

Free Barbecue  
Friday, June 21

# Burkburnett Star

Mammoth Parade  
Friday, 10 o'clock

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BURKBURNETT, WICHITA COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY JUNE 13, 1946

NUMBER 46

## Burkburnett Water Supply From Wells East of Town



WELCOME TO  
ALL VISITORS

**B. H. Alexander**

BURKBURNETT

REPRESENTATIVE OF

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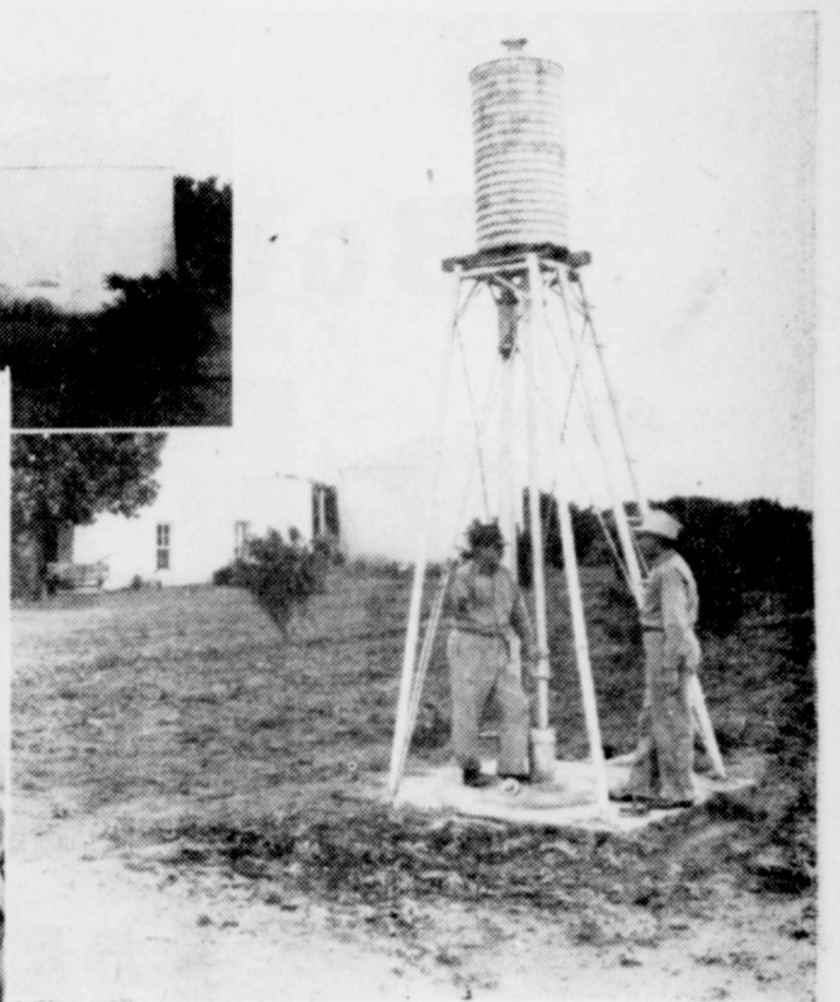
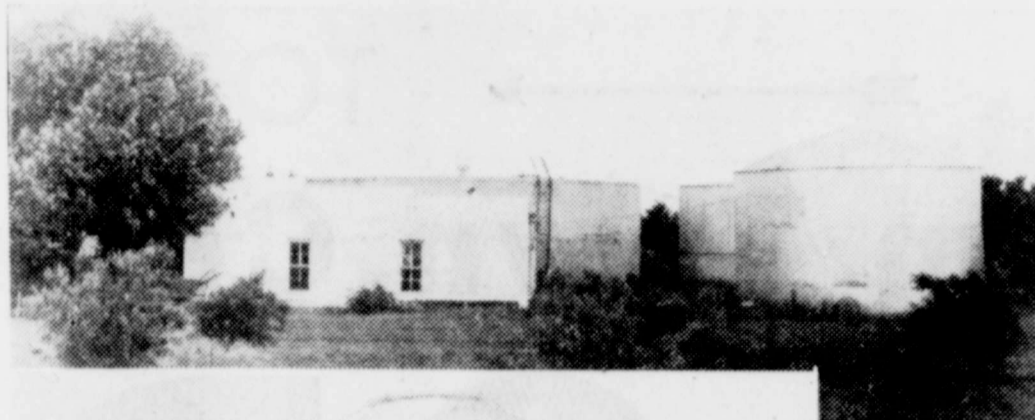
### No Shortage of Water Here This Summer

City employees have just about completed the task of laying another six inch water line into town from the pump station East of town. Heretofore only one six inch line supplied the town. During the summer months when water consumption was at the peak, the one line just couldn't carry enough to give sufficient pressure all over the city. This summer there will be ample water for all uses.

Water at the pump station has never been scarce and pumping facilities were adequate to boost it on to town if there had been another line. Plans for laying additional line were interrupted when the war came on and pipe was not available. An eight inch line comes out from the pump house for about one mile where it was reduced to a six inch. The new six inch ties onto the end of the eight inch, giving two six inch lines coming into town, or almost twice as much water as could be pumped through before.

