

## Revamped Soil Conservation Program Announced by Dept. Of Agriculture Heads This Week

### New Provisions Announced After Conference of Farm Leaders.

Secretary of Agriculture Henry A. Wallace this week announced a sharply revised soil conservation program for 1938 which would slash 15,000,000 to 30,000,000 acres from the average harvesting of major crops over the past ten years.

The program was completed after a conference among Wallace high AAA officials and 118 state farm leaders. Wallace said the aims of the new program, which probably will be included in the general farm surplus control bill to be enacted by the next session of Congress, were to encourage soil conservation through increasing non-depleting crops and assuring a "balanced production of food and food supplies at prices fair to consumers and growers."

### Soil-Depleting Crops.

The new program provides quotas for soil-depleting crops, the balance to be used for soil conservation work. Under the 1938 schedule, the "soils" aggregate a flexible range from 275,000,000 to 390,000,000 acres as against the 10-year average of 305,000,000 acres for 1937. The maximum goal is a 5,000,000 acre increase over last year's tentative outline.

Specific soils and benefit payment plans for complying farmers were fixed in the new program. For corn, cotton, rice, tobacco and peanuts while AAA officials said that potatoes would be included also in this category if two-thirds of the producers approve in a national referendum October 2.

The remaining commodities, including wheat, were not assigned special goals although they were allotted a special quota of between 144,000,000 and 155,000,000 acres.

Wallace explained that the size of the program depends upon Congress, which makes the appropriations. He said Congress appropriated \$560,000,000 for the conservation plan in 1937.

### The benefit payment schedule for specific commodities will be:

1. Corn, 10 cents per bushel of the farm's normal per acre yield on each acre in the corn goal.
2. Cotton, two cents per pound of the normal acre yield for each goal acre.
3. Tobacco, from one-half cent to 1.7 cents per pound of the normal per acre yield for each goal acre.

4. Peanuts, 2:10 cents per pound of the normal per acre yield for each goal acre.

The new program sets a broad base of \$1.50 per acre benefit payment for each acre in general soil depleting goals but this does not include the "specific" crops.

For the first time in the conservation program, special payment features were included to encourage restoration of grass on land in the drought-ridden great plains area which had been plowed when it should not have been cropped.

A payment of 50 cents per acre will be made on the "restoration" land which will be selected by county committees, as "unadapted to cropping." The land is defined as "that which has been cropped once since 1933."

### Cemetery Officials.

Dr. Ben M. Shelton and Brooke Smith were elected to the board of directors of Greenleaf cemetery Thursday.

They will succeed Mayor W. H. Thompson and W. D. Wells. Re-elected to the board were S. H. Bass, R. R. Kingston and Mark E. Ragsdale.

## Butler 'Tells' on Mrs. Joyce



The "perfect butler" employed by attractive Mrs. Nelle M. Joyce, above, came to the aid of her husband, James Stanley Joyce, below, millionaire Chicago lumberman and former husband of oft-married Peggy Hopkins Joyce, in the divorce suit Mrs. Joyce brought against him. In a deposition Joyce filed, the butler, Walter Nohl, accused Mrs. Joyce of trysts with men other than her husband.

## ACHIEVEMENT DAY TO BE OBSERVED BY 4-H MEMBERS AT ZEPHYR

Members of the Zephyr 4-H girls' club will observe annual Achievement Day October 9.

Record of the club this year is one of the most outstanding of any similar group in the county in recent years, according to Miss Maye Malone, Brown county home demonstration agent.

The club was awarded first place in the county in a recent contest sponsored by the Texas Power & Light Co. and is now entered in district competition. First place winners in each district will be awarded an expense-paid trip to the Pan-American Exposition in Dallas. Results of the district contest will be announced soon.

Mary Joe Coffey, secretary of the club, won first place in a club reporters' contest sponsored in the summer by the Brownwood Banner and the Brownwood Bulletin. Mary Joe is secretary of her organization and wardrobe demonstrator.

The club recently elected Gertrude Fry and Laverne Keeler as clothing demonstrators for the ensuing year. Susie Counts was elected garden demonstrator to succeed Irene Lacey who has moved from Zephyr.

Mrs. L. V. Kimmons is sponsor of the organization.

## DEATH ENDS CAREER OF REV. M.N. POWERS, PIONEER METHODIST

Rev. M. N. Powers, D. D., 88 and a minister in the Methodist church for more than half a century, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. G. Sawyer, 1803 Third Street, at 8 o'clock Tuesday night. He had been ill for more than three weeks.

A funeral service was conducted at the Sawyer residence at 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, and Wednesday night the body was carried to Kansas City, Mo., for interment in Fairmount cemetery. Rev. Harold G. Scoggins, pastor of First Methodist Church here, conducted the funeral services.

Pallbearers were L. L. Mallow, Ed Davis, Ben A. Fain, Dr. B. E. Bell, Emmett Evans, and Fred S. Abney.

Rev. Milo Nuckols Powers was born in Lawrenceville, Illinois November 30, 1848, and was married in 1865 to Nancy Elinor Sholl who preceded him in death ten years ago. He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. W. G. Sawyer of Brownwood; and three grandchildren, Don Sawyer of Billings, Oklahoma, Mrs. J. Walter Meier of Kansas City, Mo., and Miss Mary Bess Sawyer of Dallas.

### Fifty-Two Years.

Dr. Powers was active in the ministry of the Methodist church for fifty-two years, retiring in 1912 because of the ill health of his wife. In early manhood and before entering the ministry he was a newspaper worker, and during Civil war he was in the service of the Union army. He ministered in churches in Illinois, Kansas, Oklahoma and Arkansas during the half century of his active service.

He made his home with his daughter here for the past several years, and until his strength failed was a regular attendant at services of the First Methodist church.

After his retirement from the active ministry, Dr. Powers devoted much of his leisure time to study of astronomy and geology, and was well versed in current affairs throughout the world. He enjoyed good health throughout his life, and until his final illness was unusually strong even in recent years.

## Brownwood Police Station Important Unit in Big System

In operation since October 10, 1935, KNGW, Brownwood police short wave station is operated 24 hours each day and has been instrumental in no small degree in the work of the police department in apprehending criminals.

The station operates on a frequency of 2458 kilocycles with an output of 200 watts. Dallas and San Antonio stations, with 400 watts, are the only police stations in Texas more powerful than the Brownwood system.

The station sends calls to the three receiver-equipped police automobiles in the city and relays important messages to stations throughout this section of the United States.

Plans are now underway for the organization of a police radio net through the entire central portion of the state. In the event the plans materialize, the local station likely will be increased, according to officials.

The transmitting equipment is located at the Stewart Radio Shop at 307 Center avenue, but is operated by remote control from the city hall. The transmitting equipment is kept in working order by A. W. Stewart, H. C. McFadden, member of the police department is the night operator. He recently passed a federal examination and received an operator's license.

## Malodorous Gas Placed In City Gas Mains

In compliance with a state law passed by the Legislature last spring after the New London school disaster, Brownwood municipal gas department and Community Natural Gas Co. have placed a malodorous in all gas piped through their mains.

According to notices sent consumers by the companies, the malodorous "gives the gas a loud, distinct odor - should you notice this peculiar odor on or about your premises, you are requested to notify the gas departments immediately.

## Italy's Wounded Home from Spain



Despite their wounds and illnesses, these Italian volunteers who fought for the Spanish rebels find reason to smile and be happy—they're safely back in their native land. The veterans still wear the distinctive headgear of the units in which they were enrolled as they arrive in Naples, the war over as far as they are concerned.

## County Agent Advises Farmers Regarding 1937 Cotton Sales

The following information regarding the filing of buyers receipts on 1937 cotton has been received from the County Agent's office:

"Buyers receipts covering sale of cotton from 1937 crop sold prior to September 15 must be filed with the county officer not later than September 30. Buyer's receipts for cotton sold after September 15 must be so filed not later than 15 days after date of sale. Pending receipt of government forms producers should secure original sales receipt from buyer showing date of sale, name and address of producer, number and gross weight of bales and signature and address of buyer."

Producers intending to make application for subsidy payments on their allotted poundage of 1937 cotton should adhere to these regulations, it was said. The county agent's office is now ready to accept all sales slips that are properly executed and give each producer a receipt for those so filed.

### Sales Receipts.

Producers are urged to see that all sales receipts are properly executed showing date of sale, name and address of producer, number and weight of bales, signature, and address of buyer. Sales slips cannot be accepted unless they carry all of this information.

"This subsidy payment will be made to producers cooperating with the 1937 program. The filing of sales slips does not obligate the producer in any manner.

The grade, staple and price that a producer receives for his cotton does not govern the amount of subsidy to be received. The amount of subsidy due the producer is determined by the difference between the average price of 7-8 inch middling cotton in the ten leading

spot markets of the United States and 12 cents on the date the cotton is sold. In no case shall this difference exceed 3 cents per pound.

All producers are urged to file buyers receipts within the prescribed time limit to avoid future difficulties, it was said.

Other information on the cotton payments has been received by the County Agent's office as follows: "Cotton produced in 1937 will be eligible for loans to producers only. The loans to producers will be made upon a basis of 9 cents per pound for cotton classes seven-eighths inch or longer as to staple and middling or better as to grade; and 7.75 cents per pound on cotton classed seven-eighths inch or longer as to staple, and under middling in grade, provided no cotton shall be eligible for a loan which is of a grade not deliverable on contracts in compliance with the regulations of the New York and New Orleans Cotton Exchanges. Loans at the rate of 8 cents per pound will be made on cotton classed thirteen-sixteenths inch as to staple, and middling or better in grade. Thirteen-sixteenths inch staple cotton under middling in grade is not eligible for a loan. "Landlords cannot borrow on tenant's cotton but the tenant may borrow separately on his share.

"Any bank, co-operative marketing association or other corporation may make loans and the Commodity Credit Corporation will take up the notes.

### Warehouses.

"Commodity Credit Corporation will accept only insured warehouse receipts covering cotton pledged as collateral to notes on 1937-38 C. C. Cotton Form A issued by any warehouse approved."

