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HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUBS' ACHIEVEMENT DAYS ARE ANNOUNCED

Achievement day season for the home demonstration clubs of Brown county is here and many interesting programs will be held and much interesting and important work reviewed.

Two clubs have already had their achievement day programs—Bangs and Zephyr. The Bangs program was held over a week ago and the Zephyr program on Wednesday of this week. Other achievement day dates have been announced as follows:

Early: October 26, at the home of Mrs. Lee Lamkin.

May: October 28. The program will be held in the basement of the Methodist church, after which a tour of yard demonstrations will be made.

Cottonwood: November 1, place of meeting yet to be announced.

Indian Creek: November 8. The program will be held at the home of one of the yard demonstrators, definite arrangements yet to be announced.

Byrds: November 18, at the home of Mrs. Joe Weedon.

Zephyr Achievement Day

Report of the Zephyr achievement day program is made by Mrs. Murray McBurney as follows:

The Zephyr home demonstration club held its annual achievement day on Wednesday, October 19, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Scott. Mrs. J. W. Phillips led in the singing of several songs, after which the following program was given.

"Highlights of the Year's Work," Mrs. Kesler.

"Cradle Song," by group.

"Life and Our Gardens," Mrs. R. H. Scott.

"Yards," Miss Malone.

Following the program the guests were invited into the dining room and served cake and punch from a lace covered table which was beautifully decorated with marigolds and orange tapers in crystal holders. Mrs. A. B. Dabney served the cake, which was made by cake demonstration recipe. Mrs. G. P. Matson served the punch from a lovely cut glass bowl.

Those attending were Mrs. Roy Mathews, Mrs. W. A. Forman and Mrs. L. N. Yarbrough, from Bangs; Mrs. L. A. Brooks and Mrs. A. J. Newton, Thrifty; Mrs. J. W. Phillips, Mrs. Oscar Howell, Mrs. T. M. Windham, Byrds; Mrs. C. C. DeHay, Mrs. Ernest Olson, Mrs. Holmes Martin, Mrs. W. T. Sowell, Indian Creek; Mrs. Harney Kesler, Mrs. R. H. Scott, Mrs. M. N. McBurney, Mrs. Lanie Kesler, Mrs. Modie Glass, Mrs. A. R. Sikes, Mrs. G. P. Matson, Mrs. A. B. Dabney, Mrs. H. S. Locks, Mrs. L. V. Kimmins, Mrs. Carl Belvin, Mrs. D. F. Petty, Mrs. E. P. Gaines, Mrs. M. L. Smith, Mrs. M. P. Braddock, Mrs. M. N. Cobb, Mrs. W. M. Reasoner, Mrs. H. L. Roach, Mrs. W. F. Timmins and Miss Oleta Ritchie, Zephyr; Mrs. D. H. Bullion, Indian Creek; Miss Mayesie Malone, Miss Myrtle Brick, Brownwood.

Fifty-Mile Singing Convention to Meet At Zephyr Sunday

The 50-mile singing convention, an organization that confines its meeting places to a certain 50-mile area, and which usually draws many good singers from fifty miles around, will be held at Zephyr Sunday.

The session will open at 10 o'clock Sunday morning. All singers and all who enjoy hearing good singing are cordially invited to attend. The convention officials announce.

Home Coming in Honor 50th Year D.B.C.

SATURDAY'S PROGRAM TO HIGHLIGHT SERIES ANNIVERSARY EVENTS

When Brownwood was a young, growing, ambitious town some thirty years of age the enterprising and forward looking spirit of the citizens manifested itself in the establishment of Daniel Baker College. That was fifty years ago.

Many in the half century that has followed have gone out from that institution to take their places in the various walks of life. Some have gone to far parts of the earth, some have remained in Brownwood to have an active part among the leading citizens here, many are now identified with other towns and communities of Texas.

To all of them and their friends the invitation has gone out to attend the Daniel Baker Home Coming to be held here Saturday, October 22, highlighting a series of events being held by the college this year in celebration of its fiftieth anniversary.

The home coming program, which will end with the football game between Daniel Baker and St. Edward's University teams Saturday night, will be ushered in with a bonfire and pep rally, accompanied with a program of stunts and speeches, on Friday night. One of the highlights of the home coming program will be the luncheon Saturday at noon at Brownwood Hotel.

Program in Brief

The program for the home coming has been announced as follows:

Friday night:

Circus in gymnasium; huge bonfire and pep rally on the Hill Billy campus with the Daniel Baker College band playing.

Saturday:

8 a. m.—Devotional service sponsored by the Students' Christian Association.

9 a. m.—Coffee given by the S. O. S. Club in the Home Economics rooms.

10 a. m.—Special chapel services for alumni, friends and students. 12 noon—Luncheon in Hotel Brownwood.

2 p. m.—Daniel Baker Library Open House with an exhibit of old records. 3:30 p. m.—Tea for alumni and students given by the Daniel Baker College Auxiliary at the Girls' Dormitory.

8 p. m.—Texas Conference football game between the Daniel Baker College Hill Billies and the St. Edward's University Tigers in the Brownwood High School stadium.

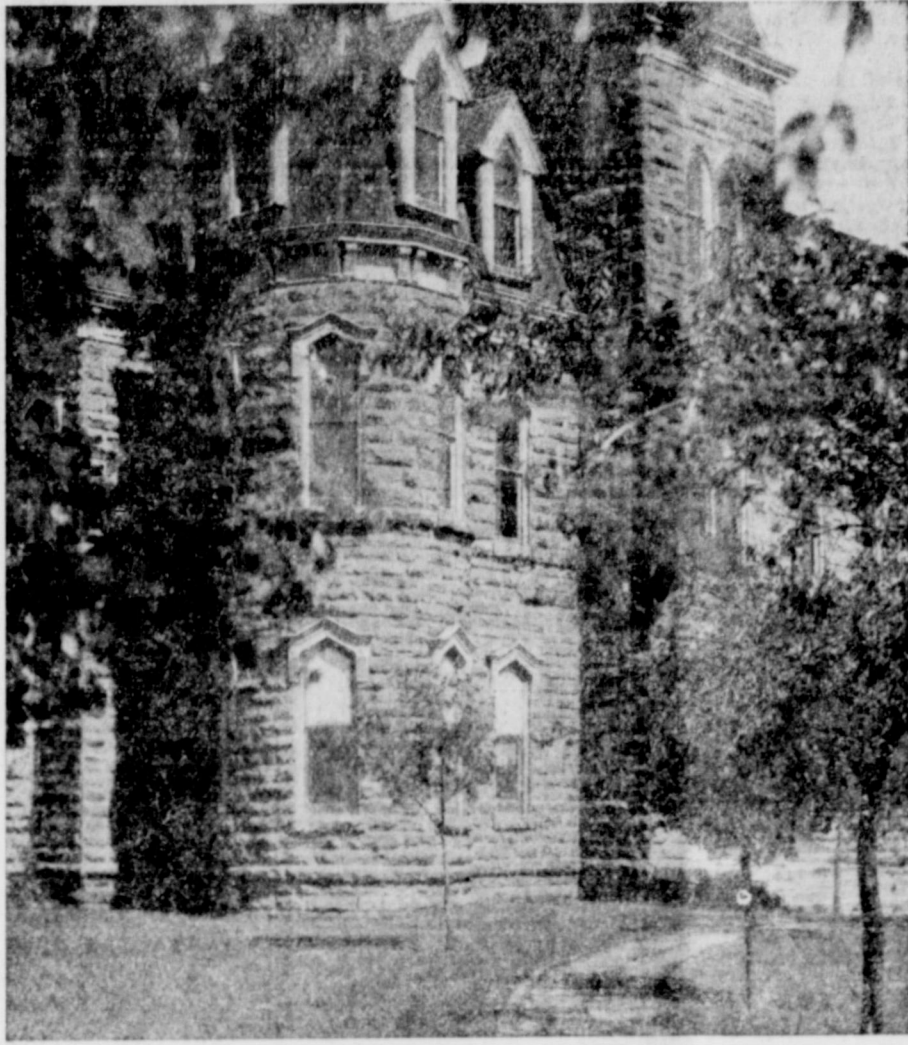
Committees in Charge

Plans for the activities and entertainments on Saturday are in the hands of a central committee of which Mrs. Wesley Hall is chairman. Other members of the committee are Miss Ruby Wilson, Mrs. Fielding Early, J. Claude Smith and Jack Broad.

Other committees cooperating in the home coming program are: Invitations and publicity, Mrs. Helen Post Wright, Miss Cora Fowles, Bill Brookover and Gaston Alford; Program for luncheon and chapel service—Dr. Ben Moore, Ross Prescott, Mrs. Wesley Hall, Miss Mae Branon and Dean C. W. McClelland; Decorations—Mrs. Walter Helmcke, Miss Ruby Wilson, Mrs. Fielding Early, Mrs. Florence McDonald, Mrs. Maurice Adams and Miss Leol McKnight.

The program Saturday will be started with a short service by the Christian Students Association in their meeting room at the college. On the committee of the organization to arrange the plans are Percy Owen, Miss Fowles and Gaston Alford.

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Daniel Baker Administration Building . . . around the older buildings of the school cluster lasting memories for many who are expected in Brownwood for the Home Coming celebration.

Hearings Scheduled on 2 Brown County Highways

Hearing on two requests for designation of state highways in Brown county has been set for Monday, October 24, by the highway commission, it was announced today.

The Texas State Parks Board has made application for designation of a state highway from Brownwood via the State Park to Highway 283 at a point near Holder. The proposed designation would establish the newly-paved Cross Cut highway as a state route to the end of the pavement, then by the Brownwood State Park and on through Byrds and Holder to the May highway.

Brown County and the City of Brownwood have joined in a request for state designation of the old Comanche road from a point where it intersects the new highway north of town through Brownwood by way of the pean experiment station to Highway 23 at Main Avenue in Brownwood. A delegation representing the City, County and the Brownwood Chamber of Commerce will go from Brownwood to Austin Monday to urge the designations at the hearing.

15 Farms Rented To FSA Borrowers

Written leases on fifteen farms in Brown county have been signed this fall by landlords who are renting to Farm Security Administration borrowers, R. K. French, county FSA supervisor states. All of these contracts were on the flexible farm lease forms preferred by FSA officials, the supervisor added.

"This lease does not necessitate any change in customary rental arrangements," he commented, "but it does make possible a variety of agreements for improvements on the place, for specialized crops on which customary arrangement have not yet been established, and for continuing the contract over a period of years if it is agreeable to both parties. Storage space for food and feed is an example of what may be provided for under this lease.

Henry Heath, Well Known Citizen, Dies

Henry Heath, 51 years of age, died Thursday morning in a local hospital. He was a well known citizen, for many years in the contracting business here. Funeral services were conducted at Coggin Avenue Baptist Church Thursday afternoon by Rev. J. M. Bradford.

Mr. Heath is survived by his wife and one son, Vivian V. Heath, and by two daughters, Nina Mae and Catherine. He is also survived by a sister, Mrs. J. W. Carter, of Waco.

WEEK IN REVIEW

Thursday, October 13

Hungary gave Czechoslovakia ultimatum in its demand for certain Czechoslovakian territory, stating that it would submit question to the Big Four of the Munich conference.

William Green re-elected president of the American Federation of Labor and San Francisco chosen for the 1939 meeting place.

Friday, October 14

Guenther Gustav Rumrich, former army sergeant, pleads guilty at espionage trial.

Governor-nominate Lee O'Daniel, appearing at the Assessors-Collectors meeting at Fort Worth, appealed for the co-operation of the tax men "when I am governor."

Saturday, October 15

Plan offered by Secretary of Labor Perkins for ending fight in ranks of labor.

Rearmament plans made known. "Most mobile national defense in the world" said to be President Roosevelt's plan.

Opposing view on shutdown question at oil hearing in Austin.

Sunday, October 16

Jap troops reported to have cut rail line.

Business leaders say rearmament plan will stimulate recovery.

Monday, October 17

Mexico mobilized 5,000 troops to suppress revolt in the state of Sonora.

Tuesday, October 18

General Motors announces that 35,000 men will be returned to work and pay cuts of some others restored.

Wednesday, October 19

United States Ambassador Joseph P. Kennedy, speaking in London, urged that democracies and dictatorial countries should bury their differences and seek to re-establish good relations in a world threatened with disaster from a mad armament race.

British troops oust Arabs in old city of Jerusalem.

Directors Meet to Plan for Marketing 1938 Pecan Crop

Directors of the Southwestern Pecan Growers Association, a co-operative marketing group handling pecans from a wide section of Texas, were in session in Brownwood Thursday, making plans for the handling of the 1938 crop.

Attending were H. G. Lucas of Brownwood, president; Wendell Mayes, Brownwood, secretary; W. C. Price, Gusting, N. H. Haudler, Belton, and Oscar Gray of Arlington.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH HOME COMING TO BE HELD SUNDAY

Rev. Robert McCurdy, D. D., of Gollad and Rev. George Sullivan of Sterling City will deliver the sermons on annual home coming day of First Presbyterian Church of Brownwood Sunday, October 23. Full program for the day is being completed by the pastor, Rev. C. P. Owens, and his aides.

Dr. McCurdy, who will preach Sunday morning, is a son of the late Rev. A. H. P. McCurdy, who was pastor of First Presbyterian Church here for ten years prior to 1917. Mrs. McCurdy is the former Miss Janie Peavy, formerly head of the home economics at Daniel Baker College and for several years an active worker in the local church.

Rev. George Sullivan, who will preach the evening sermon, graduated from Daniel Baker only a few years ago and was ordained by the Presbytery during a meeting held in First Presbyterian church.

Invitations are extended to all friends and former members of the church to attend the home coming and a large attendance is expected. Special music is being arranged for the day by both the senior and junior choirs.

Len Clardy Member Of Men's Glee Club

Austin—The Men's and Girls' Glee Clubs of The University of Texas have set the tentative date of their fall concert as November 30, Chase Baromeo, director, has announced.

Len Clardy, son of E. B. Clardy of Brownwood, is a member of the Men's Glee Club. Clardy was a member of the John Tarleton College quartet and glee club while a student at John Tarleton, and was a member of the quartet and glee club at Brownwood High School while a student there.

