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BOARD ASKS ADVICE, SILENT ON OWN IDEAS

WHAT they had not been able to negotiate with the Insull interests an agreement that they felt they could recommend that the Board of Directors of the Water Improvement District of Brown county should sign, that they had apparently come to the end of the road in the negotiations that have been under way for a year and more and that they were seeking advice as to the next move to be made in regard to the water rights here was the substance of the report made to the water conference at the Chamber of Commerce Friday afternoon by Judge C. L. McCartney and F. S. Abney, who returned from Chicago a few days ago.

Judge McCartney and Mr. Abney indicated that they might have in mind some suggestions as to the next step to be taken, but said that they preferred to discuss any such position privately with the water board instead of publicly, or at least to discuss them with the board before discussing them publicly.

Situation Reviewed
A statement reviewing the water situation was also made by D. W. Ross, engineer, who was in Chicago with Judge McCartney and Mr. Abney for the recent conference with the general counsel of the Middle West Utilities Company (the Insull company). The statement was also made by Jay Alexander of the Power Syndicate, who had been invited to attend the meeting here.

The conference Friday afternoon was attended by about forty business men and citizens of Brownwood. J. R. Looney, president of the Brown County Water Improvement District No. 1, presided. The water situation was discussed by several of those present and the sentiment appeared to be in the main opposed to signing the agreement with the Insull interests as it had been explained by Judge McCartney. No definite action was taken by the meeting.

Details Explained
Mr. Ross, the engineer, discussed the situation from the standpoint of the engineering facts, and the trend of his statements was to the effect that in complying with the requirements that the Middle West Utilities Company insisted on placing in the agreement, Brownwood would be taking but little, if any, toward a water shortage at any time. He was assisted by Mr. Abney, later in the conference, if he would recommend that the Board of Directors of the Brown County Water Improvement District should sign the agreement as submitted by the utilities company. He again rehearsed some of the statements as to the adequacy of the protection that Brownwood would have under the existing conditions, but did not make a definite answer to the question.

Judge McCartney in making a report of the last visit to Chicago and of the general water situation, reviewed the negotiations covering the last several months. He told of a contract drawn by Judge J. E. Starley which was signed by every member of the Brown county water board, but which when taken to Chicago failed to meet with the sanction of the Middle West Utilities Company. Another contract was then drawn by the Insull company, and this Judge McCartney said, "did not meet our approval."

Contract Declined
The last contract to be submitted was drawn by Judge McCartney and was the one that was under discussion at Chicago this week. With Mr. McCartney at the Chicago conference were Mr. Abney, Mr. Ross and Judge Starley.

As has been explained in former statements of the water situation, the Syndicate Power Company has the rights to the waters of the Colorado river and its tributaries, these rights in turn being negotiated to the Middle West Utilities Company. The permit was for 1,250,000 acre feet of water, which, it is stated, would take the entire amount of water necessary to irrigate the Insull interests, or the utilities company, agreed to release all but 500,000 acre feet, Brownwood's amount then being placed at 208,000 acre feet.

The utilities company is guaranteed its 500,000 acre feet, and it is here that the points at issue arise. According to Judge McCartney, the contract submitted by the Insull interests requires that at any time the Middle West Utilities Company may call upon Brownwood for the amount of water necessary to make up the deficit. Mr. McCartney said that the Brownwood district has insisted that the contract should require other towns or districts interested to be called upon, but this the counsel for the Insull interests had failed to agree to. In other words, Judge McCartney said, it would mean that the Brownwood rights inferior to those of towns above here to use water for irrigation purposes. The statistics on this question, he said, were "muddy," and he preferred a safeguard in the contract rather than a legal fight.

Legal Guarantees
Judge McCartney also insisted on certain legal guarantees. If Brownwood should enter into the proposed contract, he said, it would be guaranteeing the legality and endorsement of the rights of the power company as its permits. "We guarantee you, you guarantee us," he said, was the gist of his proposition to them. This

provision, also, the power company had failed to accept. Mr. Ross stated that taking the records for the last 29 years it was shown that only nine times in the twenty-nine had the water supply of the territory in question been down to where the agreements as to the 58,000 acre feet for the power company and the 208,000 acre feet for the Brown county district would be affected in any way. In four of those years, Mr. Ross stated, the supply would have been such that had there been 30,000 acres here under irrigation the irrigation would have been curtailed one-half.

Mr. Ross stated that in the event the utilities company did not secure the amount of water allotted to it and had to call on the districts above to make up the amounts, not Brownwood, but the districts coming in later would be called on notwithstanding the lack of that provision in the contract. That was the general rule, he said, and the court would so hold.

Mr. Ross said that the reason that the utilities company refused to agree to the contract calling on the different districts to supply their part of the deficit was that the company was not willing to have that "police power" saddled upon it. This was also the contention of Jay Alexander of the Syndicate Power Company in his remarks.

Prepare New Contract
Judge McCartney stated that he had told Mr. Stephenson, general counsel of the Middle West Utilities Company, that he was going to prepare another contract, different from any yet submitted, and send it to Chicago first of next week. "I don't expect you to sign it," he said, "but I expect you to be in a position to prepare it and send it in order to keep the record straight."

Judge McCartney and Mr. Abney said that Mr. Stephenson was a most affable man and "gracious" in his negotiations, but that a more positive man on any position taken as to terms of agreement was never encountered.

Jay Alexander of the Power Syndicate declared that if the Middle West Utilities Company was "out of the picture," Brownwood would be worse off than in its present situation. "You must persuade yourselves," he said, "to bear in mind what would be for the common good," and he declared that the interests for which he spoke, the Syndicate Power Company and the Middle West Utilities Company, would be willing to "drag along five or ten years to establish a definite and decent policy."

County Wolf Club
The Brown County Wolf Club at a meeting at the court house Saturday afternoon voted to continue the employment of the two trappers in this county for the rest of the year.

The federal government pays one-third of the salaries of the trappers, the county one-third and the wolf club, or local stock men, one-third. The county and federal governments have agreed to the continuance of the services of the trappers, it is said.

The two trappers, E. L. Baker and Mr. Brumelow, have caught forty wolves in Brown county this year and it is said that the wolves are now getting thinned out to where they are hard to find. Baker caught three last month and Brumelow six.

The meeting Saturday was the first held by the Wolf Club since its organization. L. A. Nunn is president of the club and C. M. Kilgore, secretary and treasurer. Members expressed themselves as well pleased with the employment of the trappers. Baker is being paid a salary of \$150 a month and Brumelow \$130. It is understood, however, that the government's policy is to add \$10 a month to the lower salary, making the increase at stated times, until a salary of \$150 a month is reached.

Indian Creek School Election Carries
An election held Saturday to determine whether three schools, two in Brown county and one in Mills county should be consolidated resulted favorably. County School Superintendent Oscar Swindle said in making an unofficial report Monday.

The schools concerned are Indian Creek and Russell in Brown county and Oakland in Mills county. The Brown county schools voted unanimously in favor of the proposed consolidation and the Mills county school voted 14 to 5 in favor of the plan, it was said.

County School Board Is to Meet Saturday
The county school board of trustees will meet at 2:30 p. m. Saturday for consideration of routine business matters. County Superintendent J. Oscar Swindle announced Tuesday.

OIL MAN KILLED IN AUTO WRECK

PECAN SHOW HERE IN FALL

A. I. Fabis, owner and manager of the Brownwood Pecan Nursery and who was appointed temporary secretary and treasurer of the newly organized West Texas Pecan Growers Association, returned Thursday from San Saba, where he attended the annual meeting of the Texas Pecan Growers Association. Immediately upon his return from the state convention, Mr. Fabis announced partially completed plans for the first meeting of the West Texas Pecan Growers Association which is to be held in Brownwood November 15 and 16. Mr. Fabis states that present plans call for a big pecan show and exhibit to be held in connection with the two-day session of the new organization of West Texas pecan growers. Several leading speakers on questions pertaining to the interests of all pecan growers have been secured for the November meeting and many out-of-town pecan growers and mantel-burners of pecan growers' supplies will be invited to this city for the two-day session, it is stated.

Resolutions
In drawing up a set of resolutions Thursday, at the close of the annual session of the Texas Pecan Growers Association, a resolution was included that wholeheartedly endorsed the Brownwood plant of the U. S. Bureau of Entomology. Not only did the Texas Pecan Growers Association endorse the Brownwood plant or laboratory, but it endorsed a move launched that will eliminate in asking the United States Congress for a much larger appropriation for the local plant. The purpose in asking for an enlarged appropriation is to extend the scope of work now carried on at the Brownwood laboratory. It is believed the asking for an appropriation will in due turn be granted and if this is done, it will mean the enlarging of the local plant, the adding of more men to the present force and the widening of its scope of work.

According to Mr. Fabis, the Brownwood plant of the U. S. Bureau of Entomology was given 100 acres of land by the city of Brownwood, when the plant was first established here. Other conveniences and equipment were placed at its disposal of the laboratory and although much good work has been done, it has not expanded as rapidly as hoped for. With an increased appropriation the local laboratory will be able to conduct experiments in horticulture, pecan irrigation, pecan grafting and budding, as well as the experiments in fighting pecan insects that are carried on primarily at the present time.

To Extend Service
According to present plans the field of service for the local plant will be extended to all sections of West Texas and even the entire territory of Texas and the Southwest. The next meeting of the Texas Pecan Growers Association will be held in Tyler, Mr. Fabis announced. Brownwood will make a determined fight for the 1930 convention, it is stated.

Space Limited
Secretary Burks stated that there had been numerous inquiries as to whether there would be merchandise exhibits at the fair, but said there was no exhibit space except that already used for the various departments. It was believed that the interest in this matter on the part of the merchants was such that it demanded that the matter be taken up and full consideration given to the matter by the business firms. The chair appointed a committee to go into this matter, composed of E. J. Weatherby, Lloyd Jones, J. A. Henry, J. K. Wilker, Elmer Haynes, P. A. Glanville, Roy Morris and Hugh Grove.

The committee will meet within a few days, it is said, to discuss the matter of erecting buildings for merchandise exhibiting, and will probably formulate plans for securing them to be submitted to the board. The Fair Board has contracted with Bill H. Hames for his No. 1 show at the fair this year. This is not the same show that was engaged for the fair here last year, but a much larger one, the directors state.

Secretary Burks will visit all the fairs on this circuit and advertise the Brown County Fair. He is at Goldthwaite this afternoon, where the Mills County Fair is now being held, and will attend the Hamilton fair next week. Harness races will be added to the building for merchants' exhibits, the secretary and members of the board said that the Brown County Fair should have a vision of growing keeping with the growth of Brownwood and Brown county, and that efforts should be made to make it as complete as possible, growing as rapidly as the interest will justify. They pointed out that the large territory from which the fair draws its attendance would make the merchandise displays very valuable advertising for the merchants, and that at the same time such displays would be an added attraction for the fair.

Picnic at Bangs
Friday, July 20
All-Day Program
A basket picnic will be given at Bangs Friday, July 20th, with an elaborate entertainment program and an opportunity for all candidates to present their claims to the people of the community, according to announcement today.

The picnic committees have issued an invitation to all the people of the county to attend and participate in the day's festivities. That prehistoric man in North Africa depended chiefly on snails for food is proved by huge mounds of snail shells excavated by members of a recent expedition.

Cameron Dismissed From Church Here

Rev. G. E. Cameron, pastor of the First Methodist church here, late Tuesday was convicted of charges of "gross immorality," and dismissed from the Methodist conference following a trial before a jury of 12 preachers presided over by Dr. Emmett Hightower of Breckinridge. Confirmation of the trial and verdict was given by Dr. Hightower to the Bulletin in a long distance telephone conversation late Tuesday night. An unmarried Brownwood woman preferred charges against Dr. Cameron and he was suspended in May after a preliminary investigation by a committee of three preachers from this district. The case then went automatically to Bishop John M. Moore of Dallas, who appointed Dr. Hightower to hold the trial. No direct testimony was heard Tuesday, Dr. Hightower said, the deposition of the woman being read. **Executive Hearing**
Dr. Cameron declined to make a statement to reporters during the progress of the trial, which was executive. A report of the trial was made to church officials here following the trial. Rev. J. M. Bond of Fort Worth was secretary during the trial. Rev. A. D. Porter, pastor of the Mineral Wells Methodist church, and formerly presiding elder of this district, served with Rev. F. P. Culver, pastor of Corsicana First church, as counsel for Dr. Cameron. Dr. E. B. Hawk of Fort Worth was prosecuting counsel. The jury of 12 preachers, none of them from Brownwood district was accepted by both sides, it was stated. Dr. Cameron came here in November, 1926, from St. Louis. He is married and has two children. Appointment of a minister to fill the pastorate of the First Methodist church here will be made by Bishop Moore in the near future, according to officials of the church.

\$70,000 Loss Here In Grocery Fire

LOSS of \$70,000 was sustained in a fire that destroyed the plant of the McCullough Wholesale Grocery Company, 800 Greenleaf street late Tuesday. The plant probably will be rebuilt, it was said, the owners planning to hold a conference Wednesday.

The fire is thought to have been caused by youths' burning waste under outside loading wharf, an official of the company said. The youths had been told to leave the premises several times, it was said. No action has been taken against them.

Owners of the company are W. W. McCullough, Guy Jones, C. A. McCutcheon and L. B. Young. Low water pressure and the headway of the flames before arrival of the fire department was blamed for the total loss of the plant. Little salvage, if any, is expected. The loss was partly covered by insurance.

COMMITTEE TO SECURE SPACE FOR EXHIBITS
The Board of Directors of the Brown County Fair, in meeting at the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday afternoon, made effective progress in getting the catalogue ready for publication, and started a move looking to arrangements for merchants' exhibits at the fair. Some of the copy for the catalogue is going to the printers today, the secretary stated this morning, and the rest of it will follow shortly. The board arranged with G. S. Northcutt, advertising man, to finish rounding up the advertising for the catalogue and hope to have the work finished soon.

