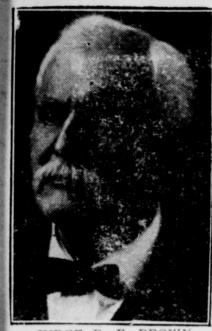
### JUDGE B. F. BROWN, 93, PROMINENT MASON, \$1,200.00 Loss in Feed **DIED EARLY TUESDAY MORNING**



JUDGE B. F. BROWN

Funeral services for Judge B. F. Brown, 93, were conducted at the first Methodist Church here Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Rev. Ed. H. Lovelace, pastor, officiated. He was assisted by Rev. B. B. Hestir, A. A. Berryman and Malcom Black.

Judge Brown died at 6 o'clock Tuesday morning at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Pearce. He had made his home with them for a number of years.

side of his wife (who died in 1925) bitterweed. and a daughter, Susie B. Brown. Lowe Funeral Directors were in portance of holding the rich soil charge of arrangements. The Ma- developed beneath cedar trees in sonic rites were used at the grave- place of growth of grass. To hold

Tom Onstott, H. L. Hildebrand, tive grasses after the cedar has Roy Foster, Rufus Foster, Joe Em- been rooted out with a bulldozer ery, C. C. Aiasworth, and Webb R. he plans to row the cedar on the Hudson. Among the Texas Masons contour. He also plans to seed at the graveside services were Jake grasses on part of the area. Chestney of Colorado City, Past Oats were 25 per cent killed on Grand Master; Doyle Cox of John Burrough's farm north of Melvin, Grand High Priest; and Water Valley during the recent ex-W. D. Fowler of Eden, Past Grand treme cold weather. Wheat grow-

P. of Sterling City and Jerry F. of this farm was sowed on the con-Brady; three daughters, Mrs. J. H. tour with the terraces. A system McCabe of Mancos, Colorado, Mrs. of level closed end terraces de-Fred McCabe of Robert Lee, and signed by an engineer with the Mrs. H. L. Pearce; and 11 grand- Soil Conservation Service and conchildren and eight great grand structed by Burroughs in 1944 are

Born in Tennessee, son of B. A. water where it falls. Brown and Elizabeth Real, Benja- Lee O. Newcomb planted his terman Franklin Brown came to Tex- races to small grain last fall. This as with his parents in 1857 when he grain is providing protection to his wsa 5 years old. They settled in terraces from wind and water eros-Denton County, where Bolivar now ion and in addition is furnishing is. His mother died in 1858. B. F. winter grazing for livestock. had 14 brothers and sisters.

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Judge Brown's father was great great grandson of General Brown, who served in George Washington's Revolutionary Army. B. F. father was a Texas Ranger during the Cicil War.

In 1880 Judge Brown married Sarah J. Smith in Files Valley. Six children were born to them-Ruel P. Brown, Jerry F. Brown, Bertha Brown McCabe, Anna Brown Pearce, Susie B. Brown (died at the age of 14), and Leora Brown McCabe.

Mr. Brown served as County Judge of Sterling County from 1910-1916 and from 1920 to January 1933. Joining the Methodist Church in 1875, he was a member for 71 years.

A Mason since June 23, 1877, Judge Brown was a Master Mason from 1899. He got the first 50 year pin that was put out by the Grand Lodge, and served as District Deputy Grand Master, Grand High Priest of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter, Grand Master of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters, Master Elect of the Grand High Priests of Grand Council of Anointed High Priests, Grand Representative to the-Grand Chapter of Quebec, South Dakota and Maine, as well as many other Masonic offices.

Judge Brown had not missed a m ting of the Grand Lodge of A &AM of Texas since 1893 until gelo, has been out here this week 1943. He was a member of the spraying pecan trees for scale. He Sterling Lodge for more than 41

Pat Neff, Past Grand Master, gave bearers. an eulogy to Judge Brown at a Scott has good paper shell pecan meeting at the Grand Lodge in Wa- trees for sale from his nursery. He Frozen Foods since it opened. co this week. W. D. Farnsworth, has Mahan, Western Schley and of Sterling City, was attending a Burkett trees. If trees are wanted Deputy Grand Masters in Waco, Record. t the time of Judge Brown's death, the told of the eulogy upon his FOR SALE—Gas water heater. most durable of fence posts, servturn to Sterling City.