Bishop Lynch Will Visit Church Here

Announcement has been made that Bishop Joseph P. Lynch of Dallas will visit St. Mary's Catholic Church here early in November. Plans for his reception were outlined at a recent meeting of St. Mary's Altar Society.

Mrs. Phillips Will Attend Farm Meet

Mrs. J. W. Phillips of Byrds, chairman of the Brown county council of home demonstration clubs will attend the district farm meeting to be held in Abilene October 27 and 28.

JACKETS TO ABILENE; HOME COMING GAME BY BILLIES SATURDAY

The Howard Payne Yellow Jackets will be favored to win over the McMurry Indians when they meet at Abilene Saturday afternoon. This will make the Yellow Jacket's fourth conference game of the season.

The Howard Payne team won their third conference game last Thursday night when they defeated the Austin College Kangaroos by a score of 13-0.

Frank Fisher, freshman halfback from Kerrville, suffered a brain concussion that will keep him from the game during the remainder of the season, according to Dr. Jewell Daughety. With the exception of Fisher and Waymon Wilson, veteran back, all members of the squad will be ready for the McMurry game.

The Daniel Baker Hill Billies will meet the St. Edward Tigers here Saturday night in their homecoming game. Bud Anderson will be back in the lineup this week, but Gens Hopper who suffered from torn knee cartilages in the T. W. C. game last week will be unable to see action in the game.

The Hill Billies were crushed by T. W. C. last week by the score of 33-6. The Daniel Baker team held the Rams to a 13-6 score in the first half but due to penalties, the Billies fell behind during the last half.

The Brownwood High School Lions will meet the Stephenville Yellow Jackets on the John Tarleton field at Stephenville Friday night. It will be the Yellow Jacket's first conference game and they are determined to hand the favored Lions an upset.

The Lions lost a game to the Cisco Lobos last Friday by the score of 6-0. The Lobos scored the touchdown in the last ninety seconds of play. This game left the Lions with a rating of one and one-half games lost.

Texas U. Evidences Interest in Czechs

Austin—Not only does the University of Texas have more students of Czech origin enrolled than any college or university in the State, but its Slavonic languages department is the largest in the South, according to Dr. Eduard Mikec, chairman of that department.

Interest of the Czech people in the University is evidenced by their support of the projects of Czech students there. Each year a pilgrimage is made by groups of students to Texas Czechoslovakian communities to give plays in the mother tongue, the proceeds of these performances being used for tuition scholarships to students of that nationality.

"We have been making these play-giving trips for several years," Dr. Mikec said. "After our first trip, we were besieged by so many requests from Czechoslovakian people that our plays have become a yearly custom. If we went to every Czech town in Texas that asked for our plays, we would be on the road several weeks."

Dr. Mikec pointed out that "the parents of most of the Czech University students have come from the old country, and it through the students that cultural friendship between the United States and Czechoslovakia is established."

City of Brownwood Is Sued for \$18,850 In Death of Child

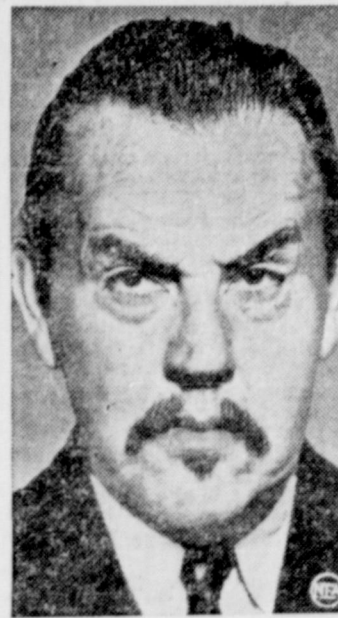
The City of Brownwood was named defendant in a suit for \$18,850 damages as a result of the accidental death Saturday of Charles Reid, 6, who was killed when run over by a truck George Caffey, WPA worker on the city street paving project, was driver of the truck, rental for which was being paid by the city.

Dale Reed, 27, father of the boy, and Annie Belle Reid, mother, are plaintiffs. The father asks \$8,500 damages, the mother, \$11,800, and \$250 is asked to pay burial expenses.

The accident occurred about 10 o'clock Saturday morning on West Baker street, near the home of the child's mother. The boy had run across the street to get the mail from the postman, and in returning collided with the truck. He died during the afternoon.

Callaway and Callaway are attorneys for the parents of the child.

"Charlie Chan" Will Carry On



It seemed that "Charlie Chan," famous Chinese detective of the movies, had passed on with the recent death in Sweden of Warner Oland, who created the character. But insistent demands by movie fans for a continuation of the mystery thrillers moved the producers to seek a successor. Veteran character actor Sidney Toler, pictured above made up as the aphorism-dispensing Oriental sleuth, won the role over 34 candidates.

TRIO OF GOLD STAR CLUB GIRLS ENJOYED TRIP TO STATE FAIR

Three Brown county 4-H club girls who have attained to the rank of gold star honors have just returned from the Texas State Fair at Dallas and report that they had a very enjoyable and interesting trip.

Nelda Hunt of Early High community was a guest at the fair on one of the scholarships given by John W. Carpenter of the Texas Power and Light Company. Eula Dell McDowell of Winchell and Coleta Ehrke of Owens were the recipients of the trips to the fair offered by Austin Mill & Grain Company of Brownwood and were also guests of the fair management during their visit to Dallas.

The girls won their trips through good work done under a project begun in Brown county last May of which Mrs. E. R. McQuaid of May was chairman. Scoring of their work and awarding of the honors to these three was done shortly before the opening of the fair.

The Brown county girls went to Dallas with a party of which Miss Jewell Patterson, home demonstration agent of McCulloch county was chaperon. Others in the group were from McCulloch and Rannels counties. At Dallas they joined with the party of club girls from all over the state.

MARY BETH STANLEY IS LAS CHAPARRITAS PLEDGE

Lubbock—Mary Beth Stanley arts and sciences sophomore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stanley, 2166 Broadway, Brownwood, has become a pledgee of Las Chaparritas, social organization for women at Texas Technological College.

Sixty-six girls were pledged to five clubs October 6 after ten days of rushing. The seven men's clubs pledged eighty-seven.

CONFERENCE ON IMPROVEMENT OF HIGHWAY NUMBER TEN

A party of Tarrant county officials went to Granbury Tuesday night to confer with Hood county officials on the improvement of Highway 10 from Fort Worth to the Erath county line. Purchase of right of way was discussed.

NEW AUTOMOBILES REGISTERED

No.	OWNER	MAKE	DEALER
136-706	R. L. Patterson	Brownwood Plymouth	Patterson Motor Co.
136-715	Rev. C. P. Owens	B'wood Chevrolet	Holley Langford Co.
136-716	Lone Star Gas Co.	B'wood Chevrolet	Holley Langford Co.
136-717	Hazel Ellen Chiles	B'wood Buick	Brownwood Motor Co.
136-718	McGee Garnet	Brownwood Ford	Clark Motor Co.
136-719	Z. P. Waldrup	Brownwood Plymouth	Harris Motor Co.
136-721	C. S. Wilkinson	Brownwood Ford	Weatherby Motor Co.
136-726	Dr. J. M. Horn	Brownwood Studebaker	Ball & Ball Motor Co.
136-727	WPA worker	Division B'wood Buick	Brownwood Motor Co.
Commercial Vehicles			
213-693	Coca Cola Co.	Brownwood Studebaker	Ball & Ball Motor Co.
213-694	A. W. Townsend	B'wood International	Freeman Roach Co.
213-696	Lone Star Gas Co.	B'wood Ford	Weatherby Motor Co.
Farm Vehicles			
K5-728	Silas Byrd	Black-Net Ford	Weatherby Motor Co.
This week one year ago . . . 9 Registrations this week . . . 14			
To date one year ago . . . 649 Registrations to date . . . 403			

FARMERS' MARKETS

Growers' prices quoted in Brownwood, Thursday, October 20, 1938.	Old Tons	68c
Vegetables	Old Hens	10c
Bunch Vegetables, doz.	Eggs, dozen	12c-20c
Butter and Cream	Hay and Grain	
Sour Cream, lb.	No. 1 Milling Wheat	55c
Sweet Cream, lb.	No. 1 Durham Wheat	45c
Country Buttry, lb.	No. 2 Red Oats	22c
Poultry and Eggs	No. 3 Oats	21c
Heavy Hens	No. 2 Barley	35c
Light Hens	No. 2 White Corn	50c
Bakers	No. 2 Yellow Corn	50c
Roosters	Mixed Corn	45c
No. 1 Turkeys	White Ear Corn	35c
No. 2 Turkeys	Mixed Ear Corn	35c
	Yellow Ear Corn	30c
	No. 2 Milo cwt., bright	60c

News of Brown County Communities

Ricker

Several in the community attended the quilting at Mrs. Horace Welf's Thursday and also one at Mrs. Cecil Chrene's. All reported a very good time.

Noel Haynes and Mr. Moore escaped a serious accident last Saturday night when they ran into the Stepps Creek bridge and wrecking their car badly. They received minor cuts and bruises.

Miss Dannie Connel of Brownwood spent the weekend visiting her sister and family Mrs. Homer Melton.

Mrs. Pete Fambrough's parents Mr. and Mrs. Desmond, her sister and husband from Abilene spent the weekend visiting here.

Mrs. Clarence Reagan is visiting her uncle Melvin Cunningham at Seagraves.

We are glad to report Cecil Blackwood as being very much improved after a serious attack of sore throat.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Black and children and Sam Black visited a while Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Price.

Miss Ada Risinger spent Sunday night with Miss Francis Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Anderson and family of Brownwood spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Taylor.

A dance was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Melton Saturday night. A large crowd attended and all reported a nice time.

Miss Ha Fay Risinger spent the weekend in Brownwood visiting Miss Nona Kirksey.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Matlock, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ezell and S. O. Risinger visited Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Blackwood Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Black and children visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Black Sunday.

Miss Imogene and Francis Cox spent Sunday with Miss Lois and Ada Risinger.

We are grieved to learn of the death of little Virginia Staley who passed away last night about 9 o'clock at the Medical Art's hospital. Our sympathy goes out to the bereaved parents that are left to mourn her death. The Early school was dismissed for the funeral.

Mrs. Robert Beal and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Crossman.

Tenmarq Seed Wheat—First year from Experiment Station Seed. Yielded 27.5 bu. Highest germination and purity tests. Produced at Capps Pecan Farm. For Sale by South-

Bangs

Ben Sullivan and Glen Shields who are attending school at John Tarleton spent the weekend with their parents.

Mrs. Cattie Chandler, who suffered a stroke of paralysis last Sunday, continues to be very ill. Her daughter Mrs. Jones of Talpa is at her bedside.

Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Strickland and baby of Austin spent the weekend with his father Earl A. Medcalf.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ingram and Mrs. Green of Santa Anna visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Garris Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otho Bruton and family moved from Concord last week and are making their home at Mrs. Gaylen's place in North Bangs.

The "Womanless Wedding" sponsored by the band mothers was presented at the gym Wednesday night to a crowded house.

Dr. and Mrs. L. D. Holder attended a family reunion last Saturday at the home of Mrs. Holder's parents Mr. and Mrs. Thomas of Holder. It was the occasion of their 42nd wedding anniversary.

All the seven children were present for the first time in several years.

The Baptist W. M. S. has organized two circles. Mrs. Neal Greer is chairman of circle number one and Mrs. T. D. Holder of circle number two. Circle number two met with Mrs. L. N. Yarbrough Monday afternoon in a business meeting. The following officers were elected: secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Clyde Langley; vice-chairman, Mrs. L. N. Yarbrough; mission chairman, Mrs. W. S. Stacy; mission study leader, Mrs. Ruth Prince; stewardship, Mrs. Virgie Brooks; personal service, Mrs. John Stephens; publicity, Mrs. J. C. Stacy. Refreshments of punch and cake were served to Mesdames T. D. Holder, J. C. Stacy, W. S. Stacy, C. W. Langley, Cal Brooks, Wm. Jackson, John Stephens, L. N. Yarbrough, L. A. Bagley and J. E. Lackey.

The county W. M. S. met with the Bangs church last Thursday and good reports were given of the year's work. The churches of the county were represented by ninety-nine women.

Gas Stoves are cheaper at McLeods.

Comfort and Satisfaction in glasses fitted by Dr. R. A. Ellis, Optometrist.

May

Dwite Kenedy and wife who are teaching school at Estacado visited Mrs. Kenedy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Palmore, last Wednesday. They left for their home Saturday.

Mrs. W. E. Cox and children spent last Saturday and Sunday with her brother, Del Jones, and family near Ballinger.

Clo Robason and wife had as their guests last Sunday J. D. Allen and family of Roby, W. P. Wiggins and wife, Horace Robason and family of De Leon, Dr. Paul Robason of McKinney, Halden Allen and family of Brady. The occasion was the birthday of C. C. Robason's birthday.

Dr. R. R. Allen of Sweetwater and Dr. H. B. Allen and sons of Brownwood spent Sunday with their brother, Boots Allen.

Mrs. B. H. Bettis returned from Wink Saturday night.

Clair Wiggins came in Monday night from Georgetown but will leave Tuesday night for Gatesville where he will drive a truck for A. D. Petty.

The community was saddened Saturday morning when it was learned that Mrs. H. M. Killian had died Friday night. She was well known and loved by her many friends here.

Jack Burnett and wife of Sonra are here visiting his mother, Mrs. T. E. Burnett.

The people have about 300 tons of peanuts stored here which the government is buying. Most of the space is now taken and some may have to store their peanuts in Brownwood.

Mrs. H. V. Glenn, Mrs. W. W. Harlowe and Mrs. Geneva Michael went to Fort Worth last Thursday on business.

For your next change in glasses see Dr. R. A. Ellis, Optometrist.

Salt Creek

This correspondent has been extremely busy in the peanut fields for some time and writing news and peanut harvesting do not mix so well.

