

WORK BEGUN ON MAY- RISING STAR HIGHWAY

Work has started on the new May-Rising Star-Brownwood Highway and a large force of men are now busy adding the third good road to Brownwood and Brown county. This will give Brownwood three state highways, and the outstanding feature of the new road is that it gives north and south connection from Wichita Falls straight to the Gulf of Mexico through Brownwood. The opening of this road in which the state is taking active part places Brownwood and Brown county right in the front ranks of industrial progress. The new road will be tolerably straight and will dodge all the big hills, notably the Clio hill.

LYNCH DAVIDSON WILL SPEAK IN BROWNWOOD TUESDAY NEXT WEEK

Word has been received from Lynch Davidson headquarters that he will be in Brownwood on Tuesday afternoon of next week, and will at 2:30 address the voters of Brownwood and Brown county in the gubernatorial campaign. This will be the first address to be given in Brownwood by any of the candidates for governor this year, and it is expected that people from far and near will be on hand to hear his discussion of matters pertaining to the governor's race. Mr. Davidson has been putting in full time for several weeks, speaking two and often three times a day and being greeted everywhere by large crowds of voters.

TEXAS LAUNDRY MEN MID-SUMMER SESSION CONVENES GALVESTON

GALVESTON, Texas, June 24.—(AP)—Practical talks on laundry operation and accounts featured the mid-summer session of the Texas Laundry Owners Association which is meeting here in mid-summer convention.

That the electrical washing machine has come to be a serious menace of the laundry industry was declared by Charles F. Holbrook of Oklahoma City, past president of the Oklahoma Laundry Owners Association.

More effective advertising and salesmanship was said by Mr. Holbrook to be the best method of combatting the machine competition.

L. Nutting of Dallas, installing technician of the National Laundry Owners Association, stressed the importance of scientific accounting.

WICHITA FALLS GETS CONVENTION CHAMBER COMMERCE YEAR 1927

AMARILLO, Texas, June 24.—(AP)—The West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention late yesterday voted to meet next year in Wichita Falls.

Homer D. Wade was elected manager of the chamber. Central West Texas headquarters at Fort Worth will be in charge of Ray Lee, manager of the chamber. Wade is now southwest Texas district manager at San Antonio. He will be relieved by B. F. Bennett, new organization manager. A new district headquarters at Amarillo, was created. Its manager is yet to be named.

Partner of Local Polo Pony Breeder Dead in London

SAN ANGELO, Texas, June 24.—(AP)—William Anson, 53 years old, wealthy owner of the Head-of-the-River Ranch near Christoval, Tom Green county, and resident of this section thirty-five years, died in Wednesday in London, England, according to a cablegram received here by L. E. Farr, his business agent. Burial will take place in England, Anson's birthplace. Coming to West Texas with two brothers at the age of 18, Anson prospered in the live stock business and became known nationwide for the polo ponies and race horses he raised.

Mr. Anson was well known in Brownwood, having been connected with Tom and Charles Evans in the horse and mule and polo pony business for the past twenty-five years. The partnership was severed last year. Mr. Anson was the owner of several pieces of property in the city, among them the pens located near McAllister Mule Barn.

AMARILLO IS SCENE WEST TEXAS MEET

AMARILLO, June 21.—(AP)—Texas' greatness, past, present and future, was extolled at the opening morning session of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention Monday by Mrs. Emma G. Mehar, secretary of state, who brought greetings from Governor Miriam A. Ferguson. A brisk morning session of the convention followed with the attendance of about 100 delegates and over a small area of north Texas. For, despite the late start of the cotton crop over most of the belt, there has been a good top and bottom season in the ground and the plant generally has made very rapid progress.

But the drought in north and south Texas and north Georgia has remained an ever-present threat to the size of the new crop, and dampened bearish enthusiasm to the extent that the market held steady after its initial drop of around seven dollars a bale. Those bullish inclined pointed to the fact that there was drawing near when it would be too late unless relief came to the drought-stricken areas and that with those fertile sections failing to produce their quota the crop might be cut short after a season of drought.

But on Saturday and Sunday copious rains visited the Atlantic coast and soaked the drought area with welcome deluges of water. For days prior to the coming of the rains, the good people of North and South Carolina had been gathering in the meeting houses and other community centers and holding earnest religious meetings, praying for rain. And the rain came.

Many people in the cotton trade believed that if the drought was broken in time nothing would remain to hold prices up to their present level. These people were surprised when the news of the rains breaking the drought, was flashed over the wires Monday morning.

For the cotton market opened Monday about 8 to 12 points down and did not register over 30 points decline at the most. And since Monday prices have consistently held steady and even recorded some advances.

This indicates to those familiar with the markets action, that there is an undertone of strength to the market, and there are many who believe that a large crop will actually have to be practically assured before cotton prices will decline to any great extent.

However, there are many others who believe the steadiness only temporary, and caused by temporary sustaining influences. They cite the strength in July contracts with the first notice day in July's only few days off. They also point attention to the improved spot demand.

News reports Wednesday carried the statement that a Russian syndicate was buying spot cotton in the south. One New Orleans cotton factor reported the sale of 1,900 bales of cotton in one lot and it was reported that this cotton went to the Russians.

Regardless of the surprising steadiness of the cotton market there is no doubt but that conditions throughout the cotton region have shown marked improvement during the past two weeks. In the southwest cotton is looking fine in the central and near-eastern belts the plant is making satisfactory progress, with the exception that there are some complaints of insect damage. And now the eastern belt has received much needed rains, and promises noticeable improvement.

The most sustaining feature, at the present moment therefore, is the fear of too much rain in portions where insects may do great damage. Late Wednesday afternoon, came the flash from Tallulah, La., stating that a 75-inch rain, a part of Franklin Parish, an area of about 30 miles and absolutely cleaned the plants of their squares. Farmers in that section are panic stricken.

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CAROLINA DROUTH BROKEN BUT COTTON MARKET HOLDS STEADY

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BROWN COUNTY CONDITIONS

By Henry C. Fuller.
The croaker in the Brownwood country has croaked and the voice of the croaker is no longer heard in the land. To borrow a phrase from the Ancient Mariner of Coleridge, "instead of the cross the albatross, around his neck was hung" and until he does penance for the harm he has done, the croaker or knocker will have to wear this uncomfortable burden.

Brownwood and Brown county are sitting on top of the world, in spite of the fact that the good city of Coleman may have the bulge, or her just now in the matter of paving streets, new buildings and otherwise. Brownwood is to have two practically new roads, the Blanket road and the straightened and improved, and the Brownwood-Rising Star road is to be improved and straightened, being merely a distinction without a difference. The improvement of these two roads will aid greatly to general business conditions in Brownwood.

Building Volume.
Henry Mount, the architect, says the building volume in Brownwood this year amounts to \$415,000, not including several fine air castles he has built, for Henry is a bachelor. He thinks the aircastles were probably worth about one million dollar each, however, they are not included in the list of real buildings in this bustling city. The buildings were listed as follows:

Residences 52
Business houses 11
Filling stations 8
Warehouses 3
The filling stations do not include restaurants. Other buildings are in contemplation. The streets of Brownwood are being improved, the sanitary campaign is under way and the city is making the making of Brownwood the cleanest and healthiest town in Texas.

Crop Outlook.
The outlook for good crops was much better. As a matter of fact it was the most fastidious farmer had been permitted to order just such weather as he desired, he would have ordered just the weather that has prevailed in the Brownwood area practically all this year, with the single exception of the freeze, which came early in May and killed the grain.

HUGE WILDCAT BROUGHT IN AT GROSVENOR

The Lester and Ehart wild cat on the Fry lease, five miles south of Grosvenor may prove to be the biggest well ever brought in here according to those interested in the well.

The well was brought in Sunday morning at which time the accompanying gas was ignited and burned for some time, destroying the rig. Kavenagh Smith, local garage man was present at the time and reported that the flame shot up to a great height.

The rig was a new one and cost approximately fifteen thousand dollars.

The size of the well is undetermined at this time. It has shot in three heads, Sunday morning at the time it was brought in, Sunday night, and Monday evening. In each instance, there was a large amount of oil in the geyser. The well has reached the sand and further drilling has not been done. It is impossible to say at this time, to what extent the well will develop.

Lester-Ehart well is the first in its section. The field may develop into big proportions.

Three men alleged to have stolen 17 horses from the W. T. Wagoner ranch near here are in jail. The last of the three was arrested in Amarillo after a chase through the Panhandle of Texas into New Mexico and back to Amarillo. The other two were apprehended in Oklahoma. Eleven of the horses were recovered on the federal reservation near Lawton, Oklahoma. A high number of the animals are polo ponies. One of the men arrested is a former deputy sheriff. Theft charges have been filed against the trio.

NEW HARBOR PROJECT NEAR BROWNSVILLE IS BEING CONSTRUCTED

BROWNSVILLE, June 18.—(AP)—Actual construction on the harbor project at Brazos Santiago Pass, off Point Isabel, has begun, Major J. L. Schley, Galveston, United States district engineer, announced here today.

Unofficial estimates of the expenditure are placed at \$500,000. The work is to be done by government engineers and government dredges, no contracts being awarded.

Several years ago citizens of this section financed the construction of a 100-foot turning basin at Point Isabel, and a 75-foot channel, 14,000 feet long in the La Guana Madre, much of which has been completed. The immediate work calls for an eighteen foot channel across the bay connecting the inner channel with 35 feet of water. Jetties 1200 feet long will be constructed seaward from the north end of Brazos Island and the south end of Padre Island.

The work will require a year to complete.

FOOD PRICES TOBOGGAN IN MONTH, MAY

WASHINGTON, June 18.—(AP)—Retail food prices showed a slight decrease during the month ending May 15, the Bureau of Labor Statistics today reported. The index figure for the month was 161.1, a decline of three fourths of one percent from the month ending April 15, but an increase of more than six cent since March, 1925.

Of the 81 cities for which figures were collected, 39 reported decreases in the average food cost and 11 increases.

Considerable Street
Work Is Being Done
On Brownwood Streets

A vast amount of street work is now in progress in Brownwood and it is probable the streets are in better condition at this time than they have been for a long time. Fine work is being done on West Adams, between Melwood and Booker streets. When this work is completed West Adams street is going to be as good as any street in Brownwood and better perhaps than many. Much work is also being done on Booker street. Dirt was broken on Fifth street, Wednesday between First and Brady streets and this street will be placed in first class condition. Melton street from Greenleaf to the Red Top filling station on Broadway is to be placed in first class shape and work started yesterday. Considerable work has been done on Vine Street, and on many other streets in Brownwood, in fact the streets of the city are being given special consideration by Mayor McColley to the end that Brownwood may be placed in the class of metropolitan centers in this respect.

Announcement is made of the Pow-wow of Red Men to be held at Waco, under the auspices of the Huaco Tribe on Tuesday, June 22, 1926. Many of the Tribes and Councils of the Order in Texas have already signified their intention to be present with as many members and also palefaced for adoption as possible. The local delegation will be represented at the pow-wow.

ODELL PRESIDENT OF BROWN COUNTY FAIR

TOM BLANTON OBJECTS TO SMITH'S NAME ON TICKET TAYLOR COUNTY

ABILENE, Texas, June 21.—(AP)—Thomas L. Blanton of Abilene, member of Congress from this district, has objected to the name of J. R. Smith of Burnet, his only opponent for re-election, from appearing on the ballots in the district at the July 24 primary, it was disclosed today when the Taylor county democratic executive committee convened.

The congressman's contention is that Mr. Smith has failed to meet the requirements of article 312, revised civil statutes, by not applying for the democratic nomination in the congressional district for a place on the ticket. His name has been received by the local county committee, according to James P. Stinson, county chairman, but it has not been received by Judge Fred Cockrell, Abilene, the district chairman, according to Mr. Blanton.

On motion of W. J. Cunningham, secretary, E. M. Wagstaff, the county committee voted to refer the matter to the attorney general to determine whether the statute is mandatory when a candidate for Congress files with the county chairman and not with the district chairman, when there is a duly qualified district chairman.

WILBARGER SHERIFF LANDS ALLEGED HORSE THIEVES IN BASTILE

VERNON, Texas, June 24.—(AP)—When the doors of the Wilbarger county jail closed at midnight Wednesday, Sheriff Frank Edmondson and Special Officer Warren Belcher had written the final chapter of a long chase through Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico in search of horse thieves.

Three men alleged to have stolen 17 horses from the W. T. Wagoner ranch near here are in jail. The last of the three was arrested in Amarillo after a chase through the Panhandle of Texas into New Mexico and back to Amarillo. The other two were apprehended in Oklahoma. Eleven of the horses were recovered on the federal reservation near Lawton, Oklahoma. A high number of the animals are polo ponies. One of the men arrested is a former deputy sheriff. Theft charges have been filed against the trio.

Preliminary Camp Planned by Company A, National Guard

In preparation for the Annual National Guard Encampment to be held at Palacios, Texas, July 9-23, Captain Campbell of this company has many extra features which will be much toward whipping Company A into shape.

Besides the daily drills held at the Armory, Company A will load its equipment on trucks Monday, July 5th, and pitch camp at some nearby place and maintain a real military camp until Wednesday morning when it will break camp and entrain for Palacios. Company A has been urged to co-operate in the movement by letting these men off to drills and then when camp time comes giving the men their vacations on pay so that in the future a man who is willing to devote a part of his time to this National defense program need not be hampered by the fear of losing his job or a lot of time.

Drills Thursday and Friday.
Company A will drill at the Armory at 8:45 Thursday 24th and Friday 25th. All men are ordered to attend promptly. Those having excuses for absences will deliver these in person to the commanding officer before the drills.