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Youth Chokes Rattler Twined Round His Neck

POTTSVILLE, Pa., July 17. — (AP)—A youth whose grip was fatal to a rattlesnake entwined about his neck was in a hospital today apparently suffering only from fright. He was not bitten. On a road between Mt. Pleasant and Minersville, two men last night found Louis Karbosky, 23, unconscious. The tail of a three-foot snake was around his neck. When the men tried to help him Karbosky regained partial consciousness and twisted and groined to defeat their purpose, keeping his hands back of his head gripping the snake. Then the men, Peter Mowery and John Hopfel, appealed to passing motorists and the youth was taken to a Minersville doctor. But even the combined efforts of the doctor and two men were futile. Dr. Leroy Purcell finally chloroformed Karbosky. As his muscles relaxed the men stood by ready to capture the rattlesnake. The snake, however, was dead. Karbosky was removed to a Pottsville hospital where examination disclosed he had not been bitten. He was held for observation.

From the youth's incoherent muttering, the story was gathered that he had been walking through bushes by the roadside when he felt something against his neck. Reaching his hands back, he found the snake, and, the doctors said, fell to the road unconscious from fright.

BROWN STREET PARKING OUT
After final passage of an ordinance placed on first reading at City Council meeting Tuesday evening, parking on Brown street, from Graham Hotel to Anderson street, will be limited to the northwest side. Only exception is a 30-minute truck-loading privilege for the south eastern side.

Traffic congestion in the narrow street was assigned as cause for the ordinance. The City Council next Friday in called session will receive bids for a 250-horsepower engine for the water pumping plant on Pecan Bayou. A ruling requiring close check of all gasoline purchases by city employees was passed. It was stated that gasoline bills were too large. Probability of a ban on use of water except for household and bathing purposes if present dry weather continues, was discussed. Plans for a fish ladder over two dams on Pecan Bayou were presented by City Engineer Mark Ragsdale, but no action was taken pending further investigation. The state Fish, Game and Oyster Commission has ordered that ladders be placed over the dams.

Boards and Commissions
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Hoover is Blind
As to the presidential candidates Callaway said that Hoover had sat around the table at the time the Fall and Doherty scandals were taking place and that if he couldn't see what was going on he must have been blind. Pleading for men of courage in public office, Callaway quoted the late Sam Jones, evangelist, as saying that whenever you find a man that is not afraid of anything in the earth or the heavens above the earth or the waters under the earth he won't do to tie to.

TAX LEVY TO REMAIN SAME
The city tax levy for next year will remain the same as this year, City Council decided Tuesday evening. The levy will be fixed and a board of equalization selected next Tuesday. The present levy is \$1.20, not including 75 cents for schools. The blind population of Britain was 46,822.

CALLAWAY IN ADDRESS HERE TUESDAY NIGHT

Hon. Oscar Callaway of Comanche, candidate for Congress, addressed an audience of about 150 voters in the district court room here Tuesday night, scoring the prevalence of boards and commissions in the State and National government and declaring that the barnacles have been attacking the ship of State for the last twenty years.

He praised Al Smith as one of the ablest men that the Democrats have chosen as their presidential candidate in the last 40 years. He urged all democrats to line up behind the presidential nominee and support the democratic ticket. His crowd, or at least a good portion of it, proved to be with him on this point and frequently applauded his utterances.

Introduced by Harrison
Mr. Callaway was introduced by Chester Harrison, who said that four attributes were essential to one who would rightly represent the people. These, he said, were courage, honesty, industry and intelligence, and these qualities he said, were possessed by Mr. Callaway. Such a man, he said, was successful in his own affairs, and the affairs of his constituents could safely be trusted in his hands.

"Government means more to the people than anything else on earth," said the candidate, urging that all citizens should take an interest in the affairs of government. He declared that the rights of the people in their government were being given away to commissions and boards, and quoted Hon. Oscar Underwood of Alabama as saying there were a hundred boards in Washington.

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IS IMPALED ON BRIDGE RAIL WEDNESDAY

C. C. FOSDICK, well known oil operator, formerly of Brownwood, but who went to Menard several months ago to engage in some operations in that county, was instantly killed at 1:30 Wednesday morning when his car struck the iron railing of a bridge four miles from Cross Plains on the Cross Plains and Putnam road.

Alfred X. Gooley, who was in the car with Fosdick, suffered some bruises and cuts but was not seriously injured.

Fosdick and Gooley left Brownwood at 11 o'clock Tuesday night for Putnam, where Gooley's parents live, intending to stop there before going on to other points on business. Gooley was asleep in the car, he stated yesterday while Fosdick was driving, and was only awakened when the car plunged off the bridge, and turned on its side. "The first I knew," he said, "was that I was standing on my head and my nose bleeding."

The iron railing had gone through the front of the car and penetrated Fosdick's lungs, going almost through his body. He also had a deep gash in the top of his head.

Gooley tried immediately to release Fosdick from the car and caught Fosdick's arm once as he tried to get out. He then went to help to a house about 500 yards away, but the man said that his wife was sick and he could not go to give any assistance. He then went to another house, a little over a hundred yards away, where help was secured. A call was telephoned to Cross Plains for a physician and an ambulance, and Dr. Bowden and the Higginbotham ambulance soon arrived at the scene.

The body was brought at once to the McNiss Funeral Home here, where it was prepared for burial. It arrived here early Wednesday morning.

Gooley states that he thinks Fosdick fell asleep for a moment and that it was to that the accident was due, though he could only surmise as to the facts as to just how it occurred. They were in Fosdick's car, a Packard sedan, a new car that had been driven less than 3,000 miles. The car fell about 15 feet from the bridge.

Fosdick had been in the oil business for many years and was widely known among the oil men. He had operated in Mexico and other fields. His home in Brownwood was at one time on Avenue J and Third Street and at another time on Tenth Street. Recently he had been drilling a deep test in Menard county in association with the Moody Oil Corporation.

Funeral services will be held at the McNiss chapel Friday at 3 p. m., and interment will be in Greenleaf cemetery.

Mrs. Fosdick and son, C. C. Jr., who were visiting her mother in Ft. Worth, arrived in Brownwood yesterday afternoon, with a brother of Mr. Fosdick, and Mr. and Mrs. Lyndell, brother and sister-in-law, also of Fort Worth. Another brother, whose home is in Missouri, will arrive in Brownwood tonight or Friday morning.

Plan for War on Paralysis in U. S.

NEW YORK, July 17. — (AP)—Believing that on the basis of the history of the disease they cannot look forward with any degree of assurance to an absence of outbreaks of infantile paralysis during this summer and fall, doctors and researchers throughout the country are organizing for a concerted attack on any epidemic that may develop. Every possible precaution is now being taken to protect the public from the ravages of the disease and doctors believe the advances which medicine has made in the knowledge of infantile paralysis during recent years should diminish the anxiety which its presence always occasions. No satisfactory method of immunization from the disease has been developed but there is now a convalescent serum, taken from the blood of recovered patients, which acts to nullify the virus if injected in the early stages of sickness. Funds have already been established in San Francisco, Boston and New York to defray the expense of collecting and distributing this serum, which will be placed in the care of committees of physicians especially informed and qualified to direct its use. When the above facts and those that follow were made known to the Associated Press they were presented to officials of the Rockefeller Institute of Medical Research and the institute gave its official approval.

TOPEKA, July 19. — (AP)—The Kansas Legislature assembled today for a special session to consider submitting to the electorate a constitutional amendment intended to secure the state's future participation in federal funds for highway construction.

DETROIT, July 19. — (AP)—Minneapolis today was awarded the 1931 triennial convocation of the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar of the United States. The next convocation probably will be held the latter part of June, 1931.

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PLENTY OF MATERIAL.

SOMETHING unusual is happening in local politics. Four candidates for Mayor are in the field, and rumors of additional candidates may be heard if one is listening for that kind of information.

Usually, there are but two candidates for mayor—one seeking re-election, and one who has been induced to get into the race in order to prevent the election of the other. The tragic death of Mayor McCulley in the latter part of June, less than three months after he had been re-elected for a second term, has necessitated the calling of a special election on August 6th, when his successor will be named; and it seems that there will be an abundance of material from which the voter may choose when he goes to the polls.

This is as it should be. The office of Mayor pays no salary, and involves a great deal of hard work for which there is little expression even of gratitude or commendation, but it is a place offering great opportunities for service to the community and when any citizen is invited to offer himself as a candidate he is given a distinct compliment. Brownwood can not continue its growth and development, except at the cost of sacrifice on the part of some of its citizens who are willing, from time to time, to give part of their time and thought and talents in serving in the positions of honor and responsibility which offer no cash remuneration. It is pleasing to note that so many outstanding citizens have yielded to the call to service, and offered themselves as candidates in the present campaign.

In this connection, The Bulletin would like to suggest, without any reference whatever to the present campaign or any past campaign, that the City Charter should be so amended as to remove the possibility of combining the office of mayor with the position of city manager. The principal reason for establishing the city manager system of government was that it removed the active manager of important city departments from the realm of politics, and this reason is invalidated under our present plan which enables the mayor to become manager. The manager is an employee of the City Council, who ought to hold his office, regardless of possible changes of administration, as long as his service is satisfactory. The mayor is an elective officer, and head of the City Council, holding office for two years and depending upon popular votes for re-election. Occasionally the city might be fortunate enough to select a mayor who could also be an acceptable city manager, but it can not happen often. The charter should be amended so as to restore the city manager to the status of a bonded employee of the city, subject to removal for unsatisfactory service and available for retention as long as his work is satisfactory.

MILLIONS FROM PENNIES

Save the pennies and the dollars will take care of themselves, somebody has said. The idea has been developed by the manufacturers of penny matches, who last year did a gross business of over twenty-four million dollars, with a payroll of four millions. Rather a surprising bit of modern business news, isn't it?

More Arrest In Obregon Probe

MEXICO CITY, July 19.—(AP)—Official announcement was made today that several more persons have been arrested in connection with the assassination of President-elect Obregon.

The identity of those arrested and the total number were not revealed and Chief of Police Zertuche declined to give out any further information until the investigation is completed.

Those previously arrested include Jose De Leon Toran, 23 year old art student accused of the crime, Emilio Casado, proprietor of the restaurant at San Angel, where Obregon was killed and twelve employees of the restaurant.

MEXICO CITY, July 19.—(AP)—Search was intensified today for those whom President Calles termed the "intellectual directors" of the assassination of General Alvaro Obregon.

General Obregon's body was en route to his native state of Sonora, some 1,000 miles distant on the presidential train which he would have used after his inauguration in December. The body will arrive at its last resting place tomorrow.

As it left Mexico City thousands of Obregon followers raised their right hands and took a solemn oath to sustain his principles and to see that punishment was visited upon those responsible for his death. This was done at the instance of a member of congress, who, as the oath was given, turned to President Calles standing nearby and said:

"We demand of you justice by the punishment of those guilty of murdering Obregon."

Identify Guilty
Police identified the slayer as Jose De Leon Toran, 23, an art student and a native of Lagos, in the state of Jalisco.

President Calles in a signed statement announced that the assassin had confessed that his crime was motivated by religious fervor. He said also the authorities had gained much information "complicating directly clerical action." The government was determined, he stated, to punish not only the material author of the crime but also to punish "as examples" those found to be "intellectual directors of the deed."

General Antonio Rios Zertuche, installed as chief of police after the tragedy, announced that the prisoner "had commenced to talk." Emilio Casado, proprietor of the restaurant at San Angel, where Obregon was killed, and 12 employees of that place were arrested and held for investigation. El Universal Grafico said that the mother and wife of the assassin were also under arrest.

Situation Tranquil
General Limon, chief of the presidential staff, announced that the situation throughout the republic remained tranquil despite the late killing which the slaying had engendered. The army

A GALLANT FLYER LOST

THE DEATH of Captain Emilio Carranza, Mexico's good will flyer, is genuinely mourned throughout the United States, and his countrymen are wounded in pride as well as grief-stricken. Senor Carranza had shown himself to be a capable airman and his modesty was like that of our own Lindbergh, and his tragic flight to the United States from Mexico City undoubtedly had the effect of cementing cordial relations between the neighboring republics. That he lost his life while attempting to make a nonstop flight back to his home is by no means an indictment of his skill as a pilot, for what happened to him might happen to any other flyer undertaking a long distance trip.

Mexican pride was wounded, though without real cause, when Captain Carranza was forced down just before reaching Washington on his flight from Mexico City. He encountered heavy fog and was unable to finish the few miles remaining ahead of him, although his plane was functioning perfectly and he was suffering no ill effects from the many hours spent in the air. At the same time, two daring American aviators who were attempting to set a new non-stop record across the United States were felled by fog banks and forced down after almost reaching their goal; so that Mexico need feel no shame because of Carranza's failure.

Many lives have been sacrificed in aviation, and probably many others will be lost before the age of experimentation has passed. The marvel is that so much has been accomplished toward making aviation safe, for at its best it is a hazardous game. Gallant young Carranza was flying for glory and for patriotism, and he sold his life dearly. He did not do all that he tried to do, but he died like the hero he was, and who can say that any man could have done better?

A SCOTCHMAN PAYS OFF

There are innumerable jokes about the Scotch and their tendency to avoid waste of money, but here's one Scotchman who has paid off. Donald Muir of Anthony, Kansas, has just finished paying \$110,000 from his personal assets, to depositors of defunct bank in which he had been an officer. The bulk of his estate had to be sacrificed in order to provide the money necessary for liquidating the bank's affairs. It would be a fine thing if there were more Scotch bankers.

THE PARAGON

Macon (Ga.) Telegraph: "Who is America's Most Independent Man?" asks an insurance advertisement. We know that one. A truck driver.

IN THE LIMELIGHT

Detroit News: Liver, which is now selling at 70 cents a pound, is beneficial in cases of anaemia or owing a meat market.

AN' WITH TWO ON

San Francisco Chronicle: That artists who say there is no beauty in straight lines never has seen a white sphere describing one just over second base.