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## Fans to See Plenty of Action on Texas Gridirons This Week-End

A game with Southwest Texas State Teachers College Bobcats of San Marcos will open Howard Payne College's Yellow Jackets' 1937 schedule here Friday night. The Hill Billies of Daniel Baker will be in action at the same time against the West Texas State Buffaloes at Canyon.

The San Marcos team invading Brownwood this week is headed by Coach Joe Bailey Cheaney, who was head coach at Howard Payne before going to the San Marcos college. McAdoo Keaton, his former assistant here, is now head coach at Howard Payne.

The Daniel Baker squad, headed by Coaches Gene Taylor and Trickey Ward, left Brownwood Thursday morning in their new 30-passenger all-steel bus on the most ambitious trip ever attempted by a Texas Conference team. Following their Friday night battle at Canyon, they will leave the next day for San Francisco, where on Saturday, October 2, they will play the University of San Francisco Dons.

Other games by Texas Conference teams this week follow:

## PEANUT ASSOCIATION HOLDS MEETING AT DUBLIN WEDNESDAY

Farmers and county agricultural agents from 10 leading peanut-raising counties attended a special meeting of the Southwestern Peanut Growers Association in Dublin Wednesday and heard a discussion by W. B. Strr, Cisco, president of the Association; C. E. Bowles, co-operative marketing specialist, of a peanut growers' conference with AAA officials in Washington earlier this month. Starr and Bowles with G. R. Sanders of Pearsall Association director, attended the Washington sessions.

W. I. Glass, agent for Extension District 7, was chairman of the meeting. Other speakers on the program included Congressman Clyde L. Garrett of Eastland, who assured the farmers of his support of all constructive agricultural measures; and H. G. Lucas Brownwood, president of the Texas Agricultural Association.

Directors of the peanut association are W. B. Starr, Cisco, president; J. E. Britte, Pleasanton, first vice-president; M. M. Miller, Arlington, secretary-treasurer; J. R. Sargeant, Hood county, and G. R. Sanders, Pearsall.

## PAVING PROJECT FOR COUNTY IS APPROVED

Efforts of Brown county citizens the past two years to secure approval of a paving project of seven miles of the Brownwood-Cross Cut road were rewarded this week with the announcement by Harry Hines, member of the State Highway Commission, that that body had included the construction program in its approved list.

One seven-mile section of the road, from Brownwood north, already has been paved. Surfacing of the seven-mile section will carry the paving on the Cross Cut road to the intersection with the Lake Brownwood State Park road.

A Brown county delegation appeared before the Commission Monday and asked that the project be placed back on the approved list, since it has been previously approved by the Commission but later was dropped from the list.

Official notice of the approval was received Wednesday by Chester Harrison, Chamber of Commerce. The order sent by Highway Commissioner John Wood, is as follows:

"In Brown County, it is ordered that a project be added to the 1938 Secondary Highway Program providing for the construction of surfacing on 7.1 miles extending from the end of NRS 738-A, 7.2 miles northwest of Brownwood north to the intersection with the State Park road, at a total estimated cost of \$57,000, 50 per cent being Federal funds and 50 per cent State funds, and the State Highway Engineer is directed to submit a request to the Bureau of Public Roads providing for this program addition immediately upon the accrual from any source of funds available for this type of work."

## B'wd State Park Sketch Included In Recent Volume

A story of Lake Brownwood State Park, with a photograph of one of the native stone cabins in the park, is included in a new text book being used in Texas schools as supplementary reading for the first time this year.

The volume is entitled "Our National Parks," and the information about the Brownwood park is included in a supplement on Texas State Parks.

The picture accompanying the story was made by S. D. Rodgers, local photographer, and has appeared in several recent publications.

### NO MOHAIR.

San Angelo is the only market for mohair that is open in this territory, local dealers reported this week. The market there is 30 to 40 cents. Contracted mohair in Brownwood brought from 55 to 65 cents per pound.

The estimated crop production for Brown county this season is 150,000 pounds. C. C. Bledsoe, local dealer in wool and mohair, at present has 50,000 pounds of mohair stored in his warehouse and is waiting for the market to open.

The beautiful whooping crane is one of the rarest of American birds.

## Improve Cotton Quality or Lose Market, Brown County Breeders Warned This Week

### Admiral Sailing on His Day Off



Admiral Orin G. Murfin, commandant of the United States Hawaiian Naval base, is shown above enjoying a holiday in true sailor style—by going on a yachting party. He leans on part of the craft's equipment.

### Special Meeting Called for Sept. 25; Specialists From A&M To Speak.

"Brown County farmers must produce a better quality of cotton or they will be forced out of the cotton business," declared County Agent C. W. Lehmburg this week in a letter to all farmers in the county and announcing a county-wide meeting of cotton farmers, ginners, oil millers, compress managers, cotton buyers and other interested persons on Tuesday, September 2.

The session will be called in district court room at 9:30 a. m. on that date for a discussion of a program for growing better quality cotton in the county.

Speakers will include Roy F. Saunders of the Bureau of Plant Industry, U. S. Department of Agriculture; F. E. Lichte, Extension gin specialist; E. A. Miller, Extension agronomist; and D. T. Kellogg, cotton breeder, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

### Serious Situation.

"One of the most serious situations confronting the cotton farmers of Brown county and the cotton farmers of Texas at large, is the fact that the quality of cotton has deteriorated to the point where short cotton is hard to sell and that now many spinners in placing their order for cotton specify that no cotton from Texas and Oklahoma be included in the sale. When one considers that nearly one-fourth of the cotton grown in Texas in 1936 was nontenable one should be convinced that something must be done to remedy this really serious situation," Lehmburg continued. "Our exports of cotton are still on the downgrade, and according to authorities on the subject, it is necessary for us to improve our quality to meet the increased foreign competition of foreign countries."

## BROWN COUNTY HD MEMBERS TO SAN ANTONIO MEETING

Four Brown county delegates will leave Monday for San Antonio to attend the annual convention of the Texas Home Demonstration Association.

Club members from Brown county who will attend the meeting are Mrs. Roy Mathews, Bangs, vice-president at large of the association and member of the nominating committee, who will appear on the program; Mrs. J. W. Phillips Hynds, county council chairman; Mrs. Ruth Garmon, Early, and Mrs. R. A. Scott, Zephyr.

Mrs. Mathews served the association as vice-president for two years, and for the past two years has been serving in her present capacity as vice-president at large.

The meeting, which will be held September 28-30, usually is held in connection with the A. & M. Farmers' Short Course but was called this year in San Antonio after the short course was cancelled.

Headquarters for the convention will be at the Gantner hotel. Other speakers to appear on the program include Miss Mildred Horton, vice-director and state home demonstration agent, Mrs. Maggie W. Barry, organization specialist of A. and M. Extension Service, and Miss Marie Strange, home demonstration agent in Bexar county.

The Association will elect new officers this year.

### EXAMINATIONS ANNOUNCED.

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced open competitive examinations as follows: Medical social worker, associate medical social worker, and assistant medical social worker, Children's Bureau, Department of Labor.

Associate botanist, and assistant botanist, Bureau of Plant Industry, Department of Agriculture.

Full information may be obtained from C. D. Woods, Secretary of the U. S. Civil Service Board of Examiners, at the post office.

## 15 Cattle Killed in Train, Truck Crash

A westbound Santa Fe passenger train struck a cattle truck at the highway 23 crossing in Brownwood at 4:55 Wednesday morning, killing 15 head of cattle.

Felix Garner, driver of the truck for the Capps Motor Co., of Mason, received minor cuts and bruises. Douglas Garner, cousin of the driver, who was riding in the truck, was not injured.

The train struck the large trailer of the truck and uncoupled it. Seventeen head of the cattle were in the trailer, but two were not badly hurt. Most of the other 15 were killed outright. A few were not shot but were badly hurt and were killed by members of the police department.

The Dutch call their eastern possessions "India." The other India is known to them as "British India."

## NEW AUTOMOBILES REGISTERED

September 23, 1937.

No.	Owner	Make	Dealer
K36-493	A. A. Grayson, Indian Ck	Plymouth, Patterson Motor Co.	
K36-496	Daniel Baker Col, B'wd	Dodge, Abney & Bohannon, Inc.	
K36-497	L. A. McChrissy, B'wd.	Lincoln-Zephyr, Weatherly Motor	
K36-498	Lee Mathews, B'wd.	Chevrolet, Holly Langford Co.	
K36-499	B. M. Elland, Bangs	Chevrolet, Holly Langford Co.	
K36-500	Joe Hair, Brownwood	Ford, Weatherly Motor Co.	
K36-501	Wm. Colvin, Byrds	Dodge, Abney & Bohannon, Inc.	
K36-502	Mrs. E. R. Deere, May	Chrysler, Crossley and Roach.	
K36-506	Cyrus Addison, B'wood	Dodge, Abney & Bohannon, Inc.	
K36-510	Walker-Smith, B'wood	Plymouth, Patterson Motor Co.	
K36-511	Mrs. Margaret Marks, Bd	DeSoto, Patterson Motor Co.	
<b>Commercial Vehicles</b>			
211-158	Brownwood Imp. Co., B'd	International, Brownwood Imp. Co.	
<b>Farm Trucks</b>			
K9-154	Aubrey Crockett, B'wd.	Ford, Weatherly Motor Co.	
Registered this week ..... 13			
1937 Registration to date ..... 597			
This week one year ago ..... 5			
To date one year ago ..... 599			

## FARMERS' MARKETS

Growers' prices quoted in Brownwood, Thursday, Sept. 23:	Old Toms ..... 8c
<b>Vegetables</b>	Old Hens ..... 10c
Bunch Vegetables, doz. .... 40c	Eggs, dozen, No. 1 ..... 20c
<b>Butter and Cream</b>	<b>Hay and Grain</b>
Sour Cream, lb ..... 30c-32c	No. 1 Milling Wheat ..... 93c
Sweet Cream, lb ..... 35c	No. 1 Durum Wheat ..... 88c
Country Butter, lb ..... 30c	No. 2 Red Oats ..... 35c
<b>Poultry and Eggs</b>	No. 3 Oats ..... 34c
Heavy Hens ..... 15c	No. 2 Barley ..... 60c
Light Hens ..... 12c	No. 2 White Corn ..... 75c
Fryers ..... 19c	No. 2 Yellow Corn ..... 75c
Bakers ..... 16c	Mixed Corn ..... 65c
Chickens ..... 16c	White Ear Corn ..... 60c
Moosters ..... 6c	Yellow Ear Corn ..... 60c
No. 1 Turkeys ..... 10c	Mixed Ear Corn ..... 55c
No. 2 Turkeys ..... 7c	No. 2 Milo, cwt., bright ..... 1.25

**GEORGE EHINGER IS  
FATALLY INJURED IN  
AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT**

George Ehinger, Jr., 27, formerly of Brownwood, was killed and his wife critically injured in an automobile accident in Grand Prairie Saturday night when the couple was en route to Wichita Falls.