#### History of Sterling County

Beginning in February, we will run "The History of Sterling County" in the Sterling City News-Record. Ira Lee Watkins, now of Garden City, wrote the history as a requirement for his master's degree at Texas Tech. It was his thesis. Mr. Watkins has given us permission to run the history in

The Sterling library gave us the permission to us their copy which reposed in the case at the County

Upon reading the history we realized that it was apiece of writing that every Sterling County resident would be interested in reading. Too long to run in one issue. the history will be run by chapters each week until the entire book has been printed.

We hope it will please you.

#### SOIL CONSERVATION **NEWS COLUMN**

California filaree is making good growth on N. H. Reed's Kinnebrew ranch and is apparently offering considerable competition to bitterweed. Sheep grazing in a pasture Burial was at Chapman's Ceme- with both California filaree and tery on the Lower Divide, by the bitterweed have not started eating

R. J. Welch recognizes the imthis soil during the period neces-Pallbearers were H. M. Knight, sary for the establishment of na-

ing in the same field has 100 per Survivors include two sons, R. cent survival. All small grain on doing a good job of holding the

#### THE JACK RABBIT DIDN'T KNOW

As W.M. McDonald, butcher at Chapple's Food Store, was going to his home on Thursday night of last week after work, he found out that jackrabbits could jump a "fur piece" and that shatter-proof windshields were not shatter-proof. -Not by any means

A jackrabbit was sitting in the road and the lights from Mac's car blinded him. The rabbit made a leap toward the McDonald pick-up and hit the wind shield.It "busted" out the wind shield, filled Mr. and Mrs. Mc-Donald's laps with glass and bent the glass in several inches.

The glass may have been shatter-proof, but the rabbit didn't know it, and he really shattered it-to the tune of \$19.20 for a new glass, says Mac.

Its a good thing Mac's wife was along with him or he might have had a hard time getting people to believe his tale.

Roy Scott, formerly with J. L. Rainey's Pecan Nursery of San Anplans to come back later at the proper time and spray for case-

chool of instruction for District you may leave a call at the News-

Phone 146.

## Store Blaze

A fire of undetermined origin caused approximately \$1,200.00 loss said M. C. Mitchell, owner.

of bags and ruined 1,300 bags (empty), four tons of cake, and from like a very important officer, but Mitchell.

Although the smoldering sacks great deal of blaze and the fire-

## **GIFT TEA HONORS**

Mrs. Louis Bade, who was Miss Alice Cuen of El Paso before her celled checks are sent them. No recent marriage, was honored with a gift tea last Saturday afternoon, January 25. The tea was held at the First Baptist Church. Hostesses were Mrs. W. W. Durham, Mrs. R. A. Garrett, Mrs, Lee Hunt and Mrs. Claude Collins.

In the receiving line with the bride were Mrs. Durham, Mrs. H. Bade, mother of the bridegroom, Mrs. Louis Hale, Mrs. Owen Ingram and Mrs. Alfred Thieme, sisters of the bridegroom, Miss Flo Marie Thieme was at the bride's book, and Mrs. Fred Thieme presided at the tea service and Mrs. Frank Thieme served cake. Mrs. Trinon Revell and Mrs. Smoky Garms assisted in the dining room, and Mrs. Clyde Everitt played plano selections during the tea hours.

The table was laid with a lace the money, but never did. cloth and centered with an arrangement of white gladiolas and carnations with fern tinted in pastel colors. Other decorations were carried out in pastel colors.

Fifty guests called during the afternoon including one out-of-town guest, Mrs. Frankie Powell of Gar-

#### TFWC Yearbooks Out

Peace" the TFWC yearbook is dedicated to the two TFWC war presdents. Mrs. C. W. Connery of Ft. Worth who was president in World War I, and Miss Ethel Foster, Federation president during World War Saba.

Miss Foster, who has been active in district, state and national November 1942 through May 1945. She points out the challenge of "Youth Conservation" in her message in the book.

The yearbook is primarily a re-Miss Foster's administration a s president.