The ground is extremely dry and many old timers are becoming fearful of another serious drought this winter on account of so much rain the past four years.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Courtwright, who have been living in Brownwood for the past few months, have moved back to make their home with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Bowden. Mrs. Courtwright, who has been confined to her bed for the past two years, seems to be improving.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hardy and Glenn Harms were shopping in Brownwood Thursday.

Miss Roxie Spence has returned from an extended visit to her cousin, Mrs. Gladys Grace of Anson, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Suddarth announce the birth of a son born recently making three sons in succession. Little Velton Suddarth, three years old, upon being introduced to the new arrival remarked, "I'm going over to Grandma's to live, we've got too much boys."

Horace and Willis Taylor made a business trip to Brownwood Friday.

Mrs. Rosa Hull of West Texas is spending a few days with her brother, Gus Bowden.

Misses Virginia and Fay Nell Porter of Byrd's Store visited their uncle, R. H. Porter, and family recently.

Mrs. Raymond Hardy recently had as her weekend guests her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hausler, of Hermleick, her sister, Mrs. Edward Thompson, and husband, and her sister, Mrs. Orin Thompson, of Snyder.

Mrs. Eldon Ferrill of Sidney and her sister, Miss Lottie Palmore, of Williams spent a few hours recently with their friend, Mrs. Cecil Courtwright.

Mr. and Mrs. Young of Abilene visited their daughter, Mrs. Louis Corder, recently.

Bill Bowden and wife and daughter of Longview visited relatives here Monday. Bill is said to be thinking of coming back to the farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Bloom of Breckenridge visited her brother, Mike Spence, and other relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Ned Morris and daughters Victoria Yvonne and Bettle Jo of Carbon spent Sunday with her mother Mrs. R. H. Porter.

Louis Eberke of Gap Creek is in the home of his father-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hardy visited his sister Mrs. Gus Bowden and family last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Courtwright and Mrs. Grace Lyon spent the last weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Courtwright of Zephyr.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert New spent Sunday with relatives in Sipe Springs.

Mrs. Raymond Hardy gave a birthday dinner Sunday in honor of her father-in-law, Sam Hardy and his grandson Odell Lester. Mr. Hardy was 65 and Odell 17 years of age. Those present were Mrs. Jim Lester and children, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Kelly and son Duaine of May, Mr. and Mrs. Homer McBlide of Brownwood, Mrs. Sam Hardy and the honorees.

John Hardy and Glenn Harms made a business trip to Dallas last week.

Wallace Chambers is working in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Chambers were shopping in Brownwood Thursday.

My eye examination different. Try Dr. R. A. Ellis and see.

McDaniel

A good rain would be very much appreciated in this community.

Miss Margie Triplett had as her guests Misses Lucille and Willie Broder Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Teague and son of Brownwood were visiting relatives in our community Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Crane and little niece Miss Judy Cameron of Dallas are visitors in the home of Mrs. Crane's brother Rev. H. W. Luman and family.

Joe Lewis of Brownwood attended church at Rocky Sunday and visited relatives after church.

Mrs. C. J. Tervooren was the guest of her daughter Mrs. Otto Kock of Bangs Monday.

Several from this community attended the singing at Clear Creek Sunday.

Mrs. W. F. Haynes and Miss Margaret Wade of Brownwood spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. Bessie Haynes and daughters Lillie and Pauline.

Mrs. Roy Keeler who is quite ill in a Brownwood hospital is reported as being slightly improved.

Robert Lee Ashcraft, 49, died in a Government hospital in Los Angeles, Calif., Wednesday, October 13. He had made his home in Brown county until the past two months, when he moved to California.

Funeral services were held at Rocky Creek Baptist church at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon with Rev. Bradford and Rev. Jesse Wade officiating. Interment was made in the cemetery there with White and London Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. He was a World War veteran and a member of the American Legion.

Mr. Ashcraft was born November 6, 1889, in Brown county. He was married to Miss Jewel Rushing on July 22, 1936.

Surviving are his wife, his father, Mr. Ashcraft of Grosvenor, and the following brothers and sisters: Frank Ashcraft, Will Ashcraft, Dr. Jeff Ashcraft and Walter Ashcraft. Mrs. Will Cartwright, Mrs. S. Thilpen, Mrs. Jim Weeden and a host of other relatives.

Funeralbearers were John and Earl Cason, Henry Howlett, Gordon Thomason, Charles Perry Tomason and Lige Brooks.

Messie Brooks, Vernon Brooks, Miss White and Miss Sheppard had charge of the song services.

Mrs. Burl Teague and sons of Brownwood spent last Wednesday with her friend Miss Lora Cavel.

Mrs. W. E. King and daughter Lora Nell spent one day last week in the home of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Cropp.

Miss Ollie Mae Sowell spent Sunday in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Sowell, and family.

My eye examination different. Try Dr. R. A. Ellis, Optometrist.

Cross Cut

Rev. Brown, pastor of the Methodist church conducted regular Sunday school preaching services Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Willoughby and children made a trip to Leuders over the weekend.

Community night was held in the high school auditorium Thursday night of last week. An excellent program was given and the seating capacity of the auditorium was not sufficient for the attendance.

A good sized group from Cross Plains attended Mrs. Buddy Pro-witt, Miss Baines and Mrs. Roe Martin were the program committee. The next program will be held on the third Thursday night of November.

The appearance of the Baptist church was greatly improved by the refinishing of the floor Monday. The work was done by members of the W. M. U.

A social honoring members of the church who do not members of the W. M. U. was given by the Women's Missionary Union of the Baptist church Wednesday afternoon. The social was held in the church building.

Mrs. Eva Stone, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Stone and daughter Carol Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell Stone of Plainview and Mrs. Emory Marshall of Santa Anna were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Newton and family last Thursday.

Claude Clark, who has been employed at Crane, returned to his home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilma Triplett and daughters of Mullin were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Newton and family and Mr. and Mrs. Les Byrd and family Saturday and Sunday. Mrs. Triplett is a sister to Mrs. Newton and Mrs. Byrd.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. G. Chambers of Mullin were the guests of Mr. Chambers' daughter, Mrs. Les Byrd and Mrs. Lewis Newton Sunday.

Mrs. J. C. Clark has as her guests this week: Mrs. Hugh Hensley of Hale Center, Mrs. Carl Shultz of Abilene, Mrs. Pearl Freeman and Mrs. Willie Mae Freeman of Dimmitt.

Mrs. "Woody" Wilson and young daughter of Grosvenor were the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Gaines last week.

Both the boys and girls outside basketball teams defeated the school teams by a one-sided score in games played at the gym Monday night.

Little Anita Newton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Newton, underwent a tonsil operation at the Over-all sanitarium in Coleman Friday. She has recovered nicely.

A weekend revival beginning Friday night and continuing through Sunday night will be held at the Baptist church this weekend. The services will be conducted by Rev. Ed Clark, pastor, and Rev. Carlos Furgalski of Brazil. Rev. Ben M. Davis, Rev. J. M. Cooper, Rev. Ben Morrison all of Brownwood, Mrs. Jesse Wade gave a reading and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Middleton of Brownwood sang a special song.

Other visitors present during the day were: Mrs. Bob Medcalf and daughters Bobby Gene, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boyd, Mrs. Raymond Ratliff, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Dixon and son C. L. of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Cash, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Canon, Mr. and Mrs. Will Simmons and Miss Thenia Alderson of Jourdan Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Dixon and daughter Wanda Gene of Coleman spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Jones of Briggs, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Teague and daughter Lois Jo of Bangs spent Sunday with their parents Mr. and Mrs. C. De Hay.

Mrs. Carl Lee Ingram and son Ronnie left Sunday for Abilene to make their home. Mr. Ingram has been there for several weeks while Mrs. Ingram has been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Herring.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Marx and Mr. and Mrs. Rawleigh Egger of Brownwood were visitors in this community Sunday afternoon.

Relatives from Priddy spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Grayson.

Mrs. L. J. Utzman visited Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Smith at Elm Grove this week.

Glasses correctly made give service. Dr. R. A. Ellis, Optometrist.

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Ebony

A good crowd attended services Sunday, Bro. E. L. Green from near Brownwood preached for us. Bro. Green will preach for us on the fourth Sunday of next month instead of the third.

Mrs. Mildred R. Roberts of San Antonio and her aunt, Mrs. Hawkins White of Brownsville, arrived here Friday to spend a few days at the Reeves home.

Good news has come from baby Evelyn Reeves Hardin, who since her birth four months ago had gained hardly anything. She is now gaining and growing.

A daughter, Helen Christine, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Russell Tuesday, October 11, at the Medical Arts Hospital, Brownwood. Mother and baby are both at home now and doing fine.

Mrs. W. H. Reeves and baby Joe Hubert are at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Guthrie, at Mullin, and both are doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood Roberts, Miss Odene Russell and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mayfield and Mrs. Emory Marshall had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Reid Sunday after church.

Bro. Green and family went home with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Egger for dinner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Roberts and baby attended church here Sunday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Louis Perkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Perkins and children also visited at the Louis Perkins home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Caraway and little daughter, Bettie Marie, of San Angelo spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cloud Mashburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Egger and Mrs. Hattie Whittenburg had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Charn Whittenburg Sunday after church.

Mrs. S. L. Singleton made a trip to Brownwood Saturday. She seems to be getting along fairly well.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Kelly and little daughter of San Angelo came Sunday to see his mother, Mrs. Lulla Kelly. Other members of the family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crews, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Neal, and Mr. and Mrs. Rosa White, gathered there Sunday afternoon to visit with them until bedtime. Mr. and Mrs. Kelly had to leave early Monday morning.

John Mashburn left for San Angelo Saturday to work for his brother-in-law, Marvin Caraway, who is a taxidermist.

Word has been received by friends in this community that Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Crawford, longtime residents of Indian Creek, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Sunday, Oct. 16. It was also Mr. Crawford's 85th birthday. Mr. and Mrs. Crawford now live with their daughter, Mrs. Carlos Reynolds, at Dimmitt, Texas.

Your eyes should have the best. See Dr. R. A. Ellis, Optometrist.

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Zephyr

Jep Clemons and Hubert Roach spent the week-end in Temple transacting business.

Miss Louise Beckham, who has been visiting in Louisiana, has returned home.

Miss Fannie Scott spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Joe Hefer, and family.

Mrs. Jep Clemons and three sons spent the weekend in Fort Worth with her mother.

Mrs. Neal Courtwright and son, Kenneth are visiting her mother in Abilene this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Bowden attended the Lyric theatre in Brownwood Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Newman of Brownwood visited Mr. and Mrs. Madge Newman Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Gist and Mrs. Reasener are in Teton, Idaho, for Mrs. Gist's brother's funeral. Mr. Sidaway died last Wednesday.

Misses Adeline and Madeline Coffey, students in Daniel Baker College, Brownwood, spent the week-end with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Z. B. Coffey.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Couch and daughter Anita were in Brownwood Saturday.

Olen Cornelius and Miss Kathryn Wagy were in Brownwood Sunday night.

Miss Jane and Angie Lee were shopping in Brownwood Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Halford and son of Crews are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Baker.

Mrs. Fannie Thorpe visited her daughter, Mrs. Sam Wilson, in Brownwood this week.

Mrs. M. P. Braddock spent Sunday in Goldwaite visiting her brother, Luther Ward, and family.

Charles Elliott of San Angelo is visiting relatives here this week.

Misses Mary Belle Shelton and Lucille Locks, students in Howard Payne College at Brownwood, spent the weekend with their parents.

Mrs. Mary Ehinger spent the weekend in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Nephus Adams are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sims near Dallas.

The home demonstration club of Brownwood held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. H. Scott.

Mrs. Houston Parks and daughter of Brownwood were weekend guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cunningham.

The "Fifty-Mile Singing Convention" will be held here next Sunday, October 23rd. The public is cordially invited to attend. The people of this community are urged to bring lunch.

Miller Dial of Forrest, Texas, spent last Thursday visiting his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hallford.

Friends surprised Mrs. R. H. Scott Saturday night with a party in honor of her birthday. The guests gathered at the home of Mrs. J. A. Cunningham and went in a group to her home. Refreshments of cake and coffee were served by Mrs. Howard Driskell, Mrs. Fannie Thorpe, Mrs. J. A. Ard and Lulu Cunningham to the following guests: Messrs. and Mesdames R. H. Scott, W. M. Reasener, Earl Reasener, Phillip Locks, A. H. Dabney, Hubert Roach, Hubert Locks, Modie Glass; Mesdames M. N. Cobb, W. F. Timmins, J. H. Lonley, Laura Smith, Ossie Couch, M. P. Braddock, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Petty, Mrs. Houston Parks, Bettye Sue Locks, Burl Ann Gist, Arune Parks and Bobby Locks.

Miss Katie Crockett entertained a number of the young people with a party at the home of Mrs. D. F. Petty Saturday night. Everyone reported a grand time.

Brownwood Scoutmasters and assistants attended a Scouters "Powwow" at the old Blanket Creek bridge Monday night at 7:30 o'clock. Barbecued squirrel meat was served. Important discussions were held by the scout executive.

Mrs. Ansey Hibler and son are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lee.

A number of young people attended the entertainment given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Hollandhead near Mullen Saturday night.

Boh Weston of near Mullen was in Zephyr Tuesday morning.

Salt Branch

Rev. Herschel Burzin preached at the church Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dixon and daughter of Brooksmith and Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Murry were guests of Mrs. Guy McMurry Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Yarbrough spent Saturday night with relatives at Bangs.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stacy are the proud parents of a baby girl born Wednesday, October 5th.

Several from here attended the football game at Brooksmith Friday afternoon.

HOWARD PAYNE COLLEGE YELLOW JACKETS

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ON TEXAS FARMS

Plant Disorders

At the turn of the present century only 10 chemical elements were considered necessary for plant growth, but new agricultural chemists know that at least 64 elements are present in soils, and of these 58 have been found in plants of one kind or another.

"Many of our poor yields and diseases of plants can be explained by what are called deficiency diseases," explains M. K. Thornton, agricultural chemist of the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service. "Pecan rosette, citrus mottle leaf, and white top of corn, sudan and the sorghums are due to zinc deficiencies, while lack of adequate amounts of boron is responsible for cracked stem of celery heart, dry rot of beets and turnips, and the pathological condition of cauliflower and alfalfa."