CHARGED WITH ROBBERY
DALLAS, June 21.—(AP)—W. S. Scribner, post office robber, and Chester S. Jones, oil operator and real estate man, were formally charged with participation in the robbery of the Jefferson bank, in complaints filed Monday just before the two were to be given habeas corpus hearings.

Scribner, who turned states evidence in the \$2,000,000 robbery of the Jackson Street post office here six years ago, and Jones, have been in jail several days.

The Fry well, five miles south of Grosvenor, came in Sunday and the gas accompanying the oil was ignited and burned for a short while. The rig was destroyed by the flames.

Probably Record- Breaking Crop

It hasn't been many years since a Texas wheat harvest of twenty million bushels was counted a bumper crop. It was entitled to the pre-eminence thus attributed to it, for the harvest fell below that measure of over than it could stand. By records that, one will be enabled to appreciate the bountifulness of this year's prospective harvest, which, it was stated in an article in Sunday's News, will probably amount to 30,000,000 or 32,000,000 bushels. It is remarked in that article that this crop now being harvested is "one of the largest ever grown in Texas." That is probably a disparagement. For if it should reach 32,000,000, or even 30,000,000 bushels, it will, The News ventures to say, exceed any wheat crop ever harvested in this State, and be not only one of the largest, but quite the largest.

Doubtless we owe this big crop chiefly to the unusually favorable weather that was vouchsafed to it from sowing time to harvest. This is indicated by the statement that yields of twenty-five bushels to the acre are common in the Panhandle, where most of the wheat is grown, and where yields of even thirty-five bushels are not very uncommon. The average yield is considerably under eighteen bushels to the acre, The News believes. But also there is the likelihood that the acreage in wheat has been greater this year than ever before. It is not much more ungracious, however, to inquire into the causes of a bumper crop than to look a gift horse in the mouth. It is enough to know that Texas will this year harvest probably the greatest wheat crop it has ever grown.

It looks as if if wheat would turn out to be true also of oats; that is, that the oat crop will be the largest ever harvested in Texas. The acreage planted to that crop was at least one of the largest in the State known, and oats is somewhat kin to wheat, in the sense that both have the same weather requirement, so that the yield of oats should excel the average quite as much as wheat. In this large, not to say unprecedented, oat crop we have the bright promise that this year the farmers of Texas will have a bumper crop for their own needs. Corn is backward, and not much dependence is to be put on it, perhaps, except in relatively small areas. But the sorghums are in good state, while a large hay crop has already been gathered, it is said.—Dallas News.

HOUSTON TRIAL IS IN PROGRESS AT BELTON WITNESSES EXAMINED

BELTON, Texas, June 24.—(AP)—The taking of testimony began here this morning in the trial of W. S. Houston of Somervell, of the fatal shooting of Constable Garrett A. White in that city in March, last year.

More than two hundred witnesses answered to roll call when court convened this morning. John H. Maue, merchant of Somervell, testified to being an eye-witness to the tragedy after the first two shots were fired. He said when he came upon the scene White was trying to get up from the ground and that he saw the accused "in a stooped position, fire three shots at Mr. White and upon the ground and Houston kicked him viciously with an oath, threw under White's sweater and took his gun and threw it on the ground."

Rodgers, the photographer, in receipt of a letter from J. E. Maue, a former Brownwood man, now of Dallas, asking for a picture, a copy of which he sent a few days ago in the Dallas News. The picture represented a bunch of State Nees and the writer said he thought he is an old time cattle man, he brought back many pictures.



Special Selling! SMART HATS

In order to clear our stocks early in the season we are offering some very seasonable bargains in summer frocks and millinery.

Hats formerly \$6.75-\$10.00

\$2.50

All children's hats, a fine assortment for only

\$1.00

Dresses formerly \$19.75 to \$35.00
now offered at

\$10.75, \$12.95 and \$16.75

EVERYWOMAN'S SHOPPE



Grain and Provisions

CHICAGO, June 24.—(P)—Unexpected strength in Liverpool quotations and rains in sections of the Southwestern domestic belt gave the wheat market an unsettled start today. On all upturns profit taking set in and as selling increased the early bulge was quickly lost. Starting 3/4¢ lower to 1/2¢ higher the wheat market made a trifle and then underwent a general setback which carried values to below yesterday's finish.

Corn and oats were governed largely by the action in wheat, corn opening unchanged to 1/4¢ higher, and later suffering a decline all around.

Higher prices for hogs gave a lift to the provision market.

CHICAGO, June 24.—(P)—Poultry alive, fowls 25 1/2-26 1/2; broilers 26 1/2-27; springs 36; turkeys 36; roosters 37; ducks 20 1/2; geese 21.

POTATOES
CHICAGO, June 24.—(P)—Potatoes, old stock practically no demand; new stock heavy. Southern sacked truckers 4.00@4.25; sacked cobbles 3.75@4.00; California long whites 4.00; North Carolina barrel cobbles 3.50@3.65.

CHICAGO, June 24.—(P)—Butter lower; creamery extras 39 1/2; standards 39 1/2; extra firsts 39 1/2; firsts 38 1/2; seconds 37 1/2; eggs lower; firsts 27; ordinary firsts 27; storage packed extras 30 1/2; storage firsts 29 1/2.

Livestock

EAST ST. LOUIS, June 24.—(P)—Hogs 10.50; higher, lights and pigs 15.00@15.15; packing sows 12.00@13.15.
Cattle 2.00; calves 1.20; steady; Texas grass steers 6.00@6.35; heifers 5.25; cows 5.00@5.50; canners 3.50@4.00;ologna bulls 6.25; choice weathers 11.25.
Sheep 1.80; dull; native lambs 14.50.

CHICAGO, June 24.—(P)—Hogs 25.00; higher. Packing sows 12.00@12.25; slaughter pigs 14.50@15.00; heavy hogs 13.80@14.85; medium 14.25@14.50; light 14.10@15.00.
Cattle 10.00; strong. Medium weight steers 10.60; heavies 10.50; bulk 9.00@10.25; long yearlings 10.10; ologena bulls 6.25@6.50; weathers 11.00@11.50.
Sheep 11.00; slow. Fat lambs 15.25; fat ewes 5.00@6.00; California feeder yearlings 10.50.

PORT WORTH, June 24.—(P)—Cattle 6.30, including 800 calves; steady. Beefers 6.00@6.50; stockers 5.50@7.50; fat cows 4.00@5.00; heifers 5.25@9.00; yearlings 6.00@9.00; bulls 4.00@5.50; calves 5.00@7.50.
Hogs 10.00; steady. Light butchers 15.00@15.15; medium 14.50@14.75; heavy 14.25@14.75; sows 12.00@13.00; pigs 13.00@14.00.
Sheep 2.00; higher. Lambs 11.00@12.00; weathers 8.00@8.75; nothing done on quotations offerings; the stock

KANSAS CITY, June 24.—Cattle 8.50; calves 3.00; grain fed steers and yearlings scarce, fully steady; a short load of 900 lb. yearlings 13.25; one load of 1,200 lbs. steers 10.25; other choice light and medium weight steers 9.50@10.15; Texas grass steers on the native; steady to strong 7.75@7.85; nothing done on quotations offerings; the stock

and bulls steady; veals steady to 50¢ higher; top 10.00; stockers and feeders scarce.
Hogs 5.00; higher; bulk of sales 14.10@14.55; packing sows 12.50@13.00; stock pigs 15.00@16.00.
Sheep 4.00; lower; native lambs 14.50@15.00; Texas weathers 8.50@8.60; top ewes 6.00.

OKLAHOMA CITY, June 24.—(P)—Cattle 1.20; steady; Texas grass steers 5.75@6.00; fed yearlings 9.00; choice cows 5.75@6.50; canners and cutters 3.50@4.50; choice weathers 7.75@8.50.
Hogs 4.00; strong; choice light butchers 14.50@14.65; packing sows 12.00@12.50.

FIRST SALE SAN ANTONIO
SAN ANTONIO, Texas, June 24.—(P)—Bringing 17 1/2¢ a pound and a bulk of upwards of \$500, the first bale of marketable cotton here this year was sold Thursday to DeLeonier & Company.

The bale, brought here Wednesday, from El Paso, weighed 430 lbs. and was graded fair middling with a one and one-sixteenth inch staple.

FIRST SALE AT DALLAS
DALLAS, Texas, June 24.—(P)—The third "first bale" of 1926 Texas cotton to claim the honors today is on its way to Dallas from Mercedes, near where it was grown by the American Rio Grande and Irrigation Company.

The bale was gained by the Valley Gin Company of Mercedes on Tuesday and will be sold at auction from the floor of the Dallas Cotton Exchange Saturday.

Cotton

NEW YORK, June 24.—(P)—The cotton market opened at a decline of 3 to 12 points in response to easier Liverpool cables, a general favor view from shorts and conditions and probable crop progress in the South.

Considerable liquidation of July developed in preparation for possible notices tomorrow, put delivery selling off to 17 1/2, while December declined to 16 1/2 at the start. Covering at these figures which appeared to be inspired by failure of favorable crop reports to bring in more selling pressure, however, rallied the market toward the end of the first hour. July sold up to 17 1/4 or within 5 points of yesterday's closing quotations, while new crop months just about recovered the early losses, December selling at 16 1/2.

The foreign market was firmer. Early offerings were comparatively light, and after they had been absorbed prices rallied on re-estimated view from shorts and buying of later deliveries, partly attributed to apprehensions that present weather conditions were increasing the danger of insect damage.

The market became active in the early afternoon with an increasing fear of damage to the crop by insect pests and because of reported rains in Northern Texas. While prices for most months did not duplicate the highs of the morning, they approached within a few points of the top and December again reached the high point.

Cotton Futures

NEW YORK, June 24.—(P)—Cotton futures closed firm at net advance of 18 to 19 points.

Mo.	High	Low	Close	Previous
Jan.	16.42	16.15	16.39	16.42
Mar.	16.61	16.37	16.60	16.41
July	18.10	17.76	18.07	17.82
Oct.	16.75	16.47	16.73	16.57
Dec.	16.69	16.42	16.65	16.50

Opening: January 16.16; March 16.27; July 17.80; October 16.48; December 16.42.

NEW ORLEANS, June 24.—(P)—Cotton closed steady at net advance of 15 to 21 points.

Mo.	High	Low	Close	Previous
Jan.	16.25	15.99	16.20	16.02
Mar.	16.25	16.08	16.26	16.11
July	17.35	17.06	17.30	17.09
Oct.	16.32	16.07	16.30	16.09
Dec.	16.25	16.00	16.22	16.06

Opening: January 15.99; March 16.05 bid; July 17.06; October 16.07; December 16.00.

COTTON SEED OIL

NEW YORK, June 24.—(P)—Cotton seed oil closed steady; prime summer yellow 14.89; prime crude 13.00; January 10.60; June 14.70; July-August 14.75; September 13.74; October 12.62; November 11.11; December 10.82; January 10.60; Sales 8,100.

WOOL MARKET ACTIVE

BOSTON, June 24.—(P)—The local wool market continues active, but spotty. Top makers and smaller worsted mills taking medium stock and also some fine staple and French combing territory in original bag lots. Good support to the market for 1-4 blood is given by the knitters. Fancy messes worsted and worsted dress goods manufacturers who constitute an important outlet for territory fine, strictly combings and Ohio De Laines, are for the most part indifferent if not entirely out of the market.

Dowdy Goes to Trial This Afternoon on Charge of Burglary

Bob Dowdy, charged with burglary in connection with the theft of twelve cases of cigarettes from Walker-Smith Company last February, went on trial this afternoon in District Court before Judge J. O. Woodward.

Dowdy pleaded guilty to the offense and his confession made while in jail was read by District Attorney Walter L. Early who is prosecuting. Mark McGee of Fort Worth is defending Dowdy.

The following jury was selected: Jim Garnett, R. C. Van Zandt, A. J. Williams, A. L. Haynes, Hugh Groves, Philip Locke, L. N. Roach, Sam Morris, Ed Champion, O. L. Plyler, W. E. Lovelace and Walter Ellis.

The case will probably be finished this afternoon.
The jury in the case of Hubert Renfro, charged with criminal assault upon the person of a 13 year old girl, had not returned a verdict as The Bulletin goes to press. The jury received the case this morning at 11 o'clock and have been deliberating since that time.

Uncle Joe Weakley Is Sick—Not Able To Receive Callers

The people of Brownwood and surrounding country generally will be sorry to learn that Uncle Joe Weakley is quite ill at his home in this city, and while no anxiety is expressed by his immediate family and friends, it is necessary that he be undisturbed, and as quiet as possible. He is not receiving callers except those who bring him word of appreciation of dear friends who call to ask about his health.

Shooting in Comanche County—Man Placed Under Bond of \$2,500

Special to Bulletin.
COMANCHE, Texas, June 24.—A serious shooting scrape between two well known citizens was staged Wednesday morning in the Hazel Bell locality, in Comanche county. It seems that a falling out between two farmers, J. L. Hillhouse and J. M. Kennedy, led to the shooting and it was alleged that the man belonging to Kennedy was the aggressor. Hillhouse, for some time and resulting in bad feeling. Hillhouse used a shotgun and Kennedy a pistol. Kennedy was hit and pretty badly injured in the chest. Hillhouse waived examination and was placed under \$2,500 bond to await action of the grand jury.

BROWNWOOD MAN IS
VICE PRESIDENT OF
WEST TEXAS C. OF C.
Late dispatches from Amarillo Tuesday stated that Fred W. Greber of Brownwood was among the number of vice presidents of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce elected today during the sessions of the convention.