#### CHAPPLE'S FOOD STORE ANNIVERSARY

Chapple's Food Store is observing its first anniversary of business in Sterling City with the last week in January. H. A. Chapple, owner, bought out Will Meyer's Grocery and Market this time last year and has operated the store which V-J Day, Colonel Smith was chosen now bears his name since.

Christoval. During the war H. A. was on the west coast in war work.

The Chapples have consistently enlarged their line of groceries, meats, produce, feed, etc. and are now about well and will likely reconstantly adding to their business in every way possible.

Employed in the store (besides Mr. and Mrs. Chapple) are W. M. McDonald and J. T. Conger.

#### FRED THIEME BUYS C. C. AINSWORTH'S STATION

Fred Thieme has bought C. C. Ainsworth's Service Station and ist at large in the effort to inwill begin operating it February 1. His father, Alfred Thieme, will be associated with him at the station. Fred has been bookkeeper at the

Ainsworth has operated the station the past 10 years. He retained his ice business.

Reinforced concrete makes the ing an estimated 30 to 40 years.

#### **OUR WASHINGTON** NEWS LETTER

By Congressman O. C. Fisher

Ruddy faced Kenneth Romney, at the Sterling Feed and Fuel former sergeant -- at-arms of the Company here Monday night between 7 and 8 o'clock. The loss was partly covered by insurance, itol Hill recently, while the Con-House of Representatives has been the most talked-about-man on Capgress marks time for the legislative The fire started in come bales program to get under way. A sergeant-at-arms doesn't sound

30 to 60 sacks of wheat, said this one has developed into at least a high priced one. For in this case he not only keeps the peace. made lots of smoke, there wasn't a but operates a sort of a bank for the House members. If desred the men had the blaze under control members may have their monthly salary check deposited with the sergeant-at-arms, who maintains a office in the capitol for that purpose. The members then draw checks on their respective accounts just as is done with ordinary commercial banks, and each month bank statements and canother deposits are allowed other than salary checks of members.

office has just been audited by the time Strling was leading 19-7. King General Accounting Office. The was high point man with 11. results made Kenneth Romney a high priced man. The audit showed trict 21 B to date: a deficit of \$125,000, with most of the shortage having occured prior to 1930. A member of Congress from Florida, who served from 1919 to 1927, - before Romney took over-was allowed to overdraw his account by \$64,000. A former employee in the office named Mahonfresh from Tammany Hall, \$25,00 away with him several years ago. The grapevine around here is that he would have been prosecuted then but for the fact that Tammany Hall promised to repay

Romney himself appears to have gotten away with \$22,000 by cashing for himself checks on banks where he had no funds. The audit has been turned over to the Justice Department for appropriate criminal and civil actions. It may be that those of us who have deposits there that have never been overdrawn will be called upon to take our pro rata loss from the deficit. That would be more ap-The 1942-1945 year book of the made up out of the Treasury, as Clubs is just off the press. Titled 1890. In the future we are prom-

A West Texan who has missed a lot of headlines, but who has a most distinguished war record, is Colonel Douglas B. Smith of San When the Texans ate together last week at the Capitol Colonel Smith was present as a guest and was commended by Lieuclub work, was president from tenant General J. L. Devers, present chief of the Army Ground Forces. The latter spoke briefly to the group and noticing Colonel Smith's presence, told of his valiant service with the 75th Division in Eusume of TFWC activities during rope where, he recalled, "some of the bloodiest fighting of the entire war occured.'

Colonel Smith, son of Postmaster and Mrs. W. A. ("Uncle Billy") Smith of San Saba, in 1919 drew with others for a chance to attend West Point-and won. After serving in Africa in 1943 he was attached to the 75th Division in Europe, took a prominent part in the Battle of the Bulge, and moved into Germany with the 9th Army under the command of General W. H. Simpson. Immediately following to serve as American Military At-The Chapple's came here from tache in Yugoslavia. However, before assuming his duties he developed a trouble with one of his knees which necessitated an operation and a slow recovery. He is ceive another important foreign assignment in the near future. -0-

#### METHODIST CHURCH

A Church Loyalty Campaign will begin Sunday and will continue through Easter Sunday. This is in cooperation with the Methodcrease attendance in Church School and the worship services.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed Sunday morning. Stewardship is being stressed during 1947 inthe Church's Crusade for Christ. The pastor will be in Water Val-

ley for Sunday evening. Church School 10:00 a. m. Communion Service 11:00 a. m. U. of L. Study 6:30 p. m.