Mr. Ehinger died in a Dallas hospital Sunday morning. Funeral services were held in Navasota Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. A number of Brownwood friends attended the services.

Mrs. Ehinger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Cross of Brownwood and teacher in Zephyr High School is receiving treatment for a fractured leg and abrasions on the head.

The mishap occurred when a Fort Worth cab crashed into the Ehinger automobile at a street intersection. William B. Sullivan, Fort Worth, driver of the cab, was not seriously injured.

Mr. Ehinger, son of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Ehinger, Sr., of

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Brownwood, was assistant manager of the Strand Theater in Wichita Falls. He formerly was booking agent for several well known orchestras and stage shows. He was reared in Brownwood and was a graduate of Howard Payne College.

**Farmers at Owens  
High in Praise of  
New Crop Methods**

"A man shouldn't run row crops without strip cropping. They prevent lots of washing," says W. E. Burns, who is cooperating with the Brownwood soil conservation camp in controlling erosion on his farm 15 miles northeast of Brownwood. Strip cropping helps to control erosion and conserves water by first, slowing down the rapid flow of water; second, spreading the flow of water and preventing concentration; third, causing more water to be absorbed into the ground; and fourth, causing deposits of soil being carried by water.

Strip cropping has numerous other advantages besides its control of erosion. Some of these are the use of strips for feed; point rows may be taken up; serve to balance production of feed and other crops; low cost installation; maintenance cost low; fill up small washes and depressions; eliminate cost of outlet protection, and may be easily moved or changed to fit

needs, says Soil Conservation technicians.

O. L. Pierce, of the Owens community, harvested 186 bales of cane hay from his four acres of strips this summer.

"In addition to the erosion control, my strips produced more feed than any other equal acreage on the farm," said Mr. Pierce.

**Oct. 1 Deadline for  
Salary Aid Requests  
For Rural Teachers**

Applications for teachers salary aid for Brown county rural schools must be submitted to the state by October 1, according to County Superintendent F. D. Pierce.

Information to be supplied on the forms includes the number of scholars in the district who have completed the work but who have not transferred. All teachers' contracts must be signed. Information concerning furniture, needed repairs and equipment will be itemized on the application.

**Telephone Company  
Makes Improvements**

At a cost of more than \$12,000, Southwestern States Telephone Co. is making improvements on its distribution lines in Brownwood, according to J. H. McKee, district manager. The work includes changing some of the overhead cables in the business district to underground cables and extending cables in the residential district.

Four blocks of 1200-pair cables in the downtown section are being placed in the underground system. An overhead cable from the telephone building on Anderson street to Fisk avenue and on Fisk to Adams street, the cable on Brown street from Anderson to Baker, and the cable on Center avenue will be replaced by underground cable.

A total of 22,000 feet of smaller cables is being put up in the residential sections in order to eliminate

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ate open wire distribution, and add to the facilities to take care of future development. Nine hundred and twenty-five poles will be set to replace existing poles.

The company recently laid a submarine cable across Lake Brownwood at Flat Rock crossing. The cable provides telephone service on the regular system for lake cabins and ranch homes in that section of Brown county. Extensive improvements also have been made by the company this summer in the district park section at Lake Brownwood to give telephone connections to a score of lake cabins.

**Brownwood Will  
Honor Traveling  
Men on October 1**

More than 100 traveling men who make their headquarters in Brownwood are expected to attend a bird barbecue to be given in their honor by Brownwood businessmen at city park, October 1.

Traveling men who have received invitations are requested to return a postal card to the committee in charge stating whether or not they attend the barbecue. Traveling men who have not attended previous bird barbecues are asked by the committee to register for the affair at either Brownwood Hotel or Southern Hotel.

Doves for the barbecue are being furnished by local hunters. Hunters are requested to leave birds at the Alamo Manufacturing Co., where they will be cleaned and put on cold storage.

**Daniel Baker Buys  
New Football Bus**

Daniel Baker Hill Billies will travel comfortably this year.

The college's 20-passenger bus arrived in Brownwood last week. The all-steel body, mounted on a Dodge chassis, is painted in the school's colors, blue and white. Large letters on each side of the bus spell "Daniel Baker College Brownwood, Texas." "Daniel Baker Hill Billies" is painted on the rear of the large machine.

The finest reclining bus chairs on the market were secured, according to Coach Gene Taylor. They are upholstered with leather and include air conditioned head rests. The bus has sufficient storage to carry all necessary equipment.

The bus will be used on an out-of-town football trip for the first time on September 23 when the Hill Billies leave for Canyon where they will play the West Texas State Buffaloes the following night. From Canyon they will go to San Francisco for their game October 2 with the San Francisco University Dons.

**Work on Survey of  
Flood Project to  
Begin in 60 Days**

Possibility of actual work of making a flood control survey of the Colorado river within 60 days was seen last week when G. W. Yenchan and J. A. Cotton of the Board of Army Engineers, Galveston visited in Brownwood en route to San Angelo.

The engineers will return to Brownwood in about ten days to confer with officials of Brown County Water Improvement District No. 1 and to visit Lake Brownwood and Brownwood Dam. They will secure information on the proposal to place gates in the spillways of the dam to control release of excess water in the lake.

**FANS TO SEE—**

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**HIGH SCHOOL  
TEAMS**

Brownwood High School's first home football game of the 1937 season was scheduled here Thursday night with the strong Class B Comanche Indians as opponents. Last Friday the Lions returned from Eastland with a 13-0 victory in the first conference game played in the Oil Belt this season. Comanche defeated Goldthwaite 19-0 in its opener on the new Comanche lighted field.

Three conference games in the Oil Belt will be played Friday. Stephenville, newest member of the district, will meet the big San Angelo Bobcats in a night game at San Angelo. Last week Stephenville plastered a 47-0 licking on Weatherford High School and San Angelo won over Thomas Jefferson of San Antonio 19 to 13.

Two losers in opening games, Big Spring and Eastland, will play at

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Big Spring. Eastland lost to Brownwood and the Steers were beaten by the Class B Wink team. The third conference battle will bring Breckenridge and Ranger together at Breckenridge. Ranger opened with its first victory since 1934, defeating Strawn 13 to 0. Breckenridge, district favorite, was upset by Paschal High of Fort Worth 14 to 7.

Ablene's Eagles will get into action for the first time with a game against Snyder on the Abilene field. Snyder was beaten 49-0 last week by Sweetwater. Sweetwater and Cisco are idle this week. Lubbock trounced Cisco 40 to 0 at Lubbock.

**COUNTY AGENT—**

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"The warehouseman guarantees in the certificate and waiver, provided in paragraph 1 of the loan agreement, that the cotton falls within the proper grade and staple classification for the loan made and is responsible to Commodity Credit Corporation for any loss



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**Liability of Producer.**  
"If the producer complies with the terms of the loan agreement he will not be personally liable for any deficiency upon the sale

of the pledged cotton. The note and loan agreement govern the liability of the producer and should be read carefully.

"The producer will not be liable for the loan unless he fails to participate in the 1938 Agricultural Conservation Program or any cot-

ton program offered to cotton producers pursuant of Senate Joint Resolution 207, Seventy-Fifth Congress."

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**FIVE HERDS OF ELEPHANTS WITH BIG CIRCUS**



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This question is often asked about the five herds of huge pachyderms with the great AL G. BARNES AND SELLS FLOTO COMBINED CIRCUS. The answer is simple. All but a few of the mighty beasts are needed for the colossal spectacle OLD MEXICO that opens the gigantic program. In this pageant of unrivaled splendor hundreds of persons, as well as scores of animals take part. The bejeweled costumes worn by the performers are the most elaborate ever designed for a circus. And the elephants, who play an important part here are bedecked with houndas trimmed with mammoth ostrich plumes. Indeed, the five herds of elephants with this super circus are used each performance.

Only six of the big-eared fellows, after many years of per-

forming have been relegated to the working class, while younger elephants have taken their places in the sawdust rings, where they carry comely girls on their backs in stirring new routines. But even the working elephants play an important part in moving the big circus, for it is their strong heads that gently shove wagons into exacting places.

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According to a recent report of the public safety department at Austin, the chauffeur's provision of the new driver's license law probably will not be enforced rigidly until mid-October. Candidates for the chauffeur's license will be examined and the license issued in much the same way that the car licenses have been handled. The chauffeur's division is soon to be transferred from the tax collector's office to the public safety department.

## Humble Will Bring S'west Conference Game to Fans Sat.

The Southwest Conference football season will begin on the air as well as on the ground on September 25. The Humble Oil & Refining Company, sponsor of radio broadcasts of Conference games, today announced that the radio football season would break with a broadcast of the Texas-Texas Tech football game from Austin Saturday afternoon. The game begins at 2:30 p. m., and the Humble broadcast will take the air at 2:20 p. m.

Kern Tips, well known sports announcer of Houston, will handle the play-by-play description of the game, and Gene Wyatt will handle color.

The game will be put on the air over stations KNOV, Austin; KPRC, Houston; WOAI, San Antonio; KRBC, Abilene; KGKL, San Angelo; and KBST, Big Spring.