AMERICAN IS TORTURED BY MEX OFFICERS PROBATIONARIES ARE DETAINED

BROWNSVILLE, Texas, June 24.—(P)—Telling a story of being tortured by Mexican officials in Matamoros, in an effort to obtain information concerning the shooting recently of a smuggler by United States immigration officers, Natividad Garza, 35, American born citizen, is in the hospital here with a broken arm, wrenched shoulder and in a semi-conscious condition.

Garza was found last night on this side of the river by Ramon Longoria, a close friend and a member of the local immigration force. The man told his friend and Sheriff L. C. Nichols that he had been held in the Matamoros prison since Sunday evening and that he had been questioned a number of times by the judge of some court in that city.

He said that the judge and a number of officers came to his cell late Wednesday evening and again questioned him about the officers, who were in the way of which Arturo Guerra, when he resisted arrest for smuggling at a point several miles above Brownsville on the Rio Grande. When he informed the officials he knew nothing of the case they said they would be according to his story, and after they had failed to gain any information from him they put him across the river at about 11:00 p. m. last night. He was wandering along the bank of the river when he was found by Longoria, who called Sheriff Nichols and Chief Deputy R. D. Brown.

Guerra was shot to death on June 7th when he drew a gun on Immigration Officers V. C. Robinson and D. Brown, who were attempting to arrest him after he had crossed from Mexico to the American side of the river in a boat at a point, several miles above Brownsville. He landed opposite a cache of groceries which the officers had located and which they had been watching. When the officers entered the boat they were driven to cover by rifle fire from the Mexican side. The officers said there were about 25 men in the party who fired on them. Additional officers went to the scene of the shooting but when they arrived the body had been taken back to Mexico and the boat had disappeared.

Garza was born in Gonzales county and went to school in Brownsville. The injured man was taken to the hospital and there, after much questioning, told his story. He said he went to Matamoros Sunday afternoon and while in a bar there was arrested and taken before the judge. He was questioned about the shooting of Guerra and placed in jail when he replied that he knew nothing of the case. He was questioned again later in the week and finally on Wednesday when he was tortured, he said.

THE WOMAN'S DAY BY ALLENE SUMNER

Prodigy Epidemic.

Once upon a time a che-ild called Daisy Ashford wrote a book which sold some trillion-million dollars for its supposed juvenile audience and strange to say, the publisher's darlings in the country began writing books much to the dismay of drowning publishers. "Things calmed down for a while, then little L. L. Bohadhead, Nathan Crane and his brother, the boy, much to that youngling's dismay, and Explorer Beebe took his publisher's son David Putnam on the Sargasso Sea trip, after which David wrote "David Goes Voyaging" and now the epidemic is on again! Here's warning that parents are the promoters of these child classics. Just as few children "take their pen in hand" as practice scales of own accord!

Some Husband!
The married staidhood of America is out hunting for one Mr. C. C. Classon who disappeared from his home in Omaha, Nebraska, seven years ago. His wife and three children just completed a 10,000 mile walk in search for him. Other women opine that what's worth walking 10,000 miles for, must be worth being on the lookout for!

Long Skirts.
It seems rather needless for the Swedish court to rule recently that skirts must fall to within six inches of the floor when worn by any woman appearing at court, since style is accomplishing the very same thing. Most of the skirts seen on Social Register brides and bridesmaids of the spring are as long as those worn by crinolined maids in old-fashioned gardens when the eye was cool.

Club Note!
If your club has four dollars and four dollars only to spend, do so at once. Invest it in a new time called "Art Through the Ages," by Helen Gardner, and go in for a year's program of art in form a something. The world's treasure trove of pottery, rugs, tapestries, frescos, sculptures, oil and bronzes is opened to you with gorgeous pictures to boot!

What Kind of Padding?
It must have been ginger pudding. Try it yourself and see if you blame Charlie. One and one-half cups cooked rice, 1/4 cup sugar, 1 teaspoon vanilla, 1/4 teaspoon salt, 1/2 cup minced nut meats, 1/2 cup preserved ginger finely chopped, 1/2 cup marshmallows cut fine, 2 cups whipped cream. Mix rice, sugar, salt and vanilla. Add to ginger, nuts and marshmallows, fold in whipped cream, chill.

WASHINGTON, June 24.—(P)—An intimate picture of the costs, hopes and difficulties of the federal prohibition agencies was placed before the House today in a report containing testimony given recently by Assistant Secretary Andrews before the House Appropriations committee.

He appeared to urge additional funds for enforcement, which are provided in the second deficiency appropriation bill reported today by the committee.

General Andrews, who placed the total cost of prohibition now at \$28,500,000 said one of his chief difficulties in enforcement was handling dry agents who accept \$1,000 a month "to look the other way," and conceded under questioning by Chairman Madden that he will be an "optimist."

He told Chairman Madden, however, that although he might be a "ridiculous optimist," he expected to see "real beer off the market by Christmas," and when the chairman asked if it would be "just for the winter months," he replied:

"No, I mean off the market." He said that he had estimated that 15,000,000 gallons of industrial alcohol were diverted to bootleg whiskey last year and that when "cut" this represented at least 30,000,000 gallons of liquor.

Industrial alcohol diversions were confined largely in the "big manufacturing sections east of the Mississippi and north of the Potomac," he said, and outlined a plan for increasing the size of the enforcement unit to cope with this diversion.

"What do you think will be the effect?" Madden asked.

"It will eliminate, first, the source of supply from the illicit distilleries in liquor, and probably turn the bootlegging industry to illegitimate distillation," he replied.

"Then what will happen?"

"Then I am asking for the right to get search warrants on the basis that we have evidence that a private dwelling is being used as a commercial distillery. If we get that law it will make it pretty hard for them to distill their sources of supply. If we succeed in turning the illicit traffic away from that source of supply, then, ultimately, we will get it back on the basis where every man will make his own whiskey in his own home for his own consumption."

"That's what I want," continued Madden.

"Do you think that will be the end of it? Will there be no interference with the right to make their own whiskey?"

"Not by the federal government, I hope."

"You do not mean to say that those who manufacture it at home in violation of the law will have any impunity?" interposed Representative Buchanan, democrat of Texas.

It's Local Duty

"I did not mean that," replied Andrews. "I mean that the local communities ought to take action in their own cases; not the federal government."

General Andrews said in "many cases" there was collusion between brewers and prohibition agents, and that he had discharged a "great many men" for this reason. "To what extent is real beer being brewed?" asked Madden.

"No one knows the answer other than this: That over this section of the country (east of the Mississippi and north of the Potomac) there has been beer for sale."

There were wet spots outside this area, he said, adding that "all this time there has been beer for sale, more or less openly, if you know where to get it."

"Somebody must know where to get it," Madden observed.

"So many of them know that there is not much opposition to the law as it forbids the use of beer."

Citing difficulties in detecting manufacture of "real beer," Andrews said:

"If our men are watching one of these plants in a given community, a policeman will come and say, 'What are you doing here?' making them uncover themselves as federal agents over all former methods of arrest and taken away because they are hanging around."

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Strong lasting wear in these denim overalls for men who work. You can't beat this value at the special price of—

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THREE CANDIDATES SPEAK TO PEOPLE IN VARIOUS SECTIONS TEXAS ON CAMPAIGN ISSUES

TEXARKANA, Texas, June 24.—(P)—Lynch Davidson was called from his campaigning yesterday to the bedside of Milton Farrier, who is dying at his home in Omaha, Texas. A telephone message from Farrier's relations urged Davidson to stop over at Omaha on his way to Texarkana, Farrier having roused from a semi-conscious condition to make the request. When Davidson reached the Farrier home, the sick man discussed the campaign with the candidate, who has been a life-long friend.

In his speech here last night Davidson addressed the largest crowd which has heard a political speech here in a number of years. A candidate for Lieutenant Governor of Arkansas was in the city at the same time, but the Texas candidate and the Arkansas candidate did not meet.

Davidson declared here that he believes in the right of labor to organize, explained plans for an auditing system of state affairs which he advocates for rural schools, told his plans for reorganizing the penitentiary and paying a daily wage to the convicts, discussed farm aid, and other problems connected with the governor's office. He said the present tax rate of 79 cents which is the highest in history could be reduced. He said that if a business man were given full power over state institutions such as Davidson was given over the state railroads, he could eliminate the tax rate entirely and make the state's assets pay all its expenses.

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Moody had spoken earlier in the day at Gainesville and Whitesboro. In each of the addresses he insisted that his age should not be considered as an argument against his ability to give a business administration. He declared that he had operated the attorney gene a \$10,000,000 skyscraper.

OSAGE CASES TO BE TRIED IN OKLAHOMA

PAWHUSKA, Okla., June 24.—(P)—State District Judge John Worton today refused to turn over the Osage cases to the federal government for trial in connection with the Osage murder.

Hale and Ramsey are held in the county jail here awaiting trial in district court on a charge of killing W. E. Smith, a Fairfax rancher.

Last Monday the federal court asked custody of the prisoners, in order to try them for the shooting of Henry Roan, an Osage Indian.

Hale, called "king of the Osage hills" is accused of being the instigator of a huge murder conspiracy to kill wealthy Indians for their property. Some of the alleged murders are thought to have been committed on restricted Indian territory, and the United States government claims jurisdiction in these cases.

QUINCY, Mass.—Having built a big boat here, Uncle Sam is now perplexed about getting it where it will be of use—in the ocean. The airplane carrier Lexington draws more than 20 feet and the channel at best is six inches shy of that.

NEW YORK—Gems worth \$10,000 belonging to Patricia Burke Zelgfield is missing. They were stolen from a safe in her daddy's theatre and the thief knew enough to leave behind some imitation jewels used in the "follies."

LONDON—Coroner Oddie has been doing some moralizing on the suicide of Mile. Regine Flory, the French actress. His official finding is that her death was the penalty of a life that was one thrill of excitement. Women of her type, if they cannot get what they want, will shoot themselves, he notes.

NEW YORK—Views of Otto H. Kahn, banker, on American women: More versatile and more subtle than men; no man can fool them. As for charges that they are frivolous, spoiled and self centered, they are none of these things.

PASSIAC, N. J.—Josephine Grubhouse and Elizabeth Krizanowski have gone to jail to save their dolls' lives. The sentences were afterwards to destruction of the dolls' uncensored dogs when the girls refused to pay fines. Cash of friends opened the cell doors after a few hours.

PHILADELPHIA, Penn.—Style is news and news dies overnight; therefore advertise women's clothes in the daily newspapers—advice by Miss Grace Walton of New York.

NEW YORK—A. E. Lefcourt has come up in the world quite a bit since he sold newspapers. Already owner of the four Broadway corners, he has just bought the consolidated stock exchange for \$1,400,000 and will tear it down to erect a \$10,000,000 skyscraper.

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1 Anniston, Ala.		1 Charlotte, N. C.		1 Elizabethton, Tenn.		1 Jackson, Tenn.		1 Mayfield, Ark.		1 Quasah, Texas.	
1 Austin, Texas.		1 Chattanooga, Tenn.		1 Ensley, Ala.		3 Jacksonville, Fla.		1 Manila, Ark.		1 Rayville, La.	
1 Batesville, Miss.		1 Childress, Texas.		1 Fairfield, Ala.		1 Johnson City, Tenn.		1 Marianna, Ark.		1 Roanoke, Va.	
1 Bessemer, Ala.		1 Clarksdale, Miss.		1 Forrest City, Ark.		1 Kennet, Mo.		14 Memphis, Tenn.		3 San Diego, Calif.	
5 Birmingham, Ala.		1 Coldwater, Miss.		4 Fort Worth, Texas.		1 Kingsport, Tenn.		1 Memphis, Texas.		1 Savannah, Ga.	
1 Biloxi, Miss.		1 Columbus, Miss.		1 Gadsden, Ala.		1 Laurel, Miss.		1 Meridian, Miss.		2 Springfield, Mo.	
1 Blytheville, Ark.		17 Dallas, Texas.		1 Grenada, Miss.		1 Las Cruces, N. M.		7 Meridian, Miss.		1 St. Petersburg, Fla.	
1 Brownsville, Tenn.		1 Del Ray, Fla.		1 Greenville, Miss.		1 Leakeville, N. C.		1 Monroe, La.		1 Starkville, Miss.	
1 Brinkley, Ark.		3 Denver, Colo.		1 Helena, Ark.		1 Leland, Miss.		1 New Albany, Miss.		1 Stuttgart, Ark.	
1 Bristol, Va.-Tenn.		1 Dyersburg, Tenn.		1 High Point, N. C.		2 Little Rock, Ark.		1 Norwood, Fla.		3 Tampa, Fla.	
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SOUTHEAST EXTENSION NORTH BROWN COUNTY OIL FIELD IS GROWING

That large section of country known as the southeast extension of the Cross Cut oil field, stretching in the direction of the Byrd field, in north Brown county, is attracting a great deal of attention at this time and a vast volume of activity is noted in that interesting part of the field is also known to some extent as part of the famous Cowden extension about which so much has been heard and written during the past few months. A large number of wells have been drilled and a large number are now being drilled in this extension. One of the active operators in this part of the country is F. D. Williamson, one of the pioneer oil men of Brown county, who has persistently stayed in the oil game in this country when practically all others had gone away and for many a day he had the entire north Brown county field to himself. The Bulletin man cannot say too much in way of praise for such men as F. D. Williamson, Dave Galle, R. P. Honea, George Lamb, Ernest Kirkpatrick and others who through thick and thin stayed with the idea that oil in paying quantities existed under the surface of north Brown county.