## **Basketball**

The Sterling City Eagles have been showing some improvement in their basketball playing the past week. Thursday night at Sterling the local team defeated the Knott Hillbillies by the score of 31-21. The score was tied at the end of the first quarter 4-4 and at the half was 11-11. Sterling was leading at the third quarter 20-17. Smith was high point man with

Friday night the local gymnasium was the scene of a very interesting ball game with Garden City furnishing the opposition. The local team won by the score of 32 to 22. Half-time score was 14-5. The Garden City team came back at the half and was within 3 points of Sterling before Sterling again pulled away with a comfortable lead. Tweedle was high point man with 12.

Tuesday night the Sterling High Eagles took another conference game from the Forsan Buffaloes by the score of 27-18. The local team jumped to a quick lead and For the first time since 1890 that led 11-1 the first quarter. Half

Here is the standing of the Dis-

	WON		LOST	
Stanton		7	1	
Coahoma		6	2	
Courtney		6	2	
Sterling City		5	5	
Knott		5	5	
Garden City		3	6	
Forsan		0	9	

Monday night, February 3 Sterling High will meet the Coahoma Bulldogs in the local gym. There will be a junior, B and A game starting at 6:30.

The local team will go to the Water Valley tournament Friday and play Robert Lee at 5 p. m. If they win they will play at 3:00

The District 21 B tournament will be played at Coahoma on February 13 and 14. Sterling will meet Stanton at 4 p. m. on Friday. Coahoma drew a bye. Forsan meets Garden City and Knott plays Courtney in the opening round.

The Sterling B team went to Big propriate than having the default Spring Monday night and played the Junior High team of Big Texas Federation of Women's was done when a deficit occured in Spring. The Sterling team won 23 to 21. The score was tied at the Women at Work for Universal ised an audit every three months, end of the game 18-18. After a 3 minutes extra period it was still tied 21-21. The team to score two points first wins and Baker dropped in a field goal to win for Sterling. In the opening game the Sterling Junior team defeated a stubborn Big Spring Junior team by a score of 18-17. Sterling led at the half 915. Elroy Butler was high point man for Sterling with 9 points.

#### Two Hostesses For Wimodausis Gift Shower

The Wimodausis Club met with Mrs. Lee Reed on January 22. Mrs. Harvey Glass and Mrs. Lee Reed were co-hosetsses for a shower for Mrs. Herbert Cope's baby daughter, Catheryn, and a handkerchief shower for the retiring president, Mrs. Clyde H. Davis. Mrs. Davis who is withdrawing from the club, is moving to Weatherford.

Mrs. Lee Reed, vice-president, is taking over the duties as president. Mrs. H. A. Chapple was unanimously elected as a new

The club will meet in the library on February 5.

FOR SALE-Weaning pigs. Call or see W. Y. Benge, Sr.

#### LARGE COYOTE KILLED

One sheep-killer is no more. Cack Cole, Forest Foster, Jack Mitchell and Bill Green took out early Wednesday morning after a coyote. With dogs they finally killed the animal on Forest Foster's ranch. Cole said the coyote had been killing sheep in the wedge up near his part of the

One dog was killed by the coote during the chase, and another got a cut on the neck-but not a bad one.

The coyote evidently weighed around 50 pounds.

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#### From Models To The Real Thing



DETROIT, MICH. — Winner of \$2,000 university scholarship in the 1946 Fisher Body Craftsman's Guild model car design competition, 18-year-old David Wayne Whitman of Jackson has elected to enter General Motors Institute to continue his education in the automotive design field. He alternates between class work at the Institute and working in the engineering laboratories in Detroit. Shown above he works on a full size working drawing of an auto body, the first step taken in the production of an auto body after the designer's brainchild leaves the drawing board.

#### BYRNES AND MARSHALL

No man in recent years has performed better services for his country than James Byrnes, who resigned as Secretary of State. Month after month he has been arguing in the interests of a confused world crying out loud for world peace. He has been firm and patient as Job. Naturally, he feels that he has gone the limit with Russia and other countries, and in view of poor health he has re-

The appointment of General Marshall has been acclaimed and approved by all political groups in Washington. He is regarded as a worthy successor to Byrnes because of his magnificent record as head of military affairs and as a statesman. Marshall was picked because he is able, forceful, vigorous and persistent.

