of Comanche county and was prominent in that section for a number of years. He had not made his home in Comanche for the past several years, but visited in the county a number of times.

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"Second Wind"  
The public health service says that by a runner's "second wind" is meant an adjustment of the heart rate to the intake and output of air in the lungs.

### SIX MONTHS IN JAIL AND FINE OF \$100 IS GURLEY DAVIS VERDICT

Curley Davis was given a sentence of six months in jail and a fine of \$100 in county court Thursday on a charge of seriously threatening life and false imprisonment. Davis was tried following the filing of a complaint by Charlie Teague, who told officers that Davis and three others held him prisoner and threatened his life if he testified against Davis in a liquor trial. Davis is under a sentence of two and one-half years, assessed against him at the last session of district court on a liquor charge.

### Mrs. D. W. Ross Here for Summer

Mrs. D. W. Ross has come to Brownwood from her home in Berkeley, California, and will spend the summer here with her husband, D. W. Ross, engineer for the Brownwood water project now under construction. Mrs. Ross was accompanied here by a son, David Ross. She was met at Lubbock by Mr. Ross, where she visited a short time with another son, D. W. Ross, Jr., a student in the Tech at Lubbock.

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### OUR SHELVES ARE FILLED WITH BARGAINS For Saturday and Monday

25 Pounds	\$1.25	FLOUR 48 Lbs. Cake	\$1.09
3 Pounds Peaberry	43c	SYRUP Gallon Dreamland	55c
Pintos 25 lbs.	\$1.00	SOAP 10 Bars P. & G. Crystal White	32c
10 lbs.	17c	LARD All Kinds 8 Lbs.	91c

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- 6-MISTAKE PROOF—the printed ball insures correct use...

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Preliminary pecan work was started here with some grafting work being done in the cooperative pecan orchard on the Lucas pecan farm. This grafting includes the budding of foreign buds into native growths on the tract and is being done by government experts, Dr. H. P. Traub, in charge of the experiment work, has been here this week aiding in the starting of the work.

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### After Effects of Influenza Caused Stomach Disorders

One Bottle of Argotane Effects  
Change in Dallas Man's Health.

As an illustration of the beneficial effects of Argotane on the system that is in a run-down condition following the effects of some illness, the statement given recently by Mrs. W. W. Blair, of 3410 Forest Ave., Dallas, Texas, regarding the case of her husband is a good example.

"My husband was just in a run-down condition," explained Mrs. Blair. "The condition was a result of an attack of influenza he had some time ago. The after effects of his illness had left his stomach and kidneys in bad order. Whenever he ate anything, his stomach would hurt him and his kidneys never would act properly. Sometimes, he would have such pains that he could not eat, or sleep at night."

"One day, he was reading an Argotane Record, and he was so impressed with the accounts of the wonderful relief this medicine had brought to so many Dallas people, many of them suffering from illness identical to his, that he determined to get a bottle of Argotane, and start the treatment, in the hope that he, too, might share in its benefits."

"And Argotane has helped him so much! His condition has improved greatly and he can eat more and already has gained in weight. Since all this relief has come from only one bottle of Argotane, I believe he will be entirely relieved of his troubles when he has taken more Argotane."

"Because of the wonderful results one bottle of Argotane has given my husband, I am glad to recommend it. We both think it is the best ever and we will always keep some in our home."

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## URGE WORKERS TO FIGHT ALL WAGE SLASHES

WASHINGTON, May 14.—(AP)—Seeking to forestall what it said would mean "continuous, permanent unemployment," the American Federation of Labor's executive council is asking workers to resist wage reductions "to the fullest extent."

In a study of joblessness, the council announced, it found "an attempt which apparently certain banking interests and certain employers are making to bring about a general reduction in wages."

"As usual," said the organization's formal statement yesterday, "labor must be depended upon to save the situation and prevent the further imposition of injustice. For this reason, the executive council calls upon labor, organized and unorganized, to resist wage reductions."