Williamson and associates a few days ago on the H. A. Newton survey, brought in their well No. 2 at the depth of 1295 feet. The capacity of this well is about 60 barrels per day. The same parties drilled in and shot their No. 3 Tuesday, which sent a steady stream of oil to the top of the derrick, 35 minutes after being shot. The capacity of this well is about 100 barrels per day. The well is on top of the sand and this well is expected to come in at any moment. No. 5 of the same organization is drilling at the depth of 700 feet. Williamson and his associates just made a location on the Custer Woodruff farm offsetting their Newton No. 5.

The Williamson Petroleum corporation is making a new location on the J. B. Keeler farm, offsetting some producers of the J. R. Hughes & Company oil enterprise.

Dallas Boy Shot at Goldthwaite Here in Hospital, Better

William Ledbetter, 14, son of Mrs. Julia Ledbetter, of Dallas was accidentally shot Tuesday at his grandfather's farm, south of Goldthwaite, as he was taking a shotgun from a wagon. The charge tore away the greater part of his right hand, and a part of his right arm. He was brought to the hospital for surgical treatment. He is resting well today, and although it was feared his arm would have to be amputated, it is thought that the limb will be saved.

Crazy Men Slashes Wife's Throat Then Turns Razor on Self

SHERMAN, Texas, June 23.—(AP)—D. G. Hamilton, 67, who had been under treatment for mental and other diseases at a local hospital since Friday, cut his wife's throat with a razor severing the jugular vein at the home of a daughter here this morning, she dying instantly. He attempted to use the razor on himself, but it was jerked from his hand by his daughter, Mrs. S. E. Hill, formerly of Abilene. Hamilton is 38 years old. The couple had been in the county jail but no charges have been filed. The couple had been in Sherman about two months, coming here from Durant, Okla.

WILLIAMS RANCHE

The first settlement in the present limits of Mills county to assume the name of Williams rancho was made at Williams rancho, this was in Travis county at that time, but became part of Brown county in 1856, and a part of Mills county in 1884.

This settlement from the first became the center of the stock business for a large territory and took the name Williams rancho from John and Annie Williams who with their sons, James D., George W., John and William L., located there in 1855. The Williams family was from Tennessee originally but had lived a few years in Missouri prior to coming to Texas.

William Chandler, his family and slaves, and a family named Fowler came at the same time and a cluster of log cabins soon appeared near the springs which attracted them to the spot.

These springs, which flow the largest amount of water of any in the county, form a branch which empties into Mullins Creek. Chandler and Fowler did not long remain with the settlement but the slaves took the Chandler name, became permanently located and were used as laborers, cow boys and Indian fighters.

The Williams family, father and sons, probably exercised a greater influence in controlling frontier conditions than any other family who settled in the county.

This settlement was attacked only once by the Indians and that was in 1874. The enemy appeared just west of the village where they made a demonstration on horseback.

For twenty years San Saba was the nearest post office, but the office of Williams rancho was established in 1877 and was supplied from Brownwood by pony service once a week.

P. H. Clements in Goldthwaite Eagle.

Democrats File Candidacies With County Chairman

THE following candidates have filed their names with County Democratic Chairman Thos. H. Taylor for place on the tickets July 24th, as candidates for offices embracing more than one county:

For Associate Justice, Court of Civil Appeals, Third Supreme Judicial District, J. H. Baugh of Brown county.

For Congress, Seventeenth District, J. R. Smith of Burnet County, Thomas L. Blanton of Taylor county.

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

For State Senate, 25th Senatorial District, Walter C. Woodward of Coleman county.

For Representative, One Hundred and Twenty-Fifth District: C. H. Jenkins of Brown county and A. L. Pearce of Coleman county.

The time for announcement for District candidates closed on June 7th. One citizen of another county who had filed application for the State Senate recalled his request and his application was returned.

An official copy of the applications for state offices accepted by the State Democratic Committee at its meeting at Wichita Falls on Monday afternoon was received by the County Chairman on Wednesday. Six names are filed for governor, six for Attorney General, seven for State Treasurer and a smaller number for other offices. Judge William Pearson of Hunt county has no opposition for Supreme Judge, nor has S. H. Terrell of McLennan county for Comptroller. The name "Terrell" appears on the list of candidates for the office of State Auditor. The name of Alford of Wichita county to Zimmerman of Morris county.

Number Names Filed.

Thirty-four names are filed for state offices, seven names for district offices and forty-five for county and precinct offices. Saturday is the last day for county and precinct candidates to file applications. Applications have been received from all candidates who have announced in the newspapers.

Notices have been sent out calling a meeting of the Brown County Executive Committee next Monday afternoon at 2:00 p. m. at the county court room. This committee is composed of the precinct chairman of each of the thirty-two voting precincts in Brown county. They are chosen by the voters in the July primary and begin their terms of two years on Saturday following the run-off primary in August.

Some of the duties assigned to the County Democratic Committee by the Election laws are: To arrange the names of the candidates by the names of the precincts where the offices are contested are placed in a hat and thoroughly shuffled. The names are then drawn out and placed on the ballot in the order drawn. The expenses of the double primaries are paid by assessment made against the county and precinct officers, according to the earnings of the office. The officers themselves give a report to the committee of their earnings and this report is made the basis of this assessment. The steadily increasing vote due to woman's suffrage has more than doubled the cost of holding elections during the last ten years.

The Legislative Reference Branch of the Texas State Library collects statistics of election costs. The system used in Brown county is thorough and efficient as well as economical in comparison with other counties of the same number of boxes and voting strength. According to officials, Wards Three and Four are too large for postal vote and a number of the small boxes should be re-arranged. It has been suggested that the Commissioners' Court at its August session go into the matter.

Committee Duties.

The executive committee decides whether county and precinct candidates shall be chosen by plurality vote or shall enter the two highest in the run-off. This county has never chosen by plurality since the second primary was made compulsory for state offices. The committee decides whether delegates to the county convention on July 31st shall be chosen by precinct conventions or by writing their names on the ballot. At the last primary delegates were chosen in conventions. Each precinct in the county is entitled to one delegate for each 25 votes or major fraction thereof cast for the Democratic nominee for governor at the November election in 1924. Representation of the county in the state convention includes one delegate for each 300 cast for the nominee for governor in the November election.

The small counties of the state will have their proportional representation in the state convention materially increased since for Dr. Butte in the November election. The smallest box in the county is Weedon with 30 poll tax payments; the largest box is Ward Three with 916 votes; Ward Four is second with 915 votes.

SICKLY, PEEVISH CHILDREN

Children suffering from insectal worms are cross, restless and unhealthy. There are other symptoms, however. If the child is pale, has dark rings under the eyes, has breath and takes no interest in play, it is almost certain that worms are eating away its vitality.

The surest remedy for worms is White's Cream Vermifuge. It is a white, creamy substance, not a harsh, bitter medicine, and it is safe for the child. Price 25c. Sold by Camp-Bell Drug Company.

Real Estate Transfers

ROYALTY DEEDS
J. W. Haynes et ux to Aaron Cohns, undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ interest, 65 4-5 acres, Juan Delgado survey No. 789, June 17, \$2500.

A. J. Lancaster to Mac T. Anderson, 30 acres, A. J. Lancaster survey No. 6, February 15th, \$1 and other considerations.

W. M. Baugh et ux to Shillock Oil Company, 100 acres, Garcia Money & Duran survey, June 5th, \$10 and other considerations.

B. S. Boyens to Wayne H. Hammon, 80 acres, E. T. R. R. Company No. 7, June 19th, \$1.00 and other considerations.

Mrs. Savada Holcomb et al to Mac T. Anderson, 40 acres, B. B. & C. R. Co. survey, December 22, 1925, \$1.00 and other considerations.

J. T. Witt to Mac T. Anderson, 50 acres, B. B. & C. R. Co. survey, section 22, February 15th, \$1 and other considerations.

ASSIGNMENTS
Joseph Burt et al to Maryland Oil Company, 55 acres, Brooks Smith land, Trickham, March 13, \$1 and other considerations.

J. Elmer Thomas to Maryland Oil Company, 37 acres, Adam Beatty & Moulton survey No. 3, April 7, \$1.00 and other considerations.

L. A. White to J. L. Kennedy, undivided one-third interest, 70 acres, J. Armendaris survey No. 50, June 17, \$15.66-65.

J. Elmer Thomas to Maryland Oil Company, 60 acres, Simeon Saunders survey, April 19th, \$1.00 and other considerations.

B. D. Harris et ux to C. M. Carpenter, northwest $\frac{1}{4}$ lot 4, block 2, Coggin addition, City of Brownwood, June 15th, \$350.

W. T. Harris et ux to C. M. Carpenter, southeast $\frac{1}{4}$ lot 4, block 2, Coggin addition, City of Brownwood, June 15th, \$350.

Laura L. Marquart to Elsie L. Marquart, lot 1, block W, Coggin addition, City of Brownwood, June 16, \$50.

LEASES
J. C. Mullins to J. B. Jones, 51 33-100 acres, A. K. White survey, June 17, \$1 and other considerations.

L. L. Childress et al to Pennock Oil Corporation, 120 acres, E. T. R. R. Company survey No. 8, April 22, \$1 and other considerations.

J. H. Browder et ux to J. K. Hughes Developing Company, 45 acres, King Holstein survey No. 115, May 31st, \$1.00 and other considerations.

H. Livingston et ux to J. K. Hughes Developing Company, 87 1/2 acres, Gustavus Bunsom survey No. 66, May 31st, \$1.00 and other considerations.

ASSIGNMENTS
J. W. Moore to Independent Oil Company, 100 acres, H. T. & B. R. R. Company survey, March 3, \$1 and other considerations.

J. W. Moore to Independent Oil Company, south $\frac{1}{4}$, northeast $\frac{1}{4}$, section 18, H. T. & B. R. R. Company survey, March 3rd, \$1.00 and other considerations.

C. Andrade III to Advance Co., 40 acres, Chas. L. Crump survey, May 22nd, \$1.00 and other considerations.

C. Andrade III to Advance Co., 120 acres, Chas. L. Crump survey, May 12th, \$1.00 and other considerations.

C. Andrade III to Broderick & Calvert, undivided $\frac{1}{4}$ interest, 120 acres, Jeremiah Brown survey, No. 127, March 5th, \$1.00 and other considerations.

WASHINGTON, June 23.—(AP)—Three moves of interest of tax reduction came from Democrats in Congress today, all based on the treasury estimates of the surplus to be expected this year and next.

Representative Crisp, Georgia, a member of the House Ways and Means committee, where tax legislation must originate, announced he had prepared a bill to reduce corporate income taxes from 13 1/2 per cent to 10 per cent. Representative Jacobstein, New York, drew up a plan for a 25 per cent refund of personal income taxes and an investigation looking to elimination of the 3 per cent automobile tax and reduction in the corporation assessment.

In the Senate, Senator Copeland, New York, introduced a resolution to require refunding of all taxes for the current fiscal year not used for actual government operating expenses.

**Shoe Shop Owner
to Operate Style
Shop Adjoining**

Announcement has been made of the sale of the Style Shop, owned by C. H. Grolman, of Dallas, to Dave Knobler owner of the Brownwood Boot Shop. The business will be continued, an archway having been cut between the stores.

Mr. Knobler came here from Breckenridge several months ago and has since been engaged in the operation of the Boot Shop with C. N. Parsons, who sold his interest in the store to Mr. Knobler last week.

The two stores will occupy the same adjoining buildings on Center Avenue as they now do. Mrs. J. C. McDonough of Brownwood will be in charge of the Style Shop department.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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W. C. TOLLESON.

For County Treasurer: J. R. LEWIS
R. C. GOTCHER.
MRS. E. C. DEAS.
E. C. RENPRO
A. F. MCALISTER

For County Clerk: S. E. STARK.
(Re-election)
FRANK EMISON

For County Attorney: T. C. WILKINSON, JR.

For County Tax Collector: W. A. BUTLER.
L. A. BRUTON of May.

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

For Tax Assessor: B. LEACH.
CLAIR BETTIS.
(Re-election.)
W. F. TIMMINS.

For District Clerk: J. W. PAULEY.

For County Judge: E. M. DAVIS.
FRANK H. SWEET

For County Superintendent: M. COBB.
(Re-election.)
N. W. GLASSCOCK.
J. OSCAR SWINDE.

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3: L. F. BIRD.
YOUNG HESTER.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 1: N. A. PINSON.

Commissioner, Precinct No. 2: J. H. ALLEN.
C. J. THOMPSON.

For State Senator: WALTER C. WOODWARD

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HARRY P. FALL KILLS SELF IN BAY CITY JAIL

BAY CITY, June 23.—(AP)—H. P. Fall, East Texas banker, accused of the killing of Mr. and Mrs. Camden Sanborn of this county, hanged himself at 8 a. m. today in the county jail.

His body was found by Sheriff Langum who had been talking to him a few minutes previously.

Fall had looped a piece of wire through the ventilation holes in the cell ceiling, and attached a piece of cord to the wire.

The cord he placed around his neck, first putting a towel next to the flesh to prevent it cutting him. Then it is believed that he stepped off a lavatory to his death.

Fall had been administrator of the Sanborn estate and was charged with the deaths of Mr. and Mrs. Sanborn shortly after they were slain.

About two weeks ago he suffered a stroke and was taken to the hospital where it was feared he would die. He recovered, however, and last week was taken back to his cell in the county jail here.

Known in Brownwood.
Harry Fall, mentioned in the telegraph story, was well known to the city editor of the Bulletin and the writer being raised in adjoining localities.

He was the only son of H. P. Fall, a prominent citizen of Cherokee, Nacogdoches county, Texas, his mother being a Hardean, and related to the late Hal Hardean of Brownwood. Harry Fall was a brilliant boy and brilliant as a young man. He was a graduate of one or more colleges, taught school in his earlier years, then was admitted to the bar. He practiced law some time, and went into the banking business, at Chireno, Texas, where he married a young girl and for a time the future indeed bore brilliant promise. The writer had just sight of the young man until the terrible tragedy in which he cut so prominent a figure, was staged some months ago in south Texas.