With the added facilities in operation, Burkburnett citizens will have plenty of good water and full pressure no matter how much they want to use.

Plenty of water will also be available for fire fighting, should there be a need for it. In years past the stand pipe West of Town Hall was held in reserve at all times for fire fighting, and citizens had to be satisfied with



Top Left—Pump station and storage tanks, located three miles East of town.

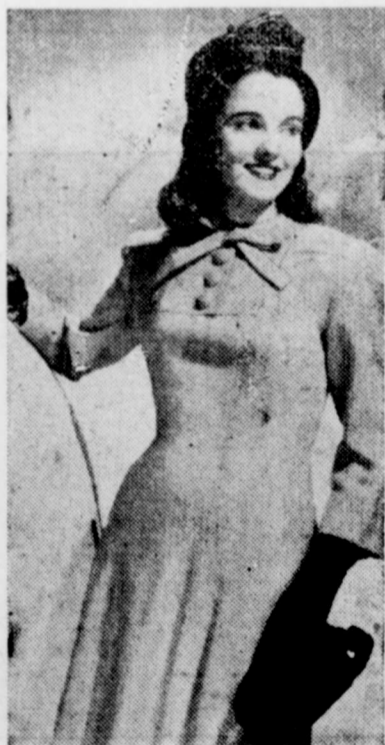
Top Right: One of the 18 wells, showing tower and small tank.

Bottom Left—Thursday, June 1, 1944 Sheppard Field sent four trucks to the Burkburnett pump station for water to be used for drinking purposes at the field. Picture shows two GI's filling canteens from the first truck to reach the field.

using water from the lines, directly from the pump station. That accounted for the weak pressure when too many hydrants in town were opened up.

Quality and taste of Burkburnett water are excellent. Samples are regularly sent to be analyzed and reports sent back to the water department. At no time has a report showed the water to be contaminated or otherwise unsafe for human consumption.

Princess Style  
Aids Bond Drive



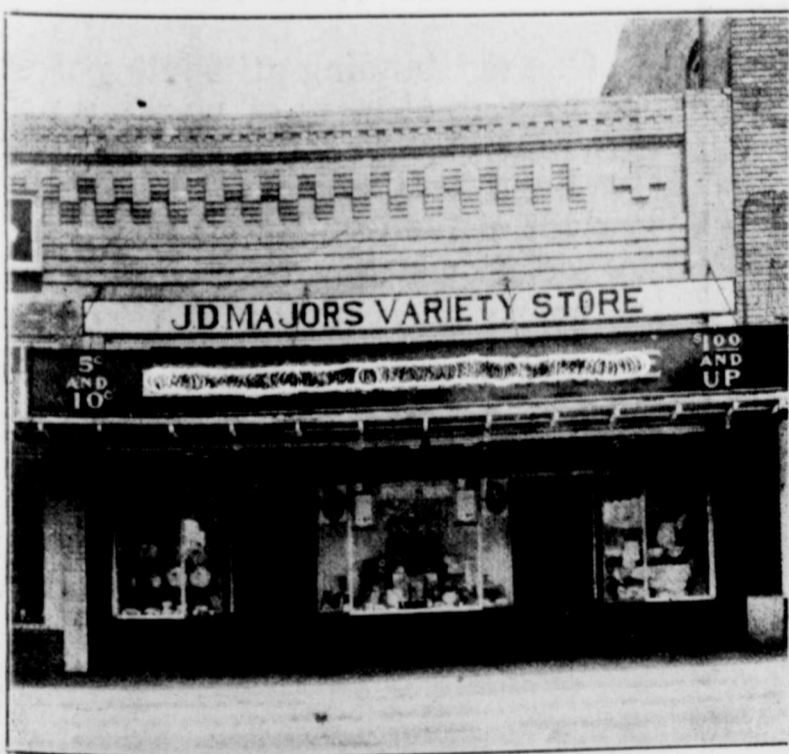
Interesting yoke treatment adds dash to this gray wool dress. Making your own wardrobe can save you dollars to invest in Victory Bonds. Patterns at local stores.



Many high schools throughout the nation give actual credit toward graduation for training received in the Regular Army.

WELCOME FRIENDS

TO BURKBURNETT



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Welcome  
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# WELCOME

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## Boom Town Celebration And



# RODEO



## JUNE 20-21-22

TO OUR STAUNCH FRIENDS WHEREVER YOU ARE: YOU HAVE BEEN LOYAL TO US THROUGHOUT THE YEARS

We have grown from a small 12x20 shack in 1919 to a complete shopping center in 1946

Early in 1919, Tom, Chas. and Jim Boyd covered all tracks from their South Texas home, and cast their lot with the Burkburnett Boom. They all wore their World War uniforms here, and invested their savings in a new land of fine possibilities. They believed then, as they do now, in the old timers, in the fertility of these soils, in the many resources this land promised.

### THE OIL BOOM DAYS

Quoting Chas.: "Work was all we knew. We were too doggoned busy to realize how little our lives were worth, but we just kept working night and day. You couldn't go to town at night—someone would break in and take what you had." And Tom: "I've looked down the business end of those dungeon guns several times. I've seen all day gambling

games going on out in the field. I and my mule wagon worked that section every day." And Jim: "I worked all over the field helping lay pipe lines, and helped in the store at night."