The executive council proposes to appeal to the workers to stand firmly in opposition to wage reductions. The council will urge working men and women, both organized and unorganized, to resist to the fullest extent any and all attempts to reduce wages and lower American living standards. The council is inspired by a firm conviction that it is only a step from reductions in wages to continuous, permanent unemployment.

A wage cutting policy, the council held, "constitutes a public violation of the understanding reached" in a conference of industrial and labor leaders with President Hoover. After such a conference in 1929 it was announced that the industrialists had pledged themselves not to initiate any movement for wage reduction. It was said recently at the White House that the President was pleased that pay levels had been maintained during the depression.

The labor council asserted an apparent move toward lower wages "is indefensible both from an ethical and economic viewpoint."

### Vocational Class Will Demonstrate Work of Planting

Play on Saturday the vocational culture class of Brownwood High School will conduct a planting demonstration on their ten acre tract near Brownwood. The class will give demonstrations in planting Pecked peas and will demonstrate the proper way of all phases of the procedure.

The class has been cultivating this tract, which was given them by the city for this purpose and the demonstration will be made with the aid of the Byron Anderson Implement Co., Massey-Harris dealers here.

### Brown County Is Well Represented At Jersey Show

Brown county is well represented in the livestock judging events at the Heart of Texas Jersey Show at Dublin today. County Agent O. P. Griffin and several members of 4-H clubs of the county left this morning for the show and one boy from each club will take part in the judging events.

Rex Langford of Blanket, Francis Hobbs of Indian Creek, Barthell Thomas of Early, George Alcorn of Woodland Heights and Charlie Harris of Clear Creek are representatives from their respective clubs. A number of other 4-H club members are also attending the show.

### Hospital Notes

Miss Katherine Evans, Brownwood, is receiving medical treatment in a local hospital.

Mary Evelyn Pearson, 701 Malone Street, eight year old school girl who suffered a crushed chest and both legs broken when struck by an automobile several weeks ago, has been dismissed from a local hospital.

Z. P. Hillman, 404 Milton Avenue, has left a local hospital after a minor operation.

Edith Hawthorne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hawthorne, Indian Creek, has been discharged from a local hospital after a major operation.

M. K. Clark, employee of Buck and Childs Company, is resting in a local hospital after a major operation.

Miss Marie Young, Route 1, underwent a major operation in a local hospital Wednesday night.

Mrs. Woodon Zimmerman, 1614 Porter Street, has entered a local hospital for a major operation.

Mrs. W. A. Butler, 405 West Anderson, has left a local hospital after radium treatment.

Leo Hazen, employe in the construction work at the dam, is receiving treatment in a local hospital for an infected hand.

Tom Sowell of near Brownwood is resting nicely in a local hospital after a major operation several days ago. His son, Robert, is also in the same hospital doing nicely after a major operation undergone Wednesday. Robert is the thirteenth member of the Sowell family to undergo a major operation.

### Eats Up Much Paper

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Buy any of the old C. E. Stone Co. merchandise cheaper than in the big sale held in this store March.

Opening Friday, May 15th. 8 Days of Real Selling At Real Prices!!!!

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PRICES—that say Buy! Buy!

Group of Silk Dresses; prints and solids, light and dark shades—

**\$2.98**

New Print and Pastel Dresses of Crepe, Shantung, Silk Pique—

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New long style Summer Frocks; georgettes and chiffons for sports and afternoon wear. All sizes

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Our finer shantung and crepe dresses and suits; frocks in solid and printed chiffons—

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White and Ecru ONLY



Unbleached Domestic Yard **5c**  
36 Inch Prints Absolutely Fast Colors. Yard **10c**

## NEW! Men's SUITS SAVE!

Group Men's 2-Pant Suits

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Two-pant Suits in tans, greys and blues; suitable for all season wear. **\$9.98**

Tropical Worsted Suits; light weight; two-pant models. Formerly \$19.50—Now **\$14.75**