In some parts of Texas, the use of minor elements such as zinc, boron, copper and iron has been found profitable, the chemist said. However, in most of the state, the soils contain adequate quantities of these.

The use of farm manures, compost, wood ashes, tankage and the like tends to conserve the minor elements in the soil, hence farm manures and wastes should be utilized to as great an extent as possible. In many areas, this farm manure should be treated with about 75 pounds of superphosphate and 25 pounds of muriate of potash.

per ton of manure in order to balance the plant nutrients better.

Most of the soils of Texas are deficient in humus and if this is supplied, good crop yields will be had. Thornton recommends that some winter legume be planted this fall and turned under in the spring. This will not only add humus but also nitrogen to the soil, and will prevent leaching of valuable plant food and prevent washing of the soil.

The Agricultural Outlook

The Agricultural Outlook published each year by the U. S. Department of Agriculture is not a "hit and miss" proposition, like tossing a coin, according to Tyrus R. Timm, Extension Economist in Farm Management. For the past ten years the predictions averaged 81 percent correct. From these data, there appears to be reasonable assurance that, so long as agricultural prices are not subjected to new economic influences, their behavior can be forecasted with fair success.

As in the past, the annual Agricultural Outlook conference, sponsored by the Bureau of Agricultural Economics in cooperation with the State Extension Services will be held in Washington, October 24-29. In this meeting, facts of importance to farmers in making their 1939 production and marketing plan will be assembled, an-

alyzed and reported. The printed outlook report, comprising individual commodity reports, will be ready for popular distribution by November 15; however, commodity releases will begin October 31.

The question is usually asked, "How can I use this information on my farm?" One of the best methods is to obtain reports pertaining to the major enterprises adapted to your farm, and then list the favorable and unfavorable factors affecting the supply and demand for that particular commodity. For example, on beef cattle as to supply, the following statements may be noted as favorable: (1) numbers of cattle, (2) beef cattle changes, (3) slaughter of cattle expected, (4) supply of feeder cattle and calves in other sections, (5) and expected average prices.

Some people follow the Outlook still closer in their planting. One housewife's eyes sparkled last year when she heard that egg prices throughout 1938 would probably be somewhat higher than in 1937 but her hopes fell when it was brought out that owing to increased hatchlings prices for poultry would probably be lower late in the year. "I'll beat that game" she thought. "I'll get all the eggs I can from my pullets, market my poultry early and not depend too much upon money from selling poultry late in the fall."

Cut Ants

Five thousand dollars spent for carbon disulfide, or high life, and used for cut ant control during the early part of 1938 resulted in the eradication of 12,029 cut ant towns and saved crop damage estimated at \$65,912, according to R. R. Reppert, entomologist of the Texas A. & M. Extension Service.

Cut ants are pretty well scattered over the entire state with the exception of the Panhandle and the High Plains. Reppert says, and take an annual toll in excess of a million dollars. A single cut ant town has been known to clean up the crop on several acres.

Control is effected by pouring 25 gallons of water into the main entrance to the town and adding a quart of high life, washed down with water. When the entrances are closed, the ants are suffocated with the fumes. Best control is obtained during the winter and early spring months when egg laying is at a standstill.

In many counties, county agricultural agents have helped farmers to buy high life on a cooperative basis and to stage community-wide eradication drives. Reppert indicated.

1939 Farm Program

With Texas Agricultural Conservation Association committeemen and state AAA workers back to their Texas A. & M. College headquarters after a regional conference in Fort Worth, field men went to work this week on a simplified farm program for 1939.

Chairman George Slaughter of the state committee said the bulk of 1939 cotton acreage allotments will be calculated and sent to farmers by December 1, well ahead of planting time, and in broad contrast to the situation which aroused criticism last year.

Because of late amendments to the farm act of 1938, allotments this past spring could not be calculated until April 7, or after most Texas cotton had been planted, Slaughter observed.

"Getting allotments to farmers around December 1," he said, "will give farmers the benefits of full facts before the marketing quota referendum, expected to be set in the forefront of December."

So the Soldier Obeyed
Obviously unused to court ways, a young English airman man at Southampton, waiting for his case to be heard, stood stiffly at attention. When he was told to sit he turned with a military click of the heels and obeyed. "Neal," called a solicitor, summoning another witness. Smartly the airman sprang to attention, marched to a position in front of the dock, where previous defendants had stood—and solemnly knelt down. The clerk with a kindly smile, told him who Neal was.

Spirits Beyond Reach

RALBIGH, N. C.—Mrs. Harry Houdini, widow of the magician said Tuesday that after 10 years of trying to contact the spirit of her husband she felt she had proved there was nothing to spiritualism.

The magician and his wife agreed to try to contact the spirit of the other when one of them died. "I tried to contact Harry for 10 years after his death and nothing happened," she said. "After the last session almost two years ago I stopped trying."

HITTITE IDENTITY OF ANCIENT RUINS SEEN

As the earliest decipherable paleographic remains have been identified with the post-paleolithic Hittites, who occupied cities in Asia Minor and Syria centuries before the Kassites, Assyrians, Babylonians, Persians and Phoenicians entered history, any new discoveries on the sites of these cities are bound to be interesting, if not of supreme importance to ethnologists and archaeologists. Sir Leonard Woolley, elaborating his excavations made on the site of a palace in Atchana last June, now unhesitatingly pronounces it to be Hittite, in a second article in The Times of London. He says:

"The best preserved of the newly discovered rooms was a store wherein huge clay jars destined for wine or oil still stood in ordered rows, recalling to the mind the pithoi in the cellars of Minos' palace at Knossos. Next to it was what seemed to have been a decanting room, its smoothly cemented floor sloping down to the center, where there was let into it, flush with the surface, a big vessel that would catch the spilt.

"From these rooms a long passage led to a small chamber at the northeast corner, which, judging from the immense solidity of its walls, was the ground floor of a watch tower rising above the level of the palace roofs and looking out across the city wall to the Amk plain and the mountains of the Amanus.

Courtyard on Higher Ground
"Although with laying bare of these rooms we had the palace structure complete, we were far from having exhausted the palace area. To the west of the building, on somewhat higher ground, there stretched a courtyard enclosed on three sides (the fourth was the palace wall) by ranges of rooms whose walls were of mud brick and their door-jambs of basalt slabs. That these formed part of the palace offices was proved by our finding in one of them quantities of clay tablets, many of which bore the same seal impressions and royal names as occurred freely in the palace archives. Although the new range was in use while the palace stood and was destroyed together with it by the same fire, it was of much older foundation.

"It was orientated differently to the palace, whose wall cut across the courtyard diagonally, but in the same way as the domestic buildings which lay in front of the palace and in the same way as another very interesting fragment which accident brought to light.

"Digging against the outer face of the north wall of the palace annex in the hope of finding the outlet of a drain running from one of the lavatories, we discovered, at a depth of six feet below the palace floors, the walls of an older palace whose lower courses were of polished basalt slabs and their upper parts of mud brick and timber faced with white cement. This was the original palace belonging to our western and southern ranges, pulled down to make room for the new building (set, for some reason or another, at a different angle) which is the surviving palace of Nigmepe and Ilma-ili.

"How long the original palace stood we cannot say, but changes in the fashions of domestic pottery show that between its foundation and the fire which destroyed Ilma-ili's house the interval of time was considerable. If the latter event occurred about 1475 B. C., as Sidney Smith has deduced from the tablets, the former should go back to about 1600.

"Standing high, this part of the palace complex had suffered more than the rest, and its conservation was unnecessary, while its height again gave promise of good remains below it. Accordingly the walls were razed and we started to excavate the lower levels. We discovered its foundations were discovered the ruins of two successive city walls, one of them possibly but not certainly, to be dated by a tablet of Hammurabi found in the mud brickwork. Underneath these again we came on the well preserved remains of yet another system of fortification, the acropolis gateway of the eighteenth or perhaps of the nineteenth century B. C.

The Gate Building

"The gate building, set at a slight angle with the wall, is roughly seventy-five feet square, consisting of twin towers joined by a bridge which roofed the entrance passage. The incomes had to pass through three doorways, whose jambs are massive piers projecting from the tower walls on either side. The piers are faced with limestone slabs measuring as much as five feet by three feet, the rest of the building being in mud brick reinforced by stout timbers. The passage floor was of beaten clay. In the back

Bull Racing Called A Thrilling Sport

One of the least-known sports in the world and one of the most exciting is the bull racing, which takes place at Madura in the Netherlands East Indies.

Madura is severed from Java by a shallow waterway of less than a mile and a half, and it lies a little more than 100 miles to the north and west of the more famous Bali. Territory stretching more than 100 miles long and almost a quarter as wide, it supports around 2,000,000 people. Madura occupies itself with the usual practices of the Javanese, raising maize and coconuts, coffee and kapok, mining salt and cutting teakwood. Moreover, it raises cattle and has bull races, says a New York Times letter from Sidney, Australia.

Few travelers who marvel over the little world of Bali ever stop over at Madura to witness this spectacular event in the life of the East Indian community. The fact that stock breeding is one of the principal methods by which the Madurese earn their living adds to the importance of the bull races. Only the very richest of the people can afford to keep stud bulls, so the Netherlands East Indies Government has spent part of the income of the native villages on the purchase of stud bulls and in building and maintaining stud farms.

Feeding and Tending Bulls

The village rulers keep the stables in repair and arrange for the feeding and tending of the animals throughout the year. The result is that many Madurese have the most intimate daily contact with the bulls, grow to know them as well as they know their brothers, and are their ardent supporters in the races.

As the day of a meeting approaches the whole community enters into the spirit of the thing with enthusiasm. On the all-important day the teams, decorated in dazzling fashion, come from villages round about, each followed by virtually the whole population of that village and preceded by a band. As they enter the moon-aloon (race course) the villagers wager on the result. Hours before the meeting begins the course will be packed with a gaudily dressed crowd, excited and happy.

As the teams arrive they come up for inspection, each preceded by its gamelan (band). Trainers, leaders and drivers will be with their animals, and at the head of the whole procession is a dancer who tries to stimulate the animals by his singing and feats of agility.

The manner in which the bulls accept the position is remarkable. Perfectly trained, they go through this samut of homage and applause in a dignified manner.

The usual practice is to race teams in pairs with a sled, suspended between the bulls as a sort of primitive chariot. The driver is perched on a cross-piece of the sled, from which he leaps, in moments of emotion, to urge his team to greater efforts. He must watch his footing or he will be tossed wide and his team will be beaten. He is also frequently tossed off by a piece of rough ground, or by any unskillful driving which results in the bulls swerving off the course.

Luck Plays Big Part

With evenly matched teams the race is a gamble of the kind that appeals immensely to the happy Madurese. Luck plays a most important part in the outcome. And when the bulls begin their dash it is amid the waving of brightly colored garments and the roar of the crowd. As the winning team thunders to victory with the driver leaping up and down and the home-town villagers delirious with joy, it is a sight which even famous Bali cannot afford.

wall of the eastern tower, facing on the town, there is a wide doorway with limestone threshold and jambs giving on a guardroom from the back of which a winding stairway led to the upper chambers—the lower part of the flight, built in brick, is still well preserved, the upper part was of wood and ran over a little room, a sitting-out room for the sentries, which is entered by a doorway and wooden steps from the entrance passage.

"This was the weakness in the plan, for an enemy had no sooner broken through the outer gate than he could force his way into the sentries' room and set fire to the wooden stairs and so to the whole tower. Judging from the state of the ruins something of the sort may actually have happened. Apart from this defect the gateway is a splendid piece of early military architecture, the prototype of the gates of later Hittite towns such as Carchemish and Boghaz Keul, and the oldest example of Hittite architecture yet known to us. For that it is Hittite I have no doubt at all, though definite proof of this has still to be found."

INVITES WIFE-BEATERS TO COME TALK WITH HIM

The Rev. E. E. Robinson, vicar of St. Anne's Church, Finsbury Park, London, has invited from the pulpit husbands who beat their wives if they want to go to church, to call on him for a heart-to-heart talk.

The parish of St. Anne's, with its 13,000 people crammed in twenty streets, contains some of the "toughest" spots in London. The previous vicar had his house burgled twice.

Mr. Robinson took over the church four years ago, and his lot has been anything but a bed of roses. His stipend is \$1,875, and out of this he has to provide for his wife and four children.

"The bare necessities of life eat up more than every penny I earn," he told a Sunday Express reporter. "Since I came here I have had to surrender two life policies and am borrowing on a third. I was better off as a curate in Hastings. But I have a job to do here and I want the husbands to help me do it."

"I am just an ordinary husband like them, and I appreciate that money worries are behind more than half the friction in their families."

His accusation that some husbands beat their helpmates to prevent them going to church has made no great hit with the menfolk. One of them remarked that these days husbands were more likely to be beaten by the women.

On one occasion Mr. Robinson made a collection for the church by going round the streets with a perambulator. In one notorious street he stopped in front of men gambling on the pavement. They took \$6 out of the "kitty" for his collection.

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A FARM MEMORIAL

Wichita (Kansas) Beacon: The man who started the county agent plan died recently in Iola, Kansas. Today there is not only an agent in nearly every county in Texas, but in many of them there are assistants and an entire field staff carrying on many activities of the Federal Government related to farming. The county agent has proved a good contact man for the Department of Agriculture, has contributed considerably to the transformation that is taking place in southern agriculture, has preached a philosophy of living at home and improving and conserving the soils, and in fact has done much that has been accomplished toward the perpetuation and improvement of agriculture.

It was Charles Frederick Scott who visioned the opportunity of field men in making known to farmers the advancement contributed by science. That work took hold and today the most effective program of the government—that affecting agriculture in some of its phases—has been augmented materially by the fact that a working organization already had won the farmers and they were ready to work with those whom they could trust. The United States owes considerable to the Iola man who not only was a successful editor but also a practical congressman whose accomplishments today touch many a farmer who never will know of the author of the county agent plan.