Merchandise was hard to get. There were several small wholesale stores along the tracks. They went from place to place, gathering up something to sell wherever they could find it.

### During The Boom Days

Many times mud and slush were wagon bed deep, and mules and horses were the only transportation that could stand it. When going to Thrift you just had to cut across. All fences were down. Every draw and creek had toll bridges. Everybody went oil crazy. Gathering of crops was forgotten. The whole surrounding country was covered with tents, shacks, and some people lived in wagons.

Mud And Slush Of The Boom Days



Many people paid 25c to be carried across Main St. when it was mud and slush in 1918-1919.

### People Were Honest

One outstanding attribute possessed by a great mass of working people was observed during the boom by Boyd Brothers. Not having the benefit of modern Retail Merchants Associations, they extended credit to nearly everybody that asked for it. A check of all business done by this firm for the first ten years, shows that over 99 per cent of all accounts were paid. Boom experience was real training, and paved the way to the enterprise of today.

GROCERIES

DRY GOODS

FURNITURE

HARDWARE

# Boyd Bros. Shopping Center

Burkburnett Is Ready For Party



Welcome signs are out, and Burkburnett is ready to welcome visitors to the Boom Town Celebration. Above scene taken here on Main Street in the early thirties.

The First Bridge Across Red River West Of Dallas



G. W. Wigham and his associates completed the first bridge across Red River in 1856 and when the toll structure was finished it was the first structure on the river west of Dallas. Previous to the construction of the bridge, corn cobs were thrown in to the river so that wagons from Oklahoma could pass through the deep sand. The eight cars were the only cars in Burkburnett, and they were on the bridge the day it opened. The celebration ever held was held at that time when Indian, farmers and business men held a three days picnic and barbecue at the bridge on the Texas side. The cars belonged to W. T. Williams, Mashburn, J. O. Wheat, Bob Moore, George Wigham, J. A. Smith, Dr. W. H. Lewis, Rich Ramming. There were only 37 cars in Wichita County at that time.

Big Parade

Friday Morning At 10 o'Clock

Bronc Riding Will Show Skill In Art Of Horsemanship

Rules in the contest are given below: Any rider turning down horse or refusing to ride when called upon shall be disqualified and not allowed to ride for any day money that day or any day following in this event.

Riders and horses for each day will be selected by the management; horses to be furnished by the management, and riders will draw mounts. Contestants must ride as often and on any horse as judges deem necessary to determine winner. Riding to be done with plain halter or hackamore, and one rein, all of which will be furnished by the management. Only association saddles furnished by the management will be used. One arm free. Riders must not change their hands on the rein and rein hand must show daylight above horse's neck. Riding rein and hand must be on same side. Horses to be saddled in chute or arena as management may direct. Horses will be saddled and cinched under direction of the arena director. Rider must leave starting place with both feet in stirrups and both spurs against horse's shoulder and for the remainder of ride must back. The matter of re-rides will be decided by upon the judges. Ride is completed when the bell rings. After the horse leaves the starting place everything the rider does will be counted for or against him.

Any of the following offenses will disqualify a rider in this contest:

- Being bucked off.
- Coasting with feet against horse's shoulders.
- Changing hands on reins.
- Wrapping reins around hand.
- Losing stirrup.
- Pulling leather.
- Failure to leave starting place with both spurs against horse's shoulders.
- Not being ready to ride when called.
- Use of any substance or prepared assistance on any part of rider's clothing or on any part of his equipment.