HOSPITAL NOTES
H. H. Trigg of Sidney was operated on today in a local hospital and is reported to be resting well.

Mrs. Noel Bruton of Bangs returned to her home in Bangs yesterday after several days spent in local hospital.

W. A. Maulsby of San Saba is ill in a local hospital. Misses Louise and Frances Maylow are resting well in a local hospital, following minor operations this morning.

WEST TEXAS CHAMBER COMMERCE WANTS EXTRA SOLON SESSION

AMARILLO, Texas, June 23.—(AP)—Immediate convening of the state legislature to take up validation of Texas road district bonds was requested in one of a dozen resolutions adopted at noon Wednesday by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention at the close of its final morning session. More equal distribution of representation in the Interstate Commerce Commission was urged in another important resolution adopted.

The Amarillo oil field compares favorably with any in the mid-continent area, W. S. Farish of Houston, president of the Humble Oil Company, told the convention.

Representation of the republic of Mexico as a land of unrest and lawlessness by cheap motion pictures and other inflammatory media was declared to be on the wane by A. P. Castillo of San Antonio, consul general of Mexico, who made a plea for better commercial relations between the United States and his country.

The passing of the old West was portrayed graphically and whimsically by J. W. Hunt, president of McMurry College, Abilene.

**DEMPSEY MAY FIGHT IN
CHICAGO-TEX RICKARD
PROBABLY STAGE MATCH**

NEW YORK, June 23.—(AP)—Tex Rickard announced today negotiations were under way with Chicago boxing interests with a view to staging the Jack Dempsey-Gene Tunney heavyweight title bout there.

The promoter made this disclosure after flatly declaring that the Dempsey-Tunney fight, for which he holds the signed contracts of both principals, will be held "somewhere" on the date originally planned, September 15, in spite of the refusal of the State Athletic Commission yesterday to permit the bout in New York.

**Kerrville Sale of
Wool Made Tuesday
Price 34-38 Cents**

KERRVILLE, Texas, June 23.—(AP)—The Schreiner Wool and Mohair Commission Company Tuesday sold at a sealed bid sale about 400,000 pounds of 12 months wool at 34 to 38 1-4 cents and about 1,250,000 pounds of spring eight months wool at 26 to 30 cents to J. M. Led, representing Draper and Company of Boston, Mass.

Only 20,000 pounds of last fall wool on which no offers were made is now held by the company.

LETTERS PICKED UP NEAR EAGLE PASS MAY HELP FIND RAMSEY

SAN ANTONIO, June 23.—(AP)—Letters and other articles found near Eagle Pass by Ranger Bill Taylor, and thought to have belonged to J. A. Ramsey, Wednesday furnished the most likely clue to the mystery surrounding the disappearance of the Mathis physician.

The letters, for the first time in the investigation, gave officers an idea to where he went after leaving his home the night of May 29 with a Mexican who requested his services at the bedside of a sick brother.

Hope that the new clue will lead either to the discovery of Dr. Ramsey or his body, or to the Mexican who also has disappeared, was expressed by Sheriff S. F. Hunt of San Patricio county.

H. J. and Ed Leahy, arrested as suspects in the case are in jail at Sinton in default of bond.

Ed Dubose of Mathis, a special deputy, was released upon the recommendations of officers.

H. S. Bonham, attorney for Ed Leahy, Wednesday indicated that he would demand a habeas corpus hearing to reduce bond of his client which has been set at \$66,500 on four charges.

**CITY COUNCIL BACKS
PRELIMINARY SURVEY
BIG WATER PROGRAM**

The city council has agreed in an enthusiastic way to back the preliminary work of the plan to install a great and permanent water supply for the city of Brownwood, at the junction of the Jim Ned and the Pecan Bayou, eight miles north of Brownwood, by appropriating for survey work. This means that the first step toward building the water conservation dam has been taken. It means a new leaf turned in the industrial life of Brownwood according to the belief of leading citizens. It is understood that the preliminary survey is to be on in the near future.

**Committee Appointed
To Handle and Manage
Brown County's Fair**

At a recent meeting of the board of directors of the Brown County Fair Association a committee of five was appointed, whose duty it was to select a committee of five who should have charge of the fair this fall. The five selected were: Messrs. W. D. McCulley, J. P. McLeod, Ward McConnell, Earl Looney and L. E. Shaw, and in their hands will be the entire management and staging of Brown County's fair this fall. President Odell has sent an official notification of their selection to each of the five, and it is understood that they will meet within the next few days with Mr. Odell and discuss tentative plans for the fall entertainment. These men have all had considerable experience in the handling of fairs in the past and it is generally felt that in their selection the committee of two showed excellent judgment.

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ROAD PROBLEM DISCUSSED BY H. A. MOSELEY

AMARILLO, June 22.—(AP)—Imposition of a gasoline tax that will take care of the needs of a connected system of state highways was advocated by H. A. Moseley, chairman of the State Highway Commission, who was chief speaker at the Tuesday morning session of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention.

Moseley pointed out the cost of maintaining highways over the 265,000 square miles which Texas represents and declared that on account of the high maintenance cost of cheaply built roads, present funds are wholly inadequate. Maintenance, he said, was within his opinion, the most important part of any highway program.

"Adequate funds will have to be provided to make any material highway and I see no better way than to make the man who uses our highways pay his part, in no better way of collecting this money than by gasoline tax," he said.

Convention politics had progressed rapidly by Tuesday morning with the election of Arthur P. Duggan of Littlefield as next president, practically assured with his nomination by the committee late Monday. He was placed in nomination by Jess Mitchell, also of Littlefield. R. W. Haynie of Abilene, who was nominated for president by Congressman Thomas L. Blanton was given the nomination by the committee for the post of first vice president.

Eliminations in the "my home town" contest were well under way Tuesday morning, with a dozen candidates still in the running. These were to be reduced to six in the next competition. Second and third-year bands were competing in their respective classes, to leave Wednesday open to the contests in the first year and high school classes.

Charles Goodnight of Goodnight, pioneer of the Panhandle, was introduced and spoke briefly, expressing satisfaction with the progress made by the Northwest Texas empire in the last forty years.

SENATOR BROOKHART TELLS CONSTITUENTS HOW TO SECURE RELIEF

STORM LAKE, Iowa, June 22.—(AP)—Smith W. Brookhart, republican senator from Iowa, told a gathering of farmers here today that agriculture will have no chance in Congress until it elects a majority in both houses that will fight to a finish what he described as a "conspiracy of special interests against the farmer."

"Agriculture," Mr. Brookhart said, "has perhaps passed its most critical stage in American history. The Haugen bill faces imminent defeat. This defeat has been brought about by a gigantic conspiracy of special interests against the farmer. They are able to control the views of statesmen and dictate the action of the United States government."

Preferential Rates Favor Orient Railway Car Load Features

AUSTIN, June 24.—(AP)—The Railroad Commission today authorized the Kansas City, Mexico and Orient Railroad to charge a car load rate of 10¢ a hundred pounds, plus \$10 a car, on crude and fuel petroleum from Texas to San Angelo, and 11½¢ a hundred pounds, plus \$10 a car, on other commodities from San Angelo. The rates will become effective one day after publication by the carrier.

The extra charge of \$10 a car is allowed because this road is allowed preferential rates.

P. L. Howlett has returned from a three weeks trip through several states east of the Mississippi river and says it is in fact good for sore eyes and health generally to be back in Brownwood. Speaking of high living, he says he went to a hotel in Charleston, South Carolina, a town that was completed 200 years ago, he went into a hotel and paid \$1.30 for one egg, a piece of toast bread, a cup of coffee and three hot cakes the size of a counterpane silver dollar, then came out and paid the girl at the cash register 25 cents to get his hat back. He said if he had not been bald he would have come home baldheaded. He says it has rained in North Carolina but once since the Revolutionary war and people are now praying for rain.

MEXICO LONG DISTANCE.
MEXICO CITY, June 24.—(AP)—The Ericsson Telephone company which at present operates in Mexico City and elsewhere in the republic, has secured a government concession to construct a long distance line from this city to Laredo, Texas. It is hoped to begin work soon and complete the line within two years.

PORT ARTHUR MAN IS REMAINED TO JAIL ON KILLING CHARGES

PORT ARTHUR, Texas, June 19.—(AP)—T. B. Fountain, charged with murder in connection with the killing of Mrs. Frank Kahfeld at Port Arthur Friday, was remanded to jail without bond today at a preliminary hearing.

Preliminary hearing for his wife, also charged with the shooting, will be held as soon as Mrs. Fountain is able to appear in court.

The shooting occurred in the street before the Fountain home Friday following a fight between Kahfeld and Fountain.

According to witnesses at today's hearing, Mrs. Fountain fired the shots which killed Mrs. Kahfeld and injured Kahfeld.

Fountain testified that the fight resulted from insults which he said were hurled at him and his wife by Kahfeld, and that he had not told his wife to shoot until Kahfeld made a lunge toward her.

Other witnesses stated that they had heard no conversation between the Kahfelds and the Fountains other than to hear Fountain shout to his wife to "shoot."

Thurman Kahfeld, 11 year old son of the dead woman, said there had been no conversation between the two families previous to the shooting.

OBSERVANCE OF ALL LAWS STRONG PLEA

ATLANTA, Ga., June 21.—(AP)—Pleading for law enforcement more than ever before, John R. McQuigg, national commander of the American Legion, opened the Disabled Veterans convention here today. More than 5,000 veterans from all parts of the country were here for the meeting, which is to extend through Saturday.

Citing that 11,000 murders committed in the United States last year were four times the number committed in Canada, McQuigg declared "Our law abiding citizen is less secure than he was years ago."

"If there was ever a time in the history of America when law and order needed to be maintained, it is now," the national commander said, adding, "And when I speak of law enforcement, I am not referring any more to the Eighteenth Amendment than I am of law generally."

He rapped "parlor bolshevicks" and misguided internationalists as a menace to this country and said the American Legion is for world peace "based in justice and square dealings."

TEMPERANCE HEAD TELLS ABOUT FUNDS

WASHINGTON, June 22.—(AP)—Again leaving the main trail in its investigation of the Pennsylvania primary, the senate campaign funds committee today set out on a side excursion into the operations of the Pennsylvania Women's Christian Temperance Union.

Seeking to establish whether any political campaign chest benefited by a large fund raised by that organization for prohibition enforcement work, Chairman Reed first called to the witness stand Mrs. Ella M. George, the W. C. T. U. state president, who said it was the practice to oppose candidates for public office who are opposed to prohibition, and to use paid speakers.

Mrs. George estimated the income of the union at \$50,000 annually, made up of \$1 dues of the members. In order to get at the details, Mrs. Leah Cobb Marlon, of Emporium, Penn., treasurer of the union, was called to the stand. She presented the annual report of the organization for 1925, showing receipts of \$31,337.

Continuing her testimony about campaign speakers, Mrs. George said she did some speaking herself but received no pay other than the \$100 a month paid her as president. In the recent primary she said the union supported Governor Pinchot in his re-election campaign for the republican senatorial nomination, and John S. Fisher for the republican gubernatorial nomination. Letters supporting Pinchot were sent to the "county and local presidents" and to the county officers as well.

"Who paid the expense of sending those letters?" Reed asked.

"Pinchot paid it," Mrs. George estimated that it all she sent out 4,500 letters supporting Pinchot.

"How much of a bill did you render Governor Pinchot?"

"I think it was \$704.84," she said she ran some Fisher matter into the Pinchot letters and Reed asked:

"You fudged a little on Pinchot did you?"

The witness laughed.

Availing to the prohibition enforcement fund raised by the W. C. T. U., Mrs. George said she personally went to Pinchot and offered to raise the \$250,000 which the legislature failed to appropriate. This was in June, 1923.

REPUBLICANS FIGHT WURZBACH WON

SAN ANTONIO, June 22.—(AP)—In a meeting of the Bexar county republican committee which was temporarily halted by fist fight among the delegates, and which was allowed to proceed with business later while four peace officers remained in the room, Harry M. Wurzbach, Texas' only republican congressman, from the 14th congressional district, Monday night won a close victory over the regular state organization headed by R. B. Creager, republican national committeeman from Texas.

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EUCARISTIC PAGEANTRY IS VERY POMPUS

MUNDELEIN, Ill., June 24.—(AP)—In nature's great sanctuary flooded by a brilliant sun and fringed with verdant trees and shrubs, the last rites of the twenty-eighth international Eucharistic congress were celebrated today before throngs numbered in hundreds of thousands.

Before a huge altar canopied in silk and velvet, overlooking from the top of a grass carpeted hill the two mile sweep of St. Mary's lake, Cardinal Bonzano, legate of Pope Pius XI, celebrated solemn pontifical mass under the fairest skies of the congress sessions.

After the benediction, the Eucharistic procession, more than three miles long filed through a part of the sea of humanity in the climatic pageantry of the five day religious festival.

At 5 a. m. when the first special train left Chicago, more than 50,000 persons already were on the dew covered ground of the cloistered seminary of St. Mary's of the lake and long lines of pilgrims clogged wide roads in every direction for several miles. On other roads thousands of automobiles moved to slow procession to the scene. Four railroads unloaded thousands before seven o'clock and special trains moved up to the seminary gate in almost unbroken line.

Many pilgrims had spent the night on the seminary grounds, or camped in nearby fields—in tents, automobiles and beneath the stars. In the great sanctuary before the seminary chapel, the mass was celebrated in a setting of color, pomp and splendor, rivaling that of the eucharistic page of medieval history.