Bed, Not Clock, Wakens Youth
BATON ROUGE, La.—Sleeping through the ring of his alarm clock meant more than embarrassing tardiness to J. H. Maddox Jr., Louisiana State University student. His bunkmate, Bill Byrd, dozing in the upper section of their double-decker-bed, leaned over to turn off the alarm. A slat slipped and Byrd and his part of the bed descended on Maddox. Maddox came out with a shattered nose, a broken tooth and a keen ear for alarm bells.

Jealousy is the worst of all evils, yet the one that is least pitied by those who cause it.

Man's Seven Mistakes

Man's perfections lead him to make many mistakes in life, and the pointing out of these frailties has engaged the attention of philosophers and reformers in all ages. A recent writer enumerates what he considers to be the seven greatest mistakes of man, as follows:

1. The delusion that individual advancement is made by crushing others down.
2. The tendency to worry about things that cannot be changed or corrected.
3. Insisting that a thing is impossible because we ourselves cannot accomplish it.
4. Refusing to set aside trivial preferences in order that important things may be accomplished.
5. Neglecting development and refinement of the mind by not acquiring the habit of reading.
6. Attempting to compel other persons to believe and live as we do.
7. The failure to establish the habit of saving money.

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Side Glances - - - - - By George Clark



"You want your customers to think you have a smart wife. Still, I'm supposed to make a lot of stupid plays so they'll always win."

Concho Watershed Flood Survey Begun

Fort Worth—A detailed flood control survey of the Concho River watershed area embracing 12 West Texas counties was started this week by personnel from the Soil Conservation Service, the Forest Service and the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, Louis P. Merrill, regional conservator for the Soil Conservation Service and chairman of the Department of Agriculture flood control field coordinating committee in Texas announced.

The detailed survey of the Concho is the second to be authorized for Texas, the first being the Trinity watershed survey on which work was started last summer.

Field offices of the Department of Agriculture division of flood control surveys, have been set up at San Angelo from which point the survey work will be directed.

Personnel from the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, the Forest Service and the Soil Conservation Service are now being transferred to San Angelo to work on the Concho survey.

Among those being transferred are the following from the Soil Conservation Service: Roy H. Gough, associate conservator, former project manager at Vernon; C. A. Tidwell, junior range manager, formerly stationed at Vernon; C. A. Reagan, assistant agricultural engineer, formerly at the Madisonville Soil Conservation Service CCC Camp; Elias Sommerville, assistant soil technologist, formerly located at the Temple and Lockhart projects; and Z. C. Dameron, junior soil surveyor, formerly at the Brownwood Soil Conservation Service CCC Camp.

envy, malice, scorn—Believing this God's house of prayer. One feels welcome at all times within these walls—you do not feel as a stranger in this holy place, but free to enter and worship.

"That's the psychology of the thing." How many times have we heard this egoistic expression used by our acquaintances to bring out some point in a speech or a highlight in an argument? The next time we hear this particular expression would it not be proper to answer, "Whose psychology?" To most of us, psychology is a far-fetched entity that only the most learned can deal with. This is far from right. Each individual has his own psychology and uses it or fails to use it to the best of his ability. By experience with all of the people we know we form our own psychology unconsciously, and use it, because that is the main thing that makes us different from other people. We admire some people because they are different to an extreme degree and their psychology is interesting.

Then, since we are all different why should we not say—"That's my psychology of the thing!"

One little word don't say a lot. You've got to keep on talking. One little step won't take you far. You've got to keep on walking. One little thought won't do a lot. You've got to keep on thinking. One little writing can't mean a lot. You've got to keep on inking. —Winston Jones

Difficulties Of Economy

Chairman Claude D. Teer of the State Board of Control in a timely and informative statement, points out some of the difficulties which will be encountered by the incoming Legislature and Governor in the serious efforts which no doubt will be made to decrease the expense of State government in Texas. Mr. Teer does not directly refer to any economy movement, but the known attitude of the new Governor, and expressions from numerous members of the Legislature indicate that serious efforts at economy are to be made, and it is well that the public knows in advance some of the pitfalls which the movement may encounter.

Of significance is Mr. Teer's statement that about 90 per cent of the State's annual expenditure (about \$138,300,000) largely goes back to the people in some form of aid, indirect benefit or for construction and other operating needs. Only about 10 per cent of the annual expenditure is for salaries of officials and regular employees. At once the question arises whether Texas citizens are willing to surrender the State benefits which they derive from the expenditure of the 90 per cent. It should be borne in mind that most of these expenditures, and the services resulting from them, are made at the direct request or demand of the people themselves, who probably will be loath to give up that which they have demanded of their State.

Ranking high among these services are the expenditures for old age assistance, education and highways, the three items together taking up 80 per cent of the State's annual expenditure. Of this money, Mr. Teer points out that most of it is spent for materials, labor and services in the various counties of the State, and only a small amount is consumed by people employed around the capitol at Austin. Of course we are familiar with the fact that the State sends to the school districts some \$22 per capita for enumerated scholars, and the demand from the schools and the patrons seems to be that this figure be not reduced; in fact there is persistent demand that the figure be increased from year to year, and it is not without the bounds of reason that we might see this put at a larger figure in the future. Mr. O'Daniel proposes, and the public generally expects, that the expenditure for old age assistance be greatly increased in Texas, and it is primarily to find funds with which to make this increase that the economy movement has been launched. It is apparent, then, that no great reduction in expenses in this department of the State government can be expected. That leaves the highway expenditure as the only other sizeable item which could be reduced which would seriously affect the total State expenditure. This fund is secured largely through the gasoline tax, to which is added a portion of the automobile registration fee. People want state highways, and want them badly, and it would be hard to develop any sentiment for a reduced highway building program. So the three big items will be left intact, or possibly will be increased under pressure from people back home who want and expect and insist on these services which the State is rendering. If these services are not to be eliminated, or greatly curtailed, there can be no great and beneficial reduction in State expense during the coming years, for elimination of all other services and all departments other than these would mean only a 20 per cent reduction in the State tax bill.

Another interesting item in Mr. Teer's statement refers to the salaries paid State officials and employees. According to his compilation, "the average salary of the employees of the eleemosynary institutions, including physicians and other technical employees, was actually an average of \$47.80 per month. Salaries of all State officers and employees paid from the State Treasurer averaged about \$70 per month, or \$840 per year. The higher salaries of officials and employees are few in number compared to the many State employees receiving small salaries, which accounts for the low average salaries."

Everyone is interested in a more economical government. But what few of us realize is that most of the expense of the State government is for those services which the people demand of their State, and which will not be given up without a struggle. The Legislature, and to a lesser degree the Governor, must be governed by the wishes of the people, and until these wishes include a definite and expressed desire to give up the benefits derived from the State in exchange for the lower tax bill, no great progress can be made in putting through a greatly reduced State budget.

A prominent produce buyer in Dallas, just returned from Eastern markets where he was arranging for the sale of his anticipated purchases of Texas turkeys for the Thanksgiving and Christmas market, paints a rather dismal picture of the reception received. It seems that Texas turkeys are being penalized on the larger markets because of the quality of the birds, in comparison with those of the Mid-Western States. This is because of the practice of feeding out turkeys in other heavy production centers, and the habit in Texas of leaving the birds on the range until market time.

Texas turkey growers, according to this buyer, have developed the habit of feeding their birds heavily the day of the sale, which makes it necessary for the dressing plant to draw grain from the craws, lose this weight, and at the same time sell birds which do not match those from the Northwestern turkey centers. The situation may not be as gloomy as it is painted, but there can be no question that lack of feeding is causing an inferior bird to be shipped from Texas, which isn't helping the market for our turkeys in the least. Since it is growing near turkey selling time, this information is passed on for what it is worth—and if feed at this time can be turned into meat within the next few weeks, it would seem to be wise economy to start feeding.

Indirectly—quite indirectly, to be honest—The Banner can claim some credit for a first prize at the State Fair of Texas in Dallas last week. The "Peep Show" column, printed each week in The Banner a few columns from here, won first place at the All-Southwestern newspaper contest held in connection with Press Day at the State Fair. The column is printed in a number of other newspapers as well as The Banner, but we feel quite a bit of pride in the award, anyway.

The column originates in the Tipton Tribune, Tipton, Oklahoma, and is written by Mrs. Vera Holding, former Brownwood girl who is doing a swell job of editing the Tribune while her husband, C. A. Holding, is postmastering at Tipton. We've liked the column all along, but now we have definite respect for it.

The MARCH OF TIME

A BANNER Feature by the Editors of TIME, The Weekly Newsmagazine

Taxes, Bogies, Spies . . .

WASHINGTON—Thru a White House "spokesman," President Roosevelt last week discussed U. S. taxes and declared it a deliberate distinction for Administration critics to say that Federal taxes are heavier than they were two, three or five years ago.

Next day however, the Secretary of the Treasury officially reported on U. S. tax receipts for fiscal 1938. Final tabulation: \$5,659,000,000—an all-time high, topping even post-Par 1929's record of \$5,408,000,000, soaring above 1929's \$2,959,000,000, 1937's \$1,620,000,000, and 1937's \$1,653,000,000.

HYDE PARK—Playing the role of Economics Professor, as he often does, the President also commented through his "spokesman" on the entire economic condition of the U. S.:

It is the general feeling of the Administration that the recent European sabre-rattling and mobilizing has its parallel in the U. S. In extravagant misrepresentation of Government policies, in bogging down the eyes of industry and business (Examples: that the Government plans little TVA's all over the U. S., that the Federal tax burden is far higher than it was two, three or five years ago), the lesson, continued the "spokesman," is the same as in Europe. If people stopped calling names and rattling industrial swords, the result would be peace instead of war between Government and industry, between industry and labor.

As for the more concrete side of the current business picture, it appeared to the "spokesman" that the nation's shelves of merchandise were far more empty than a year ago, that consumer demand had declined far less than might have been supposed from reading the tearing-down stories in the press, that the full effect of pump-priming was still to be felt, that employment was gaining more than seasonally.

This long discourse drew several replies from Business. Pushing the "spokesman's" analogy further, many a diehard businessman suggested that if Government and Industry sat down to peaceful conference, Business could expect Czechoslovakia's fate.

WASHINGTON—U. S. military circles were surprised—and not entirely pleased—when the President suddenly declared that the U. S. was woefully under-equipped for counter-espionage—for keeping tabs on foreign agents in the U. S. (not for spying abroad, in which the U. S. never did specialize). The Army and Navy intelligence services must be strengthened, said the President. This announcement synchronized misleadingly with the State Department's deadline for the registration of commercial, legal and publicity agents for foreign powers within U. S. borders.

Agriculture Reorganized . . .

WASHINGTON—Under the New Deal, the Department of Agriculture has been not only a research and service department like Commerce, but also—through Agricultural Adjustment Administration—a vast agency for distributing Government funds, like WPA.

Secretary of Agriculture Henry A. Wallace last week announced a drastic reorganization of his department for more "efficiency." parcelled out AAA's major functions among four new Department divisions: Planning, Marketing and Regulation, Physical Land Use, Research and Technology.

To these policy-making divisions and executives go AAA's long-range soil and planning programs. AAA itself will be a strictly administrative unit. "The changes . . ." said Mr. Wallace, "bring the full range of the Department's resources to bear on . . . major problems."

Significant in the reshuffling of Agriculture's personnel was the upping of Economists Tolley and Black to executive positions second only to Henry Wallace's. Key man in the shift, however, was Assistant AAA Administrator Jesse W. Tapp, chosen to run Federal Surplus Commodities Corp. and marketing agreements as Mr. Black's right-hand man.

A Kentuckian of 38 who worked in Agriculture when Henry Wallace's father was Secretary in the Harding Administration, Economist Tapp leads that Department wing which favors subsidizing home instead of foreign consumption of U. S. farm surpluses. Since August, FSCC may soon shift its dumping ground to the U. S. specifically to the 20,000,000 users of farm products now on relief.

Cheerless was the Department when its Crop Reporting Board, which month ago forecast an unprofitably low 1938 cotton crop of 11,825,000 bales, had to revise its estimate upward to 12,312,000 bales, based on a per-acre yield higher than any save 1937's.

Cheering was news from Macon, Ga., that a three-judge Federal court had upheld the constitutionality of AAA's tobacco-marketing agreements, ruled that AAA could collect penalty taxes from a group of South Georgia growers who had marketed tobacco in excess of their quotas.

WPA . . .

FAIRDALE, Oregon — A sign posted near Fairdale cautions sportsmen: "Warning to hunters—Don't shoot until U see it move—It might be a WPA worker."

Significant Women . . .

WASHINGTON—Resigning as administrator of the U. S. Unemployment Census, John D. Biggers last week wrote his friend Franklin Roosevelt to announce that the census was complete and to convey many facts and figures:

"The most significant fact . . . is that—2,740,000 more persons have entered the labor market since 1930 than were to have been expected from past experience. The entire increase is made up of women workers . . ."

On the labor market when Mr. Biggers surveyed it last November were 29,978,000 males, 14,496,000 females between 15 and 74. Of these, approximately 7,457,016 who registered were "available for employment." (Latest conservative estimate of unemployed: 10,509,000.) Two and three-quarter million women who in depression clung to jobs rather than husbands were a surprise that made the problem so much worse.

New Raiment . . .

NEW YORK—For 100 years the indigent aged who live in New York City's municipal poor houses have been issued standard raiment. For men: high shoes with elastic inserts like Congress zetties and cotton suits whose shapelessness is a true reflection of the style of nightshirt in which they have to sleep. For women: coarse cotton mother Hubbard's, black cotton stockings, shoes like the men's, floppy sunbonnets. To both sexes the official dress gives an air of covered wagon days, and to the city's 3,175 old paupers this has

been a sore trial. So there was jubilation in the city's poorhouses last week when the Department of Hospitals announced that henceforth paupers will have a choice of nightshirts or pajamas, suits cut like tailors' advertisements and shrink-proof, shoes of 1938; that paupresses will get flannel percales, felt hats for winter, straws for summer, stockings still cotton but in stylish tan. As a special treat, garters will be issued to both sexes. Reason: the city discovered that the paupers' clothes were so old-fashioned they had to be made to order; it will be cheaper to buy modern clothes than stock.