WELCOME To Boom Town

Celebration and RODEO

THERE WILL BE A



OF PEOPLE LOOKING FOR GOOD FOOD

AND WE'LL DO OUR BEST TO HELP CORRAL THEM

Palace Cafe

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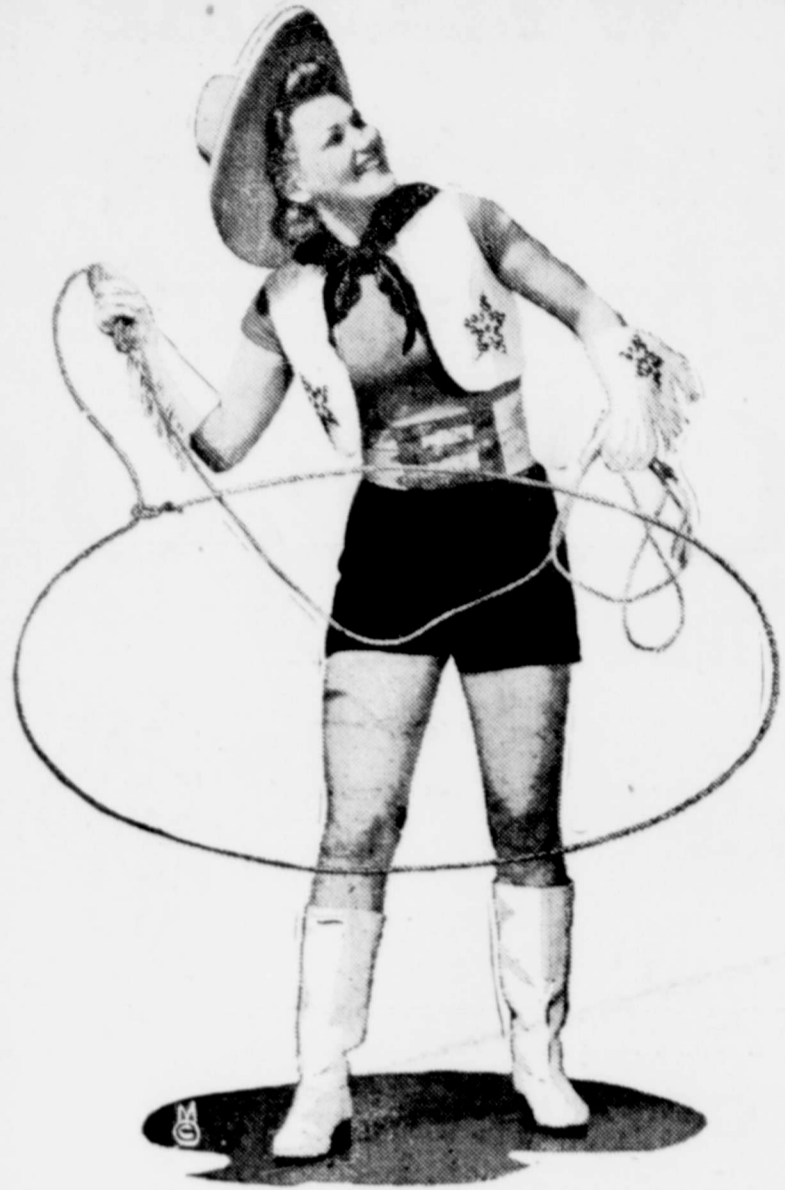
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## Celebration and Rodeo

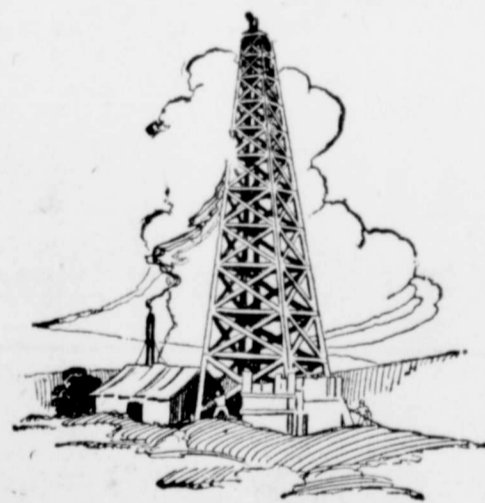
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**\$800.00 Prizes**

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**4 Shows**

Thursday, Friday and Saturday Nights  
Also Saturday Afternoon



**5,000 Seats**

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Calf Roping, Saddle Broncs, Steer  
Bulldogging, Wild Bull Riding

TRICK RIDING AND ROPING

## Big Free Barbecue Friday Noon

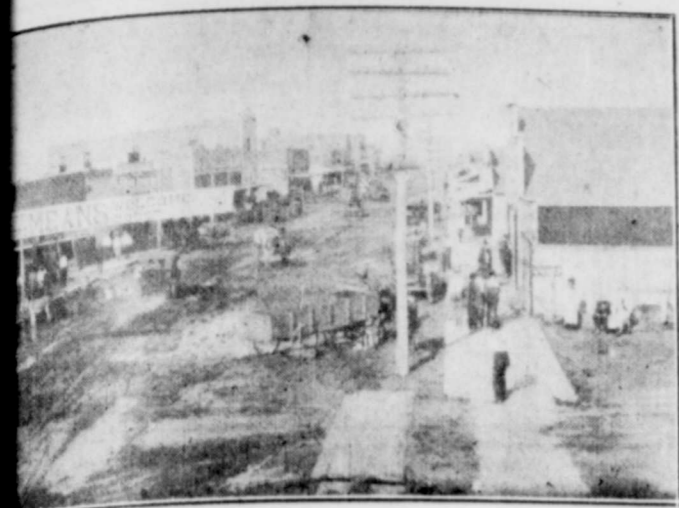
Sponsored by Burkburnett

# Chamber -- Commerce

C. A. 'Buster' MORGAN, President

RAY HILL, Secretary

Main Street In Burkburnett 1911



Main street in 1911 was a quiet country lane, but the town's boosters. Notice the welcome sign by Editor of the Burkburnett Star.

Sourdough Bread Making Ability Is For Cowboy

the standard menu of anybody's chuck wagon is sourdough biscuits. An recipe for the favored "range" is given in the that follows: In the turn of the century who rode the range was of the title "cowboy" he could cook sourdough. He might be able to ranch all day long, rope with the best of them, be useless around a he couldn't cook. are the tales among early men regarding sourdough. Most of the fellows and leather in the 90's in this section are still. Probably it is because a reason is lacking, but ask them the secret of his life, and most times he it's due to sourdough of everything on the

success is to be expected. Here is his recipe:

Take flour and water with enough sugar to sweeten, so that it will ferment good within 12 to 24 hours, depending on the weather. Mix into a batter-like consistency and place in a crock or jar (crock preferred) and keep covered in a warm place—not too warm. When fermented add flour and water until a reasonable stiff dough is made; kneed considerable; make into biscuits, smear with grease, set aside for a time then bake in a hot oven.