Senator Vandenburg, who served with Byrnes, recently made an important address in which he predicted that General Marshall would designate representatives in the State Department to carry on the battle with Molotov and other "dumb-bells."

There is considerable anxiety about the relations between the United States and Argentina, but Washington believes that Marshall will hammer matters out to a peaceful conclusion. At the same time he will direct demands of our government on Russia and its Communistic Allies.

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### Scrambled Figures

By GEORGE S. BENSON
Tresident of Harding College
Searcy, Arkansas



PLAIN - LOGIC and clear-thinking are two delegates who should always register at all management and labor conventions. They should be ever present in all councils of patriotic groups. Neither our business nor our labor leaders must be responsible for a lock-out of truth and of the dignity belonging to facts and figures. Inasmuch as plain Americans can reason, just so will they see any inadequacies of thought demonstrated by any leaders.

Most of American labor was pleased, I believe, when the CIO adopted a resolution recently condemning Communist influence in its ranks. I suspect the rank and file back home gave this action a round of genuine applause. And aside from the intra-union politics which prompted the resolution, regardless of the doubtful political tinge of the men who drafted it, my belief is that the CIO unions are taking a step in the right direction.

In The AT ANY RATE, these Record unions have put down on the record their resentment and rejection of efforts of the Communists and "other political parties" to interfere with their affairs. Communists, they seem to imply, are just another political party, but let us not forget what ideology is followed by the Communist line, whether in a party by that name or in other parties. There's nothing American about their ideology nor their long-range aims.

It would seem the time has come for our two major political parties to do more than merely disown the Communists who have infiltrated their own ranks and the ranks of labor. Moreover, it

might be a good time for the two major parties and for our leaders of labor to say that political action groups have no business interfering with the affairs of political parties.

Greater A PROMINENT labor Threat personality recently set down the profits of industry for 1946 as \$15,000,000,000, after taxes, and added that this represents a greater threat to the nation than does Communism. Whatever industry's earnings will be for 1946, the figures will not be high enough. The poor showing in the first nine months of the year, as seen in the stalled output of the automobile industry and in the failure of many industries to make any profit at all, will not make large sums available for higher wages.

Poor industrial earnings will not permit management to set aside funds for expansion and for badly needed working capital. Neither will lagging production bring a prosperity level that will help pay our tremendous war debt. No production brings no profits and no wages.

Americans dislike to see any groups discredit the profit motive. We like each man's prerogative to make a profit, whether he belongs on the side of management and ownership, or whether he is a wage earner. It is elementary economics that wage earners do not experience increased wages under conditions where there is no production. Surely the rank and file of Americans know this. We cannot believe that any loyal Americans would like for industry to be constantly in the red. But we know that the Communists would.

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#### From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

#### Sam Hackney Reports on the U.S.A.

just returned from a trailer trip other's right to speak his mind; around the country. They're tired, and glad to be home, but mighty any trade he chooses. But those are impressed with what they saw.

As Sam reports-every section has something different; a differin food and drink; different laws and customs. But bigger than all these differences is the American together in united peace.

"Of course," says Sam, "you run into intolerance from time to

Sam Hackney and the missus time. Individuals who criticize anenjoy a glass of beer; or work at the exceptions-and we're even tolerant of them!"

From where I sit, more of us ent way of talking; different tastes ought to make a trip like the Hackneys - to realize firsthand how America is bigger than its many differences . . . how tolerance spirit of tolerance that lets us live of those differences is the very thing that makes us strong.

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#### PEOPLE ARE ASKING THESE QUESTIONS ABOUT ARMY ENLISTMENT



Q. What educational benefits do I get under the GI Bill of Rights?

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Your tuition, laboratory fees, etc., up to \$500 per ordinary school year will be paid by the government. Also, you will receive \$65 a month living allowance; \$90 a month if you have

Q. What about family allowances?

A. For men enlisting or reenlisting now, family allowances will continue until six months after the war is officially ended.