Our finer Suits in such quality materials as gaberdines and serges— **\$19.50**



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Washable fabric, pull-ons and clasps, values to \$1.29. Close Out. **29c**

## HATS



Selected Group of Ladies' and Children's Hats

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An outstanding group of straw and hairbraids in a most complete range of colors and styles, only

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Gage and other fine hats in genuine bakes and other popular summer materials. Values formerly to \$10.00—

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## DRESS PANTS

Men's All Wool Dress Pants . . . **\$1**

Men's Khaki Pants . . . **\$1.00**  
Heavy Canvas Gloves; 3 pair for . . . **25c**

Shop Caps; whites, blacks and stripes . . . **29c and 49c**

Golf Knickers; choice of any Knicker in the house . . . **\$2.50**

Shirts and Shorts; first quality rayon and broadcloth; per garment . . . **36c**

Men's Work Shirts; full cut and well made . . . **39c**

Men's Overalls; blue and stripes; a real buy at . . . **75c**

Boys' Overalls; and Overalls, pair . . . **49c**

Close Out; All Boys' 1- and 2-pant models . . . **\$1.00**

Men's Dress Shirts; shrunken; solids and patterns; fast colors . . . **\$1.00**

Men's Hose; fancy 3 pair for . . . **\$1.00**

Men's Fancy Dress Sox . . . **\$1.00**

Men's Hats; \$5 and \$10 . . . **\$1.00**

Straw Hats; Sailors . . . **98c**

## Save... on Shoes!

Ladies' Shoes in all styles, heels, and colors. Complete size range. A feature group **98c**



The better Shoes in our stock. They are blonds and blacks—fine kids, patens, and combinations **\$2.98**

All Children's Shoes and Oxford, regardless of former price—**98c**  
Boys' and Girls' Tennis Shoes, made for long wear and comfort—**59c**

New Silks; latest summer prints and pastels; 40 inches wide; yard . . . **69c**

Georgettes; white, black and pastels; 40 inches wide; yard . . . **98c**

Extra Heavy Silks; good assortment of prints and solid colors; yard . . . **\$1.29**

Gilbrae Gingham; solids, small and large checks. Yard . . . **19c**

36 inch Voles; polka dots and prints; fast colors; yard . . . **12 1/2c**

Cretonnes; 36 inches wide; new, bright patterns. Yard . . . **10c**

Bias Tape; good assortment of colors. Yard . . . **7c**

Khaki Cloth; a good grade material; 27 inches wide; yard . . . **17c**

36 inch Fast Color Madras; for shirts. Yard . . . **14c**

Rayon Curtain Prints; ecru, rose and blue; Yard . . . **15c**

9-4 Bleached Sheetting; Here is a real buy at, yard . . . **25c**

81x90 Sheets; hemmed and bleached. Each . . . **69c**

Children's Sox; good assortment of colors; pair . . . **15c**

Mavis and Djer Kiss Talcum, tin . . . **5c**

Boys' Wash Suits, 2 to 6 **49c and 79c**

Suit Cases and Hat Boxes . . . **79c**

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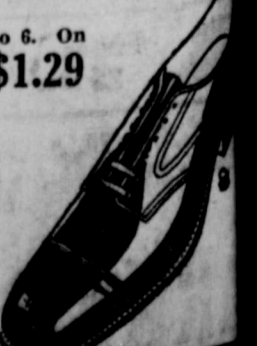
## Men... Buy Now

Men's Oxfords in blacks and tans; calf and kid leather. They'll go fast at our low price of . . . **\$1.29**

Boys' Work Shoes; sizes 2 1/4 to 6. On Sale at pair . . . **\$1.29**

Men's Work Shoes. A high quality Shoe that will stand hard wear . . . **\$1.49**

16 inch Booties. Fine for your camping trips **\$4.98**





Goldthwaite

Goldthwaite court convened here Monday... The grand jury was organized three days Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday... Several people were reared in this city and have a host of relatives...