From a cloudless sky the sun shone brilliantly upon red, gold and white banners which fluttered before the twelve scarlet draped thrones of the cardinals.

The altar was at the end of the lake directly before the tabernacle of the permanent chapel. Completely covering the east side of the altar was a silken curtain of cardinal red. A canopy of white and gold hung from the top.

The white altar was almost completely shrouded in yellow roses and palms. Elevated on the white stone steps leading to the sanctuary, the gold crucifix and six tall candles of deep yellow gold holders looked over the great throng of worshippers below.

To the right of the altar was the throne of the papal legate. On the side rose the thrones of the eleven cardinals of the church. The cardinal's throne was ranged in a long gallery, under red plush canopies fringed with gold. The papal coat of arms reared from the gallery roofs. On the left of the altar the location rose tall standards with the red and stripes and the white and gold colors of the pontiff.

Below the cardinals were the green plush kneeling benches of the bishops and still farther down the hill on a miniature peninsula the golden crucifix and six tall candles of deep yellow gold holders looked over the great throng of worshippers below.

The first sounds of the "angelus" at six o'clock drew hundreds of pilgrims crowding into the white corniced brick church. Here the day's solemnities really began with the chimes and the prayers that told of the incarnation of Christ and the motherhood of the Madonna.

The favored few of the pilgrims who gained ingress to the church had no monopoly of the "angelus" for all around beneath trees and in the far reaching green fields hundreds of pilgrims knelt in prayer at the sound of the chapel chimes.

Terrific Rain.
MUNDELEIN, Ill., June 24.—(AP)—The Eucharistic ceremonies here this afternoon were disrupted by the heaviest rain storm in many months.

Hail and rain which began to fall at 3 o'clock scudded off of thousands scurrying for shelter. The rain grounded telegraph instruments and interfered with the means of communication used by the newspaper correspondents.

Hail stones of an inch in diameter fell upon the throng of worshippers, lightning flashed and the crash of thunder roared over the vast seminary grounds. No shelter was available for the crowds estimated to number as high as three quarters of a million.

An official announcement was made over the public address system that the procession itself would continue in the line of march. The hail fell for five minutes and the downpour of rain was terrific for about ten minutes more.

WIMBLEDON TENNIS
TOURNAMENT ATTRACTS
WORLD FAMOUS PLAYERS

WIMBLEDON, England, June 24.—(AP)—Howard Kinsey, (American) clinched his way into the men's singles of the Wimbledon tennis tournament today. Kinsey won in straight sets at 6-4, 6-2, 6-4.

Langlen Was There.
WIMBLEDON, England, June 24.—(AP)—Rain was falling as Suzanne Langlen, who yesterday disappointed a large gallery including Queen Mary, appeared today for the Franco-American doubles feature in which she was paired with Didi Vlasto against Mary K. Browne and Elizabeth Ryan of California.

GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP AT ST. ANNES GIVES EXCELLENT RECORDS

ST. ANNE'S, England, June 24.—(AP)—Bobby Jones, American amateur champion and Wild Bill Mehlnhorn, fighting Chicago pro, led the field today at the end of the thirty six holes marking the halfway point toward the British open golf championship.

Six other Americans were bunched closely behind them, all with better aggregates than the lowest scoring Britisher.

ST. ANNE'S, England, June 24.—(AP)—First and second round scores with the aggregates in the British open golf championship: Cyril Walker, (American), 79-71-150.

Ranet French, (Argentine), 76-75-151.

Walter Hagen, 68-77-145.

Watts Gunn, (American amateur), 82-80-162.

Jim Baird, 82-75-157.

Jim Barnes, (American), 77-80-157.

Cyril Tolley, 79-85-164.

George Gadd, 80-71-151.

Roland MacKenzie, (American amateur), 79-84-163.

Arthur Havers, 75-76-151.

Jose Jarado (Argentine), 77-76-153.

Ted Ray, 78-80-158.

Joe Kirkland, (American) 81-77-157.

George Duncan, 75-79-154.

George Voigt, (American amateur), 75-72-147.

Bill Mehlnhorn, 70-74-144.

Bobby Jones (American amateur) 72-72-144.

Bobby Jones, the American amateur champion, tied Mehlnhorn by shooting another 72 to add to his fine round of the same figure yesterday.

Archie Compton, 76-74-150.

Abe Mitchell, 78-75-153.

Al Watrous, (American), 71-15-146.

Fred McLeod (American) 71-75-146.

FLOOD DOES DAMAGE
STATE OF JALISCO
REPUBLIC OF MEXICO

NOGALES, Ariz., June 24.—(AP)—A dispatch to the Herald today stated that four persons had been drowned and property damage estimated at \$200,000 had resulted from torrential rains which have swept the state of Jalisco, Mexico, with increasing violence for two weeks. The town of San Barca, the message said, had been partially inundated. Lake Chatala, Jalisco had reached the danger mark and the Lerma river had flooded four large sections of farming land.

It was in the region around San Barca that 1,000 lives were lost in floods several months ago.

Damage in Guanajuato.
MEXICO CITY, June 24.—(AP)—Meagre dispatches regarding the flood at Leon, state of Guanajuato, refer to many deaths, but no estimates as to the number have come through over the crippled lines of communication.

The flood was caused by the overflow of the river Gonsar. The dam of a reservoir near Leon broke yesterday, the waters raging through the streets, washing away houses.

The inhabitants fled to the highest section of the town, but even there the water level reported to have reached a depth of three feet.

The entire country-side for miles around is inundated. The marooned population is reported in hunger and distress, and relief trains are en route from this city and other points.

Frank Emission Enters
Race County Clerk
Will Visit People

In this issue of the Banner-Bulletin appears the announcement of Frank Emission for the office of county clerk, subject to the action of the democratic primary election of Brown county. Mr. Emission is well known to the people of the county, having lived in Brownwood since 1885. He served as sheriff of this county for two terms and also served two terms as tax collector. He filled both positions with credit to himself and to the county. He is eminently qualified for the office of county clerk and has a large number of friends in every part of the county. It is Mr. Emission's purpose to call on every voter in the county personally in the interest of his candidacy. He will appreciate your support in the coming election.

Liberty County Man
Gets in Race for
Office of Governor

LIBERTY, Texas, June 21.—(AP)—El Randolph, a laborer for several years in the Liberty county rice and oil fields hurried his hat into the ring for the democratic nomination for governor here Saturday night to which an admission fee of 35 cents was charged to defray his campaign expenses. Randolph claims to be a descendant of Washington on one side and of an aide to George Washington on the other.

DUNDEE CLAIMS FORFEIT

NEW YORK, June 24.—(AP)—Joe Dundee of Baltimore today claimed Mickey Walker's weight forfeit of \$500 when the former welterweight champion scaled one pound over the class limit for their ten round fight at Madison Square Garden last night. Walker weighed 148 against 145 for the Baltimore contender.

TWO MEN HELD AS SUSPECTS RAMSEY CASE

SAN ANTONIO, June 19.—(AP)—Search for the body of Dr. J. A. Ramsey, missing Matias physician, was renewed by Sheriff Hune of San Patricia county and his deputies Saturday as two men held in connection with the doctor's disappearance faced preliminary hearings at Sinton.

Sheriff Hunt declared he was virtually certain that Dr. Ramsey was dead and that the search of the outlying country about Matias probably would reveal the body.

The two Matias men were arrested by Sheriff Hunt in Matias about midnight Thursday, following the return of one of the two who had been away practically ever since Dr. Ramsey dropped from sight the sheriff said.

After the missing physician was summoned on a false call several weeks ago and his wife received a forged postcard stating he had come to San Antonio, a state-wide search was instituted.

A few weeks later Dr. Ramsey's auto was found in a San Antonio garage.

TRIAL POSTPONED
SINTON, Texas, June 19.—(AP)—Examining trial for H. J. Leahy and E. M. Dubose, held in connection with the disappearance of Dr. J. A. Ramsey of Matias, was postponed from this morning to Monday.

The defendants were taken today to San Antonio, leaving here at 10:30 a. m. Officers declined to state why the men were being taken to San Antonio, but developments were expected.

Real Estate Transfers

LEASES
Mrs. J. A. Mathews to Leon L. Shields, 80 acres, J. M. Clark survey No. 15, February 17, \$10.

J. H. Sides et ux to W. M. Sudderth, 598 acres, C. T. R. Co. survey, May 11th, \$10.

Mrs. S. C. Kesler et al to E. H. Gehrke, 80 acres, H. T. & B. R. Co. Company survey, June 12th, \$10.

W. B. Boden et al to Humble Oil & Refining Company, 192 acres, Jordan Hill survey, May 19th, \$1-50.

R. H. Mauldin et ux to N. H. Hill, 171 acres, S. A. M. G. R. Co. survey, May 17, \$10.

T. E. Fitzgerald et al to Wayne H. Hammond, 60 acres, E. T. R. Co. Company survey, June 18, \$1.

A. O. Mims to Aaron Cohen, 14 acres, W. H. Newton survey, No. 5, June 7, \$1.

A. O. Mims to Aaron Cohen, 30 acres, W. B. Travis survey No. 148, June 7, \$1.

A. O. Mims to Aaron Cohen, 10 acres, W. B. Travis survey No. 148, June 7, \$1.

B. Davis Thomas to M. N. Baker, 10 acres, W. B. Travis survey No. 148, June 7, \$1.

W. M. Sudderth to Humble Oil & Refining Company, 300 acres, C. T. R. Co. Company survey, May 14, \$500.

Leon L. Shields to Humble Oil & Refining Company, J. M. Clark survey No. 15, May 13, \$1.

D. J. Jobe to Humble Oil & Refining Company, 40 acres, R. M. Crume survey, April 16th, \$1,000.

ROYALTY CONTRACTS
R. L. Holt et ux to E. H. Gehrke, 1/4 interest, north 1/4, section 21, B. R. & C. R. Co. Company survey, April 26, \$1.

Eli Evans to Stovall & Gordon, 1-32 interest, 142 acres, Juan Delgado survey No. 789, June 19th, \$725.

W. S. Johnson et al to Lee Butler, 40 acres, W. J. Johnson survey, June 8, \$7,000.

MINERAL DEEDS
Thomas H. Horn to Chas. J. Horn, 1/16 interest, blocks 41, 51, 56, to lots 1 to 10, 21 to 30, 46, Brownwood Heights Addition, City of Brownwood, May 24th, \$10.

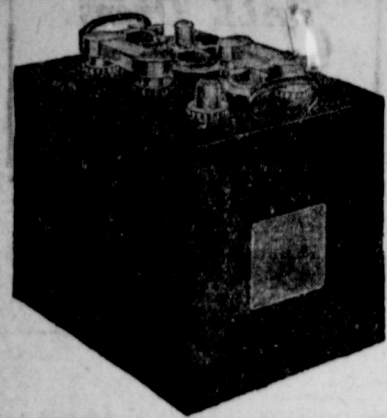
Lee Butler to J. S. Murphy, 1-128 interest, 160 acres, W. S. Johnson survey, June 12, \$5,000.

WARRANTY DEEDS
Brooke Smith Realty Company to D. A. Jackson, lot 2, block 19, Hill Crest Addition, City of Brownwood, June 11, \$200.

Louisiana Enterprise
Is Wiped out by Bad
Fire This Morning

AMITE, La., June 24.—(AP)—Roseland, a thriving town of nearly 1,000 persons is today facing ruin as a result of destruction yesterday by fire of the Roseland Veneer and Package Company, with an estimated loss of \$500,000. It was said today that the plant will not be rebuilt as the timber supply is nearly exhausted.

The company's employees included men and women numbering between 400 and 500 and the bi-weekly payroll and the 20 business houses in Roseland were dependent, directly or indirectly, on the main industry of the town for support.



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LEGIONNAIRES OF BROWNWOOD BOOST BILLET RESOLUTION

Isham A. Smith post American Legion met Friday night with very good attendance. Capt. Wright Armstrong, of Fort Worth, was present and delivered a brief and interesting address, in the course of which he told the Legion how the Fort Worth post was getting along in the matter of increasing the membership and that the methods employed had been very successful.

Mrs. M. W. Armstrong spoke at some length and told how the membership of the posts throughout Texas and also the membership of the Auxiliary is increasing in a way that shows progress and yet, the increase should be much larger. Mrs. Armstrong asked the post to adopt a resolution to the effect that part of the money received

from the sale of the hospital at Kerrville, to the federal government, be used in establishing a billet in Texas, for orphans of the deceased world war soldiers, and that efforts be made to have the billet built at Brownwood. The resolution was adopted and a copy will be sent at once to Troy Simpson, chairman of the resolutions committee, at Ballinger, to present to the next meeting of the 17th district convention which meets at Ballinger, August 8th. The legionnaires of the 17th district will carry this resolution to the state convention at Amarillo and, the plan is to push its adoption.

The resignation of Gus Rosenberg as post adjutant was received and accepted. Mr. Rosenberg is located at Winters, and stated in his letter of resignation that it might be several months before he was able to return to Brownwood, and therefore, he asked that his resignation be accepted. Under these considerations Mr. Rosenberg was released and Charles S. Scott, who has been assistant adjutant for some time was elected to succeed Rosenberg. W. E. Hatfield, de-

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livered a stirring address on the necessity of increasing the membership of the post. Mr. Hatfield was asked to deliver an address on this subject at Bangs, July 16, and agreed to do so. The Bangs committee on program will be notified. Many other matters of importance to the legion were transacted.