## Cotton Production in County Falls Below Forecasts

Humming rains in Brown county the past month have resulted in placing more than 2,500 bales on the market, bringing a revenue to farmers of an estimated \$109,000 in the four-week period. Prices for panned from 8 1/2 to 9 cents per pound.

Pre-season estimate of 7,000 as the total crop in the county has been lowered to 6,500 due to damaging rain in the section. The quality of the cotton is somewhat lower than in past seasons. Last year, 6,853 bales were ginned.

CONSTABLE'S SALE. STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF BROWN. By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Dallas County on the 3rd day of August, A. D. 1937, by Geo. W. Harwood, District Clerk thereof, in the case of The Calvert Mortgage Company, a corporation, versus G. E. Chatham and wife Lillie Bell Chatham, E. E. Kilgore and the Murray Investment Company, a corporation, No. 20178-C, and to me as constable directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for the sale of real-estate lying and being to-wit:

scribed by law for Constable Sales on November 2, A. D. 1937, before the Court House door of said Brown County, in the City of Brownwood, the following described property, to-wit:

Lying and being situated in Brown County, Texas, to-wit: Being a part of Lot six (6), in Block One (1), of Clark's Addition to the town of Brownwood, Texas, described by metes and bounds as follows: BEGINNING at the West corner of said Lot Six (6) in said Block One (1), at a point of intersection of the Southeast line of Ave. E. and the N. E. line of Seventh St., THENCE South Forty-Five (45) East with said 7th St. One Hundred Fifty (150) feet to the South corner of said Lot Six (6); THENCE North Forty-Five (45) East with an alley, Fifty (50) feet to corner; THENCE North Forty-Five (45) West One Hundred Fifty (150) feet to Avenue E THENCE South Forty-Five (45) West with Ave. E. Fifty (50) feet to the place of beginning level on as the property of Above named defendants to satisfy a judgment amount to Twenty-Eight Hundred and Six and 48/100 dollars in favor of the Calvert Mortgage Company, a corporation and costs of suit.

Given under my hand this 17th day of September, A. D. 1937. W. O. WEEMS, Constable, Precinct No. 1, Brown County, Texas. 29-7-14 By O. M. Smith, Deputy

## CONSTABLE'S SALE. THE STATE OF TEXAS.

WHEREAS, by virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Bell County, Texas, 27th Judicial District, on the 20th day of September, A. D. 1937, by the Clerk thereof, in Cause 20613, where H. C. Glenn, as receiver for Temple Trust Company, a private corporation, was plaintiff, and E. J. Hood, R. B. Williams, Lydick Roofing Company, a private corporation, O. W. Kuenster, Robert Massey, E. S. Lammers, the Marmon Company a private corporation, Dewey F. Foster, J. B. Satterwhite, Chas. D. Carey, O. E. Coleman, Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Company, and A. A. Jackson, were defendants, and to me, as Constable of Precinct No. 1 of Brown County, Texas, directed and delivered, I did on the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1937, levy upon the following described real-estate lying and being to-wit:

All of Lot Three (3) in Block Three (3) of Weedon's Addition to the City of Brownwood, Brown County, Texas, together with all improvements thereon situated.

And I will proceed to sell said above described property within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's sales, on the first Tuesday in November, A. D. 1937, same being the 2nd day of November, A. D. 1937, at the courthouse door of said Brown County in the city of Brownwood, Texas, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash.

Levelled on as the property of E. J. Hood, R. B. Williams, Lydick Roofing Company, a private corporation, O. W. Kuenster, Robert Massey, E. S. Lammers, the Marmon Company, a private corporation, Dewey F. Foster, J. B. Satterwhite, Chas. D. Carey, C. E. Coleman, Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Company, a private corporation and A. A. Jackson, to satisfy a

judgment amounting to \$4,667.46 in favor of the said H. C. Glenn, as Receiver for Temple Trust Company, Plaintiff, and costs of suit. GIVEN UNDER MY HAND OFFICIALLY this 22nd day of September, A. D. 1937.

W. O. WEEMS, Constable Precinct No. 1, Brown County, Texas. 9/23-30-1937

## Mortuary

BRUMMETT.—Funeral services for Mrs. Anna Mae Brummett, 29, who died in a local hospital Monday evening were held Tuesday afternoon at 4:30 from the First Baptist church with the Rev. Karl H. Moore officiating. Burial was in Greenleaf cemetery.

Mrs. Brummett was born in Cisco November 30, 1908, and was converted and joined the Baptist church when she was a young girl. She is survived by her husband, R. E. Brummett, and two sons, Jack Earl and Don Kent; her father, T. W. Whaley of Cisco, and a sister, Mrs. Lon Carroll of Los Angeles, Calif.

Pallbearers were Gus J. Rosenberg, A. M. Stalcup, Cliff Corder Walter Emerson, Adran Box and Roscoe Brooks.

TERRY.—Mrs. Addie Marie Terry, 49, died at her home, 1105 Melwood Avenue, at 1:15 a. m., September 16. Funeral services were held September 16 in Moran Baptist Church with the Rev. T. L. Nipp, pastor, officiating. Interment was made in Moran cemetery.

Mrs. Terry was born December 29, 1888, at Corsicana. She was Miss Marie Lawhon before her marriage to E. T. Terry in 1908 at Moran. She was converted and joined the Baptist church in 1907.

She is survived by her husband and three children, Catherine, Dean and Loren, Brownwood, and her mother, Mrs. Z. T. Lawhon of Moran. She also is survived by the following brothers and sisters, Sam Lawhon, Colorado, Texas; Jim, Lawhon of Abilene; Mrs. Pannle Coleman of Kerens; Mrs. Gussie Ward, Bryan; Mrs. Bobbie Allen, Corsicana; Mrs. Laura Howard, Gladewater; Mrs. Myrtle Mitchell, Albany, and Mrs. Tommy Capps, Graham.

Pallbearers were Paul Harper Garland Shelton, Eugene Snyder, Welton Hudman, R. E. Weber and R. P. Raymond, all of Moran.

RATLIFF.—Funeral service for Arch Ratliff, 49, were conducted at 10 a. m., September 20, in First

Baptist church with the pastor, Rev. Karl H. Moore, officiating. Interment was made in Mukewater cemetery.

Miss Maggie Beeman was born in Mississippi, December 25, 1877. She was married to G. T. Whatley in 1896, in Freestone county, Texas. She was converted and joined the Primitive Baptist church in 1899.

Mr. Ratliff died at 10 p. m., Saturday in Fort Worth, where he had been under treatment for several weeks. Until a week and a half ago he was engaged in the ranching business here and was associated with the Abernathy Commission company in Fort Worth, where he made his home for the past four years. He was born September 7, 1888 in San Saba and came to Brownwood in 1903. He was a son of the late Tom Ratliff, widely known stockman of Brownwood for many years prior to his death several years ago.

Survivors are his mother, Mrs. Tom Ratliff, four children, Mrs. Norman Daniels, Fort Worth, Arch D. M. Shanks, Wellington; Mrs. Ratliff, Jr., Tom Ratliff and Bettie Mae Ratliff of Brownwood; one grandson, Donald Ratliff; two brothers, Wiley Ratliff of Eldorado, and Ernest Ratliff of Bisbee, Ariz.; and one sister, Mrs. R. L. Hargrove of Fort Worth.

WHATLEY.—Mrs. Maggie Whatley, 60, died at her home in Jordan Springs Monday morning at 2:45 o'clock. Funeral services were held at Mukewater Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock with the Rev. Mr. Leeman, pastor of the Primitive Baptist church, officiating. Interment was made in Mukewater cemetery.

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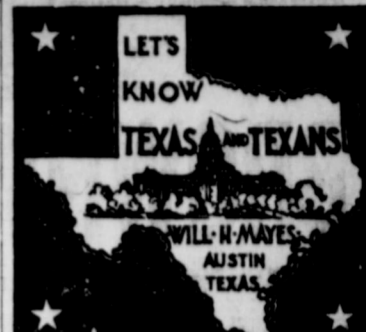
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LET'S KNOW TEXAS AND TEXANS WILL-HAYES, AUSTIN, TEXAS

In this column answers will be given to inquiries as to Texas history and other matters pertaining to the State and its people. Address inquiries to Will H. Hayes, Austin, Texas.

Q. What became of Alvarez de Pineda after his exploration of the Texas Gulf coast?

A. After following and mapping the coast line as far south as Tampico, he returned along the coast to Cuba, finding the mouth of the Mississippi on the return trip and sailing some distance up that stream.

Q. How long after the Pineda exploration was it before another Spanish expedition was sent to the Texas coast?

A. Pantoja de Narvaez commanded a Spanish fleet sent in 1527 to follow up Pineda's explorations. This fleet was lost in the Gulf of Mexico, but Cabeza de Vaca and a few companions were cast on the Texas shore. After much hardship, de Vaca and three others, including Estevanico (Stephen), the black Moor, made their way in about eight years to the Pacific coast of Mexico.

Q. What prompted de Soto's expedition to America?

A. When Cabeza de Vaca returned through Mexico to Spain and spread the stories he had heard from Texas Indians about Quivira, the Seven Cities of Cibola, with legends of turquoise and vessels of gold, Hernando de Soto, a French adventurer, organized a "gold rush" expedition, in 1538, composed of priests, sailors, soldiers and adventurers, and sailed in search of the vast riches.

Q. How far into Texas did de Soto's party come?

A. De Soto landed in Florida and in three years reached the Mississippi, where he died. His surviving followers under leadership of Moscoso, pushed on and entered Texas near the present city of Texarkana and went up Red River some 300 miles, where they turned south to the Brazos at or near Waco, probably going some 150 miles west of there before turning back.

Q. Where is the site of Anderson's Mill?

A. Anderson's Mill, part of the walls of which are still standing, built by Thomas Anderson as a gunpowder factory for the Confederacy and afterward used as a water power grist mill, is on Cypress Creek, a tributary of the Colorado River, about 20 miles above Austin. It stands a few feet above the water line of Marshes Ford Lake.