BY WAY OF COMPARISON

Buffalo Courier-Express: A platform for a political party nowadays is just about the same thing as a musical score for a musician who plays by ear.

this plan were followed that Aaron Saez, former minister of foreign affairs and now governor of Nuevo Leon, would be named provisional president. Saez was among the foremost of Obregon's supporters and is a brother-in-law of one of Calles' daughters.

A general election might then be called and Calles offer himself for re-election without violating the clause in the constitution concerning direct succession.

Other suggestions were that a constitutional amendment allowing Calles to succeed himself in the present emergency might be asked or the constitutional amendment that extended the presidential term to six years might be interpreted as applying to President Calles, who was elected for a four year term. That would retain him in office until 1930.

Recall Other Violent Deaths

(By The Associated Press.)
Assassination of General Alvaro Obregon recalls violent deaths of six at one time or another opposed to Obregon.

Of major opponents of General Obregon since his victory over Pancho Villa at Celaya in 1915, but one remains alive. That one is Adolfo de la Huerta, an exile at Los Angeles, now, but formerly provisional president of Mexico and head of the unsuccessful revolt against the Obregon administration in 1923-24.

Venustiano Carranza, president of Mexico, against whom Obregon led a revolt from his native state of Sonora, was driven from Mexico City by victorious Obregonistas and on the night of May 26th, 1920, was shot while he slept in a house in the hills of Vera Cruz. Various charges were made as to the identity and connections of his assassin, but the matter has never been settled.

Pancho Villa was killed on July 20, 1923, Obregon won his name as a military leader with his defeat of Villa at Celaya. In the first years of his administration as president he sent Villa back to his Durango ranch with a promise of government protection from his enemies. But Villa was always an unstable political quantity. He was killed from ambush near Parial, Chihuahua. The identity of his assassins was never fully established.

The presidential campaign of 1924 was hotly contested between Plutarco Elias Calles and General Angel Flores. Calles, friend of Obregon, won, while Flores went back to his Simla's home and complained that election officials—this was during Obregon's administration—had kept his followers away from the polls. Flores had a faculty for disturbing de facto governments.

He died of what was said to be arsenic poisoning March 31, 1926. The malefactor was never apprehended. Francisco Serrano and Arolfo Gomez announced their candidacies for president last year in opposition to Obregon, for whom the Mexican constitution had been changed to permit his race. Serrano was accused of revolt, and his bullet-riddled body, attired in civilian

clothes, was brought back to Mexico City, October 5th.

Gomez kept a longer lease on life, but was captured by General Escobar and executed by a firing squad in the Vera Cruz hills, November 5th. There were many executions of minor figures in connection with the charges against these two.

The sixth man to die, Alfonso de la Huerta, cut little figure in the Mexican politics other than he as brother of Adolfo de la Huerta, Obregon's one-time friend and later arch enemy, would naturally do. He accepted exile with his brother, Adolfo, but in October, last year, he was drawn across the border at Nogales and shot as a rebel, and his body publicly exhibited at Nogales, Sonora.

Late Flashes

CHICAGO, July 19.—(AP)—The National office of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union has announced the start of a national campaign to prevent Governor Al Smith's election to the Presidency. The campaign party in Iowa at the official statement said, because "in the South and West particularly W. C. T. U. women and other dries are being told that Governor Smith is no more of a wet than Herbert Hoover."

ATLANTA, Ga., July 19.—(AP)—Hoke Smith, former governor and senator, and last living member of President Cleveland's cabinet, today was sponsor of a call to "loyal Democrats" of Georgia for a militant campaign on behalf of the Democratic presidential ticket. Declaring himself a Democrat since the days members of his party were "obliged to arm themselves to reach the ballot box," the former senator deplored the "inactivity" of the constituted authorities of the Democratic party in Georgia for having "taken no steps toward an organized, aggressive campaign." He believed action was particularly imperative in view of the "wide-spread and aggressive campaign already inaugurated against the nominees."

DES MOINES, Ia., July 19.—(AP)—Support of Herbert Hoover and confidence in his ability to offer a constructive solution of the farm relief problem have been given by the Republican party in Iowa at the State convention. Commending the Republican nominee yesterday for his statement that the agricultural problem "will and must be solved," resolutions were adopted urging continued effort in behalf of agricultural legislation through an equalization fee or by some other means.

BILOXI, Miss., July 19.—(AP)—In recess until tomorrow the federal grand jury sifting charges of alleged "bartering" of public offices in Mississippi today was making plans to report finally to Judge Edwin R. Holmes. The brief session was forecast for Friday with the probability that an indictment or two in addition to those already returned in partial reports against seven men charging conspiracy to violate the law against the sale of public office might be brought.

CHICAGO, July 19.—(AP)—A peach of a time appears right at hand. According to the government bureau of agricultural economics Georgia, the Carolinas, Washington and California have the best peach crop in years. The forecast of total production this season has been increased to nearly 66,000,000 bushels, which is 45 per cent more than the 1927 crop.

WARSAW, Poland, July 19.—(AP)—While most of Poland is still sweltering from the heat, the temperature in the region of the Carpathians has suddenly dropped to 24 degrees Fahrenheit, destroying virtually all the crops.

WARSAW, Poland, July 19.—(AP)—Police arrested five persons and confiscated diamonds valued at \$70,000 today in a raid upon a suspected smuggling office. When police entered they found forty-two persons, most of whom were frantically trying to hide gems. Some swallowed the stones and some even threw them out of windows.

FAENZA, Italy, July 19.—(AP)—What was described as a terrific earthquake was registered last night at the observatory of Raphael Bandani. It lasted two hours. The center of the disturbance was about 6,375 miles distant. The shocks were reported to be continuing.

LONDON, July 19.—(AP)—The fund contributed by Britons throughout the world for a national memorial to Queen Alexandra has reached a total of £233,000 (about \$1,165,000).

HOUSTON, July 19.—(AP)—After he had discussed with his foster son the different ways to commit suicide, J. M. Rivero, 71, shot and killed himself late Wednesday, according to a verdict by Justice of the Peace Overstreet.

ATLANTA, Ga., July 19.—(AP)—Gaston B. Means, former department of justice agent and prominent figure in the senate investigation of former Attorney General Daugherty, was released from the federal penitentiary here today.

He completed his two year sentence, which ran consecutively, by appearing before a United States commissioner and taking a pauper's oath of inability to pay a \$10,000 fine also imposed upon him. In lieu of payment of this fine he had served an extra 30 days imprisonment.

NEW YORK, July 19.—(AP)—Money order thieves have stolen blank forms with a potential value of \$1,500,000 since January 1st, last, and are now engaged in passing them all over the country. C. M. Glavin, chief inspector at the general post office, announced today. He issued a warning to merchants, hotel keepers and restaurant proprietors to be on the lookout for forged orders.

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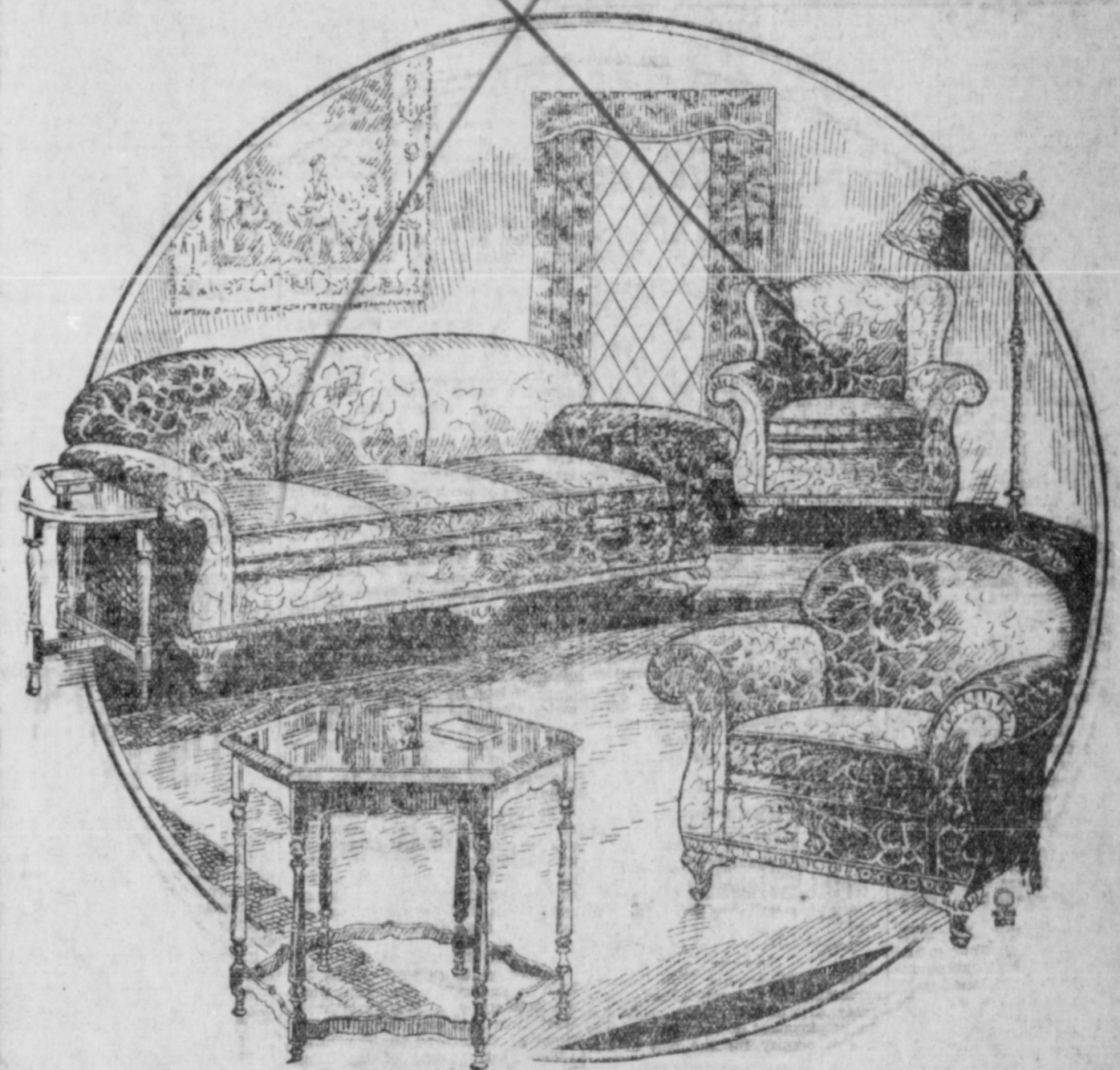
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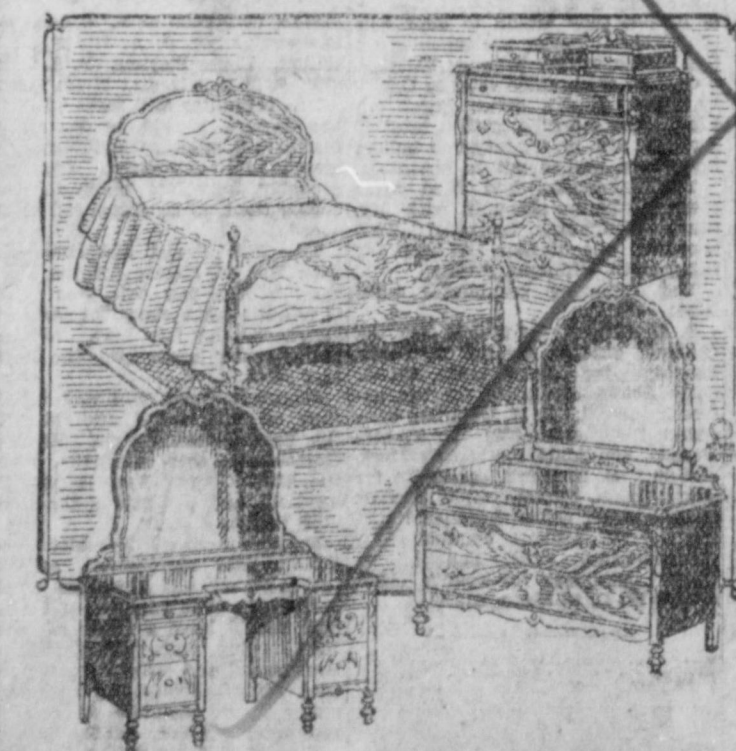
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SYNOPSIS

Molly, the most likable member of the Shannon family, in Texas, is admired by Jo Blackburn, the most bashful boy in the neighborhood, but she discourages his advances because she "hates men, hates marrying, hates children." The drab life of her mother, with a large brood, is a solemn warning to her. Joy finally comes to Molly in a notification that she has won a scholarship in the State University, and she is all excitement as she prepares to leave home for the first time.

CHAPTER III—Continued

The latter crushed her precious letter convulsively in her fist, shoved it into the pocket of her cotton-check dress. Her whole body lurched forward. Leave her—go three hundred miles away, shifting her half of the burden on to those frail twisted shoulders? She must have been mad to dream of such a thing.

CHAPTER IV

During supper she sat in a stupor oblivious to all the noisy clatter about her—the children's quarreling and snatching, to the baby's crying and her father's drawing his coffee up audibly through the blond moustaches. Aint's and seems and does flew unchallenged about her. The twins reached over the table, changed their food, gulped it down whole, unmolested by her.

Not until the dishes were cleared up and she and her mother in the kitchen alone was the letter hesitantly brought forth. She had not told about the examinations, partly because the chance of winning a scholarship had seemed so remote; partly because she dreaded the panicky look that always came into her mother's eyes at the least mention of leaving her.

But she was destined to have her first hint of what really went on behind that tired and furtive exterior. She was to go, of course. They would get on somehow. And when Molly said doggedly she didn't know, Mrs. Shannon repeated, "I didn't, they would get on. Then timely she confessed that she had planned this from the first, even before Molly was born—that she

should have an education. She had tried to save toward it, but there had been so many other children. This was an answer to prayer. Molly who had a healthy, youthful disdain for prayer and was more like to rely on hard work and common sense, had her doubts on this score. Prayer might be all right for feeble, frightened people like her mother. She preferred to stand on her own feet.