NOTHING IN NAME— BOOB OIL COMPANY IS ORGANIZED AT AUSTIN

AUSTIN, June 19.—(P)—Directors of the Boob Oil Company, which today was granted a charter by the secretary of state, doubtless are popping "there's nothing in a name."

The five directors, prominent citizens of Amarillo, are W. H. Madden, Gene Howe, W. C. Hawk, Ernest Thompson and R. T. Emmett. Capital stock is \$13,000, divided into 100,000 shares of a value of 13c each—all of which has been paid in. Mr. Howe subscribed \$9,948 and was granted oil and gas leases on tracts in Hartley and Moore counties, and in Quay county, N. M. The others each subscribed 12 shares or \$1.69 in cash.

Colored People Put On An Interesting Nineteenth Program

Saturday the colored people of Brownwood celebrated June 19, in an appropriate way. The parade staged in the forenoon was most creditable, and shows that those who were in charge of the matter understood the importance of the occasion and made the necessary preparations. At noon a great barbecue was part of the program, and this was attended by a large number of colored people, and several white citizens as guests, and in the afternoon speech making was the order of the hour. The names of the general program will be given later.

UNIQUE WILL CASE IS UNDER ADVISEMENT IN COURT CIVIL APPEALS

EASTLAND, Texas, June 19.—(P)—The Ferguson will case in which James E. Ferguson, former governor, is one of the plaintiffs, has been taken under advisement by the eleventh court of civil appeals, after submission yesterday. The case involves the will of the late Mrs. Kate P. Morton, a sister of Ferguson in who died in 1922, leaving an estate valued at \$300,000. The will was admitted to probate at Haskell.

The Fergusons are contesting on the ground that the will was not the last will of Mrs. Morton, the following clause being one of the grounds of the action: "I am going on a long journey and I am never coming back so I make this will which I will change if I live." Contestants contend that she lived for two years afterward and that she made a subsequent will.

Dibrell & Patton Are Sinking Two Wells Southwest Brownwood

Patton and Dibrell spudded in on their No. 1 well on the Eli Perry survey 12 miles southwest of Brownwood, and their No. 2 well on the Seawall tract will be spudded in about ten days from now. Both wells will be drilled 1600 feet. These locations are made on geological reports made by L. H. Owen, well known geologist, and experts are of the opinion that both locations will develop into splendid oil wells. Several of the major oil companies have expressed their faith in the locations by getting hold of a considerable acreage in the immediate vicinity.

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BROWN COUNTY COMMITTEE DECIDES SMITH'S NAME IS NOT ENTITLED TO PLACE ON TICKET

The Brown County Democratic Executive Committee met Monday afternoon in the county court room. This was a regular session held under Article 3106 of the Terrell Election Law. County Chairman Thomas H. Taylor, presided over the meeting. C. V. Harris of Mt. Zion acted as secretary. The following members were present: J. M. Salter, Jones Chapel; G. W. Plummer, May; J. H. Miller, Buckner; J. M. Pearce, Dulin; J. M. Kennedy, Angel; P. H. Anderson, Anderson; N. J. Henderson, Brooksmith; C. V. Harris, Mt. Zion; J. M. Moore, Jones Chapel; J. S. Wilkerson, Bangs; F. H. Smith, Blanket; M. L. Cooper, Chapel Hill, and H. E. Cobb, Zephyr.

The county chairman was instructed to fill the two vacancies on the committee by appointing precinct chairmen for Ward Four and Weedon. Precinct chairmen were chosen as presiding judges in both primaries. It was decided unanimously to elect county and precinct candidates by majority vote. Delegates to the county convention to be held on Saturday afternoon, July 31, at 2:00 p. m., are to be elected by writing their names in a blank space to the left on the ticket. Candidates were assessed 4 1/2% of the income of the offices as reported for 1925. Prosiding judges are to be paid four dollars each, and other judges and clerks two dollars each for each primary. Increased allowances were granted to Wards 3 and 4, as well as Bangs, Wards 1 and 2. Boxes casting over one hundred votes in the first primary were authorized to employ six hands for the second primary. Chlo. Brooksmith and Cross Cut will soon be in the "big box" class. It was the opinion of many members of the committee that the commission court at its August term should take steps looking toward an accurate re-arrangement of the election precincts along the line of better equalization of burdens.

The application of Judge J. R. Smith of Burnet, Texas, for a place on the ticket as Representative to Congress from the Seventeenth District was refused on a ruling from Assistant Attorney General L. C. Sutton from Austin. Judge Smith had failed to file his name with Hon. Fred Cockrell of Abilene, who is the District Chairman for District Seventeen. The Attorney General ruled that filing with the County Executive Committee alone where a district chairman had been elected was not sufficient qualification. The following sub-committee was appointed to examine the ballot on July 12th, after assessments had been paid: E. J. Miller, J. H. Miller, C. V. Harris, J. M. Salter and M. L. Cooper.

The committee then cast lots among the contested offices for places on the ticket. J. M. Moore passed the hat and each member of the committee in turn drew and called the names. The following acted as clerks: M. L. Cooper, F. H. Smith, H. E. Cobb and J. S. Wilkerson. The following will be the form and order of the official ballot. Official Primary Democratic Ballot. I am a Democrat and pledge myself to support the nominees of this primary.

For Governor:
O. F. Zimmerman of Morris County.
Dan Moody of Williamson County.
L. W. Davidson of Harris County.
Miriam A. Ferguson of Bell County.
Kate Miller Johnston of Bexar County.
Edna E. Wilms of Dallas County.
For Lieutenant Governor:
Barry Miller of Dallas County.
For Attorney General:
Claude Pollard of Harris County.
John W. Hornsby of Travis County.
Chas. L. Brachfield of Rusk County.
T. K. Irwin of Dallas County.
James V. Alfred of Wichita County.
Thomas Simpson Christopher of Dallas County.
For Comptroller of Public Accounts:
S. H. Terrell of McLennan County.
For State Treasurer:
G. E. Johnson of Jones County.
Grover Cleveland Harris of Dallas County.
W. Gregory Hatcher of Dallas County.
J. R. Ball of Fannin County.
George G. Garrett of Dallas County.
Ed A. Christian, Jr., of Bexar County.
Leon Garner of Stephens County.
For State Superintendent of Public Instruction:
W. W. Bennett of Dallas County.
S. M. N. Marrs of Travis County.
J. A. Humphries of Hockley County.
For Commissioner of Agriculture:
Geo. B. Terrell of Cherokee County.
T. R. Bolin of Morris County.
For Land Commissioner:
J. T. Robinson of Morris County.
P. B. Terrell of Titus County.
For Railroad Commissioner:
C. V. Terrell of Wise County.
Charles E. Baughman of Brown County.
Robert E. Speer of Dallas County.
For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court:
William Pierson of Hunt County.
For Judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals:
Lee P. Pierson of Dallas County.
F. L. Hawkins of Ellis County.
For Associate Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals, Third Supreme Judicial District of Texas:
J. H. Baugh of Brown County.
For Representative to Congress, Seventeenth District:
Thomas L. Blanton of Taylor County.
For State Senator, 25th Senatorial District:
Walter U. Early of Brown County.
For County Clerk:
C. H. Jenkins of Brown County.
A. L. Pearce of Coleman County.
For District Clerk of Brown County:
Dura M. Scott.
J. W. (Wirt) Pauley.
Chas. S. Bynum.
For County Judge:
E. M. Davis.
Frank K. Sweet.
For County Clerk:
Frank Emison.
S. E. Stark.
For County Treasurer:
A. F. McAlister.
W. M. Hooper.
Mrs. E. C. Deas.
R. C. Gotcher.
J. R. Lewis.
Eustace C. Renfro.
For Sheriff:
Carl Adams.
Fred White.
W. C. Tolleson.
W. A. Stewart.
For Tax Assessor:
Clair Bettis.
E. P. Timmins.
For Tax Collector:
L. A. Bruton.
W. A. Butler.
F. M. McDaniel.
For County Attorney:
T. C. Wilkinson, Jr.
John O. Harris.
For County Superintendent:
J. Oscar Swindle.
M. L. (Luther) Cobb.
Nat. W. Glascock.
For County Surveyor:
Mark E. Harsdale.
For County Chairman:
Thomas H. Taylor.
For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
Guy T. Hutcherson.
N. A. (Nap) Pinson.
For Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 1:
E. H. Perkins.
For Constable, Precinct No. 1:
O. E. Kitchen.
For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1:
L. Q. (Bud) Reese.
For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:
C. D. Harrison.
J. W. Miller.
H. E. Sullivan.
C. J. Thompson.
For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
Leonard F. Bird.
Young Hester.
For Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 2:
T. J. Cade.
For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 3:
V. E. Eoff.
For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
W. M. Medcalf.
For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 4:
F. M. Cobb.
For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 5:
H. L. Adams.
For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 6:
S. P. Martin.
For Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 6:
L. Strohm.

The committee will meet again at 10:00 a. m., Saturday, July 31st, to canvass the returns of the first primary. At 12:00 the annual dinner will be held and at 2:00 p. m. the committee will attend the county convention.

Pacific Coast Air Mail Available On First Day July

Air mail service to the Pacific Coast almost as fast as now is enjoyed to the Atlantic will be within the reach of Brownwood by way of Fort Worth after July 1st.

Beginning July 1st schedule of the transcontinental air mail from New York to San Francisco will be so revised as to enable the west-bound plane to connect at Chicago with the National Air Transport plane leaving Fort Worth 7:55 a. m.

Late Departure.
Under the schedule now in effect, the westbound transcontinental plane leaves Chicago for San Francisco and Los Angeles at 5 p. m. with the Fort Worth plane arriving at 7:20 p. m. or nearly two hours after. The new schedule calls for the departure of the coast ship at 7:50 p. m. This will make letters leaving Fort Worth by air mail one morning reach Frisco at 5:30 p. m. the following day.

If sent by train they would not arrive until the second morning.

20 Cents to Frisco.
Postage to San Francisco is 20c, to Los Angeles 30c. NAT will be paid by weight carried instead of 80 per cent of all air mail postage sold in the future. Mr. Moore announced. The new arrangement will net the company a higher profit, it said.

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Summer Makes Its Debut—But When Is Longest Day?

It is now June 24. Summer is here.

Monday, according to the common, ordinary, calendar was the longest day in the year and last night was the shortest night. Summer officially arrived at 11:36 p. m. eastern standard time. Because it comes almost at midnight, the question has arisen as to whether Monday or Tuesday was the longest day. One of the experts in the U. S. Naval Observatory explains the apparent phenomenon as follows:

Summer comes precisely at the same time throughout the world. The longest day changes one quarter of a day until 1940 year, when it returns back to June 21 at midnight.

Short in Texas
Western cities probably found Monday longest, while eastern cities will find today longest, but in either case the longest day in the United States will be found along the Canadian border and in Maine, while the shortest will be experienced in Florida and in Texas.

There was supposed to have been 14.3 hours of sunlight yesterday. But old Sol failed to be out the whole day.

Hot Days Ahead.

Heat from the sun is greatest now, as the days are longer and temperate regions receive the sun's rays more directly. But the actual maximum temperature of the year on the earth's surface does not come for six weeks or two months, when the nights, gradually increasing in length, allow a greater radiation of the heat received during the daytime than allowed by the present short nights.

Will Start Campaign To Eliminate Pests By Oiling Water Holes

E. M. Boon, member of the Brownwood city council, states that the council will immediately take active and effective steps for the elimination of the mosquito from Brownwood. This will call for the thorough and systematic oiling of all pools of water in and adjacent to the town, a cutting of weeds on vacant lots, and a thorough cleaning of yards, lots, alleys and streets of all tins cans and other receptacles that accumulate water where the pesky insects can do breed. In all this, Mr. Boon is anxious to have the co-operation of the citizenship.

Recipes

Rice Muffins.
2 1/2 c. flour
1 c. cold boiled rice
2 1/2 level tsp. Calumet Baking Powder
1/2 level tsp. salt
1 c. milk
1 egg, well beaten
1/2 c. melted butter

Sift together at least twice, flour, baking powder and salt. Add rice, mix with tips of fingers, then gradually mix egg and melted butter. Beat well. Bake in greased muffin pans in hot oven, 25 or 30 minutes (400-450 degrees F.).

Cherry Bread Pudding
1 small loaf stale bread
1 qt. milk
1/2 c. sugar
2 level tsp. Calumet Baking Powder
2 eggs, well beaten
1/2 level tsp. salt
1 tsp. vanilla
1/2 c. butter, melted
2 c. fresh stewed cherries

Remove soft part from loaf and grate on coarse grater. (There should be two cups of crumbs). Scald milk, pour over crumbs. Let stand until cool. Beat eggs thoroughly; add sugar, salt and baking powder; well mixed. Combine this mixture with the milk and crumbs; add butter and vanilla. Bake in a buttered pudding dish 1 hour in a slow oven. Serve with Cherry Sauce.

Escalloped Spinach.
1/2 pk spinach
1 tsp. grated onion
1 tsp. grated cheese
1 level tsp. salt
Few grains pepper
Few grains paprika
Few grains allspice
1 1/2 tsp. butter
1/2 c. milk
Shredded wheat crumbs
Bacon

Cook the spinach, drain it and chop. Add onion, cheese, and seasonings. Melt butter, add flour and pour into a greased baking dish. Cover with sifted shredded wheat crumbs and with strips of thinly sliced bacon. Bake until bacon is curled and brown.

BACON OMELET
4 eggs
4 tbsp. milk or water
2 tsp. butter or substitute
1/2 level tsp. salt
Pepper
1/2 level tsp. Calumet Baking Powder
Chopped cooked bacon
Separate the yolks and whites of the eggs. Beat the yolks of the eggs until creamy; add seasonings, baking powder and milk or water. Then beat the whites until stiff and cut and fold them into the yolk mixture. Place the fat in an omelet pan, heat, and turn the omelet into it. Cook slowly, occasionally turning the pan so that the omelet may brown evenly. When the omelet is set and delicately browned underneath, place it in a hot oven for a few minutes to dry the top. Fold and serve immediately. Before folding add the chopped bacon.