Q. How many WPA canning plants are there in Texas and what do they can?

A. Forty-five, most of which will be continued another year. Last year they put up more than 5,000,000 cans of spinach, corn, peas, baked apples and other farm products, all except that canned for farmers on an exchange basis being used in Government relief.

Q. Is the gnawle rubber plant grown in Texas?

A. The gnawle is native to and grows wild in the Big Bend section. It is slow growing except under cultivation and irrigation, coming into productive growth about ten years. A rubber plant at Marathon, Brewster county, has been operated intermittently for many years, manufacturing a good grade of rubber from the wild gnawle plants.

Q. By what name was Texas commonly called by the Indians?

A. Indians referred to it as the "Land of the Cibola (buffalo), and in their minds this included all great territory east of the Rocky Mountains over which the buffalo ranged.

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

Unthinkable, Intolerable

SPRINGFIELD, Illinois.—To the National Federation of Federal Employees, an independent union competing with A. F. of L. and C. I. O. for the nation's 800,000 Government employees, President Roosevelt last week dispatched a message on the occasion of the union's convention at Springfield. Conceding the place of Government unions in the U. S. Labor picture the President nevertheless sternly warned:

"Militant tactics have no place in the function of an organization of Government employees.

Such action looking forward to the paralysis of Government by those who have sworn to support it is unthinkable and intolerable.

But the President's dictum was hardly in print when a group of Government employees struck—not in Washington but on the River Plate off Montevideo, Uruguay, where the crew of the S. S. "Algie," a 5,186-ton freighter owned by Joseph Patrick Kennedy's National Maritime Commission, refuse to help unload cargo on a lighter in midstream because Uruguayan longshoremen were on strike against employment of non-union labor. The "Algie's" seamen swore they would not work with seab longshoremen until the never-freezing River Plate froze solid.

Although seamen may strike when a ship is docked in the home port, once a ship has sailed, to strike is mutiny. Unable to reach a settlement by pleading and haranguing, the "Algie's" Captain Joseph Gairard and the U. S. Vice Consul called the ship's owners, received a terse message which seemed to have had the attention of Chairman Kennedy himself:

"Instruct crew to proceed with your lawful orders. If they still refuse work crew that all still refusing to perform duty will be placed in irons and prosecuted to full extent of law on return to United States. If they still refuse place ringleaders in irons. If other crew members still refuse duty have them removed from ship and replace them with American, if available, and if not, foreign seamen. In case you experience any difficulty, request assistance local authorities. Report developments."

As the "Algie's" crew swiftly returned to duty, Chairman Kennedy declared: "The Maritime Commission takes the position that the action of the crew is unlawful, and in this particular case such an act constitutes a strike against the Government. Neither situation can be tolerated."

Showdown

SAN FRANCISCO, California.—

From its North Beach warehouse at the foot of San Francisco's Hyde Street, closed since last November when 75 members of Harry Bridges' Longshoremen and Warehousemen's Union were discharged by California Packing Corp. fortnight ago wanted to remove some of its stored canned goods. When California Packing dispatched a fleet of trucks manned by members of the Teamster's Union bossed by A. F. of L.'s beefy Dave Beck, "Tea" of Seattle Labor and sworn enemy of Harry Bridges, hustled to the warehouse was a crew of Bridges' unionists to picket the Beck teamsters.

Dave Beck promptly declared war, ordered his teamsters not to truck goods handled by Bridges' longshoremen, made exceptions for perishable and Government orders. Thus, what started as a local warehouse squabble was by last week a major labor battle involving all San Francisco, threatening the whole Pacific coast. With jurisdictional possession of the West Coast warehousemen the real stake in the war, inbound cargoes piled up on the San Francisco storage space, and longshoremen's wives waited on San Francisco's Mayor Rossi with pleas to end the war. Businessmen secretly favored Dave Beck as the lesser of two evils. Much as they would relish a Bridges defeat, they would not want Dave Beck to fasten on San Francisco the brand of politico-labor dictatorship he has developed in Seattle.

Bidding loudly for the goodwill of capital, Teamster Beck trumpeted: "Before we're through we're going to call on the American Legion, fraternal organizations, business, responsible labor and the general public to support our position and stop irresponsible and Communist activities."

Statistic

WASHINGTON.—The U. S. Office of Education in Washington last week estimated elementary school enrollment this fall at 29,200,000 pupils—1,000,000 fewer than at the 1930 peak. The downhill trend whose start accompanied a rapid fall in the birth rate during Depression is expected to continue at least until 1941.

Crash! Crash! Crash!

NEW YORK.—Although the threat of war in Europe was not even considered a contributing factor in the stockmarket's desultory decline at the end of July 1934, swiftly closing European markets sent the world scrambling to the New York Stock Exchange to convert securities into cash, and the tremendous accumulation of sell-

ing orders awaiting them on the morning of July 31 forced the brave governors of the Exchange to shut down for four months. But when the Exchange reopened, with all business done on a cash basis, prices started to climb surprisingly and the wartime boom was on. Wall Street had occasion to recall those historic days last week when a thundering war scare shook the New York Stock Exchange in 1931. The market had fallen steadily for three weeks. Suddenly it the worst one-day break since had fully discounted both war in China and a sudden wave of pessimism over fall business prospects. Then a first-class European crisis burst on the front page. Selling was persistent and trading volume soared to 1,870,000 shares, leaving the ticker at times as much as three minutes behind the floor. At day's end 283 stocks had touched bottom for 1937. The European stockmarket showed no similar apprehension, and although Paris and London markets declined, they never approached a break. After showing signs of a healthy rebound for two days, without war scare, labor trouble, Washington slams or serious business news, the U. S. market again nose-dived in the widest break since October 17, 1930. On a value of 2,520,000 shares—about three times the daily trading for the past few months—462 stocks set new lows. As an explanation of this second crash the war-scare was out. The scare itself had faded, and the little flurry in war commodities had died a natural death.

Although the Federal Reserve Board took steps to pump out bank reserves "to provide funds to meet seasonal withdrawals of currency from the banks and other seasonal requirements," the effect of the Board's move was precisely the opposite to that intended: After a brief market rally, sentiment veered to the feeling that the move indicated serious apprehension in Washington and another selling wave hit the Exchange. Prices were crashing for the third time in seven days, declines from the day's high to the day's low were reminiscent of November 1929, and Wall Street came to the inevitable conclusion that it was all the fault of New Deal regulatory legislation.

From engines and a pump wagon parked on the city's side of Reserve Street, the center of which is Boise's exact boundary, the fire men called out advice to scores of non-professional fire fighters who were doing their best to battle the growing conflagration on the other side. Only animals in the Jacobs barns were seven saddle horses valued at from \$1,000 to \$3,000 each, including a five-gaited, Kentucky bred stallion named Lady's Man, a favorite mount of Senator William E. Borah. To bystander's appeals for axes to help get the horses out, the firemen quick-wittedly turned a deaf ear, well knowing that insurance on their equipment was void if the equipment was damaged outside Boise. While the horses burned to death in the poles across the street from the screeching agony, Boise's firemen played their hose on a telegraph pole, to protect it from the flames.

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Law Observance

BOISE, Idaho.—Roused a few minutes after 3 a. m. by a newsboy who had noticed a pile of straw burning in a corral, Boise firemen last week raced to the scene, found flames licking at a barn belonging to the Myron Jacob's Riding Academy, where swank Boiseans stable their horses. But the Riding Academy is 25 feet outside the city limits, and a Boise ordinance forbids the fire department to fight fires outside the city. Since they could get no compensation if injured, the Boise firemen decided to sit down and watch the fire instead of trying to put it out.

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Nine to Nyon

NYON, Switzerland.—Real scene week was not the Iberian peninsula in Spain's civil war last autumn but small, sedate Nyon on the shore of Switzerland's Lake Geneva. There, seated at an E-shaped table in the flower-filled municipal assembly hall, the representatives of nine nations (Britain, France, Russia, Yugoslavia, Turkey, Greece, Rumania, Bulgaria, Egypt) were assembled to do something about the submarines that since the middle of August have preyed on neutral shipping attempting to run food munitions, and principally oil into Lattist Spanish ports.

"We are dealing with governmental piracy!" cried Soviet Foreign Commissar Maxim Litvinoff soon after the curtain rose. "Everyone knows its aims and the name of the State that is responsible is on everyone's lips (Italy), but it cannot be mentioned in this hall."

Ready with a plan, previously approved in secret by France, was Britain's Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden who proposed that "neutral shipping lanes," in general synonymous with the present Mediterranean shipping lanes, be established and patrolled by the fleets of the nine Nyon nations—Britain and France doing most of the work. Although Britain was willing to court Italy by offering her the patrol of the Tyrrhenian Sea, the space between Corsica, Sardinia and Italy's shin, Italy indignantly rejected the offer as "one-sided." Submarines attacking neutral merchant ships in these patrolled lanes, "contrary to the rules of the international law as laid down in the London Naval Treaty of 1930" (i. e., those which

do not rise to the surface, display their true flag and give a freighter's crew time to take to the boats) would be immediately hunted down and sunk.

Comrade Litvinoff promptly snorted: "Russia expected something strong and vigorous, but instead the plan is weak and flabby." Nevertheless, Russia suddenly agreed to abide by it. Meanwhile, France and England lost no time in rushing extra fighting tonnage to the troubled Mediterranean, expected soon to have as many as 100 ships in action.

Bullet

BOSTON, Massachusetts.—Out of the back of Edward Simpson, Massachusetts police doctor last week dug evidence which may convict him of murdering a policeman: a bullet from a brother policeman's gun.

Widow

REVERE, Massachusetts.—Mrs. Paul Hahn, 61, is sitting in a trailer at Revere making candlewick bedsprings, waiting for her husband to return. She married him last Christmas. Last fortnight trailer, disappeared.

he unhooked the auto from the

Love

NEW YORK, N. Y.—When John Koppelmeyer, 72, insisted to Manhattan magistrate that he loved his wife despite the fact that he had thrown a bottle at her head on arriving home drunk, the magistrate asked: "How can you balance love with throwing a bottle at her?"

Glibly answered Mr. Koppelmeyer: "It was an empty bottle."