Q. What are my chances of going overseas?

A. If you enlist for 3 years, you may select to serve in any overseas theater which has openings, especially Japan or Korea.

Q. Can I still choose the branch of service I want to serve in? A. Yes. You can pick any branch which has quotas to be filled, if

you enlist for 3 years.

Q. Is there any way I can reenlist in my old grade? A. Yes, you can, if you reenlist for a 3-year term within 20 days

after your honorable discharge. Q. Is there any other way I can reenlist in grade?

A. Yes, if you held one of certain military occupational specialties, and were discharged on or after May 12, 1945, you can reenlist

in a grade depending on the length of time you held the desired

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Admission is 60c, \$1.20 and \$1.80.

The Oscar Findts move to the Mack Benge farm last week from their house here in town that they hed sold to Taylor Garrett. They rented only the house, and not the farm as it was printed last week.

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AVERAGE MAN-one who thinks

FREE THINKER-a widower or a bachelor.

SIN-an old-fashioned word that is now called experience.

CORSET—something to keep the vaves out of the WACS. ACTOR-a man who tries to be

everything but himself. CREDITOR-a man who has a

better memory than a debtor. BRIDGE—a card game in which good deal depends on a good deal. MASON-DIXON LINE—the divsion between "yo' all" and "youse

BUDGET-a method of worrying before you spend instead of after-

CIVILIZATION— a process of creating more needs than means to

CHIROPRACTOR-a man who gets paid for doing what other guys get slapped for.

BACK-SLAPPER-a person who hopes he can make you cough up IGNORANCE-when you don't

know something and somebody CHIVALRY—a man's inclination to defend a woman against every

man but himself. SHOULDER STRAP-a narrow piece of ribbon that keeps an attraction from becoming a sensation.

"I WON'T" is a tramp.
"I CAN'T" is a quitter.

"I DON'T KNOW" is too lazy.
"I WISH I COULD" is a wisher.

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The Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church will serve chicken dinners the day of the FFA and 4-H Club Boys Livestock Show here-February 8. The meals will be served in the basement of the church as in the past years.

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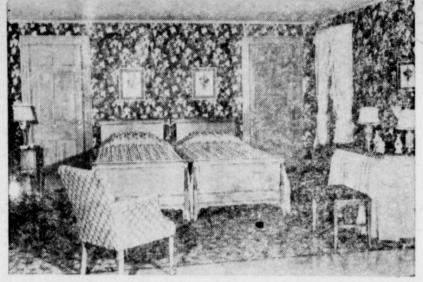
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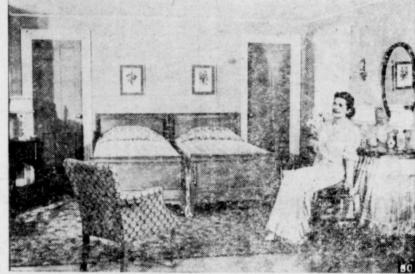
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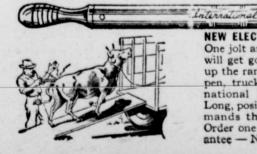


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#### SWING OF SOUTHWEST FARM MARKETS

Agriculture

spot, registering net advances dur- Orleans. ing the period.

Butcher hogs were up 25 cents to a dollar, and sows gained 50 Baptists Call Rev. cents to \$1.25. Stockers and feeders C. D. McEntire were steady to a dollar higher. Good and choice medium weight butchers brought \$23.50 to \$23.75 at Fort Worth. Closing top at Ok- the Harmony Baptist Church of lahomaCity was \$24.00, and Fri- near Paducah, was called by the day's packer top was \$24.35 at Den- Baptist Church here last Sunday ver. The week's top was \$22.50 at to be the new pastor. The call

Cattle showed definite weakness, following the Sunday School. as most classes lost from 25 to 50 cows were down \$1.00 to \$1.50. Rev. McEntire will accept or not. Medium cows sold for \$11.50 to \$13.00 at San Antonio. Common and medium kinds brought \$10.25 to \$12.75 at Houston; \$10.50 to \$12. 50 at Wichiita, and \$11.50 to \$13.00 at Denver. Medium and good beef steers turned at \$15 to \$22 at Ft. Worth and \$16 to \$20 at Oklaho-