Martine said never use all the batter, but leave some in the vessel, stir in more flour, a little sugar and water, and it is ready for the next time.

The usual range menu consisted of sowbelly or beefsteaks, frijoles, syrup, prunes, sourdough biscuits and coffee. Coffee is too weak if it will not float a rock, Martine said.

NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING AT YOUR SERVICE TO HELP YOU SELL

In addition to regular pay, family allotments and extra money for longevity, decorations and special duty status, Regular Army men save substantially through purchases at commissaries and post exchanges.

Office Supplies—Star Office

Bull Riding Event Is One-Hand Free Affair of Thrills

Any rider turning down bull or refusing to ride when called upon shall be disqualified and not allowed to ride for any day money that day or any day of the event, and shall also forfeit his entrance fee.

Riders draw for places. This is a one-hand contest. Rider must ride with one hand on the rope and the other hand in the air, and must leave the chute with both spurs in the bull's neck and scratch him all the time until sound of the gong, which is signal to dismount. Riding to be done with loose rope. No freak hand holds, no knots or hitches will be permitted which would prevent rope from dropping off bull after rider leaves bull. Any device that gives an unfair advantage is barred. Rider must be ready to ride in his turn or he will be disqualified.

Regular Army men stationed overseas take tourist excursions into the scenic, historical and civic centers such as Switzerland, Norway, France and other countries.

Big Parade Friday Morning At 10 o'Clock

The United States raises about three times as much corn as wheat.

REGULAR BLOOD HOUNDS After Customers Our Want Ads

Gasser Blows In On Dodson Farm



One of the first big gas wells in the Burkburnett area on the A. Dodson farm. Mr. Dodson in the background holding his ears to protect them from the noise.

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Welcome Folks...

—to the—

Boom Town Celebration & RODEO



From Those Friendly

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BOB TEVIS, Manager

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Harold Van Loh

822 Scott St.—Wichita Falls—Phone 7131

Pioneers Started In A Dug-Out



Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Muller started their life in this territory in the typical dug-out of the pioneer days.

Calf Roping To Be One Of Top Rodeo Events

There will be two timekeepers, a tie or field judge, a deadline referee and as many other officials as the local management finds necessary. Arena conditions will determine start and deadline rules. Ten seconds' fine for ropers' horse breaking barrier.

After calf crosses deadline he beless of what happens. Two loops long to contestants (roper) regard will be permitted and should he miss with both he must retire and no time will be allowed. Roping calf without releasing loop from hands is not permitted. Catch as catch can through loop. Catch must hold until roper gets his hands on calf. Contestant must use neck rope in all roping

events. If calf runs on rope and "busts" itself, no penalty shall be imposed, but if the rider deliberately "busts" calf he shall be penalized 10 seconds.

Contestants must receive no assistance of any kind from the outside. If horse drags calf, the field judge may stop horse and the penalty for dragging will be 10 seconds. Rope may be dallied or tied hard and fast; either is permissible.

Contestants must dismount, go down rope and throw calf with his hands and cross and tie any roper reaches it, the calf must be three feet. If calf is down when let up to his feet and then thrown by hand. The tie must hold until passed on by the judge and roper must not touch calf after finish signal until the judge has completed his examinations.

Contestants in this event must carry two ropes and two tie ropes and shall not receive assistance in any manner.

The "busting" of calves in this event and the dragging of them will absolutely not be tolerated.

FRONTIER DAYS



Will Be Recalled During Celebration

June 20 - 21 - 22

Only Horses Could Make It



When it rained in 1919 only horses could make the main drag.

Welcome Friends  
—AND—  
Neighbors  
TO  
BURKBURNETT



Boom Town Celebration  
AND

Rodeo

HONEST FOLKS -----

Our Steaks are not half as Tough as the Above Critter ...

Good Food - Well Prepared Coffee and Ice Cream

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Welcome, Visitors  
To Boom Town Celebration and Rodeo



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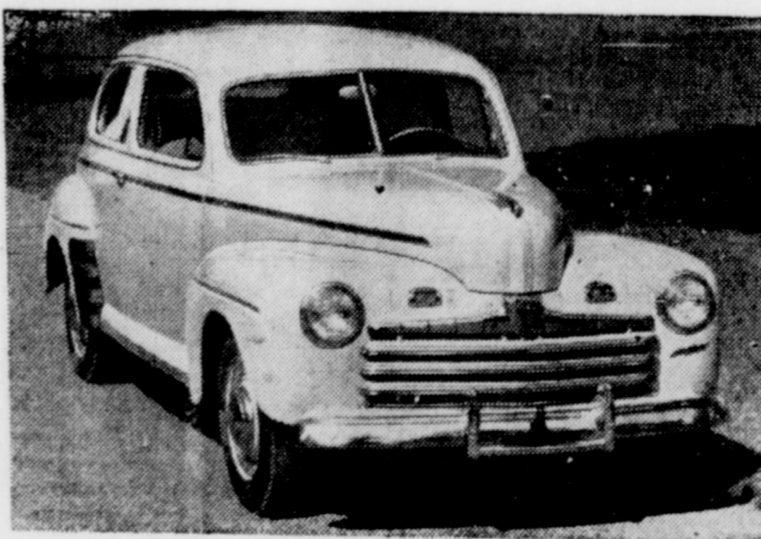
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# WELCOME