The role of Providence was assumed amazingly in the end by Aunt Lena. This personage, Mrs. Shannon's only sister, lived in the largest, the cleanest, the most perfectly managed house in Laws' Chapel.

When news of the scholarship got about, she sent for Molly. She was putting up her fall sweet pickles and she set her niece to peel while she talked. She was glad something by the name of Shannon had shown a spark of "get up." It was more than she had expected. Molly might in the course of time learn enough to teach and help support the family. With breath-taking ease, she checked off the practical details—each to her listener, a mountainous obstacle. Blossom, the third eldest girl, she would take to help her that winter. She would give the twins work sewing wood after school hours. Hannah Lumpkin, the village good angel had agreed to take care of Maggie when the next baby came. The linen for Molly's room in the dormitory she could spare from her own super-abundant store; undergar also. And there was an old black taffeta which could be cut down, etc.

Before Molly, stunned at good fortune, could grasp the reality of the miracle, her departure was at hand. The last precious garment was folded away in the old tin trunk from Aunt Lena's attic—(win to one that stood by her mother's bed. The made-over black taffeta hung, meticulously straight, over the back of a chair. The new hat reposed in state on the bureau. The new shoes stood beside the chair. All waiting with a tense and heartless expectancy. Molly, who had never owned more than one new garment in her whole life before, was experiencing the ecstasy of possession. She pulled down the trunk lid lin-

geringly, dropped the key with unconscious proprietorship into the shiny new handbag.

Long before daylight Molly was on her way to the railroad station. From this northern trip of the great state to the capital was a full day's journey—a tremendous adventure to one who had never been outside her own county. She could have pointed out the mile-post where the train wheels ceased to murmur reproachfully of her mother and the children and began to hum distractingly of her own selfish state of bliss and the new existence she was on the giddy verge of entering.

When dark came down over the prairies, her train was still bounding along, faster and faster, more and more eager, it seemed to her towards this Mecca of hope, the gateway of promise. Students were getting on now at every station, orange-and-white bands on sleeves and hats, orange-and-white pennants on suitcases. There were happy cries of greeting, much slapping one another on the back, chattering groups in the aisles, songs and college yells for the assembled populations along the line. At last a cry burst as from a single throat; heads thrust out of windows.

Molly, who had been feeling alone and very alien in all this hubbub of mirth and good-fellowship, put her head out, too, and caught her breath with frank ingenious rapture. There it was, her promised Land, her shining City of Hope, high in its eyrie of hills and crowned with diadems of stars from the lofty tower-lights which streamed far out across the plains—a welcome prophecy, a sign and seal set in the heavens.

Always to Molly this place was like no other place on earth. The very air seemed different, rarer, more crystalline, with diamond dust in it. The white limestone streets with their funny cobbled crossings, the old stone houses, the hills and sudden vales, the river, the palisades; it was all different from her own flat, black-land prairies, different from the dreary, the trees were those of another climate, feathery mesquite and wiesack and bearded

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(To be continued)

DULA DUE TO BE CHAMPION

Arthur "Kid" Dula is due to be the middleweight champion of the world, in the opinion of Robert E. Howard of Cross Plains, who witnessed the Dula-Tramel battle in Fort Worth last week.

Howard is a close student of the boxing game, and is thoroughly posted on current boxing as well as on the history of the fight game. Writing to The Bulletin today from his home in Cross Plains, Howard says:

"Last Friday night a boy went through his baptism of blood and fire and emerged victorious. The decision went against him but the moral victory was his.

"Arthur Dula of Brownwood, in his slashing, desperate battle against Duke Tramel proved that he was of the stuff of which champions are built. I have seen challengers, champions and near champions perform but that moment in the fourth round, when Dula, his back against the ropes, pinned there by Tramel's murderous attack, and dazed from a terrific right to the temple—made a desperate rally and outslugged the most dangerous slugger the South has ever produced. Outslugged, outfought and battered him back across the ring.

Again in the eighth, when dizzy and bloody the Kid reeled about the ring, out on his feet but with superhuman courage refusing to go down—again in the last desperate round when the Kid weakened by cruel punishment and low blows charged recklessly across the ring; met Tramel in his own corner. And fighting like an uncaged tiger, smashed the weakening slugger from one side of the ring to the other.

Next Champion

"All this leads to the main point; that which came into my mind as I watched that bloody eighth round. Kid Dula is the next Middleweight Champion of the World.

"The Kid has much to learn of the finer points of boxing; but he is a natural hitter, a clever boxer, tough and courageous. More he is aggressive to an extent reminiscent of Dempsey. And like all really great sluggers, like Sullivan, Ketchel, Terry McGovern, Bob Fitzsimmons, and Jack Dempsey, Dula never loses his punch and is most dangerous when apparently out. This quality alone is the greatest gift a fighter can have and one which has sustained Duke Tramel also, through many grim battles and made him for a time, champion of the South-west. And Dula besides this, has other qualities which Tramel lacks, mainly boxing skill and speed. His main handicap is lack of sufficient experience.

"The fight Friday night, boiled down, comes to this: a desperate battle between two iron men, the experience and size hammering out of one being offset by the speed and aggressiveness of the other. A draw would have been fair to both. One of the greatest fights the South has ever seen.

"And Dula is the next middleweight champion. All he needs is proper handling. He has every thing else."

FARMERS ARE FOR DEMOCRATS

DES MOINES, July 17.—(P)—Condemnation of President Coolidge's veto of the McNary-Haugen bill, the Republican farm relief plank and the candidacy of Herbert Hoover today were contrasted with the approval of the Agricultural plank of the Democratic Party as the results of a meeting of the corn belt committee.

Members of the committee, made up of midwestern farm leaders, assembled yesterday to discuss the political situation as it affects the farmer in the forthcoming election. "Organized Agriculture speaking through the corn belt committee hereby expresses its determination to carry on the fight for the principle of the McNary-Haugen bill, which is the only plank that has been suggested to make the protective tariff effective on these agricultural products of which we produce a surplus, without Government subsidy, which we have consistently opposed," said the resolution.

TO SETTLE RIVALRY
CHICAGO, July 19.—(P)—Mike Dundee of Rock Island, Ill., and Joey Deddi, the west Chicago phantom, will attempt to settle their rivalry and get a crack at Tod Morgan's junior lightweight crown when they clash in a ten round bout tonight. The two met recently but drew in the midst of a torrential downpour of rain. Promoter Jim Mullen expects to match the winner with Morgan for the title.

There are 416,530 victims of leprosy in the British Empire.

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During the past thirty years we have departed from the plan of the outlined by Jefferson and the founders of the Democracy and have substituted for Government by law, Government by bureaus and commissions. To these have been delegated the powers which should be exercised by representatives responsible directly to the people. No better illustration of the lack of responsibility to the people on the part of these bureaus can be given than here in Texas where recently the State Board of Water Engineers granted Samuel J. Insull of Chicago the entire inherent water rights of the citizens residing on the water shed of the Colorado River. I am in favor of abolishing such boards and commissions and restoring these functions of government to representatives directly responsible to the people.

The Federal Reserve Bank must be made to better serve the interests of agricultural population. As a farmer in 1920 through the action of the Federal Reserve Board I saw the price of my wheat drop below the cost of production and there was no market for my wool at any price, while ruin stared the producer of cotton and cattle in the face. Congress should curb such powers of the Federal Reserve Bank and make impossible the recurrence of such a condition.

By reason of governmental favoritism, Financial America and Industrial America for the past thirty years have prospered at the expense of Agricultural America. In 1920 forty-three per cent of the nation's people lived on the farm. In 1928 only twenty-nine per cent of the population of the United States was agricultural, and every farmer must continue to see his boys and his girls leave the farm until some steps are taken for the protection of the farmers interests as well as those of the financial and industrial groups.

Since the organization of the government all tariff legislation has been in the interest of the manufacturing sections. In the adjustment of the tariff I shall favor the protection of the interests of the sheep man, the cattleman and the farmer.

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Flying over unfamiliar terrain, dodging in and out of terrific electrical storms, his motor missing badly, "The Mexican Lindbergh" crashed to his death Thursday night in the dense woods eight miles from Chatsworth, less than two hours after he had hopped off from Roosevelt Field, New York, on a projected non-stop flight to Mexico City. He had flown 85 miles.

His body, crushed and broken, and the wrecked machine, a Ryan monoplane similar to that used by Col. Lindbergh in his trans-Atlantic flight, were found late yesterday by berry pickers wandering through the underbrush shortly after another electrical storm had swept through that section.

The cause of the crash in which the 22-year-old Mexican army flier met his death after having brought by air a message of good will from his native land to the United States, was uncertain. Two theories were advanced—one that the plane was demolished high in the air by lightning and the other that it was wrecked by a wind squall.

The lightning theory was somewhat substantiated by six residents of Chatsworth, who heard the roar of an airplane about nine o'clock Thursday night, a few minutes before a severe electrical storm swept across the pine.

Today men of the United States Army and members of the Mount Holly Post of the American Legion stood as a guard of honor over Captain Carranza's body, over which an American flag had been draped, awaiting the arrival of the aviator's father from New York and the Mexican ambassador from Washington.

Portions of the monoplane that were recovered were placed in the army of Company M, 114th Infantry to await examination by aviation experts from Mitchell Field and by Lieutenant Bullock, U. S. A. from Fort Monmouth, Oceanport, N. J., in an effort to determine the cause of the accident.

Captain Carranza took off from Roosevelt Field, at 7:18 p. m., Thursday in the face of an impending storm and against the advice of experts at the field. So isolated is the spot where he crashed that the wreckage, scattered through the woods were not found until 18 hours later. Another three hours elapsed before identification was established. Meantime efforts were made all along his route to find trace of him. Not once was he reported. There was no news at all until the beryllium's discovery.

Captain, although only 22 years old, was a veteran of two wars and the foremost aviator of Mexico. He was born in the small town of Ramos Arizpe, state of Coahuila. As a child he lived for a time in San Antonio and El Paso, Texas, but had spent most of his life in Mexico City. He has visited the United States several times and spoke fairly good English.

Entering the military academy at Mexico City in 1922 he was graduated in 1924 at the age of 19 with the rank of lieutenant. He was made a captain shortly before the start of his flight to Washington June 11.

His first attempt, international attention when he made a 1,200-mile non-stop from Mexico City to Juarez, across the border from El Paso last September. During his flight his plane caught fire and he ran it through a rain cloud, extinguished the flames.

His greatest achievement, he believed, was his 1,875-mile non-stop flight from Camp Kearney, Calif., to Mexico City in May in the plane in which he was killed.

He was the son of Sebastian Carranza, an accountant attached to the Mexican consulate at New York City. He was married four months ago to Senorita Maria Luisa Corbala whose family lives in the state of Sonora.

He was a nephew of the late Mexican president, Venustiano Carranza.

Aviation experts concluded Carranza came to grief as he attempted to make a forced landing when the storm had left him helpless.

In attempting to reconstruct the tragedy, these experts noted that he clutched a flash light in his left hand, indicating that he was trying to locate a landing place. They believed that he had come too close to the ground before he was aware of its proximity; and that the machine struck, the flier was hurled out and the plane bounced along the uneven terrain, being smashed as it hopped from point to point, until it halted against a clump of trees.

The wreckage lay, with the body of the intrepid flier stretched out, face downward, lying sixty feet away.

In Carranza's pockets was a telegram from "Mitchell," observer of the United States Weather Bureau in Washington, giving the weather forecast for the route.

He was advised to fly high; that it would be cloudy.

In another pocket was \$100 in Mexican money and \$75 in United States currency. Some of the bills had been torn in two by the force of his fall.

His wrist watch, which had ticked away long after its owner had met his tragic end, was found about 20

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DALLAS FIGHT OVER SMITH REACHES PEAK

DALLAS, July 17.—(P)—Terming Governor Alfred E. Smith's promise to point the way to modification of the liquor law as treason, some 400 Democrats of Texas meeting here today organized a state-wide body to fight the candidacy of the New York governor and work "unceasingly for the election of Herbert Hoover to the presidency of the United States."

About a dozen former Democratic leaders of the state, ministers and one Methodist bishop flayed Governor Smith for his modification stand and predicted that if he were elected to the highest office in the land he "would turn America over to the liquor interest."

Although declaring the United States was facing one of the most serious crises, the speakers were in accord in predicting the election of Hoover. Speakers asserted that the Democratic party would suffer the greatest defeat in its history and predicted that more than 300,000 Democrats would bolt the party in Texas.

Perhaps the strongest indictment

of the meetings was that made by Dr. J. W. Hunt of Abilene, president of McMurry College, who declared that "vilest insult ever flung in the face of southern people was the action taken by the National Convention in Houston when it nominated Governor Smith."

He not only delivered a tirade against Governor Smith and the Democratic convention, but scathingly denounced Senator Joe Robinson, Democratic nominee for the vice-presidency.

"Sold His Name"
"Robinson went down there and sold his name to the party for the sake of a wet nomination and a wet vote," Dr. Hunt said. "I had rather vote for Al Smith than Robinson."

The Arkansas senator will not get enough votes in West Texas to line the inside of his hat. Coin and corn is the shibboleth now of the Democrats.

"The Houston convention was a damnable travesty on the name of Democracy ever pulled off in the history of the party if we bolt the ticket, but in November they will find they have no party," he shouted. This brought cheers and virtually every one in the auditorium stood as they applauded.

Dr. Hunt said that he had just returned from a speaking tour of West Texas and asserted that his part of the state would vote overwhelmingly for Hoover.

V. A. Collins, former State Senator, was the "keynote." He warned that he was not speaking for any organization, but merely expressing his own views and beliefs as a citizen. "But you must not lose sight of this fact," Collins said, "We are gathered here to do but one thing

—organize a campaign for the defeat of Al Smith and the election of Herbert Hoover." He was interrupted by cheers.