Slaughter lambs were as much as \$1.00 lower than a week earlier while ewes were steady to 25 cents off. Medium to choice fat lambs brought \$17 to \$19 at San Antonio. Good and choice kinds realized \$21.50 to \$22 at Ft. Worth and \$20.75 to \$21.25 at Denver. Common goats sold for \$6.50 per hundred at San Antonio, and kids \$4.00 per

Trading in the wool market was spotty and less active as compared to the previous week. Movement of Texas wools was limited, and revalued 1943-1944 territory wools were about sold. Limited stocks of mohair found fairly active de-

More liberal receipts of poultry found dull trading last week, and Texas University. eggs market weakened. Current receipt eggs sold for around 35 to 41 cents per dozen. Broilers began sale. Reduced price. Contact G. C. to arrive in plentiful supply and Potts, 1009 Main St., Big Spring. demand was only fair at 30 cents per pound in Dallas. Fryers also sold at 30 cents in Dallas and 28 to 33 cents in Fort Worth. Heavy hens brought 22 to 24 cents in Ft. Worth and 23 to 25 in Dallas.

ping point markets ended the week things unpleasant. mostly in slow demand. Cabbage, carrots and spinach were lower than a week earlier, and weakness apleft Thursday after a several days peared in beets, broccoli and sweet visit here with the D. Halls and potatoes. Grapefruit was a little Mrs. Dick Knight. easier, including pink varieties which had recently advanced.

western shelled peanuts, and the market was weaker.

ly last week and other grains were omic theory was first expressed weak to lower. Rice markets were in the philosophy of Democritus steady. Good seed of high germina- in 375 B. C.

tion was reported scarce in some sections. Plentiful supplies of feed found slow demand. Wheat millfeeds registered the only advance, By United States Department of while cottonseed meal and gluten feed were lower. Other feeds were generally steady to weak.

Cotton registered a net decline Dullness and lower prices feat- of \$1.50 to \$2.05 per bale for the ured the farm market last week. week. Friday's closing price on as reported by the Production and middling 15/16 inch was \$30.60 at Marketing Administration, USDA Dallas; \$30.76 at Galveston; \$30.65 Hogs furnished the only bright at Houston; and \$30.70 at New

## C. D. McEntire

Rev. C. D. McEntire, pastor of was made at a business meeting

At the time this is printed it is cents during the period, and some not definitely known whether

#### Missionary at Presbyterian Church Sunday Night

Rev. B. B. Hestir, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, announces his regular services for next Sunday. He will preach at the 11:00 o'clock hour.

Rev. George R. Womeldorf, reered from his 20 years spent in of energy.

A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to attend.

has been this past week. Among plant. those seen around town at their homes were Jackie Durham and

POTTS estate home place for

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A real old-fashioned sand storm blew in about noon Wednesday

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#### Discuss Palestine



LONDON - (Soundphoto) -General Sir Alan Cunningham (right) High Commissioner of Palestine and Arthur Greech Jones, Colonial Secretary are shown on their arrival in London after a se-cret flight from Palestine coinciding with the new wave of attacks by terrorists in the Holy Land. Cunningham and Jones conferred with Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin in a meeting devoted primarily to discussion of military measures to be taken by the British military forces to suppress the current at-

The earth's store of uranium ore turned missionary from China, would be exhausted in less than will speak at 7:15 p. m. He will 100 years if uranium were to regive first-hand information, gath- place coal completely as a source

Two powerful germicidal substances which effectively attack pus-forming organisms have been The mid-term or between se- discovered by chemists in wild ginnesters time of the college year ger, a common North American

Archaeological research at Ur of Joe L. Snead from John Tarleton, the Chaldees, birthplace of Abra-Sue Everitt and Marjorie from ham, was begun six centuries be-Texas Tech and Jimmie Hall from fore Christ by Nabonidus of Baby-

> The first American motorcycle of record was built in 1868 by W. W. Austin. The machine was a velocipede type of bicycle propelled by power from a small coal burning steam engine.

On a line now crossing the United States from Florida to Michi-Fruits and vegetables at shiping point markets ended the week things uppleasant.

blew in about noon wednesday gan the pointing of the compass coincides exactly with the true north direction. However, in 1800 the line of no compass variation passed between Washington and Baltimore.

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