## To The Friendly City Of Burkburnett and the **BOOM TOWN** Celebration and Rodeo

**2 Mile Long Parade Friday Morning at 10:00**

Cowboys - Cowgirls - Floats - Covered Wagons - Heavy Oil Field Equipment - Buggies - Cars

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A. R. HILL, Vice-Pres. & Cashier  
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Air View of Burkburnett, Looking North

# WELCOME...

## To BOOM TOWN

### Celebration and RODEO

Location in 1936, 12 1/2 Ft. Front



Present Location 50 Ft. Front



# THE FAMOUS

"FAMOUS FOR ITS VALUES"

D. C. DODSON, Owner

BURKBURNETT, TEXAS



Free Barbecue  
Friday, June 21

# Burkburnett Star

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TWENTY-SIX PAGES

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XXXVIII BURKBURNETT, WICHITA COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY JUNE 13, 1946 NUMBER 46

## Tipps, World War II Vet, Makes Office of Wichita County Judge

Tipps popular Wichita lawyer and recently discharged from the Armed Forces more than 4 years has made an announcement of his candidacy for the office of judge of Wichita County. He was elected to his office at his announcement.



Asking the people of Wichita County to elect me their judge subject to the primary to be held in the fall, I am confident that the people are entitled to know the background and ability of any candidate for public office.

## Mud Unbelievably Deep On Main St. In Boom Days

C. B. Blair, now at the White House Grocery & Market, was in Burkburnett during the boom days as a team contractor, and tells stories of the mud on Main street that are hair-raising.

He had a mule to slip and fall one time and got tangled up in the traces. It almost drowned before they could get it free. Mud and water was almost waist deep most of the time and some of the mud holes would bury a wagon.

Once he helped move a Star drilling machine down Main street. It took eight days to get it from Avenue D across the railroad tracks. They used 32 teams, the lead pair more than a block from the stuck rig.

## Celebration To Be Advertised On Station KWFT

Station KWFT, Wichita Falls, will make announcements of the Boom Town Celebration on three days, Saturday, Sunday and Monday, 15th, 16th, and 17th.

Announcements will be made at the following times:  
Saturday—7:45-8:00, 1:30 and 3:00-3:15 P. M.  
Sunday—8:30-8:45, 9:00-9:15 A. M. and 1:45-2:00 P. M.  
Monday—6:00-6:15 A. M. and 4:15-4:30 P. M.

Give another young man a chance. Ray Martin.

## Calf Roping Requires Teamwork



Calf ropers depend a lot on the horse they ride, for without perfect teamwork between man and horse, the calf has all the advantage. It takes a fast horse to catch a calf before he reaches the end of the arena, and roping the calf is around the calf's neck, the horse really shows his stuff. He must stop quickly, but not suddenly enough to "bust" the calf. One of the most enjoyable sights at a rodeo is a calf roping horse with "hoss sense". The above roper is Barney Folsom of Comanche, Okla., who will be here to compete in calf roping and bull riding.

## Rodeo Officials And Timekeepers

Jiggs Birk of Comanche, Oklahoma, several years world's champion cowboy, has been secured as arena director for the big four show rodeo at the high school foot ball stadium.

Judges for all events will be Hobert Flowers of Duncan, Oklahoma and Fred Swartz of Lawton, Okla. They are old hands at the game and know all the angles.

Time keepers will include Mrs. Julia Pointer of Elgin, Okla.

## Parade Queen



Miss Dotty Preston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Preston, has been chosen queen of the parade to be staged here next Friday morning at 10:00 o'clock.

## Town Hall To Be Headquarters

Town Hall will be headquarters for the Celebration. All the pioneers will meet there and a register will be kept of all guests, local and out of town.

Cowboys will also register here and pay entry fees for the rodeo contests.

Entertainment and comforts will be provided for the oldsters.

## American Legion To Parade Friday

The American Legion will join in the Boom Town parade next Friday morning. The members urge all veterans of World War 1 and 2 to join with them. All Legionnaires be sure to wear your caps.

Mrs. Herman Brown underwent an emergency operation in Seymour, Texas early Thursday morning.

## To Appear On Celebration Program



These little cuties will appear on the program during the Boom Town Celebration. They are stars in their own right, from Hollywood to Broadway, a song and dance team par excellence. On the left is Sharon Ann Proffer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Proffer of Wichita Falls. On the right, Sandy Kay Epperson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Epperson, Jr., and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Exley, all of Wichita Falls.

## R. L. Pointer Works Harder Than Help

The busiest man at the rodeo will be R. L. Pointer of Elgin, Oklahoma, who is furnishing the tough stock for the Burkburnett show.