Never Voted G. O. P.
Collins declared that he had been a life-long Democrat and had never voted for a Republican, but this was one time he was going to break his rule. He spoke of the Democratic pledge, which every Democrat is required to take—that he will support the party nominee. "If that pledge ever was legal, or if there is such a pledge, it does not exist now," Collins declared. "Smith repudiated the Democratic platform when he sent his message of treason to Houston, and this act alone would nullify any party pledge," he shouted.

"When Al Smith in his message to the Houston convention said that he would point the way to modification of the liquor law, he then became a traitor to the constitution of the United States. You talk about moral courage, why Smith is a man of immoral courage and unfit to be the Democratic nominee," Collins thundered.

After the address of Collins the meeting went into permanent organization. Dr. J. D. Sandifer, president of Simmons University, Abilene, was unanimously elected permanent chairman; Alvin Moody of Houston, vice-chairman, and Mrs. Josephine Collins of Dallas, official of the Texas W. C. T. U., secretary.

The committee on organization follows: G. W. Armstrong, Arlington; Marshall Hicks, San Antonio; B. D. Sartin, Wichita Falls; Alvin Moody, Houston; Mrs. J. T. Bloodworth, Fort Worth; Mrs. Kindred, Mexico; Mrs. Dallas; Mrs. Morgan; C. P. Collins, Dallas; of Bryan, and Dallas.

The Coca-Cola Bottling Company

Four years ago the Coca-Cola Bottling Co., of Brownwood, bought a used truck with a used Michelin tire on it. They have run this truck continuously ever since, and say themselves that it is really astonishing the service this tire has given.

This truck was sent to Menard this week to be placed in service by the company at that point, and a lot of service is still expected from the

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McALISTER MOTOR CO. OPENING SATURDAY

TO CELEBRATE ENTRANCE INTO NEW BUILDING

The McAlister Motor Company, formerly known as the McAlister Auto Company, is now in its new building, 109 South Broadway Street, and will have a formal opening Saturday.

The new building will be unique, fitting into effect several features new to a Brownwood public before.

The McAlister Motor Company is one of the substantial and steadily growing concerns of Brownwood, and its getting into its new building, especially constructed for its use, is evidence of its keeping abreast with the growth of the town and the large trade in this country which it serves.

The Brownwood Motor Company has been in Brownwood for eight years, and for its entire history has been under the management of Tate McAlister, its present head. It began business in a small way in 1920 and its growth has been rapid but steady and substantial. Mr. Alister

has associated with him expert mechanics and heads of departments, men who know all phases of the automobile business and who know what the public needs and what it wants. Good service, courteous treatment, satisfied customers, the best of work on every car that comes into the shop—that is the watchword throughout the entire plant.

On Former Site

The new building of this company is on the same site that it has occupied for the last four years. It is therefore in a new home, with new equipment and much that is new in the way of its surroundings, but neither the firm nor the location is new to the people who now patronize it, except that many new customers are being added to its list of regular patrons.

The new building in addition to its modern appearance, which is in keeping with the progress of Brownwood, gives the company more room than it formerly had, and greatly increased facilities for the work, business and general service in character of its construction.

Fireproof construction

The building is 67x100 feet. It is of brick construction and practically fireproof. The big interior with its concrete floor is free from posts, and this is one of the largest buildings in Brownwood that hasn't the posts or columns. The absence of the posts greatly increases the amount of room and adds to the

convenience in driving cars into the building.

This is a corner building with three entrances. Along with other conveniences there are rest rooms for both women and men, and tourists or local patrons find it in every way a most convenient and satisfactory place to have their auto needs attended to.

Drive-in Station

The filling station is one part of the McAlister Motor Company business that has undergone a great change and improvement with construction of the new building. Formerly there was only a curb station, at the front of the building, with one pump. Now there is a beautiful and modern equipped drive-in station with three pumps and every facility for prompt and satisfactory service. Two of the pumps are for regular gasoline and one for Ethyl gasoline. The popular T. & P. Coal Company gases and oil are used. The air equipment is unsurpassed.

The new building not only affords large space for cars and for work on them, but it is so constructed as to give lots of light and ventilation.

Life Time With Cars

Tate McAlister, founder of the McAlister Motor Company and its present head, has grown up in the automobile business.

He has made Brownwood his home for about 20 years of the 28 years of his life, but during about seven years of that time he traveled, visiting nearly all parts of the civilized world. He worked much of the time, from place to place, as an automobile mechanic, and gained a thorough knowledge of every kind of car.

His work and training include experience in some of the largest factories. He has worked in the big plants of the Ford Motors Company, the Continental Motor Company, the Chalmers (now the Chrysler).

McAlister has truly grown up in the business, but he hasn't just grown up. He has given attention and study to automobiles that coupled with his actual experience as a workman give him a thorough knowledge of all car requirements. He doesn't do much, if any, of the actual work now, his time being taken up with general management and direction of the business, but this thorough and expert knowledge of cars and car work, makes him able to see that the best and most satisfactory service is given in every department. He knows when men are real workmen and he knows when a job of work has been properly done, and it is the policy that no other kind of a job ever leaves that shop.

McAlister is 28 years old, and married. He is an active and busy citizen of Brownwood, and his energy and application to business are bringing their reward in the constantly growing business which he directs.

Young Shop Manager

Bill Young, who needs no introduction to the people of Brownwood, and especially needs no introduction to a very large number of car owners who have had opportunity to become acquainted with his service, is manager of the shop work, or repair department of the McAlister Motor Company. He was for five years with the Chevrolet people in Brownwood before going with the McAlister Company. He was previous to that in the general repair business. He is a man who knows cars and car work, and with those associated with him in his department is having a big part in pulling the McAlister Motor Company to the front in Brownwood.

With Mr. Young are other expert mechanics in his department. Joe Jones, mechanic, was with the Ford company in Brownwood for five years before going with the McAlister Company. He has been with the company since it began work in the new building, the first of this month.

W. L. McAlister, brother of Tate, another who has brought to service of the concern a very thorough experience and study of automobile work. He is also in the repair department. He spent four years with the Wylis-Overland people at Wichita Falls and one year in the Wylis-Overland service in Brownwood.

Service Station

The McAlister service station is in charge of Frank Allen, assisted by E. J. Tatum. They are both men who know their business and who believe that a service station should give real service. They make it a service station in fact as well as in name.

Knows Tires

The vulcanizing department is in charge of J. M. Edge. Edge has always specialized in tires, and knows what there is to know about them. He was formerly with Fifth Street Tire Service in Fort Worth. He is a graduate of the Racine Tire Factory.

New Equipment

The McAlister Motor Company has put in new office and shop equipment on getting into its new building.

New vulcanizing and tire equipment are among the additions, and in every way the shop is being kept to the front as one of those best prepared to handle any line of car work. The equipment includes much of the very latest machinery on the market.

The new building has large and

attractive glass front. The McAlister Motor Company has occupied this site for four years. When the construction of the new building was begun some weeks ago, a temporary office was opened and maintained at this stand, but building was practically suspended while construction was under way. The new building was moved into on the first of July, and the amount of business coming to them at once, it is learning from the management, was very gratifying. The place is now running at full blast with everybody busy.

Lee Tire Line

The McAlister Motor company has recently taken on the Lee tires. While the company has not handled this tire heretofore, it is known as one of the old and popular lines of tires, and it is with pleasure, says Tate McAlister, that he is able to announce the addition of the Lee to their business. In the several years that he has known the Lee tires, he states, he has never heard a complaint concerning them.

Discontinues Rent Cars

Heretofore the McAlister Motor Company has had a rent car department. This department will now be discontinued, McAlister states, in order to give full attention to the regular lines of service in which the company specializes.

The services to which attention is given includes all general repair work, washing, greasing and storing cars and all the services maintained by first class and most up-to-date motor companies. A large line of accessories is carried, and the motorist finds this place ready to supply promptly any regular or emergency needs of the car.

Mr. McAlister, Mr. Young, and all those associated with them, want the public to come and visit them in their new home. They extend a very special invitation to everybody to attend the formal opening Saturday, July 21.

To Our Dear Friends:

I take this method to thank one and all of you for your kind and loving care you have up in our angel mother's last illness and who were so thoughtful to bring flowers; and I thank you one and all from the depths of my heart for all of mother's children. May God bless you all is the prayer of her children.

E. BELL and Wife.
J. O. BELL and wife.
E. L. SPARKS and family.
M. F. LUSK and Family.
NETTIE BELL MILLHOLLON and Husband.
A. B. MILLER and Family.
J. B. MILLER and Family.
Stanton, Texas, July 11, 1928.

NINETY BOY SCOUTS LEAVE BROWNWOOD TO ATTEND ANNUAL CAMP

About 90 Boy Scouts left Brownwood Tuesday for Camp Ellis, 12 miles west of San Saba, there to join with some 180 other Scouts from the area composed of Brown, Erath, Comanche, Mills, San Saba and Lampasas counties, in their ten days encampment.

Some of the boys left here as early as 5 o'clock a. m. Tuesday, and others later in the morning. Four trucks and several cars conveyed them and their equipment to the camp. Among the Brownwood men who have gone to the encampment with the boys are J. H. Ragsdale, J. K. Wilkes, Dewey Ray, Clifford Pouncey, and "Cap" Shelton.

Hubert Coston, who went to Camp Ellis with Jack Burnberg, Scout executive, and "bull gang," Saturday, returned to Brownwood Monday afternoon. He states that the "bull gang" had about gotten up all the tents and the cook shacks when he left and had everything in readiness for the opening of the encampment.

The Boy Scouts here are off for one of the biggest events in their history, at this encampment, and they have a program that will keep them busy for the full ten days.

Smith Leaves Plans to Close Friends

ALBANY, N. Y., July 17.—(P)—Apparently in no hurry to disclose the exact lines of which he will conduct his presidential fight, Governor Smith is leaving the formulation of campaign details to a group of friends and Democratic party leaders, who for the most part intend to direct operations from New York City.

John J. Raskob, the new national committee chairman and as such campaign director, was back in that city today after a week's end out of town as was Herbert Lehman, campaign finance director. They are counted on by the Governor during the next few days to work out a complete campaign organization in conferences with others among them Senator Gerry of Rhode Island, head of the advisory committee, and Mrs. Nellie Tayloe Ross of Wyoming, chairman of the women's division.

At the Windsor electric plant of the Ohio Power Company ashes are carried over the hill back of the plant by an aerial cableway and dumped in the valley beyond.

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Our Country Store

On the opening day, Saturday, July 21, we will give to Every Person Purchasing Five Gallons of Gasoline his choice of any of the following Country Store Articles.

Pickles - Bacon - Salad Dressing - and Lard

And Numerous Other Items From the County Store

Cars Washed Free!

ON SATURDAY, THE OPENING DAY, WE WILL WASH ALL THE CARS WE CAN ON THAT DAY

THE WASHING WILL COST YOU ABSOLUTELY NOTHING

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A Complete Line of
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FACTORY REPRESENTATIVE

On Saturday, a Factory Branch Representative for the Lee Tire Company, Mr. Coleman, will be here for the purpose of advising with you on all your TIRE TROUBLES
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LEE TIRES and TUBES

We are opening with a larger than \$2,000 stock of Lee Tires and Tubes and will, in the near future, practically double the stock we now have on hand.

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In Our Well Equipped Shop we will Give You FREE OF CHARGE
On Saturday, the opening day, a complete "tune-up" for your motor.

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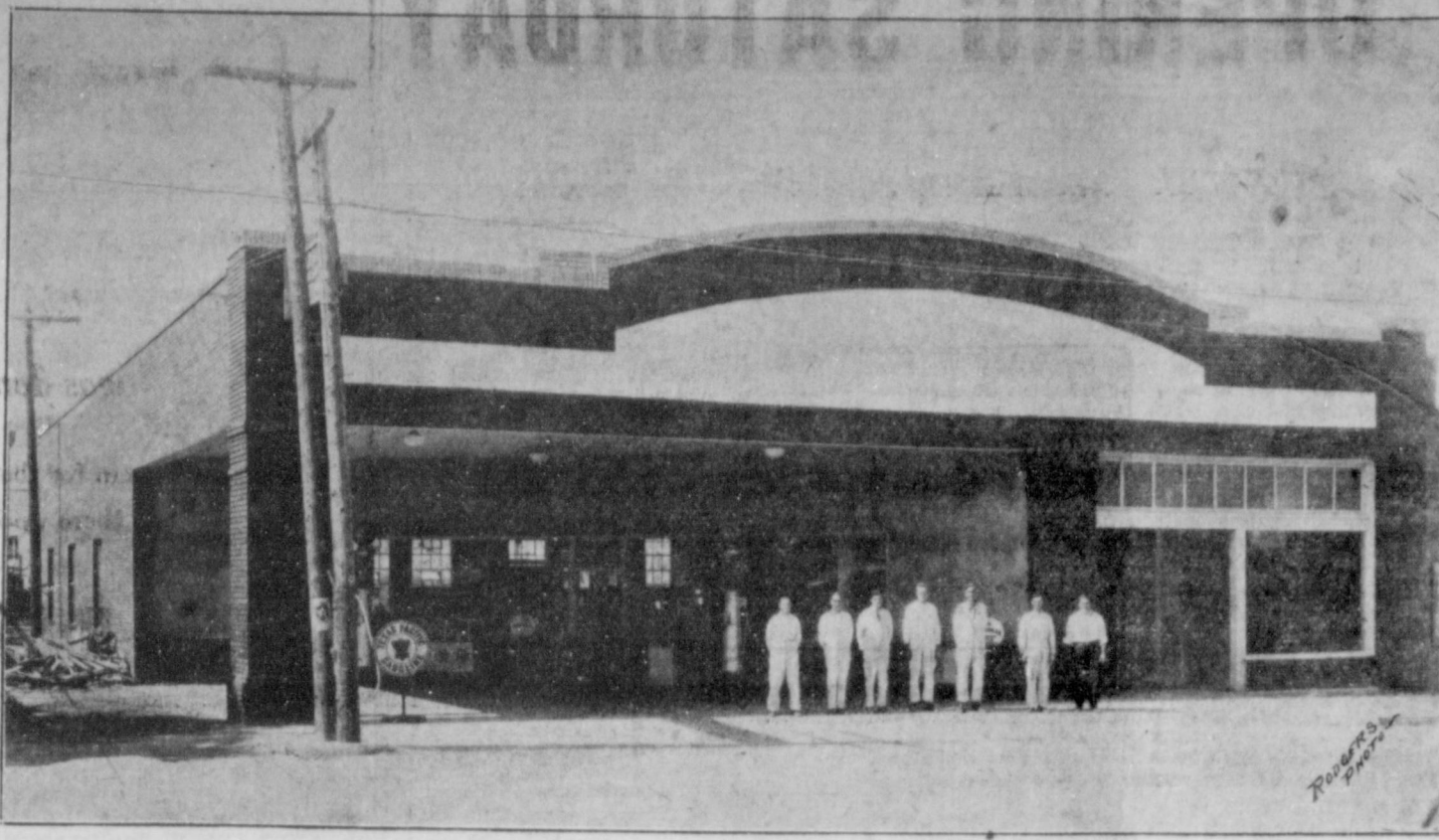
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New Home of McAlister Motor Company



The new home of the McAlister Motor Company, into which the local garage and service station has recently moved. The men in the picture, reading from left to right, are E. J. Tatum, Frank Allen, J. M. Edge, Joe Jones, John Dugger, Bill Young, manager of the shop, and Tate McAlister, owner of the McAlister Motor Company. The formal opening of the new home of the company will be held Saturday.