Salt Creek

May 17, there will be a demonstration at the Salt Creek cemetery... The Methodist minister will deliver the memorial sermon at 11 o'clock in the afternoon...

USED CARS

- Buick Sedan. Dodge Sedan. Ford Tudor. Ford Coupe. Buick Coupe. Buick Coach. Buick Coupe. Chevrolet Coupe. Buick Coach. BRICKWELL MOTOR COMPANY 410 Fisk

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Bangs

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Langly and children went to Levelland Saturday for a visit... Mrs. J. D. McKay returned Saturday from Coleman, where she visited her daughter, Mrs. Homer Brown... Mrs. Frank Gore of Santa Anna was the guest of Mrs. C. C. Bissett Thursday...

and children of Dallas spent the week-end with Mrs. Amirkham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Snow... Coleman Gibbons of Fort Worth visited Mrs. I. R. Preston Saturday... Dewey Smith has returned from a visit to Glen Cove... Mrs. A. I. Nichols of Copper Cove is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lehman Walton and Miss Mae Nichols...

enjoyed by all. All members of the "Missionary Clinic" were at their best. The male quartet, by Messrs. Seal, Raymond Rucker, C. B. Palmer and the Rev. W. H. Rucker, was beautifully rendered... The Senior B. Y. P. U. rendered a very beautiful and instructive program on "Fitting" just before the missionary program was rendered... To celebrate the 64th birthday of their father and uncle, Mrs. Henry Frances of Indian Creek and Mrs. Herman Taylor of Brownwood planned a surprise birthday dinner Saturday...

other representatives attended the all-day meeting. Seventeen foundation patterns were finished. Every woman went away feeling that she had had a "fit" at the noon hour... Mr. Emmett Vick and son, Bernel, were in Brownwood Wednesday... Mr. A. O. Pittman was transacting business in Brownwood Wednesday... Mrs. Lee Roy Ford was in Owens one day last week... Albert Reynolds made a business trip to Brownwood one day last week for Tom Wilson...

brother, Tom Pittman. He also attended the decoration Sunday... The decoration was well attended Sunday. There was preaching in the morning, dinner on the ground and singing in the afternoon... Miss Mabel Harris, Avery McClain, Miss Viola Harris and Vernon Pittman spent a few minutes Sunday afternoon in the home of Vernon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pittman... Otis Shaw and Arvie Dunn of Center Point attended the party at Ave Nelson's of Owens Saturday night... Mrs. Millard Crockett and children of Owens have moved to Brownwood... We are very sorry indeed to see them leave...

relatives at their home Saturday night... Sunday school at Rocky is progressing nicely... Mrs. Bonnie Clark of San Angelo is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. L. Tervooren... Mr. W. F. Haynes and wife of Brownwood were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Haynes, Sunday... Mr. and Mrs. Homer Maner have moved into their new home on the old Maner homestead. We wish them much prosperity in their new home... Mr. and Mrs. Wagner and Mrs. Chambers of Brownwood visited Mrs. Chambers' granddaughter, Mrs. H. G. Dixon, Sunday afternoon... Lowell Chambers spent Sunday with Charles Stewart... Several from our community have been visiting the gas wells on Salt Creek this week... Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Dixon spent Sunday in Brownwood... Lee and Otis Shaw were in Brownwood Saturday... Miss Sadie Dixon is spending a few days with her sister in Brownwood... The No. 10 highway through our community will soon be ready to travel... Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Eoff of Chapel Hill is moving on the Raymond Carruth place this week... Mr. Eoff has been teaching at Chapel Hill school. We welcome them back into our midst... We had a big rain Tuesday night, which greatly benefited the young cotton and other crops... Many Uses for Carbon... Pure carbon is widely used in decolorizing, clarification and purification of foods, edible oils and fats.

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McDANIEL

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Advertisement for Banner-Bulletin featuring 'ACTIVE EFFORT' and 'Intelligently Applied Always Gets Results' with an image of a man in a suit.