It takes lots of chute men to keep the show moving, and Mr. Pointer always hires plenty of them, and then pitches in and does twice as much work as any two men he has working.

It takes time to saddle the brons, put the sursingles on the bulls and to get the dogging steers and roping calves into the chutes and ready to be released at the proper time.

Mr. Pointer has staged many successful rodeos in the past few years, and no one realizes better than he what it takes to put on a fast moving show. That is the kind he puts on, though he never loses sight of the fact that stock and contestants deserve consideration and protection from injury.

## City Hall Lawn Pretty Picture

For the first time in many years, grass around the City Hall is a solid carpet. Last fall fertilizer was spread and allowed to soak in during the winter.

FOR SALE—Plenty Porta Rican Potato slips. One block off West Pavement on Preston St. T. J. Dobson. 46-1tp.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Gilbert spent Sunday in Lawton visiting their nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Willett.

FOR SALE—2 wheel horse trailer, also 1 car garage. Phone 358. 46-1tp.

FOR SALE—Good 5 room house located just east of school on College. See L. A. McNeil, one block West of Preston St. on 1st street. 46-tfc.

FOR RENT—Three room furnished apartment. Newly decorated. Apply 516 E. College. 46-1tc.

JUST RECEIVED shipment of corrugated iron and Deadenfelt Wall Paper Canvas. C. D. Sham-burger Lumber Co. 46-1tc.

VETERANS: Imperative that I receive not only your help but also that of your family. Will appreciate anything you do for me in my race for County Attorney. Ray Martin.

## J. V. Brookshear Raised Finances

Several hundred dollars was necessary for throwing a party of the dimensions Burkburnett will have.

The task of raising this money was left up to Virgil Brookshear, president of the First National Bank.

The method chosen was that of selling ads in the rodeo program book. All necessary funds have been raised that way.

## Mayor of Burk



Alvin Hill, vice-president and cashier of the First National Bank, is mayor of Burkburnett.

## Cafes Face Huge Feeding Problem

Local cafes are making all possible preparations to handle the large crowds expected here for the celebration.

They will be handicapped by the shortage of experienced help and also the shortage of meats and other foods, but they will do their best to master the situation.

## Bell Oil & Gas To Air Celebration

A. C. Reeves in the local Bell Oil & Gas Co. office is happy that his company is cooperating with the coming celebration by making announcements on their radio program June 18, 20 and 22nd.

The Bell Oil and Gas program comes over KWFT at 7:30 A. M. Listen for the Boom Town Celebration announcements on the above three mornings.

## Lions Club

Program in charge of J. S. Mills and H. A. Mills. Harlan introduced Rev. Limer of Clara, who made a very interesting talk on "A Christian Businessman."

Program next week in charge of Nichols and Patterson.

New officers and Directors elected June 4th:

President, H. C. Dodson.  
1st Vice-President, Loy Nichols  
2nd Vice-President, C. O. Smith  
3rd Vice-President, C. M. Archer.

Secy.-Treas. C. R. Chambers.  
Lion Tamer, Leon Pace.  
Tailtwister, Bill Bean.  
Sweetheart, Miss Mamie Browning.

New Directors: F. E. Cruce, Homer Gilbert.  
Holdovers: B. H. Preston, H. A. Goodwin.

## Dance At Legion Hall Each Night

Each night after the rodeo a dance will be held at Legion Hall for cowboys, cowgirls and all who wish to attend.

Music will be furnished by a good orchestra and there'll be a big time for everyone.

Subscribe To The Star

## Wid Philips Gets Meat For Barbecue



One of the biggest assignments for the big Celebration was that of securing meat for the barbecue. Wid Philips was made chairman of that committee and chose as his helpers, Hugh Preston, Mat Riley and T. Guy Willis. It would be a huge task to buy enough meat to feed 7,000 people, but Wid did it the hard way—he got every pound of it donated.

It is doubtful if any one except Wid could have handled this assignment. There was no high-pressure salesmanship to any one. Word was just passed around what the Chamber of Commerce wanted to do and farmers, ranchers, business men and individuals started stopping Wid on the street and telling him they wanted to contribute. Not only those in and around Burkburnett, but men from out of town offered their support without any solicitation.

As the paper goes to press, the following list has donated to the barbecue. Some gave a beef, some half a beef, some money, some hogs and some sheep. Mr. Philips asks the Star to express his thanks and appreciation to all those who contributed.

Ben Winkles, Jim Alexander, George Byerley, Wichita Live Stock Auction Barn, Matt Riley, Preston Dairy, Brack Preston, Wid Philips, Buster Morgan, Mr. Inman, Jess Ashton, City Cafe, Charles Kirsh, Alvin Hill, Burkburnett Gin & Elevator (Woody Flemming), Skelly Gasoline Plant (Roy Wilson), Marshall Young, Tom Pirtle, Doc Goins, Emil Schroeder, Kriss Pipe and Supply, LaSalle Refinery (Phil Williams), H. M. Warren, T. Guy Willis, P. S. Swinford, W. H. Bohner Oil Co. and Employees, W. L. Wood, R. J. Dunham, C. E. Lundberg, C. P. Byers, Burk Implement Co. (Joy Sessums), Bishop Oil Co. (H. O. Smith), Palace Cafe, Bill McClain, Jim Snoddy, C. F. Hooper, J. C. Hinkle, Rankin Coffee Shop, Texas Gasoline Plant, Stringtown Magnolia Boys, Bob Hinkle, B. & G. Welders (Bill Bean), E. E. Clack, Frank Kelley, Owens & Brumley Funeral Home, W. T. Holman, O. W. Prechel and Walter Kasper, Howard Bentley and Joe McCluskey, Nance Griffith, F. L. Pilkenton and Jack Hatcher, T. A. Kinnard, Joe Slama, J. F. Vogel, E. W. Roderick, Walter Prechel, K. B. Harmon, Dawson Owens.