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EMPLOYEES TO HAVE SUNDAY REST PERIOD

The McAlister Motor Company announces a new policy that it knows will meet the approval of the employees, and which it feels equally sure will meet the approval of the public.

It is simply this. Hereafter the business will be closed every Sunday from 1 to 4 p. m.

Heretofore the plant, in its desire to give an every-minute service, has kept open all day every Sunday. The company is no less desirous now to give a full time service, but feels that all employees are entitled to a few hours off on Sunday, and so announces the new policy. Patrons are asked to assist in giving the employees this rest and recreation period, as much as possible, by looking after supplying their wants, so far as they can, at a time that will leave these hours free. In that way the appreciation will be doubled. Everybody connected with the plant will greatly appreciate the patronage when it is received and all employees will appreciate the opportunity afforded them for their three hours vacation.

On every week day the McAlister Motor Company opens at 6 o'clock in the morning and remains open until midnight, affording a straight eighteen-hour service.

Blanket

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Stewart visited relatives at Comanche Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith and children of Brownwood visited Elsie's Daughtery and family last Tuesday night.

Jim Switzer and family and Fort at Switzer left Wednesday for family and other points in the West, to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Dowdy and the daughter, Valera of Dallas spent several days last week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Ashley and baby of Lamesa spent last week with his mother, Mrs. Virgie Ashley.

Miss Ruby Beckham of Brownwood is visiting friends here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Martin and children of Sonora spent several days last week with her mother, Mrs. Virgie Ashley and other relatives.

Misses Thelma and Nina Dasey came home Saturday from Stephenville, where they attended the first term of summer school.

Mrs. Blake McLaughlin and Miss Haze McLaughlin visited Mrs. Janie McLaughlin at Steppes Creek Friday.

Turrel Lumber of Fort Worth was in Blanket a short time one day last week.

M. F. Dossey and family and T. V. Austin and family left Sunday for Birmingham, Alabama, and other points to visit for sometime.

Mr. and Mrs. Mal Reeves of Abilene visited relatives here last week.

Miss Alice Rupe and Mrs. George Knudson and children were shopping in Brownwood Wednesday.

S. E. Lacy, Jr., is having considerable trouble with a bruised hand this week, he went to Brownwood Thursday to have it treated. Mrs. Lacy accompanied him.

Mrs. Byers and children of Brownwood, visited J. W. Porter and family Thursday.

Sani Haddon and Beryl Switzer were Brownwood visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Forehand of Brownwood, visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Carey of Pioneer, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Ben Nix this week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Garrett and baby of Dublin, visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Porter Thursday.

GIFTS WITH EACH FIVE GALLONS GAS

The McAlister Motor Company extends you a special invitation to attend its formal opening in its new building Saturday, July 21.

The program for the opening is something new—it is something unique.

A country store will be maintained at the McAlister Motor Company on that date, and every one buying five gallons of gasoline can take home, free, something from that store.

Taking Home the Bacon
Every one buying five gallons of gasoline Saturday will be given his choice of a jar of pickles, a pack of bacon, a pound of lard or a bottle of salad dressing. This will be free with the purchase of gasoline. There will also probably be other things in the store than can be substituted for either of these if the purchaser desires.

Everybody is invited to come and visit during the day whether they make any purchases or not, and all who make their purchases of gasoline are very cordially invited to make their selections from the country store.

You are invited, is again repeated, to attend the opening. A visit Saturday may be made early or it may be made late, but should not fail to be made. The formal opening will begin Saturday morning at 8:30 o'clock and will continue until midnight. That should give everybody an opportunity to attend.

Free Car Wash
And a few moments ago when the free bacon, or other commodities from company's larder for that day were being mentioned, whole story of the plans for the day was not told. There is still more to interest the public.

All day long on that day the McAlister Motor Company will celebrate by washing cars free of charge. "We will wash as many cars as we can get to that day free of charge," is the statement they have made.

And still another thing. They will make all minor adjustments on cars Saturday free. Motor inspection and any job not requiring more than 30 or 40 minutes will be done free. Mr. McAlister states.

The formal opening of the McAlister Motor Company will be something that it won't do to miss.

children left Tuesday for San Antonio and Corpus Christi, where they will visit for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Alsberry and little son of Houston, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Smith and Mrs. Smith returned home with them for week's visit.

Miss Maurine Bird of Brownwood, spent the week-end with her homefolks.

Rev. R. T. Capps accompanied by his wife left Friday for Zephy, where he is holding a revival this week.

Mrs. J. R. Deen is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. McInnis and Miss Patricia Squire and Flora Smith of Brownwood, visited F. H. Smith and family a short time Thursday evening.

Mrs. C. A. Stewart and little son Charles, spent several days this week with her mother, Mrs. J. F. Deen.

The marriage of Miss Zelma Porter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Porter to Mr. Roy Blackmon, occurred at the home of Rev. Epper son Saturday afternoon, July 14. Mr. Blackmon is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. K. Blackmon.

Both of these young people were reared in the vicinity of Blanket and both have hosts of friends who wish them a full measure of happiness and success as they journey through life together.

Mr. and Mrs. Joy Deen of Brownwood, visited J. R. Deen and family Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Epperson, the Presbyterian pastor, preached at the Methodist church Sunday morning.

The members of the Curry family met in a reunion at the home of

their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Curry Sunday, July 8. This was the first time that all their children had been at home together in fifteen years.

Those present were Mrs. J. C. Hanks and children of Wichita Falls, Mrs. C. S. Coleman and daughter, Verna Catherine of Miles, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Curry and family of Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. V. F. Curry and son, Billy, of Hamilton, W. G. Curry and Mrs. H. L. Moore of Blanket. They spent a very enjoyable day, talking and taking pictures and the like.

Mrs. E. A. Chaslain and Miss Jessie Mae Haddon and Daphne Chaslain were shopping Brownwood Monday.

Mrs. H. L. Moore, J. C. Hanks, C. S. Coleman and T. M. Curry visited V. E. Curry of Hamilton last week.

Reuben, Ian and Glen Moore and Elgin Tidwell left last week for the harvest fields on the Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Colter and Mrs. Edwards of Coleman, visited Mr. and Mrs. Colter Sunday.

T. M. Curry and W. G. Curry were in Brownwood Monday.

A. J. McLaughlin and Mrs. John Strickland were Brownwood visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ferguson attended quarterly conference at Turkey Peak Saturday.

The population of Greater London is always growing; in 1926 it was 7,805,870, compared with 6,581,402 in 1901. The administrative county, on the other hand, remains nearly stationary, about 4,500,000.

International goodwill is fostered by the practice of such courtesies and friendships, according to auto club officials.

FLAG COURTESY
Motorists who want to show their nationality by displaying the flag of their country when entering British Columbia should practice the reciprocal courtesy of showing also the flag of the nation being visited, according to a suggestion from the Automobile Club of Southern California. When a series of flags are carried, at least one should be that of the visited country.

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EXECUTE MAN WHO KILLED HIS CHILD

BOSTON, July 17.—(AP)—Nathan Desatnick, 25 year old Dorchester fruit peddler, died in the electric chair at the state prison early today for the killing of his illegitimate child. He was convicted as an accessory before murder.

Desatnick went to his doom repeating in Hebrew after Chaplain Moses L. Sedar portions of the Twenty-third Psalm. He left a letter addressed to "Jewish young men and women," blaming gossiping neighbors for his troubles. "I have been ashamed of my illegitimate child that I didn't want to take home," he wrote.

He contended at his trial that he had given the baby to a man named "Harry Balkan," who was to take it to a boarding house in New York. The infant's body was found in a lake near Shrewsbury last June. Desatnick was unable to produce Balkan, whom the prosecution branded as a "figment of the imagination."

Desatnick's young wife appealed to Governor Fuller last week for her husband. In her arms she had her second child, a four months old baby.

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Extra Special Fries on Flour For the Balance of the Week

24-lb. Sack Golden Seal	95c
48-lb. Sack Golden Seal	\$1.75
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48-lb. Sack Prize Loaf	\$1.85
24-lb. White Deer, none better	\$1.10
48-lb. White Deer	\$2.15

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In order to make room for our Fall Stock of Pianos and Victrolas, we have decided to sacrifice the price on a dozen or more instruments. Every Piano and Victrola thoroughly guaranteed to be as represented and carries our usual guarantee. If you are interested in the purchase of an instrument, it will be to your advantage to look over these items. It will mean a great saving to you.

FIRST—A Brand new Robert M. Cable Player Piano in mahogany finish, dull, regular price \$875.00
Our Price for Saturday, 30 months to pay \$455.00

SECOND—A Lyon & Healy Player Piano, Player action reconditioned by factory, guaranteed like new, regular price \$650.00—Special 30 months to pay \$355.00

THIRD—An Edward B. Healy Player, Like new, factory reconditioned, fully guaranteed, 30 months to pay, only \$325.00

FOURTH—A Gulbranson Registering Piano, new mandolin attachment, 30 months to pay, only \$490.00

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1—Victor Portable, regular price when new \$50.00 sale price, \$1.00 cash, 1.00 per week \$17.50

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Holders should consult their banks at once for further details of this offering.

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A. W. MELLON,
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Benedictine Ruler was bred by Col. A. V. Barnes of New Canaan, Conn., and he is now owned by Shelton Bros., Brownwood. His first three medal daughters have the following records:
Jolly's Cleo: Benedictine won her medal by producing 495.25 lbs. of butterfat and 9,569 lbs. of milk in 365 days, with calf. She is owned and was tested by Shelton Brothers.

Benedictine Ruler's Pearl, another purebred Jersey heifer owned and tested by Shelton Brothers, yielded 492.53 lbs. of butterfat and 9,570 lbs. of milk in 365 days, calving in time to qualify for her Silver Medal.

The fourth daughter to win a Silver Medal is Benedictine Goldene Cleo, a two-year-old heifer which has a record of 492.53 lbs. of butterfat and 10,611 lbs. of milk made in 365 days.
Benedictine Ruler is by Sybil's Ruler, a son of the Gold and Silver Medal bull, Sybil's Gamoge. The dam of this new Silver Medal sire is the famous Connecticut cow, Benedictine Maid.

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SILENCE ON SUCCESSOR TO HOOVER

SUPERIOR, Wis., July 17.—(AP)—Herbert Hoover had a few hours more today with President Coolidge at the summer White House on the Brule river, before resuming his westward journey tonight to Palo Alto for his official notification ceremonies next week.

While Hoover will continue to hold the title of commerce secretary until his successor is appointed, it is known that he is definitely through with that office and so will be able to devote all his time hereafter to planning the strategy of his campaign and to conducting his personal contest for the presidency. The visit of the Republican standard bearer caused renewed discussion as to his successor as the head of the commerce department, but without any indication as to whom the president had under consideration. There was also a rigid silence as to the successor of Hubert Work, who resigned his place as Interior Secretary after Hoover placed him at the head of the Republican national committee in immediate charge of the national organization being built up for the impending campaign.

Before beginning their conference, the President and Mr. Hoover had a couple of hours of recreation, fishing in the Brule river, where Mr. Coolidge has been successful during his month's visit here, and where the Republican nominee fished fifteen years ago. The official announcement of the day's catch yesterday—eight each—indicated the President and his guest were well matched in the art of angling.

FINANCIER VANISHED ON 4TH OF JULY

BULOONE, France, July 18.—(AP)—The body of Captain Alfred Lowenstein, noted Belgian financier who disappeared from an airplane while it was crossing the English channel at a height of 4,000 feet on July 4, was found near here today.

The body of the Belgian banker was taken to Calais this evening by a fishing boat and the identity was established by means of a wrist watch.
The tragic end of Captain Alfred Lowenstein caused a sensation that had echoes on the stock exchanges of London, Paris, Brussels and Berlin. A police inquiry in France developed only that his valet and stenographers, who were accompanying him on the trip, noted his disappearance when he failed to return from a lavatory at the rear of the machine. They found a door open and later the captain's collar and tie were discovered in the plane. Surmises as to the tragedy ranged from theories of accidental death to hoax. Members of the Lowenstein family and intimate friends of the financier strenuously denied that he had any reason to commit suicide.

BANK LOOTED IN OKLAHOMA

SALINA, Okla., July 19.—(AP)—Forcing their customers to a face downward on the floor of the lobby while they held two officers at bay with guns, two men robbed the Bank of Salina here today and escaped with approximately \$2,500 in currency.

With the two men when they escaped in an eastward direction was a third member of the party who was waiting for the two bandits at the curb.

Anti-Smith Drys of South Unite

ASHEVILLE, N. C., July 19.—(AP)—Organization of the "southern dry and anti-Smith Democrats" was perfected today at the second executive session of the conference of southern dry Democrats here. The name was formally adopted with approval of a report by a committee named yesterday to draw up a statement of purposes and a plan of procedure.