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Advertisement for a horse-drawn carriage. Text: HEY, YOUSE CIRCUS GUYS, MY HORSE RAN AWAY—I'LL GIVE YA A DOLLAR IF YA PULL ME BACK TO MY BARN!

Advertisement for a horse-drawn carriage. Text: SWELL IDEA, SAMMY, BUT I GET TH' BREAK-IT'S EASIER PUSHIN' THAN PULLIN'!

Advertisement for a horse-drawn carriage. Text: WELL, HERE WE ARE! FINE! AN' HERE'S FIFTY CENTS!

Advertisement for a horse-drawn carriage. Text: ONLY HALF OF YA PULLED!

Some encouragement is gained from the statement of Robert J. Smith, deputy administrator of the WPA, that current rolls contain the names of only 45,000 Texas workers, the lowest number in the history of the Federal agency. Encouragement because of the indication that better times are here, which gives rise to the hope that even better times are ahead.

As Congressman Charles L. South pointed out in recent speeches in Brownwood, there will come a time, and in the not distant future, when Federal spending must be reduced. While no mention was made of the agencies which have been assisting the worker to return to normal lines of work, it is to be assumed that eventually a drastic reduction in WPA activities must come, and in time this agency may not be able to continue to function. It is to be hoped that normal business activity will be able to absorb all of the WPA workers before that time arrives, but that is a rather doubtful eventuality.

To be sure, the immediate cause for the drastic reduction in WPA rolls is the demand of Texas farmers for cotton pickers. Hundreds of cotton pickers are going through Brownwood every day en route from the heavy producing cotton sections of the Gulf Coast area, where picking has been completed, to those counties to the north that are heavy cotton producers. Within too short a time this seasonal work will have ended, and the bitter days of winter will have set in, with their customary increase in unemployment in this agricultural land of ours.

In 24 of the counties of Texas, however, there are no available workers on the WPA rolls. These counties deserve a place on the Roll of Honor. They are Andrews, Armstrong, Borden, Brooks, Castro, Crane, Duval, Gaines, Glasscock, Hartley, Kendall, Kenney, King, Loving, Moore, Oldham, Reagan, Reeves, Refugio, Sherman, Sterling, Sutton, Winkler, and Yoakum. Most of them are counties of small population, many of them ranch or oil counties.

As a Nation, we cannot long continue to spend \$1.50 for every dollar received for taxation, and it is indisputable that business—including the business of farming—cannot stand many additional levies. The result is that spending must be reduced, and that will mean that Federal work activities will have to be curtailed or eliminated before long. We trust that it is not expecting too much to hope that when that time comes, unemployment will be at such low ebb that governmental aid no longer will be needed.

The Civilian Conservation Corps, most popular and probably the most efficient of President Roosevelt's relief agencies will start on a new program October 1, under a three-year authorization of the last Congress. The corps will be reduced to the lowest point reached since 1933, and under the new regulations no doubt will lose some of its reputation for efficiency. All boys over 23 years of age will be dropped from the rolls, and from October 1 on the enrollment will be made up from boys under this age, and from war veterans.

The new regulations make one provision, however, that should tend to make the CCC a more popular unit. In the future, enrollees will not necessarily be drawn from relief families. Any youth within the age limits, regardless of the financial condition of his family, is eligible for enrollment, provided he is in need of work. This provision will permit many who otherwise would have been barred to avail themselves of the government work.

Designed primarily as an aid to the youth of America in finding its rightful place in a complex civilization made more difficult through the depression, the by-product of the CCC is the thing that has made it appreciated by the people of America. For the work the young men and veterans have done has been of lasting value. All of it, with a few exceptions, has been for the public good, and it has all been of such character that its benefit will be felt through many generations.

The CCC is destined to be known in the future as the most valuable of many agencies which were launched under Roosevelt sponsorship.

Officially proclaimed by Governor Alfred and Mayor Thompson, Fire Prevention Week will be observed as usual this year, October 3 to 9. Already plans are under way for a thorough inventory of fire prevention methods and measures in Brownwood and other communities.

The slogan for Fire Prevention Week this year is a particularly appropriate one, "Lend a Hand." The slogan the National Board of Fire Underwriters and the State is being featured in posters and news releases issued by Fire Insurance Commission. If fire is to be prevented and controlled, and the hundreds of millions of dollars and thousands of lives fire destroys in the United States each year are to be saved, all of us must lend a hand.

Fire is largely an individual problem. Each one of us, with the exercise of a little effort and care, can easily eliminate the common hazards on our property. And, in spite of the publicity and the activity of the local fire marshal and fire department during the week, little will avail unless fire prevention is made an individual problem.

The time to start an individual fire prevention week is now—the time to continue it all time. There is no need to wait until October 3 to make a survey of your own premises. How long has it been since you cleaned out the store room or attic? How many old newspapers, how much old clothing and other odds and ends afford an invitation to fires? Remember that amateur electrical repairs offer an opportunity for fires to start.

In a few weeks heating equipment will be heavily used. Now is the time to check up on your own equipment. If it is not in good shape, it will be economy to have it repaired by efficient workmen, have it repaired, if necessary and put in shape.

Brownwood and Brown county have been rather fortunate in the past few years in the number of destructive fires. We can continue to maintain a good record, to our own advantage, by a little vigilance. Fire prevention time is a good time to make an inventory of hazards—and remove them.

World's state of mind can be gathered from the fact that there are ministers and secretaries of war but none for peace.

Mr. Roosevelt spoke on the Constitution of the other day. It is about convalescent from some of the things he said about it last February.

# News of Brown County Communities

## Zephyr

J. L. Vanzandt and son, Eril, and niece, Miss Mae Vanzandt, Barbara, spent the weekend at Fort Worth, visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Vanzandt.

W. E. Belle of Red Oak, Mrs. The Pruett and son, Redett, Mrs. B. T. Farrar and son, Coracana, were the guests of Mrs. Mary Farron and Mrs. W. F. Timmons last week.

Driskill Petty has gone to Pecos where he will work for Walker-Smith Co.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Moore and ed home from Kansas City and daughter, Miss Zeida, have returned from Oklahoma where they have been visiting the past two days.

Mrs. Jessie Driskill is visiting near San Angelo with Mr. Driskill this week, where he is working on a ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Williams spent the week end visiting at Bangs with relatives.

Forrest Malone of Los Angeles Calif., is visiting here with Mrs. S. E. Elliott and family.

Little Miss Johnette Carr of Stephenville is visiting here with her grandfather, J. L. Vanzandt this week.

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

## Regency

The recent decline in the price of cotton has changed the minds of the farmers here, and they will need little encouragement to do as Uncle Sam has prescribed for another year. However, they still have plenty to be thankful for most especially that they have made a bountiful crop on the river-side farms.

Sept. 19, 1936, the water came over the banks of the Colorado River here, and in a short time had covered several acres of crops ready to be gathered.

Today cotton sacks are going the same way with a yield that exceeds all others for many years.

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The 160 acres planted in corn on the Wilbur Fairman farm on the river by Ernest Woods produced around 4,000 bushels.

Mr. Woods owns a new tractor and has cultivated 400 acres besides breaking land for others.

Forty Mexicans arrived Friday at the Butch Rowlett-Robert Lee farms to gather cotton for them this season and are averaging four bales a day at present.

Looking forward for a few hours of pleasure, these Mexicans challenged the Regency ball team for a game of ball this week end which was fun for all, yet Regency at last was defeated.

North Maxey of Locker carried a truck load of calves to Fort Worth last week for John Newbury and Andy Rowlett.

Mr. Newbury is still sick at the Central Texas hospital and was gradually growing worse when last heard from.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reid of Woodland Heights accompanied Mrs. Newbury home Thursday of last week to see about things in general as she has been staying with Mr. Newbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Carrel of San Saba county brought Miss Dorothy Harbar to Regency Sunday to begin the school here Monday.

Mrs. Charles Roberts and Etta Reeves went to Mullin last week demonstrating the Mystery washing machine.

They arrived at the S. V. Roberts home for the noon-day lunch.

Monroe Jones is still very low at the Stump hospital also Ray Churchill of Ridge is there for treatment again.

Ray, one of our best boys, has been very unfortunate being practically in the hospital most of the time for several years with a bone infection in his leg. He had recovered from this disease when he accidentally shot himself a few weeks ago in the same leg.

Will Kelo of Ridge is still suffering with an infected arm. Dr. Sealy of Santa Anna is treating him. We were sorry to that Orene him.

We were sorry to hear that

Orene Willis of Cisco was seriously hurt in an automobile accident last week en route to Brownwood where she is now at the Central Texas hospital. Orene was taken into the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Egger of Regency when she was a very small child, and made it her home until four years ago when she began working in Brownwood but was working in Cisco when the accident occurred.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyt Roberts visited Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Little of Comanche Sunday.

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

## Owens

Church was well attended Sunday. Several from here attended singing near Mullin Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Crockett left for their home in Sipe Springs where Mr. Crockett will be principal in the school. Mrs. Crockett is substitute.

Mrs. Ellen While is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ruby Gregg this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hass Bagley and sons, Jim and Gray and Mrs. Ethel Alford attended the ice cream supper at Salt Creek Saturday night.

The Pittman brothers were called to Brownwood early Saturday morning to be at the bed side of their brother, Henry, who is seriously ill in Central Texas hospital.

Quite a few from this place attended the funeral of Bob Beck last Tuesday at Pleasant Valley. The bereaved wife and family have our sympathy.

D. H. Bagley and Robert Newsome left Tuesday for West Texas to help gather the fleecy staple.

They were accompanied by C. A. Thomas as far as Winters. Mr. Thomas will visit a while there with his daughter, Mrs. Ida Bates.

Tom and Jennie Wilson visited at Blanket Sunday.

Mrs. Jim Wheeler who has been visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Colista Gray of Kansas returned home last week.

Mrs. Jennie White of Brownwood is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Will Danworth.

Owens is to have a community fair at the school house in the near future. The exact date has not been decided on. Everybody begin to plan on something to exhibit. Something you have grown on your farm, canned, fancy work, old relic, quilts or anything that go to make a fair interesting. The date will be announced later.