COFFEE CAKE
4 1/2 cups flour
4 1/2 level tsp. Baking Powder
Powder
1 level tsp. salt
1/2 tsp. mace
1/2 c. butter or 1/2 lb. dr



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1 cup sugar (scent)
Sift flour, then measure; add baking powder, salt and sugar; sift three times, chop butter in with spoon; beat egg whites with half shell of water added to each until stiff, then add yolks and beat; turn into two square pans and spread even; brush top with milk. Spread with the following, first with egg:
1/2 cup graham cracker crumbs
1/2 cup sugar
1 level tsp. mace
3 level tsp. butter.
Mix crumbs, sugar and mace, rub butter in until it is crumbly, spread thick on top of cake; bake in a moderate oven thirty or thirty-five minutes, at (325-350 degrees F.).
NET BREAD
1 egg
1/2 cup sugar

**NORTH POLE LAND
SANTA CLAUS' IGLOO.**
JUNE 22 1926.

Dear Brownwood Folks:

Before you start writing to me I think I'll beat you to it and tell you what I want!

I want you to go to THE SHAMROCK SHOPPE and select a lot of your Christmas presents from their new shipment of stamped art goods. They are all nicely made up and except for a bit of embroidery, all ready for use. Do that embroidery now and put it aside for early distribution, if you expect me to help you with stockings.

There are many delightful little items for the children's busy fingers to make up that will keep them out of mischief until I come.

Now my dears, in view of what I have done for you in the past I expect your hearty co-operation in this and other suggestions I shall make from time to time.

Fondly, but firmly yours,

SANTA CLAUS HIMSELF.

Cotton Seed

We have decided to crush our Summer accumulation of Cottonseed, now that the time for replanting has passed. Until July 1st, we will pay

\$32.50 Per Ton

\$1.60 per Hundred Pounds for Merchantable Cottonseed

Cottonseed

Brownwood Cotton Oil Mill

R. S. DAVITTE, Manager

SALE Opens
FRIDAY,
June 25th
at 9 o'clock

GREAT CONSOLIDATION SALE

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The stock and fixtures of The Style Shop have been bought by The Brownwood Boot Shop, an arch has been opened between the two places, and in the future the business will be known as BROWNWOOD STYLE AND BOOT SHOP. We have added NEW DRESSES and HATS for summer. In celebration of this new business we have Cut Prices down on hats and dresses as well as shoes. Buy seasonable merchandise now.

One Group OF DRESSES	One Group OF DRESSES	One Group OF DRESSES	One Group OF DRESSES	One Group OF DRESSES	White Kids	Black Kids
Up to \$16.75 Values	Up to \$24.75 Values	Up to \$27.50 Values	Up to \$29.50 Values	Up to \$39.75 Values	Washable, broken lots, up to \$10 values, one group extra special at	Patents, Satins and Suedes Low and high heels, \$8.50 values, one group priced at
\$6.95	\$9.95	\$12.95	\$16.75	\$19.75	\$2.95	\$1.95
One Group of Hats	One Group of Hats	One Group of Hats	One Group of Hats	One Group of Hats	One Group of Hats	One Group of Hats
Up to \$7.45 Values	Up to \$9.95 Values	Up to \$9.95 Values	Up to \$9.95 Values	Up to \$9.95 Values	Up to \$12.95 Values	Up to \$12.95 Values
98c	\$1.95	\$1.95	\$1.95	\$1.95	\$2.45	\$2.45

STYLE AND BOOT SHOP

308-310 Center Avenue

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County Notes

Blanket

Miss Leva Eoff who is attending John Tarleton College spent the week end with home folks here.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Eoff are the proud parents of a fine girl, born last week.

Miss Thelma Dossey was home from John Tarleton last Sunday.

Mrs. Gooch returned to her home in Lamesa Sunday, after spending the week here with her mother, Mrs. Mary Baker.

Miss Bettis and family of May visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Cox left for Fort Worth last Monday. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. W. Baker, who will visit a while in Fort Worth.

Rev. Huie filled his regular appointment here in the U. S. A. Presbyterian church Sunday.

The children's day program at the Baptist church Sunday night was enjoyed by a large congregation. The house was filled and several came and went away on account of the church being so crowded. The program was good and Mesdames Eoff and Swindle deserve much credit in their untiring effort to make the program a success.

Harry Bettis and Wayne Bell visited relatives in Bangs Sunday.

Charlie Baker is in Snyder sanitarium at Glen Rose. His many friends hope he will soon recover.

Frank Parson went to Winkley Friday to attend the funeral of Mr. Lightsey, who was killed by lightning at that place the last of the week. Mr. Parson returned home Saturday night.

Carl Ramsey made a business trip to Comanche Saturday.

Miss Sarah Smith spent the week end here with home folks. Miss Mary accompanied her back to her studies in Daniel Baker College Sunday.

Vera Addington of Dallas is visiting in the Fred Smith home for a few weeks. She came in Sunday.

The young people of this community had quite an enjoyable time at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Buckmaster last Saturday night. The occasion was a farewell party given to Talmadge Buckmaster, who was leaving for Plainview to be away for some time.

Grandmother Hadson was real sick a few days last week, but we are glad to report her better now.

Mrs. Janie McLaughlin and children came in Saturday to visit with relatives here a few days. The little son who had his leg broken some time ago has about recovered, and we hope will soon be entirely well.

Mrs. Luke Reeves is on the sick list this week, but is improving. We hope she will soon be all right again.

Announcements

The thrashers are running in this community in full blast this week. The grain is turning out fine. Leo Stewart reports having threshed 60 and 70 bushels of oats to the acre on all his crop. The rain the first of the week stopped the thrashing for a while but there was not enough rain to damage the grain.

Mose Strickland was on the sick list the first of the week.

Grandmother Stewart is still dangerously sick at her home near Comanche. Earl Stewart and his mother went to see her Monday.

Misses Mary Smith and Joe Dabney were shopping in Brownwood on Saturday.

Mrs. Boulton is in a sanitarium in Brownwood. She was carried over there Sunday for an operation, but her teeth had to be extracted before she had her operation. This was done Monday and the operation will be some time soon. Her many friends here hope for her speedy recovery.

Dr. Brown and wife of Mullin, Mesdames Pouns and Lipscomb of Brownwood, Mrs. J. B. Whitehead and children and Mrs. T. C. Whitehead of Brownwood, Mesdames Gray and Hargrove of Abilene and Mrs. Walter Scott of Houston visited Mr. and Mrs. Luke Reeves one day last week.

C. G. Foust was looking after business interests in Blanket last week.

Mrs. and Mrs. Wesley Dowdy and little daughter returned Friday from a week's visit with relatives in Kerrville.

Mesdames J. R. Deen and Hansard went to Sidney Saturday to attend a canning demonstration.

Mrs. Lane from Pioneer came Wednesday to accompany her father, Mr. Clifford Smith to Dr. Lane's sanitarium in Pioneer. He has not been feeling well for some time and is thought perhaps a few days visit and treatment would get him straight again.

The secretary of the singing school announces everything now ready for the biggest singing school this town and community has ever had to open the first day of July. There will be an all-day singing here the first Sunday.

Jones Chapel

About twenty-five persons from Jones Chapel attended the encampment at Lakewood Thursday night.

Among those attending were the following members: Mesdames Kinard, Jenkins, Miller, Hamilton, Garmon, Owing, Teel, Sumner, and Daniel. All enjoyed the programs just fine.

The farmers of this community are very busy now thrashing, chopping and plowing cotton. Grain in this community is unusually good. Prospects are fine for a good corn, cane, maize and cotton crop.

B. Y. P. U. and prayer meeting were well attended here Sunday night.

Mrs. Palmer of Fort Worth is visiting her sister, Mrs. D. C. Owing. She expects to return home about July 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Jenkins had the following visitors Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Kinard, Mrs. Carl Miller and three children, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. McLean and little daughter, Kattie Sue, and little Gale Evans.

Bangs

Mrs. Hillard Lasswell returned to her home at Fort Worth Saturday after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. George Porter and children of Houston arrived last Friday for a two weeks visit to Mrs. Porter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. McIntosh.

Mrs. Ruth Phillips Moore of San Antonio is here visiting her uncle and family, Mr. and Mrs. West Phillips, and cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schulz.

Zephyr

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Edwards and family of Brooksmith spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. E. George of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Conde McClain of Waxahachie visited Miss Mattie Mae Matson the past week.

Mrs. W. A. Piller and family of near Austin are visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Piller and family.

Mrs. E. L. Henderson of Brooksmith spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. O. E. George.

Henry Parker of Oklahoma is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Quirt of Dallas spent a few days last week visiting friends and relatives at this place.

D. F. Pettis is visiting in Marilla Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Murphy of Brownwood visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. E. George Sunday.

Miss Mattie Matson attended the Johnson-Mills wedding last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Yarbrough of Bangs spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Piller.

George Cole of Brackenridge is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Cole.

The Ladies' Missionary Society will give an ice cream supper at the tabernacle next Saturday night, June 26th. The money will go for the benefit of the Methodist church.

Mrs. Mollie Coffey, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jones were visiting in Mullin on Sunday.

Mrs. Stewart Belvin spent Sunday in Zephyr.

Thelma Piller is visiting her sister, Mrs. Roy Bailey this week.

Mrs. R. H. Scott and daughter, Bernice are visiting relatives in Belton.

Mrs. Conkle Mathew and Velma Henderson of Corsicana are visiting relatives at this place.

Beaird

R. N. Green was in Zephyr Tuesday.

The light rains have delayed the farmers here, but the good crop is still in the ground.

Rev. Morrison preached a sermon at Bethel Sunday.

H. C. Hart, Jr. was at his father's, Saturday, who has been ill.

Misses Lucy, J. Margaret Galloway, Edna, Caroline Douglas and Mrs. Savoy were visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hart, Jr. Saturday.

F. Galloway and family were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Bettis Sunday.

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N. B. Douglas and daughter, Ida Mae were in Brownwood Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cason and family were visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Stewart Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Brooks and R. L. Brooks, Jr. and Vannie Brooks of Dallas are visiting relatives at Rising Star, Abilene, Lubbock and Muleshoe.

Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Daniel returned Tuesday from Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Previtt are returning Monday from Wichita Falls where they visited C. A. Sevens and family.

A. Seale, rural carrier and wife and baby, and Arnold and Warren Ragsdale made an overland trip last week, returning Monday from Wichita Falls where they visited C. A. Sevens and family.

Robert Seales and visited all the oil wells between here and Wichita Falls, visited Lake Kemp, Vernon and other points and report a wonderful trip and an enjoyable time.

The classification committee, after passing on the bale Monday, found it to be the first bale of new growth cotton but declared that the cotton is of mixed grade and that some of it, at least, was not matured and therefore "gin out."

"My Own Pal" Brings Out Tom Mix in Brand New Stunt

Celebrated Stunt-Man Appears as Mounted Officer and Battles Way to Glorious Finish.

"My own Pal," adapted from an original story by Gerald Beaumont for Fox Films as a starring vehicle for Tom Mix, comes to the Gem Theater Thursday and Friday, June 24th and 25th.

Tom in this story, according to advance reports, gives one of the finest and most thrilling performances of his career. For the character is that of a dare-devil and romantic Irishman who comes to the city looking for adventure and finds plenty of it after he has managed to join the mounted police.

Olive Borden plays opposite Tom in the leading feminine role, that of the very modern little niece of the chief of police. She will be remembered as the fiery and stubborn little Senorita in "The Yankee Senator," one of the most colorful of the Tom Mix pictures.

Little Virginia Marshall, also gives a splendid performance as Jill, Tom's pal. This youngster, who has created such a name for herself, commands laughs with her mimicry of Tom's traits—and tears with her own emotional acting.

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In the course of his wanderings, he adopts little Jill, a tiny circus rider, saves the niece of the chief from being injured in a runaway—and, in the end, from a gang of thieves.

But even while he is looking for excitement and providing plenty for the audience, Tom longs for the peace and quiet of the country and finally returns to his ranch.

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UNIVERSITY STUDENT KILLED IN ACCIDENT THREE OTHERS INJURED

AUSTIN, Texas, June 19.—(AP)—Louise Speer of Mission, summer school student of the University of Texas, died this morning shortly before 3 o'clock as the result of injuries received in an automobile accident last night in which Miss Isabelle Crozier of Dallas was killed and three other persons were injured.

Ed Tagel of Thorndale, University of Texas student, Henry Seekatz of Austin and Mrs. Paul Martin of Houston were also injured in the crash which occurred shortly after midnight.

Tagel has four fractured ribs, Seekatz was cut about the face and Mrs. Martin was cut and bruised about the knees.

Grady Puryear of Austin, driving one of three automobiles which figured in the crash, escaped injury. Miss Speer died early this morning after a blood transfusion at a local hospital failed to save her life.

Miss Crozier, daughter of N. R. Crozier, superintendent of the Dallas public schools, died last night shortly after being carried to the hospital.

Three automobiles were involved in the accident, crashing together at a street intersection opposite the University of Texas campus.

TEMPLE, Texas, June 19.—(AP)—An automobile rushing N. R. Crozier, superintendent of the Dallas public schools, to Austin where his daughter, Miss Isabelle Crozier, was killed in an automobile accident last night, overturned at a turn in the road a few miles north of here this morning and was completely wrecked.

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