The committee reported today with a 1600 word platform and plan of procedure that was discussed privately for more than two hours.
The platform was expected to be made public at the close of the session, although its adoption was announced while the conference was working on appointment of a committee consisting of representatives from every southern state to plan ways and means of defeating governor Alfred E. Smith.

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NEW STORAGE FACILITIES AT WITCHER PLANT

The Witcher Produce Company, 402-4 South Broadway, has built two new storage rooms, greatly enlarging the capacity of its plant and putting it in shape to handle an increased volume of business.

The Witcher Produce Company, also, is preparing to take another step in its business that seems to the reporter to be of such importance and interest that he cannot refrain from mentioning it here, rather than to wait and let it develop in logical sequence later on the story, after an account of the present improvements has been given. The company is going to install here a \$2,000-type incubator, which is the largest type of incubator in the world.

The new storage rooms are each 30x30 feet, and have been built primarily to take care of the turkey business. During the present season, however, the summer months, when the turkey season is off, the storage facilities are used for refrigeration for fruits, vegetables, eggs, or other perishable commodities.

Car Turkeys Daily
The new storage and refrigeration space gives the Witcher plant the facilities to dress and cool a car of turkeys a day. Each of the storage rooms has space for one car of turkeys, or 2,500 birds, on the cooling shelves. While room of turkeys is being cooled the other is being filled up. It takes 24 hours to "pull out the heat" from the turkeys. The temperature of the cooling rooms can be brought to below 29 degrees, when a reporter stepped into one of them on one of the hot days this week, the temperature was being held at 27 degrees, or five degrees below freezing.

As will be seen, the new storage rooms really have the room for cooling out two cars of turkeys in a day, but by the process of operation, they will be shipped out while shipped out and the room refilled and so on through the turkey season.

There is space on the shelves for the one car of turkeys, but when they are cooled and put in barrels, several cars could be stored in the place.

Egg Storage
The plant now has storage space for 10 or 12 cars of eggs. They can be kept in good condition all thru the summer and since there are 30 dozen eggs in a case and it takes 400 cases to fill a car, it will be seen that is quite a lot of eggs.
The new storage rooms are of the latest type, giving the "dry storage" and said to be the largest dry storage rooms west of Fort Worth.

The Witcher Produce Company began business in Brownwood about 12 years ago and has continued under the same management ever since. It started in with a small business, buying a few coops of turkeys a week.

Last season—beginning the first of November and running through the turkey season—the company shipped out 12 cars of turkeys. It shipped about 60 cars of eggs last year. Shipments also included, in addition to the turkeys and eggs, a large amount of chickens and butter.

Turns Money Loose
The money paid out to people of the Brownwood trade territory for turkeys last season, by this one firm alone, was not less than \$60,000, to say nothing of the eggs, butter, chickens and other products.

In its plans for putting in its \$2,000-type incubator, the Witcher Company is laying the basis for a bigger poultry and produce business in this country. They want to get the farmers to furnish them the eggs for the incubator. Then they plan to let the farmers have the baby chicks to raise, and then to buy the chickens back when they are ready for the market. It should increase business all around.

Coleman County Reports Eighteen Late Locations
COLEMAN, July 19.—(AP)—Probably resulting from the completion of the Charter Oil Company, E. J. Cunningham No. 2 Crump in the Santa Anna pool, 18 locations in scattered acres of Coleman county were made last week indicating that high gravity crude oil producers are still optimistic over the possibilities within this country and which have in no way been fully exploited.

Charter & Cunningham made the locations for the No. 3 Crump. In the same Santa Anna pool Byrd & Gaton made the location for the No. 2 Moody. Two locations were made in the Wm. Webber survey No. 22.
Aiche Oil Corporation's No. 1 J. C. Gates in the center of the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of block 1, section 28, C. H. & H. survey is rigging up prepared to drill.
Bavleak Oil Company's No. 1 H. Sackett is digging the slush pit.
Dodd-Bebout & Sullivan's No. 1 R. L. Kirkpatrick, 350 feet from the non line and 250 feet from the west line of section 3, of the A. H. Cleveland survey No. 495, spudded Saturday.
Burrill & al No. 1 Thomas in the C. Waters survey is a two week location.
Foster & al's No. 1 Amelle and Overall A. 1 is drilling around 1,500 feet.
Kingwood Oil Company No. 1 Sully & al is preparing to drill.
Kicks et al No. 1 E. C. Coursey in the M. Givon survey No. 38 is shut down 1,200 feet.
Marshall Oil Company No. 2 Overall 14, C. H. & H. survey, is drilling around 1,500 feet.
McGinnis & al No. 1 W. B. D.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Banner-Bulletin is authorized to make the following announcements for political office, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

For Congress, 17th District:
T. P. PERKINS of Mineral Wells.
HOMER SHANKS, of Callahan County.
R. N. CRISHAM of Eastland, Texas.

For Representative, 125th Legislative District (Brown and Coleman Counties):
FRANK P. GRANTHAM.

For County Judge:
GEO. D. DAVIS.
F. M. DAVIS (Re-election).
W. R. CHAMBERS.

For Sheriff, Brown County:
W. C. TOLLESON.
M. H. (BARNEY) CRAVENS.
M. H. DENHAM.

For County Clerk:
S. E. STARK.
(For Re-Election)
J. T. McDONALD
W. J. ODELL
MARION FORD
M. L. (Luther) COBB
W. E. (Bill) BURLESON.

For District Clerk:
CHAS. S. BYNUM
(Re-election).

For Tax Collector:
W. A. BUTLER
(Re-election).
S. L. SNIDER.

For Tax Assessor:
CLAIR BETTIS
(Re-election).
T. E. (Tom) HILL.

For County Attorney:
T. C. WILKINSON
(Re-election).

For School Superintendent:
J. OSCAR SWINDLE.
(Re-election).
J. S. ARMSTRONG.

For County Treasurer:
J. R. LEWIS
(Re-election).

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1:
E. T. PERKINSON.
(Re-election).

For Commissioner Precinct 1:
N. A. PINSON
(Re-election).

For Commissioner, Precinct 3:
L. F. BIRD
(Re-election).

For Public Weigher:
L. Q. (Bud) REESE
(Re-election).

Smith is located 150 feet from the north and 150 feet from the east line of the west 80 acres in the John Martin survey No. 723, section 21.
W. B. Moss et al No. 1 W. R. Moss spudded Tuesday in the west half of the north half of section 70, I. C. & I. survey.
E. W. Price No. 1 Lefenore & Stuckmay is a location in the Santa Anna pool. No. 1 C. H. Pramon, Samuel Sprague survey No. 659, is a location.
S. J. Taylor No. 1 R. C. Gray has spudded in the Pendleton survey No. 274, south of Santa Anna.

2 Alleged Bandits Are Under Arrest

DALLAS, July 19.—(AP)—Two men, believed to be members of the gang who held up and robbed the paymaster of the San Antonio Light of a \$6,000 payroll several weeks ago and later engaged in a series of robberies in Dallas, were on their way here today from Shreveport, La., in custody of three Dallas officers.

The alleged bandits were arrested by Shreveport officers Tuesday after a pistol fight there between a woman and a policeman. The woman was in an automobile with the two men, but escaped. A third member of the gang eluded Shreveport officers by jumping from the automobile, which later was found several miles from the city. The machine was identified as one reported stolen here.

The pistol fight occurred when a Shreveport officer approached the party as they stopped at an oil station. When he started questioning one of the men the woman jerked a pistol from the seat and opened fire. The driver of the car sped away as the officer returned the fire. Shortly after the car was found two of the men were arrested in the woods.

Several Arrested After Vienna Riots

VIENNA, July 18.—(AP)—Several persons, including a woman, were under arrest today after participating in a demonstration for Colonel Gustave Wolff, who was sentenced to prison yesterday for one year on a charge of treason. Wolff, who is leader of the Austrian monarchist party, was charged with having invited Hungary to send an army into Austria to seize Bela Kun, once communist ruler of Hungary and now wanted there on charges of murder.

A crowd estimated at 2,000 gave Colonel Wolff a rousing ovation outside the court after sentence had been pronounced. They cried: "Long live the Kaiser, down with the republic."
A woman placed a laurel wreath with the imperial colors on Wolff's head. Police finally broke up the demonstration making several arrests.

START THINKING WHO YOU WILL VOTE FOR, HERE IS BALLOT

Primary election day, Saturday, July 28th, is nearing.
For those who want to begin studying the ballot in order that they may have all candidates well in mind, here's the official Democratic primary ballot:

"I Am a Democrat and Pledge Myself to Support the Nominees of This Primary."
For United States Senator—Minnie Fisher Cunningham of Walker County, Thomas L. Blanton of Taylor County, Jeff. McLeMORE of Webb county, Alvin Owsley of Falls county, Tom Connally of Dallas county, Earle B. Mayfield of Bosque county.

For Governor—Dan Moody of Williamson County, Louis J. Wardlaw of Tarrant County, Edith E. Williams of Dallas County, William E. Hawkins of Stephens County.

For Lieutenant Governor: Thos. B. Love of Dallas County, H. L. Darwin of Lamar County, John D. McCall of Jefferson County, J. D. Parrell of Wichita County, Barry Miller of Dallas County.

For Attorney General: Claude Pollard of Harris County.
For State Comptroller of Public Accounts: S. H. Terrell of McLennan County, J. D. Jones of Travis County.

For State Treasurer—Grover Cleveland Harris of Dallas County, W. Gregory Hatcher of Dallas County.

For State Superintendent of Public Instruction: S. M. N. Marrs of Travis County, W. F. Garner of Nacogdoches County, W. E. James of Travis County, H. P. Davis of Travis County.

For Commissioner of Agriculture—George B. Terrell of Cherokee County.
For Commissioner of the General Land Office—Andrew J. Britton of Wood County, J. T. Robison of Morris County, Oils Terrell of Travis County, E. I. Flynt of Hardeman County.

For State Railroad Commissioner—Lon A. Smith of Travis County, Jefferson Smith of Travis County.
For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court—Thos. B. Greenwood of Anderson county.

For Judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals—Lee P. Pierson of Dallas County, W. C. Morrow of Hill County.

For Associate Judge of the Court of Civil Appeals, Third Supreme Judicial District—Mallory B. Blair of Bell County.

For Congressman, Seventeenth District—Oscar Callaway of Comanche County, R. N. Grisham of Eastland County, H. Q. Yee of Eastland County, Homer Shanks of Callahan County, T. P. Perkins of Palo Pinto County.

For District Judge, 35th Judicial District—J. O. Woodward, Coleman County, E. J. Miller of Brown County.

For District Attorney, 35th Judicial District—Walter U. Early of Brown County.

For Representative, 125th District—Frank P. Grantam of Brown County, C. H. Jenkins of Brown County.

For County Judge—E. M. Davis, George B. Davis, W. R. Chambers, For County Attorney—T. C. Wilkinson, J. E.

For Clerk of the District Court—Chas. S. Bynum.
For County Chairman—Thomas H. Taylor.

For County Clerk—W. E. (Bill) Burleson, W. J. Odell, S. E. Stark, M. L. (Luther) Cobb, Marion Ford, J. T. McDonald.

For Sheriff—L. M. (Barney) Cravens, M. H. Denham, Fred White, W. C. Tolleson.
For Tax Collector—W. A. Butler, S. L. Snider.

For Tax Assessor: T. E. (Tom) Hill, Clair Bettis.
For County Treasurer—J. R. Lewis.

For County Surveyor—Mark E. Ragdale.
For County Superintendent of Public Instruction—J. S. Armstrong, J. Oscar Swindle.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1—N. A. Pinson.
For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 2—C. D. Morrison, J. W. Miller.

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3—Leonard F. Bird.
For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3—W. M. Medcalf.

For Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 1—E. T. Perkinson.
For Constable, Precinct No. 2—F. J. Walker, O. E. Kitchen.

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1—L. Q. (Bud) Reese.
For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 3—R. L. Eaton, R. W. Boler.

For Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 4—T. L. Kimbrell.
For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 4—L. W. Couch.

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 5—R. P. Avinger.
For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 6—John P. Eads, Jas. L. (Jim) Harris.

Home Rule for Croatia is Asked

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia, July 19.—(AP)—Home rule for Croatia within the Triune kingdom of the Serbs, Croats and Slovenes, similar to that enjoyed by Ireland is being urged upon Stefan Raditch, Croatian peasant leader.

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County Notes

McDANIEL

C. J. Tervooren, Frank Haynes and wife have returned from their trip through Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas, Colorado and New Mexico. They report a fine time.

Miss Meribel Denman of Brownwood spent the week-end with their friend, Miss Jessie Ray.

Miss Lillie Haynes spent Saturday night with her aunts, Misses Lizzie and Susie Haynes, of Brownwood.

J. H. Browder and family of the Concord community attended church at Rocky Sunday and visited in the home of F. P. Ray and family.

L. A. Bagley is on the sick list this week.

Miss Maurine Tervooren was the guest of her friend, Miss Pauline Haynes, Monday.

The revival meeting is going on at Rocky now. Everyone is invited to come and be with us. Rev. Ewing is doing the preaching.

Miss Frankie Burefield visited her friend, Miss Lillie Haynes, on Sunday.

BANGS

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barnes of Zephyr visited Mrs. Barnes' father, P. D. Barnes, and other relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Kate Walker and daughter, Tyline, who have been visiting relatives here for the past ten days, returned to their home at Lorenza on Sunday. They were accompanied home by Miss Kathryn Walker, who will visit there for some time.

Mrs. E. J. Sonendriker has returned from San Angelo where she spent a week or more visiting with friends.

Announcement is made of the arrival of a baby girl, born to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Martin, July 15th.

Mrs. T. D. Holder and Mrs. Maurice Bell and Mrs. Houser and children of Sipe Springs have returned home from Spur, where they visited another sister, Mrs. Dickerson.