Sunday night is singing night at Owens. A good crowd is expected. Everyone come and enjoy the singing.

George Littlefield spent Monday with Miss Jennie Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Spellmar have moved in their new home on the Shell Newsome place.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Parker and mother, Mrs. Ethel Alford, were sight-seeing in Dallas last week end.

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

## Stagg Creek

The little grandson of Elbert Kilgore of Bibb was laid to rest here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Chambers were called to the bedside of his sister Miss Maggie of Indian Mountain, who is very ill.

Mrs. Minnie Laroque is reported to be doing nicely.

Mrs. Ornet Cox was carried to Gorman sanitarium one day last week.

Will Perkins and children of Regency attended church here Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ode Ward of Walnut visited relatives here Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Flippo visited the lady's sister, Mrs. John Tidmore of Gap, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Z. Hanks of Mullin; Mrs. Smythe and daughter

ter of Brownwood and Mrs. Mary Broughton of DeLeon, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Chambers.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon of Abilene spent Monday night with his brother, Jack.

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

## Indian Creek

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Jones announce the arrival of a son, born September 15. He has been named Jerry Joe.

Miss Isola Andrews who has been working at Oklahoma City has returned to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Andrews.

Dudley Boyd of Port Neches has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ode Boyd.

Kirby Smith of Elm Grove visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Utzman Sunday afternoon.

Rev. L. D. Ball of Brownwood preached at the Baptist Church Sunday morning and Sunday evening. He was accompanied by Mrs. Ball and their daughters, Mrs. Bell's mother, Mrs. Julia Smith and brother, Hermon Smith, both of Phoenix, Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Allen and children of Woodland Heights spent Sunday in this community visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Jones of Jordan Springs attended church here Sunday morning.

The Indian Creek school opened Monday morning with a good enrollment. Teachers for this term are: L. M. Hays, superintendent; Mr. Lane, principal; Albert McChristy, Mrs. L. J. Reese, Miss Bernice Wilmett, Mrs. L. M. Hays and Mrs. Enla Sneed.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Gibson, George Caldwell, George Dunn and Willard Patrick, students in Howard Payne college, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Boyd and daughters, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tippen of Ebony, attended church here Sunday night.

## Willow Springs

Our pastor, Rev. Hubert Christian of Cisco, was unable to be with us this time. Rev. Herbert Christian of Blanket preached Saturday night and Rev. J. B. Henderson preached Sunday morning and night. Everyone enjoyed having them with us. Our pastor will be here the first Sunday of next month.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lappe and daughters, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harms of May.

Alvin Richmond and daughter Weita and Ruth Hepinstall spent Sunday with Mrs. G. J. Davis of Bangs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mabra and daughter and Mrs. Jim Mabra spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Stanley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Hepinstall and children spent Sunday with Mrs. W. P. Hepinstall of Gas Creek.

Burley and Ralph Richmond left last Thursday for A. & M. College and the University. Their father, Alvin Richmond took them.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lappe and son and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Stovall and daughter spent Sunday with Mrs. Henry Lappe and daughter of May.

Mr. and Mrs. Milt Wells of Brownwood and Mrs. Ed Thompson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Amos Porter and W. S. Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Chapman were visiting their son, Adron Chapman, of John Tarleton, Sunday.

Miss Weita Richmond left Sunday morning for Denton to attend T. S. C. W. the following year.

Miss Stella Buey of Blanket spent Sunday night with Mrs. Beryl Chapman.

Mrs. Mark, Mrs. Creg Cathey and

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lege. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Crowder's baby, Betty Lou, was sick all last week and had to be taken to Brownwood for treatment, but she is very much improved now.

Mrs. F. L. Crowder and F. L. Jr., visited in San Angelo last week.

W. M. Clements has come to Gladewater to see his brother who was hurt in a car accident recently.

Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Reid visited Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mayfield in Brownwood Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Roberts visited Mr. and Mrs. John Tippen Sunday afternoon.

Grandmother Wilmett returned Friday from a three weeks' visit to Fort Worth. While there she visited relatives at Dallas and McKinney. She was accompanied home by her daughter, Mrs. J. F. Bateman, and son, Joe and John Robert, and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Jo Wilmett, all of Fort Worth.

While here, Mrs. Joe Wilmett was the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Nellie Malone.

Saturday at dinner at the Briley home there was a little reunion of the Wilmett family including Mrs. Clara Wilmett and her four children, Mrs. J. R. Briley, J. R. Wilmett, Mrs. E. O. Dwyer, and Mrs. J. F. Bateman, her step-daughter, Mrs. Nellie Malone, her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Jo Wilmett and Mrs. J. R. Wilmett, and her son-in-law, J. R. Briley. Soon after dinner the Fort Worth guests left for home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood Roberts, Miss Odene Russell, Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Reid, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Eager enjoyed ice cream at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charn Whitburn Saturday night.

Mrs. W. M. Clements spent Monday with Mrs. R. M. Haynes.

Mrs. Alvin Hanna and Erva June visited in San Angelo last week.

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Miss Edith Thompson left the latter part of last week for Stephenville where she will enter her second year in John Tarleton College.

Lillard Wilmett left Saturday for his final year in A. & M. College.

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while Mr. Hanna made another prospective tour through the country around Eldorado. If they keep this up, we are afraid they will finally leave us, and we sure would hate to give them up.

Miss Orene Willis was critically injured in an auto accident Friday morning between Cisco and Brownwood. She is at the Central Texas hospital, hardly expected to live.

Mr. and Mrs. Charn Whitburn and Baby Clint called on Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Roberts Sunday night.

Mrs. Frank Crowder has received word that her mother, Mrs. S. N. Kelly, who has been expected home for some time, is sick at the home of her brother in Dallas county.

Roscoe Jones underwent an appendicitis operation at the Medical Arts hospital in Brownwood Monday afternoon. He is reported to be doing well.

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Early High Notes

Our sewing club is progressing nicely. We quilted two quilts last

Friday at the home of Mrs. Jim Alexander—one for Mrs. Cull Earp and one for Mrs. Robert Wyatt. A nice buffet luncheon was served at the noon hour and refreshments

In the afternoon consisted of punch and cake sponsored by Mrs. Martha Black, Mrs. Garland Black and Mrs. C. E. Boyd. Mrs. Boyd being away in a hospital at Temple, the other two ladies did the serving. This Thursday we met again with Mrs. Alexander and two other quilts are to be quilted—one for Mrs. Tom Flowers and one for Mrs. Jesse Graham. This will also be in form of a covered dish luncheon and Mesdames Cull Earp, Dick Chrene, Tom Flowers and Frlin Cunningham are on the serving committee in the afternoon.

Visitors all day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cull Earp Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Horn Wyatt and daughter, Thelma of Rochelle Rance Day and little grandson, Fred Day, Jr., of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Alexander and son J. C. Jr., and Mrs. Janie McLaughlin and four children.

Mrs. Janie McLaughlin, Mrs. Angie Kirksey and Mrs. A. J. Goates spent Wednesday near May with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Kirksey. Everett Hill, Ben Hunt and Jim Smith motored over to Fort Worth Sunday and attended the ball game.

Mrs. L. Perry has gone for a visit to Lubbock and Seagraves. She will also visit a sister at Amherst, whom she has not seen for more than 40 years. Mrs. Perry has recently past her 70th birthday and Sunday all her children and a number of grandchildren were here with her so they took their lunch to the park and enjoyed the day.

Edgar Star and family of Dallas spent several days here this week visiting relatives.

Clarence Reagan spent Sunday night with Burman McLaughlin. They had supper with Mrs. Wesley Wilson of Brownwood.

We are very glad to report Mrs. Vernon being better.

Mrs. Ben Hunt and two children Wade and Nelda, and her married daughter, Mrs. Judson Skiles, Jr., spent Sunday at Abilene with her daughter, Juanita.

Mrs. Cull Earp visited in Brownwood Wednesday at the home of Rance Day and his daughter and husband, Mr. and Bud Adams and was treated to barbecue and chicken and ice cream and other good eats.

Frank King and wife of Wharton spent the week end here with

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TARLETON DEAN IS SPEAKER AT FIRST TEACHERS BANQUET

"Economic insecurity is the greatest problem which Americans have to face," declared J. Thomas Davis, dean of John Tarleton College, Stephenville, in an address before Brownwood Classroom Teachers' Association at its initial banquet of the season at Hotel Brownwood Tuesday night.

Dean Davis was introduced by E. J. Woodward, Brownwood City Superintendent.

J. M. Binlon, president of the association, introduced seven new members of the organization. They are Miss Mary Sue Hardage, Miss Mary Allen, Miss Clemmie Hancock, Miss Lois Sowards, T. E. Cotner, Marshall Fox and Miss Virginia Epley.

Pointing to the high level of education in the United States as compared to other nations, Mr. Davis declared that in a country in which all the people are educated the difficulties which arise can be more successfully solved.

"We do not know what to trust so we must train our children to trust their fellowman," he continued. "In this day education and pluck are not all the needed requirements for success—a certain amount of luck is essential, so we must train for the future and pray that a certain amount of luck will come our way."

Officers of the association who were introduced were J. M. Binlon, president; H. T. Hays, first vice-president; Mrs. Tex Wosham, second vice-president; Miss Dacia Roberts, secretary; Miss Eugenia Crabtree, treasurer; Miss Ruby Blinn, corresponding secretary; Miss Beatrice Bucher, publicity director; C. M. Sutton, parliamentarian; Carl Armspiger, song leader; and Miss Marjorie Gresham, banquet chairman.

R. R. Holloway, Henry Wilson J. A. Henry, Dr. H. B. Allen, P. C. Barnes and R. C. Brooks, trustees of Brownwood Independent Schools, were introduced.

Principals of city schools presented were Mrs. W. L. Turner, Ford; Miss Nell Anderson, Coggins; Miss Lizzie Bullion, Brownwood Heights; C. F. Wesner, Junior High; J. R. Stalcup, senior high; R. D. Lee, South Ward, and Harvey C. Bird, Looney Ward.