Bread and Bombs . . .

MADRID, Spain—in "celebration" of the second anniversary of Generalissimo Francisco Franco's dictatorship, Spanish Rightist aviators last week dropped tens of thousands of quarter-pound loaves of bread over the hungry Leftist cities of Madrid and Barcelona. Believing this stunt might persuade Leftists to a truce, the Rightist victory would mean a full stomach. Rightist propagandists announced that Madrid's share of bread, safely floated to the ground in shakelike parachutes, had been 178,000 loaves. Later, Rightist batteries resumed shelling Madrid, and airmen from Majorca returned to drop explosives on Barcelona.

Now facing their third winter of siege, the people of Madrid received rations of only 100 grams (about three and one-half ordinary hard rolls) of bread daily, feared that their enemies' gifts contained poison. Leftists called the bread-bombing a "grotesque" gesture by aviators otherwise engaged in "assassinating women and children in defenseless towns." Grotesque or not, the bread shower was a pointed reminder that in Rightist Spain only a few non-essential items (tobacco, coffee, sugar) are scarce, while in over-populated Leftist Spain the problem of foodstuffs is nearly as acute as that which faced Germany during the last year of the World War, is probably one reason why Leftist Premier Juan Negrin has mentioned the possibility of mediation before the Spanish Parliament.

PEEP SHOW

PEEP SHOW - - - - - For Ladies Only - - - - - BY MIGNON

By Lois Farris (Punch-hitting for Mignon) Grand Slam— Books in the making— Rules for young women— Be yourself— A chapel— I pinch hit in the morning. And I pinch hit at night; Just pinch-hitting for that gal, Suits me 'Jest right"

Of course you know who that gal is, cause she has just received statewide recognition as a columnist. At the Southwestern Golden Jubilee Celebration held in Dallas, Texas, these last few days Mignon was given first place with her local column, "Peep Show." Her friend hubby has said that he thought he deserved at least half the big fat check cause she has used him as a subject for the past year. You readers will probably say, "He has got something there."

Am anxiously waiting to read some new books that are in the making—one an autobiography by Charles Miller; "Blossoms on the Stem" by Mignon; "The Psychology of the Thing Is," by one of the Jones boys; and some feature stories by one of the Smith boys, all Oklahoma writers.

On a calendar nearby are two clippings from Dale Carnegies column. One is 10 rules for young women. The 10 suggestions are vital to girls in finding happiness and success and are as follows:

- 1. As a college graduate, you will be judged not so much by what you know as by what you can do and how well you do it. 2. Be sparing in your criticism of others. There is enough snobbishness in one's nature without deliberately cultivating it. 3. Do not let your emotional life control you—unless you have first learned to control your emotions. Feel deeply, but think clearly. 4. To look your best you must be your best. Poise and personality are nine points of "good appearance." 5. Be able to do something useful and do it well. Even if you never have to make your own way fi-

press 1500%. Airline employment has meanwhile increased 350%, from 3,400 to 12,000, may reach 25,000 by 1943. The industry as a whole can expect to employ at least 37,000, at most 120,000, by 1943. Stiffest job requirements are those for pilots: 1,200 solo-flying hours, college training, hiring-age limits 22 to 28. Prohibitive cost of acquiring so much flying time sends most candidates into the Army, Navy or Marines for two-to-four-year enlistments. There the Government spends up to \$35,000 training each pilot. Flying U. S. air transport this year are 1,400 pilots and co-pilots—pilots averaging \$600 monthly, co-pilots from \$190 to \$230.

To get their \$100-to-\$120-a-month jobs, applicants for the 300 stewardess posts had to be pretty, petite, single, graduate nurses, 21 to 26 years old, 100 to 120 lbs. Many of them found husbands right after they found jobs; few married pilots.

Workers in aviation manufacture get 37c an hour as apprentices, as much as \$350 monthly as foremen. Aircraft maintenance mechanics get 40c to 80c an hour, are required to be certified by the U. S. Government.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson. IN JAPAN, ONCE EACH YEAR, PRAYERS ARE SAID, AND INTENSE BURNED BY HIGH PRIESTS OF THE BUDDHIST TEMPLE, TO SOOTHE THE SOULS OF BULLFROGS SACRIFICED DURING THE YEAR FOR EXPERIMENTAL PURPOSES. TEMPERATURES INSIDE THE EARTH'S SO-CALLED "FRIGID ZONES" SOMETIMES RISE TO 80 DEGREES. IN INDIA, FAITHFUL MOHAMMEDANS PAY FIVE DOLLARS A BOTTLE FOR BATH WATER FROM THE DAILY BATH OF THEIR SPIRITUAL HEAD, AGA KHAN, BELIEVING IT TO HAVE HEALING POWERS.

CLOSEUP and COMEDY by DAN THOMAS — GEORGE SCARBO. STUART HOLMES MADE THE MODEL FOR THE EAGLE WHICH WAS PLACED OVER THE OLD CHICAGO POST OFFICE IN 1907. GRACE BRADLEY IS THE FIRST ACTRESS IN HER FAMILY, ALTHOUGH ONE OF HER GRANDMOTHERS WAS A DANCER. COLLEEN MOORE ONCE BROKE HER NECK WHILE WORKING IN A PICTURE. SHE FELL OFF A HAND-CAR, AND HER NECK WAS IN A PLASTER CAST FOR TWO MONTHS.

BOY SCOUT NEWS

Court of Honor

Parents and friends were present Tuesday night, October 18, to see a large group of Scouts of Carbon come up for advancement at a Court of Honor. President of the Council, Russell B. Jones of Breckenridge made an interesting talk. Scoutmaster F. M. Wood was in charge of the arrangements and H. D. Thomason, Chairman of the Court of Honor presided. Scout Executive Quirk had charge of the game period.

Sea Scout Ship "Texan"

Each year members of the Sea Scout Ship "Texan" of Breckenridge choose a Ship's Sweetheart. This year they have chosen Miss Tommy Muterspaugh. A formal reception in Miss Muterspaugh's honor was held by members of the Ship at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening, October 19, in the Junior Ballroom of the Burch Hotel, in Breckenridge.

Scout Pace Race

The Scout Pace Race began with members of Troop No. 8 Brownwood making the first run, Saturday morning at 5 a. m. The other eleven troops took up the race in order and finished the race from Brownwood to Stephenville at 4:59

and 1 second that evening. The boys in this race carried with them a scroll of greetings from Mayor Wendell Mayes of Brownwood to Mayor J. B. Evans, Blanket; Mayor J. E. Hoffman, Comanche; Mayor E. C. Leatherwood, Dublin, and Mayor Henry Clark of Stephenville. The greetings read: "Since A Scout Is A Brother to Every Other Scout, We Believe That A Town Should Be A Neighbor to Every Other Town." At the close of the race each Mayor had signed the greetings.

This was a race of accuracy rather than of speed. The troop members that completed their part of the race nearest the sixty minute mark were the winners. First place to No. 19, Comanche; second place Troop No. 5, Brownwood; third place to No. 21 Comanche and No. 16 Brownwood; Troop No. 22 of Dublin and No. 39 of Stephenville tied for fourth place.

Scouter's Pow-Wow

The fourth meeting in the second series of Scouter's Pow-Wow for the Central Section was held at Zephyr, Monday night, October 17. Scouters from Rising Star, Blanket, Brownwood, Mullin, Cross Cut and Pioneer attended the meeting. The regular training course

project was presented, and a round-table discussion of Scouting plans for fall was held. A Squirrel Meat Barbecue supper was served at the close of the meeting.

Civil Service Examinations

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced open competitive examinations for the positions named below.

Multilith operator, \$1,440 a year, for appointment in Washington, D. C., only. Applicants must have had at least three months' full-time paid experience in the operation of a multilith machine.

Deputy United States Game Management Agent, \$1,800 a year, Bureau of Biological Survey, Department of Agriculture. High school education or a mental test is required; and certain game management experience or similar experience, except for the partial substitution of college work.

Full information may be obtained from C. D. Woods, secretary of the U. S. Civil Service Board of Examiners, at the post office or customhouse in this city.

4-H Club Activities

May Club

The regular club meeting was called off on Tuesday, October 13, on account of a funeral in the community.

The president, Mrs. H. M. McDaniel, called meeting of the ladies for Friday afternoon to be held in the basement of church to make final arrangements for achievement day program. The date was set for November 19 and the program will be held in the basement of the Methodist church. It was voted to give first, second and third prizes for the best cakes and cookies exhibited.

It was voted to elect officers at the next meeting, October 28. Mrs. McQuaid, Mrs. Shultz and Mrs. Dewbre were appointed on nominating committee.

The Optimist

"Mr. Brown, these are very small oysters you are selling me." "Yes, sir." "They don't appear to be very fresh, either." "Then it's lucky they're small, ain't it?"

Need

The clerk at the office for registry of births, marriages, and deaths was new to his job and not very well acquainted with the customary procedure. He was also slightly deaf.

"I want a certificate—" began the caller. "What name?" asked the clerk. "New—Thomas New." "Pardon me, I didn't quite catch it."

"I'm New, New to you! New to everybody! New to the world!" "What you want is a birth certificate," said the clerk, absently.

Frustrated Frosh

Frosh: "I guess you've gone out with worse looking fellows than I am, haven't you?" (No answer.)

Frosh: "I say, I guess you've gone out with worse looking fellows than I am, haven't you?"

Co-ed: "I heard you the first time. I was trying to think."

Mortuary

McBRIDE—Mrs. Bobbie Ann McBride died at her home near May October 12. She was 75 years old and had lived in Brown county 64 years. She was born in Arkansas February 19, 1863.

Eight children survive: Mrs. T. D. Snipes, Brownwood, Mrs. W. P. Thomas, Grovesnor, E. B. McBride, E. E. McBride, A. V. McBride, H. F. McBride, Esther B. McBride and E. A. McBride, all of May. Twenty-one grandchildren and six great-grandchildren also survive.

Her husband, the late H. F. McBride, preceded her in death fifteen years ago.

Interment was in the May cemetery. Pallbearers were grandsons of Mrs. McBride.

ROACH—I. N. Roach died at his home in Brownwood, 701 Malone street, October 12. He was born in Ohio, March 4, 1864.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Maggie B. Roach, a step-son, Alonzo W. Slaughter of Dallas, and two daughters, Mrs. Anna Hall, Wink Mrs. Bertha Blaydes of Indianapolis, Indiana.

ASHCRAFT—Funeral services were held last Saturday at Rocky church for Robert Lee Ashcraft who died in Los Angeles, Calif., October 12, after a brief illness.

Mr. Ashcraft was born November 6, 1889 in Brown county and lived here until two months ago when he went to Pedernal, New Mexico. He was an ex-service man, having served Company E, 111th Ammunition Train, Thirty-Sixth Division.

Survivors are his wife, Mrs. Jewel Rushing Ashcraft who was with him in Los Angeles; his father, E. R. Ashcraft of Grovesnor; brothers, Will Ashcraft of Albuquerque, N. M., Walter Ashcraft Federal, N. M., Frank Ashcraft Grovesnor, and Jeff Ashcraft of Harlingen; sisters, Mrs. Temple Thigpen, Mrs. Fannie Cartwright of Brownwood, and Mrs. Eva Weedon of Granbury.

Funeral services were conducted by Dr. Bradford, Dr. Moore and Rev. Wade. Pallbearers were Earl Cason, John Cason, Gordon Thomason, Charles Thomason, Lige Brooks and Henry Howlett.

KILLION—Mrs. Mary Adeline Killion, 70, died at the home of her son, H. P. Killion, at May last Friday. Funeral services were held in the First Baptist Church at May with Rev. R. F. Dill officiating.

Mrs. Killion was born January 5, 1868, in Cape Girardeau, Missouri and moved to the May community in 1878. She was an active member of the Baptist church and was a beloved citizen of the community.

Those surviving Mrs. Killion are six children: Elmer Killion, Mrs. G. C. Dennis, O. L. Killion, H. F. Killion, Mrs. Doc Dupree, all of May; and Mrs. Otis L. Pierce of Owens; four brothers and five sisters; thirty-two grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Interment was made in Pleasant Valley cemetery.

REID—Charles Marshall Reid died Saturday from injuries received in an accident. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at the Penecostal church with Rev. Homer Parkington officiating.

Charles was born July 5, 1932, in Brownwood. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Reid; one sister, Patsy Ruth; and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Allison.

Interment was in the Greenleaf cemetery.

COX—David Silas Cox, a citizen of the Weedon community in Brown county for the last 65 years and a pioneer stockman of this section died in a local hospital Monday after an extended illness.

Mr. Cox was born in Comanche county April 15, 1861, being 77 years of age at his death.

Funeral services were held at the Byrds Methodist church Tuesday, with Rev. W. M. Scott officiating. Burial was in the Weedon cemetery.

Survivors include one son, Estes Cox; brother, Bud Cox; sister, Mrs. Texana Wright, Holder; half brothers, John McInnis of Byrds and Gus McInnis of Holder; half sister, Mrs. Mary Campbell of Round Rock; Misses Emma, Susie and Mattie McInnis, all of Holder, a double-cousin, Marion Cox of Grovesnor, and nineteen nephews and nieces.

CHURCHILL—Thomas Jefferson Churchill, a resident of Brownwood since 1917, died at his home on Fisk avenue Tuesday, at the age of 79 years. He was born in

Washington county, Texas, in 1859. Before coming to Brownwood he had been a citizen of Brooksmith. Funeral services were held Wednesday at the Primitive Baptist church with Rev. D. F. McDouals and Rev. Sammie Bedford, of Llano officiating.

Mr. Churchill married Miss George Anna Smith in 1877 and to this union three children were born. His first wife died in 1922. Seven years later he married Mrs. Eva Long.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Eva Churchill; daughters, Mrs. Fred Maedgen and Mrs. George Sparkman, both of Coleman; one son, S. S. Churchill of Colorado City; brother, S. S. Churchill of Los Angeles, Calif.; sister, Mrs. Parlee Elliott of Voca; thirteen grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.