Mrs. Doc Crooks and baby and Miss Jewel Owens visited friends at Brownwood Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Evrage and children of Rising Star spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. J. A. Evrage, and sister, Mrs. E. D. Ferguson. They also visited Mrs. Evrage's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Riddan, Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brooks and family visited Mrs. Brooks' brother, Claud Riddan, and family at Brownwood Sunday.

Mrs. Emmett Knight, who underwent a serious operation in a Brownwood hospital more than two weeks ago, was able to return home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon George and Mr. and Mrs. Spencer George of Blanket visited their brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Speck, on Sunday.

Jack Pulliam returned Saturday after a week spent at Menard with his sister, Mrs. N. M. Morrill.

Mrs. Floy Bennett and children, Robert, Jr. and Elene, arrived on Thursday night from Laredo to spend a month or more with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Gibson.

Miss Blanche Vandiver returned Sunday from Proctor, where she spent several weeks visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Emma Lou Pate returned to her home at Elkins, New Mexico, after being at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. E. N. Miller, for several weeks.

Misses Effie Joe Wilson, Mable McCoy and Othel Madden visited friends and relatives at Cisco on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Author Rochester have returned from a few days vacation at San Angelo.

Ira Lee Byrd of Mullen was a week-end visitor here.

Ralph Guyer of Santa Anna spent Saturday and Sunday with friends here.

Donald Schulze and sister, Miss Ella Mae Schulze, who underwent a major operation several weeks ago at Mayo Brothers hospital in Minnesota, returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Reed left on Saturday for a two week visit with relatives at Houston and Galveston.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pruitt and baby of Santa Anna visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Pruitt Sunday.

Mrs. Rob Martin and Mrs. Doc Crooks and baby, Bettie Marie, spent Monday in Brownwood with friends.

Glen Brooks and children, Morris and Adele, of Brownwood, visited Mrs. Brooks' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brooks, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Howard have returned to Miles after a week spent with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Rosser of Miles are visiting friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Ed Pruitt and son are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pruitt at Santa Anna this week.

Mrs. Morris and children and Mrs. English and children of El Paso are visiting in the home of their mother, Mrs. J. A. Evrage and sister, Mrs. E. D. Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Gilbert left Saturday for a visit with Mrs. Gilbert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pate, at Comanche.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Evans and children have returned to Georgetown after a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Evans' sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Dorsett.

Mrs. John Allison and children visited in Brownwood Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Baugh and children are enjoying a week's outing on the Scott Ranch near Brownwood.

Several Boy Scouts left here on Tuesday for Camp Ellis, 12 miles west of San Saba, there to join with some 180 other Scouts from the area composed of Brown, Erath, Mills, Comanche, San Saba and Lampasas counties, in their ten days encampment. The Boy Scouts here are off for one of the biggest events in their history at this encampment, and they have a program that will keep them busy for the full ten days.

Mrs. Vandiver returned from Proctor Saturday after spending two weeks with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Soan left for their home at Childress Monday after a month's visit with relatives.

Miss Helen Patton of Comanche visited Mrs. John Pike Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton McCaughy left Monday to spend their vacation at Houston and Galveston.

Miss Helen Walker arrived Monday night to spend several days with her sister, Mrs. Tom Martin.

Misses Thelma Mae and Oletta Couch of Comanche spent Thursday as guests of Mrs. Forest Gilbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Shulze and children returned to their home at Fort Worth Saturday after spending several days with relatives here.

Melvin Walker and P. D. Miller spent Monday in Coleman on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Sears of Brooksmith spent the week-end with Mrs. Sears' father, Mr. Allison and family.

J. R. Joiner and daughter, Rebecca, and sons, Jim and Bennett, of Sherman, are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Early.

Mrs. John Coffey and Miss Bertha Ray and O. B. Strane left Tuesday morning for a trip to Carlsbad Cave and other points in Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Aubrey and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Baugh at Rocky.

Announcement is made of the arrival of a son born to Mr. and Mrs.

Comanche Saturday after a two weeks visit with her sister, and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Forest Gilbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Preston and daughter, Eva Lee, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Preston and children of Winters, left Tuesday for a trip to San Antonio, Corpus Christi and other points.

Mrs. C. C. Hardwick and children left Friday for a week-end visit with her sister at Weatherford.

Vernon Gilbert of Brownwood visited his grandfather, J. W. Gilbert, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Wilson and daughters, Misses Effie Joe and Drulla, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Hamp Bryler and daughters of Ballinger, left Monday for several days outing at Brady on the San Saba river. They will also visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Byler.

Mrs. H. L. Allcorn and daughters, Misses Mary June and Lillie Pearl and Mrs. Guy Eads and baby visited relatives at Brownwood Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Larkin Hall and children of Monita, Okla., have returned home after a two weeks visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Lily and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore and children and Mrs. McArthur have moved back to Bangs to make their home. They have been living at Glen Cove in Coleman county for the past three years.

Mrs. Lawrence Sanderson and sons, Ralph and Lawrence Lee, returned from Messila Park, New Mexico, after a visit with her sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. Roland Crane.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Bell left Thursday for a few days vacation at Junction on the Llano. They were joined Sunday by Dr. and Mrs. T. D. Holder and their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas, who were visiting here from Holder.

Miss Verdine Martin left Sunday for Fort Worth, where she will spend some time visiting relatives.

Firman Early returned Sunday from a visit in San Antonio, Corpus Christi and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. Peeples and daughter of Brownwood spent Sunday with Mrs. Peeples' mother, Mrs. Taylor.

Mrs. Mollie Lausk has returned to her home at Elkins, New Mexico, after being at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. E. N. Miller, for several weeks.

Misses Effie Joe Wilson, Mable McCoy and Othel Madden visited friends and relatives at Cisco on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Author Rochester have returned from a few days vacation at San Angelo.

Ira Lee Byrd of Mullen was a week-end visitor here.

Ralph Guyer of Santa Anna spent Saturday and Sunday with friends here.

Donald Schulze and sister, Miss Ella Mae Schulze, who underwent a major operation several weeks ago at Mayo Brothers hospital in Minnesota, returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Reed left on Saturday for a two week visit with relatives at Houston and Galveston.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pruitt and baby of Santa Anna visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Pruitt Sunday.

Mrs. Rob Martin and Mrs. Doc Crooks and baby, Bettie Marie, spent Monday in Brownwood with friends.

Glen Brooks and children, Morris and Adele, of Brownwood, visited Mrs. Brooks' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brooks, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Howard have returned to Miles after a week spent with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Rosser of Miles are visiting friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Ed Pruitt and son are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pruitt at Santa Anna this week.

Mrs. Morris and children and Mrs. English and children of El Paso are visiting in the home of their mother, Mrs. J. A. Evrage and sister, Mrs. E. D. Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Gilbert left Saturday for a visit with Mrs. Gilbert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pate, at Comanche.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Evans and children have returned to Georgetown after a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Evans' sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Dorsett.

Mrs. John Allison and children visited in Brownwood Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Baugh and children are enjoying a week's outing on the Scott Ranch near Brownwood.

Several Boy Scouts left here on Tuesday for Camp Ellis, 12 miles west of San Saba, there to join with some 180 other Scouts from the area composed of Brown, Erath, Mills, Comanche, San Saba and Lampasas counties, in their ten days encampment. The Boy Scouts here are off for one of the biggest events in their history at this encampment, and they have a program that will keep them busy for the full ten days.

Mrs. Vandiver returned from Proctor Saturday after spending two weeks with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Soan left for their home at Childress Monday after a month's visit with relatives.

Miss Helen Patton of Comanche visited Mrs. John Pike Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton McCaughy left Monday to spend their vacation at Houston and Galveston.

Miss Helen Walker arrived Monday night to spend several days with her sister, Mrs. Tom Martin.

Misses Thelma Mae and Oletta Couch of Comanche spent Thursday as guests of Mrs. Forest Gilbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Shulze and children returned to their home at Fort Worth Saturday after spending several days with relatives here.

Melvin Walker and P. D. Miller spent Monday in Coleman on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Sears of Brooksmith spent the week-end with Mrs. Sears' father, Mr. Allison and family.

J. R. Joiner and daughter, Rebecca, and sons, Jim and Bennett, of Sherman, are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Early.

Mrs. John Coffey and Miss Bertha Ray and O. B. Strane left Tuesday morning for a trip to Carlsbad Cave and other points in Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Aubrey and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Baugh at Rocky.

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Aubrey Seal, July 11th. He answers to the name of Oren Ladell.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mitchell and son of Grosvenor visited Mrs. Mitchell's mother, Mrs. S. E. Stacy, on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter of Abilene are spending a few days with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Henry McGeorge.

E. J. Ashcraft, Jr., son of Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Ashcraft, underwent a minor operation in a Brownwood hospital Monday.

Misses Novella and Earnestine Richmond of Brownwood spent Sunday with their brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Richmond.

Miss Eunice Wells of Blanket visited her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Speck Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Riddan visited their son, Claud Riddan and family, at Brownwood Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Evrage and children of Rising Star visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Baugh and son, Eric, and daughter, Bonnie Lee, attended church at Rocky Saturday night and Sunday and visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Baugh.

A delightful swimming party was enjoyed Saturday evening when a few of the young folks spent the evening at Lakewood. Those enjoying the occasion were: Misses Josephine Eads, Polina Eads, Mary June and Lillie Pearl Allcorn, Genevieve Martin and Ira Lee Byrd; also Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Allcorn and Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Eads.

Luther Spence and family of Phoenix, Arizona, are visiting his sister, Mrs. J. G. Price, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Hale have returned to Washington, D. C., after a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hall.

Mrs. Lee Ussery underwent a major operation in a Brownwood hospital Monday.

Miss Ella Gilbert returned home Saturday after several weeks spent in Brownwood.

A basket picnic will be given here, Friday, July 20th, plenty of entertainment and an opportunity for all candidates to present their claims to the people of the community.

The picnic committees have issued an invitation to all the people of the county to attend and participate in the day's festivities.

Mrs. Bob Caldwell and baby, who have been visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Sonendriker, have returned to their home at Temple.

REESER ACTIVE IN MOVE FOR OIL CONTROL

NEW YORK, July 19.—(AP)—Representatives of the Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association are sponsoring the forthcoming conference in New York on July 30 to discuss methods of restricting production in West Texas, Venezuela and Colombia, similar to steps taken in the general Seminoe area.

E. B. Reeser, president of Barnsdall Corporation and chairman of the Kansas-Oklahoma Advisory Committee of the Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association, has come to New York and is active in bringing together executives of the major oil companies for a general conference.

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SAUL'S EARLY MINISTRY



Text: Acts 9:19-30; 11:25-26

And when he had received meat, he was strengthened. Then was Saul certain days with the disciples, which were at Damascus.

And straightaway he preached Christ in the synagogues, that he is the Son of God.

But all that heard him were amazed, and said, Is not this he that destroyed them which called on this name in Jerusalem, and came hither for that intent, that he might bring them bound unto the chief priests?

But Saul increased the more in strength, and confounded the Jews which dwelt at Damascus, proving that this is very Christ.

And after that many days were fulfilled, the Jews took counsel to kill him.

But their laying await was known of Saul. And they watched the gates day and night, to kill him.

Then the disciples took him by night, and let him down by the wall, in a basket.

And when Saul was come to Jerusalem, he assayed to join himself to the disciples; but they were all afraid of him, and believed not that he was a disciple.

But Barnabas took him, and brought him to the apostles, and declared unto them how he had seen the Lord in the way, and that he had spoken boldly to him, and how he had preached boldly at Damascus in the name of Jesus.

And he was with them coming in and going out at Jerusalem.

And he spake boldly in the name of the Lord Jesus, and disputed against the Grecians; but they went about to slay him.

Which when the brethren knew, they brought him down to Caesarea, and sent him forth to Tarsus.

Then departed Barnabas to Tarsus, for to seek Saul.

And when he had found him, he brought him unto Antioch. And it came to pass that a whole year they assembled themselves with the church, and taught much people. And the disciples were called Christians first in Antioch.

Among Jews, rather than the organization of a new institution, representing a fellowship of both the Jews and Gentiles, it was the bonds of a new faith and a new church which Jesus as its head, probably it was this significance that was emphasized in the fact that the disciples were first called Christians in this church at Antioch.

There was a deeper significance, also, in the Christian beginnings in this city, for the founding of this church at Antioch represented the challenge of Christianity to the licentious and corrupt living of ancient civilization.

Antioch was a magnificent city, 15 miles from the Mediterranean on the river Orontes, but its moral condition was a strange contrast to its outward magnificence and glory. It was on the great ways of travel and commerce between east and west and he evil as well as the wealth of the ancient world poured through it.

Immoral Life

The life of the city was so immoral that when Roman moralists would condemn the licentiousness of Rome they were wont to say that "the Orontes had overflowed the Tiber."

It had been the glory of Christianity that it has ever made its power felt; the presence of the greatest need. Here in a corrupt city the heaven's new life began to work.

Just how great the triumph was in the ancient day we cannot say, but it is significant that Antioch is not remembered not so much for its splendor as a city as for the little group of disciples who were gathered there into a Christian church and who began from Antioch the missionary journeys that we win the western world for Christianity.

There was, however, a man of remarkable good judgment and self-sacrificing character at Jerusalem who had himself displayed his faith in the Christian way by sacrificing all his possessions for the promotion of Christianity, and this man, Barnabas, evidently became strongly impressed with the sincerity of Paul's new faith. He brought Paul to the apostles assuring them of the reality of his conversion on the way to Damascus and telling them how Paul had preached boldly in the name of Jesus.

Thus it was that Paul was accepted by the disciples at Jerusalem and thus began the friendship between Paul and Barnabas which had its first great expression in the First Missionary Journey.

The boldness of Paul's preaching at Jerusalem put him in peril and the disciples sent him for safety away to his birthplace, Tarsus.

Meanwhile, Barnabas left for Antioch, sent there by the disciples at Jerusalem because of reports that had come concerning certain Jews in Antioch who had been teaching a doctrine in Jesus through the preaching of disciples who had been scattered to various places by the persecution at Jerusalem.