R. R. Holloway gave the invocation. Entertainment included a tap dance by Sonny Smith and a piano solo by Virginia Thomas.

One hundred teachers and guests were present at the banquet.

TARLETON GRIDDERS.

Among the huskies out on John Tarleton's Hays field are James McDaniel from May, and Edward Smith and Lyn Clardy from Brownwood.

McDaniel weighs 167 pounds and plays in the backfield; Smith weighs 178 and plays fullback; and Clardy weighs 160 pounds and plays quarterback for the Plovboys. Clardy is a returning letterman.

July Top Month in Assistance Checks For Aged Indigent

Brown county's indigent aged have received \$67,294 in Old Age Assistance Commission checks in the last eight months, according to records in County Clerk Vernon Green's office.

Largest amount received for any one month this year was the July total of \$10,518, which went to 729 different persons. The August total of \$10,296 was only \$222 under the July total.

Payments by months this year, the first figure showing the number of checks and the second the total of the checks, have been as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Month, Total. January: 497, \$3,845.50; February: 551, 4,196.50; March: 684, 7,310.00; April: 711, 10,299.00; May: 724, 10,484.00; June: 721, 10,445.00; July: 729, 10,518.00; August: 703, 10,296.00.

Health Survey Is Completed Here

Prospects for establishment of a health unit for Brown county were seen this week when a staff of doctors, nurses and advisers completed a survey of the county's health conditions.

Officials of schools, hospitals, and various other organizations were interviewed in obtaining information in connection with the survey.

A recent legislative enactment authorized a six-district set-up in the state by the Health Department in order to better localize proper conditions for Texas citi-

NEGRO CHARGED IN CONNECTION WITH MURDER SATURDAY

Murder charges were filed Wednesday morning against Edgar Bocknight, negro, in connection with the fatal shooting early Saturday morning of Elwood Hard-negro. Examining trial for Bocknight was held Wednesday morning in Justice court. His bond was set at \$2,000. Bocknight is in jail awaiting action of the grand jury.

Examining trial was held Wednesday for Edward Hancy and F. L. Wilder, charged with burglary of Hallum Drug Co. Bond for each was set at \$750. Both are in county jail. Examining trials also have been held for C. G. March, charged with forgery, and Son Weason, charged with driving while drunk. Bond in each case was set at \$750.

A forgery charge has been filed in Justice court against Earl James Burno of Comanche county. Police allege the name of J. R. Rogers of Comanche was forged to a \$20 check given to a local merchant in purchase of a pair of boots. Burno was arrested by city police on suspicion and later made a statement to Chief J. L. Sandlin in reference to the check. He was released to county authorities.

Brown county sheriff's department and J. D. Pelphrey, State Liquor Control Agent, raided a filling station on the Brady highway Saturday night operated by L. S. Baker and Dick Clardy and confiscated a quantity of beer.

TEACHERS, TRUSTEES OF COUNTY TO MEET

J. R. Stalcup, principal of Brownwood high school, will discuss provision of the recently-enacted teachers' retirement bill before Brown county teachers and trustees at a meeting Saturday at 10 a. m. in district court room.

Other speakers to appear on the program include Miss Nell Parmley, state music director who will address the group on "Public School Music," and H. E. Robinson, deputy state superintendent, who will discuss rural school aid. County Superintendent F. D. Pierce this week stressed the importance of all county teachers and trustees of rural aid schools attending the meeting.

Complete program of the session follows:

10 a. m., "America," directed by Mrs. J. B. Denman, Early High School; Invocation, Rev. Ben H. Moore, pastor, Austin Avenue Presbyterian Church; 10:10, "Teacher Retirement Bill," J. R. Stalcup, principal, Brownwood High School; 10:30, "Art Appreciation in the Grades," representative of the Practical Drawing Company, Dallas; 10:50, "Public School Music," Miss Nell Parmley, State Music Director; 11:15, "Importance of Teaching Penmanship in the Grades," Mrs. Emma Medcalf, Early High School; 11:30, "Rural Aid," H. E. Robinson, Deputy State Superintendent; 11:50, announcement, F. D. Pierce, County Superintendent.

Fire Prevention Week Proclaimed

Urging Brownwood citizens to cooperate with the fire chief and other officials in an effort to control the "useless loss of life and property by fire," Mayor W. H. Thompson has proclaimed October 3-9 Fire Prevention Week.

The mayor's official proclamation follows:

"Know all men, women and children by these presents—

"That, whereas the health, happiness, life and safety and general welfare of each citizen and dependent upon existing living conditions, and

"Whereas, the lives and property of our people are endangered by fire caused by rubbish accumulations in homes, offices, stores, factories, alleys and streets, and

"Whereas, a city is judged large, by its general appearance of cleanliness, freshness and beauty, and

"Whereas, fire to a very large degree is preventable by the proper application of education in fire prevention and fire protection;

"Now, therefore, I, W. H. Thompson, Mayor of the City of Brownwood, do hereby proclaim the week of Oct. 3 to 9 as Fire Prevention Week, during which week I most respectfully urge our civic and commercial organizations, our school officials and teachers, and our citizenship as a whole, to cooperate and work with the fire

chief, fire marshal and city officials in an effort to control this useless loss of life and property by fire. Every home, office and place of business should be inspected carefully and all fire hazards removed.

"In testimony whereof, hereunto sign my name and affix my seal of office on this 20th day of September, A. D. 1937."

W. H. Thompson, Mayor

A. L. Fowler Is Injured Saturday

An automobile accident near Lampasas Saturday morning resulted in painful injuries to A. L. Fowler, 502 Milton street. Mr. Fowler was en route from Burnet to Lampasas when the accident occurred. His car collided with another driven by a Mr. and Mrs. Cotton who were not injured.

Mr. Fowler is suffering from a broken knee cap, broken left hipbone, and fractured pelvis bone. He was given first aid treatment in Lampasas and then brought to Medical Arts Hospital here late Saturday afternoon.

Hospital attendants report his condition not critical.

No. 2546. IN THE COUNTY COURT OF BROWN COUNTY, TEXAS; SITTING IN MATTERS OF PROBATE.

ESTATE OF R. B. ROGERS, DECEASED. Notice is hereby given that I, Elva T. Rogers, Administratrix of the Estate of R. B. Rogers, deceased, did on the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1937, file my application in writing in the above entitled and numbered cause for an order of the County Court authorizing me as Administratrix of the Estate of R. B. Rogers, deceased, to join other owners in the execution of an oil and gas lease upon the following-described land situated in Brown County, Texas and in which land said estate owns an undivided one-eighth interest in the minerals:

FIRST TRACT — 160 acres of land on the waters of Pecan Bayou, about 14 miles N. 15 W. from Brownwood, patented to J. H. Rider by Pat. No. 97, Vol. 22, on June 6th, A. D. 1889, and meted and bounded as follows: BEGINNING at the N.W. cor. of the J. L. Garnett Sur. No. — on the E. E. line of the Ed Tanner Sur. No. 130; THENCE N. with said Tanner's line 880 vrs. a stone md. fr. wh. a P.O. brs. N. 14 W. 13 1/2 vrs. a double elm brs. N. 8 1/2 E. 34 vrs; THENCE E. 1027 vrs. to a stake fr. wh. a P.O. brs. N. 84 E. 6 1/2 vrs. a double P.O. brs. S. 34 E. 5 3/5 vrs; THENCE S. 880 vrs. a stone md. on the N. B. line of said Garnett Survey fr. wh. a P.O. brs. S. 72 W. 24 vrs. a do. brs. N. 88 1/2 W. 32 3/5 vrs; THENCE W. 1027 vrs. to the place of beginning, bearings marked X, containing 160 acres of land, be the same more or less.

SECOND TRACT — A part of what is commonly called the J. L. Moore Sur., situated on the waters of Pecan Bayou about 13 miles N. 13 W. of Brownwood, and patented to said Moore by Patent No. 222 Vol. 21, dated Dec. 4, 1900, said patent being recorded in Vol. 20, at page 127 of the records in the office of the Co. Clerk of Brown County, Texas, meted and bounded as follows: BEGINNING at the N.E. cor. of the J. L. Garnett Sur. No. —; THENCE W. 30 vrs. to the S.E. cor. of the J. H. Rider Sur. fr. wh. a L.O. brs. S. 72 W. 24 vrs. a do. brs. N. 88 1/2 W. 32 3/5 vrs; THENCE N. 880 vrs. to the N.E. cor. of said Rider sur. from which a P.O. brs. N. 84 E. 6 1/2 vrs. a double P.O. brs. S. 34 E. 5 3/5 vrs; THENCE E. 122 vrs. to a stake in the W. line of Sec. No. 87, H.T.&B.R.R. Co.; THENCE S. 781 vrs. to the S.W. corner of said No. 87; THENCE about S. 45 W. 108 vrs. to the place of beginning, containing 19 acres of land, more or less.

Said lease is to be upon such terms as the court may order and direct, and said application will be heard by the County Judge of Brown County, Texas, at the Court-house in the City of Brownwood, Brown County, Texas, on the 5th day of October, A. D. 1937.

Witness my hand at Brownwood, Texas, on this, the 23rd day of September, A. D. 1937.

ELVA T. ROGERS, Administratrix of the Estate of R. B. Rogers, Deceased. 9-22-x

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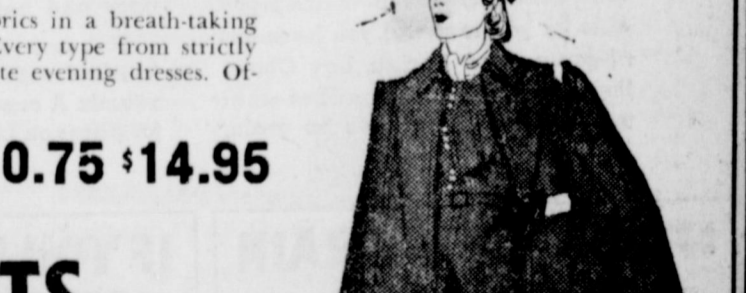
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