RUBBER STAMPS—For marking Butter wrappers—3-day service—Bring us your orders—Brownwood Banner.

End of Line for Galloping Gabby



Players, park attendants and fans were on hand to give Gabby Hartnett a rousing greeting as the Chicago Cubs' manager romped across the plate after hitting the ninth-inning homer which beat the Pirates, 6-5, at Wrigley Field. Gabby's blow enabled the Cubs to take the lead in a wild National League pennant race.

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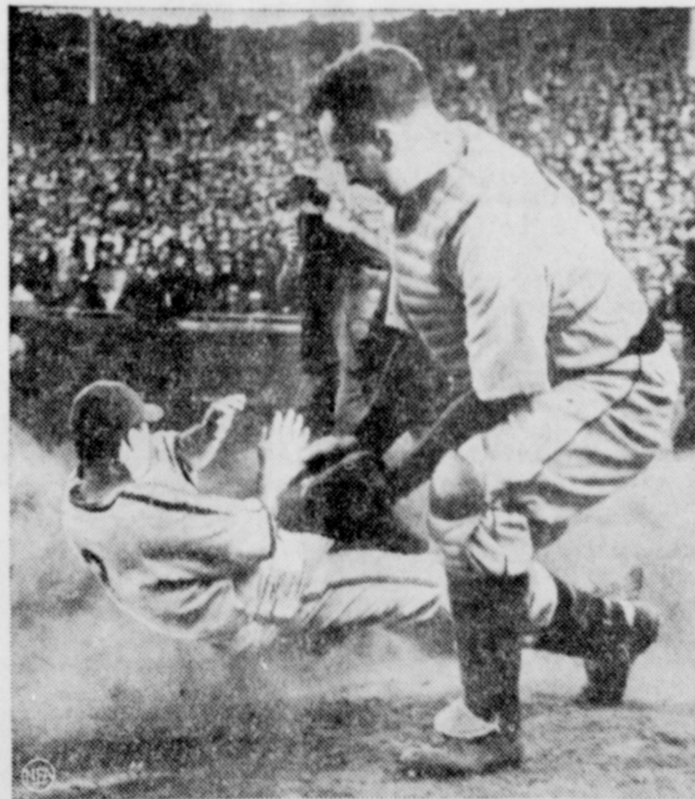
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- 3rd Prize: A one night pass to the winner and another person whom they select.
- 4th Prize: A one night pass to the winner alone.
- 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th place: Winner receive a years subscription to the Brownwood Banner.

Remember, the prizes to be awarded are based upon time the answers are delivered to our lumber store, neatness in preparation, and correctness in answers. Contest positively ends Midnight Oct. 30th and no more entries received after 8 A. M. Nov. 1, 1938. Names of winners published in the Nov. 3rd issue of the Brownwood Banner. Each correct rearrangement rated at 5 points, 5 points given for complete reports delivered on Oct. 22nd and 4 points on 24th, 3 points on 25th, 2 points on 26th, 1 point for reports delivered on Oct. 27th. We will also give an additional 2 points for each prospects name you give us on this report who you know is in the market for any of the suggested work. Make a separate list of the prospects, their address and what work they contemplate.

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DOCUMENT TO A SONG IS UNIQUE PLAY OF BASQUES

To erect a monument not to a march, or a saint or a victory, but to a song is the self-assumed task of a committee just formed in the Basque country, with Major William Boissel, director of the Basque Museum in Bayonne, as the airman. Songs are seldom immortalized in stone, but this one serves to be, for it is "The Song of Roland," a medieval epic which in the same category as the Anglo-Saxon "Beowulf" and the German "Nibelungenlied," says a

correspondent of the New York Times.

Since Roland's chivalrous deeds took place in the Basque country, Major Boissel and his committee have decided that this monument should be placed in the heart of this picturesque province. Saint-Jean-Pied-de-Port has already donated the terrain upon which the monument will be erected. Its exact form and size have not yet been determined, but it has been decided that near it will be built a cratory dedicated to Our Lady of the Open Road. Here pilgrims will be welcomed as they visit the site.

endred famous by the legendary exploits of Roland and the three connected with his name.

"The Song of Roland" is one of the longest ever written; it cannot possibly be sung at one sitting; the singer would get tired, since it consists of more than 4,000 verses. It glorifies the daring and the gallantry of the knightly Roland, one-time Prefect of Brittany and supposed nephew of Charlemagne.

Today, Roncevaux is a poor and tiny village, but the glory of bygone days hangs over it. There is a memorial chapel, also the famous monastery which contains the historic Bible upon which the Kings of Navarre (including Henry IV) took the oath of office. It was at Roncevaux that Roland and his soldiers were overwhelmed by a force twenty times their number; only a few minutes before his death did Roland consent to sound the horn which brought Charlemagne to the scene.

Briefly stated, these seem to be the facts of history, but they have been embellished and expanded by the unknown author of "The Song of Roland." Indeed, like other medieval writers, he took considerable liberties with the truth, and exercised his imagination to the utmost. Then the epic was translated into German, Italian, Spanish and English, and each translator, following the custom of the times, added details according to his fancy.

Saint-Jean-Pied-de-Port has been selected as the site of the monument, since it once served as headquarters for Roland and his companions. Although placed in the Basque country and sponsored by Basques, the monument will be international in conception, as international as is Roland and the medieval song which sings his history.

SCIENTISTS DISAGREE ON NAME FOR ELECTRON

The physicists have nearly as much trouble naming a new fundamental particle as a family of fond parents, grandparents and in-laws deciding what to call a new baby. Now it is the heavy electron, the particle that lives only about a millionth of a second after being born of the cosmic rays, that is being christened enthusiastically, writes Watson Davis of Science Service.

Americans are calling the heavy electron "baryton," the first part of the word being Greek for "heavy." But Europeans, with Professor Niels Bohr of Copenhagen as chief protagonist, are using "yukon" in honor of the Japanese physicist, Yukawa, who postulated the existence of the particle before Drs. C. D. Anderson and Seth Neddermeyer of Pasadena discovered it in 1932.

In discussion at the recent Cambridge meeting of the British Association, one of the Americans present observed that yukon was a rather cold name for a particle so hotly discussed and that Alaskans might protest.

The heavy electrons seem to make up the major portion of the penetrating particles resulting from the cosmic radiation. Scientists are flying high into the atmosphere and setting up apparatus deep in tunnels in order to study them.

With some 240 times the mass of the ordinary electron, basic unit of electricity, the heavy electron is lighter than the proton, the nucleus of the hydrogen atom. It may very

well be triplets, for it would be logical for it to be found with negative and positive charges as well as no charge at all.

It is a very unstable creature, existing theoretically for a mere millionth of a second when at rest. Strangely enough, it lives longer when it goes fast, owing to the relativistic change in time. One of them by great good luck was photographed at Pasadena coming to rest. Heavy electrons are supposed to disintegrate into electrons and neutrinos. And neutrinos are particles postulated but not yet discovered.

Visiting Firemen Work Hard

OTTAWA, Kan.—When the Kansas Firemen's Association concluded its balloting for new officers, every one present was perspiring from an arduous, long-drawn out campaign. Between the distribution and counting of ballots, the firemen—visiting delegates included—had answered two alarms and extinguished two blazes.

Horse Bones 11,000 Years Old

COPENHAGEN — The well-preserved skeleton of a wild horse has been discovered on the island of Funen, near Breudrup, Denmark. The Danish Geological Survey states that the surrounding soil strata indicate that the horse lived about 11,000 years ago, or in the age immediately succeeding the Ice Age. A skeleton of a prehistoric deer also has been discovered in the same region of Funen. The Zoological Museum in Copenhagen will house them.

Good Luck, Hard Luck

GERLACH, Nev.—T. H. Stoelting has made a strike of ore running 60 to 70 per cent gold, but is unable to take possession under mining law because he is still a citizen of Germany.

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"Fifteen Minutes From Broadway"---New York's Fair



NEW YORK (Special)—If shadows a little longer could be cast by the pinnacles of New York's skyscrapers they would fall across the site of the New York World's Fair of 1939. Only a few miles of the busy Borough of Queens lie between the exposition grounds and the heart of Manhattan. How close they are is illustrated in this aerial photograph taken from a plane winging over the Fair's main exhibit area. In the lower right corner is the Home Center Building in the Welfare Zone. In the center of the picture is the Hall of Communications, nearing completion. Beyond it is the Administration Building, already housing the 600 officers and executives of the Fair and their staffs. On extreme lower left is the steel frame of the Medicine and Public Health Building. Diagonally across the center of the picture is the Long Island Railroad, which has just opened a new World's Fair station. The upper diagonal line marks the elevated tracks of the Interborough, Brooklyn-Manhattan and Second Avenue subway lines. The background shows the towers of mid-Manhattan, the tallest of them that of the Empire State Building, where the Fair Corporation still maintains several of its executive offices.

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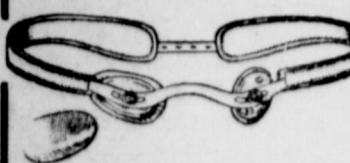
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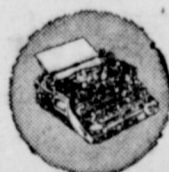
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being as follows: Plaintiff sues in trespass to try title, to recover title and possession of that certain tract or parcel of land situated in Brown County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: Being situated in the D. Y. Pyron Survey No. 8, Brown County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: BEGINNING at the North corner of a tract of 771.83 acres of said survey, described in deed from C. C. Wilkins and wife, to M. E. Fry, dated August 25, 1925, of record in Volume 263, page 587, of the Deed Records of Brown County Texas; Thence North 45 East 744 yrs. more or less, to the North corner of said Survey; Thence South 45 East with the Northeast line of said Survey to its East corner; Thence South 45 West 745 yrs. more or less, to the East corner of said M. E. Fry Tract; Thence North 45 West with the Northeast line of said M. E. Fry Tract, to the point of beginning, containing 214 acres, more or less.

In addition to his count in trespass to try title to recover said land and premises, Plaintiff specifically pleads right to recover title and possession of said land and premises under and by virtue of the three, five, ten, and twenty-five year Statutes of Limitation of the State of Texas.

Herein Fail Not but have before said Court, at its next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Brownwood, Texas, on this 19th day of September, A. D. 1938.

L. J. WILSON, Clerk, District Court Brown County, Tex. By Mallie Kilgore, Deputy

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Brown County - Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to summon W. H. Kokernot, C. H. Bailey, Mutual Oil and Royalty Corporation, a private corporation, E. B. Carruth, Senior, and Zeno E. Wilks, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Brown County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Brownwood, Texas, on the last Monday in October, A. D. 1938, the same being the 31st day of October, A. D. 1938, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 29th day of September, A. D. 1938, in a suit, numbered on the docket of the said Court No. 7674, wherein Mrs. Jennima Curtner, is Plaintiff and Claud Curtner, is Defendant, and a brief statement of plaintiff's cause of action, being as follows: Plaintiff alleges that she has resided in Brown County, Texas, for more than twelve months next preceding the filing of this suit.

Plaintiff further alleges that she was married to the defendant, Claud Curtner, on October 8th, 1932. That she has three children, aged five and three years respectively. That they have no community property. That the residence of her husband is unknown.

That because of the harsh, cruel and improper conduct of the defendant toward the plaintiff she was forced to and did permanently abandon him as her husband, on the first day of March, 1936, since which time the defendant has not contributed anything to her support.

She prays for judgment for divorce, and the custody of the three children.

Herein Fail Not but have before said Court, at its next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Brownwood, Texas, on this 29th day of September, A. D. 1938.

L. J. WILSON, Clerk, District Court Brown County, Tex. By Mallie Kilgore, Deputy

land; and by reason of the fact that said back water filled a slough or depression, rendered the plaintiffs field in-accessible to his residence thereby greatly lessening the value of his entire tract, and there-fore permanently damaging and in-creasing the value thereof, due to the Juring said land in the sum of \$9,200.00. Plaintiffs allege that W. H. Kokernot is the owner of an undivided one-eighth interest in the mineral rights; and that the de-fendant Mutual Oil and Royalty Corporation, is the owner of an undivided one-sixteenth interest in the mineral rights; and the de-home and the school rather than on defendants, E. B. Carruth, Senior, the libraries, she asserted, but she and Zeno E. Wilks, each own an un-garanteed one-thirtieth interest in the mineral rights reading of good books.

In and under the said land, and are made parties hereto that their rights may be adjusted.

Plaintiffs ask for damages against the said Brown County, Water Improvement District Number One, in the sum of \$9,200.00, and costs of suit.

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COLLAPSE OF THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE IS PREDICTED

LAKE MOHONK, N. Y.—The collapse of the whole structure of the English language under the devastating influences of radio, screen and press was predicted by Dr. Blanche Jennings Thompson, educator of Rochester, in an address at the New York Library Association conference here.

Speaking before the school libraries section on "The Book at Bay," Dr. Thompson declared that the motion pictures and the radio, the digests and pictorials and tabloid newspapers were fast taking the place of good books and threatening to end cultural reading and bring a "menacing vocabulary deficiency."

"Contrasted with the excitements of radio and screen, to modern young people reading seems a dull business," she said. "Since they do not read well, they do not get pleasure out of it, and they tend to read predigested material. Since the reading vocabulary grows only as a result of more reading and the reading of increasingly difficult material, it is easy enough to see the outline of the proverbial vicious circle.

"A menacing vocabulary deficiency lies at the root of many of our present evils. Our tendency to accept ready-made assertions as facts and our ready acceptance of propaganda by permanently damaging and in-creasing the value thereof, due to the Juring said land in the sum of \$9,200.00. Plaintiffs allege that W. H. Kokernot is the owner of an undivided one-eighth interest in the mineral rights; and that the de-fendant Mutual Oil and Royalty Corporation, is the owner of an undivided one-sixteenth interest in the mineral rights; and the de-home and the school rather than on defendants, E. B. Carruth, Senior, the libraries, she asserted, but she and Zeno E. Wilks, each own an un-garanteed one-thirtieth interest in the mineral rights reading of good books.

"If we are not careful," she concluded, "when English becomes the international language, the American people will be the only ones who cannot speak it."

VENEZUELA'S FIRST NATIONAL FAIR TO BE HELD IN 1939

Venezuela, the tropical, mountainous mystery land on the northern coast of South America, will hold its first national fair next January, February and March in Caracas, the capital.

American made steel buildings of modern architecture blending with old Spanish Castilian charm and a touch of the ancient Indian of the days of Cortez, the conqueror, will be the setting for the fair, says the New York Times.

Acres of land, adjoining the famous Hippodrome owned by the Federal Government under whose auspices the fair is being held, will be permanently landscaped for ten buildings. Afterwards the tract will become a Federal district park. An additional twenty acres will be devoted to an amusement park imported from the United States especially for the three-month period of the fair.

Undertaken primarily to show the progress of Venezuelan industry, agriculture, commerce and art, a limited amount of space has been set aside for commercial exhibitors outside of Venezuela, manufacturers who wish to advertise their products. In four of the ten buildings 28,500 square feet of space will be sold to foreign exhibitors. One or the buildings, with 8,000 square feet, has been reserved for automobile manufacturers and another, with 6,400 feet, for manufacturers of heavy machinery, for farm work, road construction, oil well equipment and tractors.

Touring South America

LIMA, Peru—Considerable interest has been aroused in commercial and financial circles in South America by the round-the-continent tour now being made by Warren Lee Pierson, president of the United States Government's Export-Import Bank, which was created in 1934 to assist in the development of American trade.

Following a tour of the East Coast, Mr. Pierson, accompanied by Mrs. Pierson, arrived here yesterday by airplane from Santiago, Chile. It is understood that he will remain a week or ten days before proceeding north.

According to reports, the Export-Import Bank has opened, or is opening, large new credits for financing exports to Latin America to meet European and Japanese competition.

400,000 Bottles of Wine Given Away

Every year at the Paris Trade Fair held in May, visitors are given a free bottle of Chablis, Pommard or Vouvray wine, and some years as many as 400,000 bottles are thus distributed.

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Colonel Walters to Auction 51 Blocks Of University Land

Austin—Fifty-one blocks of land owned by the University of Texas, the oil and gas rights of which will be offered at public auction in Austin on November 4, are situated in and adjacent to proved oil producing areas in West Texas.

These periodical auctions are looked forward to with no little interest, not only by prospective purchasers but by other persons who attend them for the enjoyment they receive from the entertaining methods used by Col. E. Walters in inciting excitement among the bidders.

Colonel Walters is one of the most picturesque men of the Southwest. He lives at Skeedee, Okla., and for the last fifty years has followed the profession of auctioneer as the means of disposing of millions of acres of lands owned by Indian tribes and others in Oklahoma, Kansas and other western states. He has been the auctioneer for the University of Texas ever since that method was adopted for selling the institution's oil and gas leases.

Most of the acreage which will be put on the block at the coming auction is divided into quarter sections. Some of the blocks, however, run as low as 152 acres and as high as 168 acres.

Ten of the quarter sections are situated in Crane county, where the University already has production. Two 165-acre tracts are in Ector county, where there are also wells upon University land.

The largest number of subdivisions upon which bids will be received at the coming sale are situated in Andrews county, with 29 tracts listed. These are a part of the block of 294,000 acres which the University owns in that county. Production has already been obtained within a mile of this big body of land, and all of it is regarded as potential oil bearing.

In Ward county the oil and gas rights on nine quarter sections will be offered.

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ford, Dr. Ben H. Moore will be the speaker on the program.

At 9 a. m. in the basement of the Fine Arts building, and at the home economics building, the S. O. S. Club girls will entertain for all ex-students with an early morning coffee.

Historical Pageant

Chapel services for the homecoming program will be held in the Coggin Memorial building at 10 a. m. At this time a pageant, depicting the history of the school and the lives of the students at each period for the last fifty years will be given. In charge of the program are Miss Jessie Beryl Chisholm, Jack Broad and Gaston Alford. The general program of the chapel exercise will be under the direction of Dr. Moore. Another pep rally will be held following chapel.

Retiring from the program at chapel, the exes will go to the Gold Room of Hotel Brownwood for a luncheon at 12 noon. Immediately following the luncheon, Daniel Baker Ex-Students Association will meet and elect officers for the coming year.

The McClelland Library Club will hold open house in the library. At the same time the Coggin Society will also hold open house for old members of the club.

At 3:30 p. m. in the girls dormitory, a tea will be given for ex-students and friends. This activity is being given by the Ladies Auxiliary of Daniel Baker.

Bringing the day's activities to an end, the Hill Billy football team will meet the Tigers of St. Edward's University in the Brownwood High School stadium at 8 p. m.

NEW FEATURES ARE BEING PLANNED FOR FALL POULTRY SHOW

New features for the poultry show to be held early in December were discussed at the meeting of the Pecan Valley Poultry Breeders Association at the court house Monday night.

For one thing, it was decided that there shall be extra booths for exhibits pertaining to any phase of the poultry industry, or in any way related to it. Any one who desires to develop a new idea, demonstrate a model poultry plant, or arrange any kind of an exhibit of interest to poultry breeders or the public generally will have an opportunity to do so. There will be only a small entry fee for these exhibits and a nice prize will be offered for the most unique display.

Committee reports were heard at the meeting and the association found all in readiness for pushing forward for the success of the show.

Tentative dates for the show are still named as December 1, 2 and 3. If it is necessary to make any change in them they will probably be moved to one week later.

Turkeys will be given a prominent place in the exhibition, committee members state, as it is realized that the turkey industry is one of the most important industries in this territory.

Several new names were added to the membership of the Pecan Valley Poultry Breeders Association at Monday night's meeting. For the next few weeks the organization will devote itself to a vigorous membership campaign.

Numerous inquiries are being received from poultry raisers regarding entries in the show, it is said, and the indications are that there will be a large number of entries.

and it is expected that the election will be ordered for November 8. The vote is to be on prohibiting the sale of all alcoholic beverages in Menard county.

Over 200 horses have been vaccinated in Menard county against sleeping sickness.

Queen Is Installing Latest Equipment

According to L. D. Brown, manager of the Queen and Gem Theatres, the Queen Theatre is now being equipped with the very latest R. C. A. sound equipment. This new sound system has many improved features over other so-called sound systems as to the tone qualities of both speech and music. With the newly added equipment the Queen Theatre will have one of the best equipped theatres in the whole of West Texas.

The personnel of the Queen Theatre which consists of H. Clay Bradshaw, assistant manager; William A. Pierce, chief projectionist; Blake McLean, assistant projectionist, and Berie Lee Petty, cashier, extend an invitation to their patrons to come and judge for themselves.

Next week Mr. Brown is having new sound equipment installed in the Gem Theatre. When this is completed both the Queen and Gem Theatres will have the most up-to-date equipment possible. The personnel of the Gem Theatre consists of H. Clay Bradshaw, assistant manager; E. M. Boone, chief projectionist; Kenneth Hill, assistant projectionist, and Kathryn Latham, cashier.

NYA Remodeling of Construction Camp Nearing Completion

Austin—What promises to become one of the largest and most extensive work experience programs ever undertaken by the National Youth Administration in Texas is making rapid progress.

On the Colorado River in Burnet county, the remodeling of an abandoned construction camp into modern living quarters for youth is nearing completion. The camp site is on a cliff overlooking the river just below Inks Dam. It will accommodate a resident project being operated by the National Youth Administration with the cooperation of the Lower Colorado River Authority, sponsor of the project, and the Federal Bureau of Fisheries.

Technical supervisors, in charge of the various training courses, have made extensive plans to begin on full schedule when the new set-up is ready for occupancy. Work experience and instruction will be given in the field of agricultural engineering and related subjects, including the fundamentals of auto-mechanics, wood leather and metal work.

John Coers, supervisor, expects to move the 125 boys now on the project from their temporary quarters at Buchanan Dam to the new site within the next thirty days. Modern throughout, dormitories at the new camp site will provide housing capable of caring for 150 young men. A large dining hall with modern kitchen and refrigeration equipment is now ready for use.

Because this section is fast becoming an important recreational area for hunters and fishermen much interest has been shown in what is scheduled to be one of the largest federal fish hatcheries in the State, which NYA boys are helping build under the supervision of the Federal Bureau of Fisheries.

Regional News

Ranger voted for \$30,000 revenue bonds for water supply by a majority of 128 to 11.

Eastland reports a gain of \$22,811 in postal receipts over the corresponding quarter in 1932.

Harry K. Westerman has resigned as county administrative assistant of the AAA program in Eastland county to accept a similar position in McCulloch county, with headquarters at Brady.

A second warehouse was opened at Rising Star last week to take care of the peanuts received there for market.

Gustine, Comanche county, will hold a peanut festival, starting Friday night, October 28, and continuing through Saturday.

Sidney, Comanche county, will hold a stock show Saturday, October 22.

Comanche was believed to have become the world's greatest direct from the farm peanut market on Tuesday of last week when nearly half a million pounds were brought into the town in one day, totaling fifteen cars and representing about \$15,000 paid to farmers.

Comanche county reports a scholastic population of 4,768.

Thirty sheep and goat men of Comanche county in meeting recently decided to join the Sheep and Goat Raisers Association of Texas.

Congressman Charles L. South of Coleman spoke on "What Congress Is Trying to Do to Assist the Farmer" on Wednesday of last week at an agricultural committeemen's picnic at San Saba.

Coleman county is expecting to have a number of prominent men of the state there when Senator Tom Connally makes a visit of inspection to that county November 14. Senator Connally will spend the day in the county visiting the foundation work of several important countywide including soil and water conservation work and the Rural Electrification cooperative, it is announced.

Gouldbusk, Coleman county, is expected to vote soon on a \$5,000 bond issue for a water system. The Gouldbusk water district was created recently by vote of the citizens.

De Leon is making plans for entertaining the American Legion convention of the Seventeenth District Saturday and Sunday, October 22-23.

A petition for a local option election has been filed with the commissioners court of Menard county.

Menard warehouses were cleared ago by sales of 125,000 pounds of wool. Sales were at 25 to 26 cents a pound.

Stephenville reports a gain both in postal receipts and bank deposits over 1932.

A mass meeting at Richland Springs expressed approval of efforts for WPA projects that would include street and alley work and other improvements there.

Registered Delaine-Merino sheep owned and exhibited by H. C. Johnson & Son of Brady won eleven prizes, including the grand championship for ewe and ram, at the sheep show of the State Fair of Texas.

Six members of the Brady Future Farmer chapter have begun feeding registered Rambouillet sheep and another half dozen boys will soon place mutton lambs in the feed lots. Two of the boys starting the feeding of the Rambouillets each have a sheep from the flock of W. H. Simmons of Brownwood.

Romance, Adventure Of Entertaining to Be Lecture Subject

An event that promises to be of widespread interest is scheduled for Brownwood on October 31 when Mrs. Letha Evans Hardwick, an authority on silver, ceramics and table service, presents a lecture here on the "Romance and Adventure of Entertaining." The lecture, with an interesting exhibit, will be at Brownwood Hotel and will be sponsored by the Armstrong Jewelry Co. Mrs. Hardwick will deal with the proper table setting and proper use of china, crystal and silverware. Her lecture will be of unusual interest to women's clubs.

Heretofore, Mrs. Hardwick's lectures have been confined to larger cities. Brownwood is the first of the smaller cities or towns to have the opportunity of hearing her.

Darling to Address Wildlife Meeting

Austin—J. N. (Ding) Darling of New York, president of the National Wildlife Federation, and widely known as an outstanding authority on wild life, will make the feature address at a statewide meeting of the Texas Wildlife Federation to be held at the Blackstone hotel in Fort Worth November 10. J. W. Chapman, president of the Texas Federation, announces.

Darling informed Federation officials that press of business in the east would prevent him from addressing a regional convention in Kerrville the following day. Sportsmen from the following counties will attend the Kerrville meeting: Schleicher, Menard, Mason, Llano, McCulloch, San Saba, Lampas, Burnet, Blanco, Gillespie, Kimble, Val Verde, Sutton, Edwards, Real, Bandera, Kendall, Uvalde, Kinney and Kerr.

TEXAS PECANS ESTIMATED AT 27,000,000 POUNDS

Washington — Prospective production of pecans on October 1 was 48,737,000 pounds compared with 76,893,000 in 1932 and the ten year average of 61,274,000 pounds.

The Crop Reporting Board's estimates for principal producing states, included: Oklahoma, 13,824,000, and Texas, 27,000,000.

Firm Here Joins in National Feed Week

Acknowledging the great importance of farm livestock and poultry to the welfare of the country, Logan Feed & Hatchery will join thousands of other feed stores throughout the nation in celebrating National Feed Week, October 17 to the 22nd.

Homer H. Logan, proprietor, is already planning a special program that will be of interest to farmers and invites everybody to visit his place of business.

"Our fine community," he said, "would not be what it is today were it not for the steady income obtained by our farmers from their livestock and poultry. And proper feeds are a big factor in producing this income."

"Home grown grains are not in themselves sufficient to produce the maximum of milk, eggs, beef, pork and mutton. For years the feed industry has maintained laboratories and experimental farms where feeding has been studied as a science and poultry and livestock are treated almost on a par with human beings. This knowledge and the discoveries of master minds are being passed on to the farmer in each sack of feed."

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II MAJOR COUNTRIES SHOW INCREASE IN UNEMPLOYMENT

GENEVA — Unemployment increased in eleven of twenty-three major countries during the third quarter of 1933, as compared to that period in 1932, according to the International Labor Office quarterly report on world unemployment published today.

Compared to the previous quarter in 1933 only five countries show an increase. The United States and Canada are in both groups.

Increases in unemployment, as compared to last year in the major countries, are United States, 3,561,753 to a total of 11,244,239; Britain, 451,242 to a total of 1,759,242 to a total of 1,759,242; France, 31,810 to 366,331; Canada, 23,338 to 108,383. Others increasing include Belgium, Denmark, Ireland, Norway, Switzerland and Hungary. Italy gives no figures.

Islands Part of Vanished Land

The West Indies are the highest points on a great submarine ridge that is all that remains of a land that has vanished.