Approximately 11 hives; 14 Lambs and Sheep; 8 Hogs.

The stock is being butchered and placed in storage to be ready for the barbecue pits at the proper time.

## Business Houses Will Close Friday For Celebration

Business houses will close in Burkburnett at 11:00 o'clock, Friday, June 21 and remain closed the balance of the day, and help entertain visitors here for the big celebration.

That doesn't mean that every door in town will be locked, probably several will remain open, but no business or sales transacted. Kind of an open house and closed shop arrangement.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Johnson, and son Dale, of Slaton, Texas, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hewell.

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## Burkburnett . . . . History

As revealed by the files of the Star 10 years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hicks and son left for Naple, Texas, Sunday to visit Mr. Hicks' mother.

Herman Brown will attend the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce managers meeting this week-end. Mr. Brown left Wednesday for the meet.

John Blackstone, wife and daughter left Tuesday for the Firemen's Convention in Fort Worth, then to Hawkins, Texas to visit his parents several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brookman left Wednesday for Tyler where they will attend the Texas Press

Association meeting. The meeting will adjourn Saturday for two days visit at the centennial.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Peevey left Thursday morning for a vacation trip which will carry them thru Texas, including a visit to the Carlsbad Cavern, South and Central Texas, the lower Rio Grande Valley and all points of historic interest.

Mrs. Carl Morrison has been awarded a certificate of Recipe Endorsement by Better Homes and Gardens for her recipe, "Strawberry Margarites." This is a National recognition.

### Rotary Club

President George McClarty had charge of the meeting when the Rotary Club met for their noon luncheon last Tuesday. C. J. Tucker of Wichita Falls gave the invocation.

Dr. Sullivan, in charge of the program, presented Tom Boyd who gave a review on the progress of the program for the Boom Town celebration.

Visiting Rotarians from Wichita Falls were: Sid Kring, C. J. Tucker, T. B. Wilkes, J. K. Estes, Oral Jones, Dr. Price Lowery, Grady Payne, and Earl Hodges. Mr. Hodges brought his wife as a guest.

Program next week will be in charge of Vernon Thornton.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Amyx left last week, after visiting with his mother, Mrs. Vera Amyx. While here Mrs. Amyx accompanied them to Shattuck, Oklahoma for a visit. They were enroute to Penn., where Mr. Amyx will enter college.

Little Miss Joyce Stewart and brother of Gladewater are visiting with their aunt, Mrs. Landers this week.

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Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Landers and Marjorie Nell, and Mrs. Stewart spent Sunday and Monday in Dallas.

Lt. Jessie Mae Brady, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Brady of Burk, arrived in the States from Manila by plane Sunday morning. She will receive her discharge from San Antonio soon.

Give another young man a chance. Ray Martin.

Mrs. Jo Brokman and Mrs. Artie Whiteside spent Sunday in Seymour.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Dodson are in St. Louis this week on a buying trip for the store.

Mrs. Belva Jones and Mrs. Phillips of Valley View, spent Tuesday with Mrs. I. E. Harwell.

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## Miss Dorothy Warren Becomes Bride Of Weldon Wright

In an impressive double ring ceremony, Miss Dorothy Warren, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Luke Warren of Cashion, became the bride of Weldon F. Wright, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wright of Burkburnett. The wedding took place in the Cashion Baptist church, Friday June 7 at 8:00 p. m., with Rev. A. E. Harrison, pastor of the First Baptist church of Burkburnett, officiating.

For recitation of the vows, the couple stood before the altar which was decorated with arrangements of pink and white gladiolus separated by branched candelabra with burning white tapers which furnished the only illumination.

Music for the ceremony was provided by Miss Lois Ellen Bruton of Wichita Falls, who played the traditional processionals from Wagner's "Lohengrin" and the recessional by Mendelssohn. She also gave muted interpretations as a background for the reading of the vows. Miss Lucy Lee Dale of Iowa Park, sang "To Thee" accompanied by Miss Bruton, and Miss Polly Clark of Iowa Park, sang "Because" and "I Love you Truly", accompanied by Miss Dale.

Luke Warren gave his daughter in marriage. She was lovely in a gown of white slipper satin, designed with a sweetheart neckline and long pointed sleeves. A row of tiny covered satin buttons extended down the front of the fitted bodice and fastened the sleeves. Her full length lace bordered veil of bridal illusion was held in place with a crown of lace. She completed her costume with a colonial bouquet fashioned with white net and pink gladiolus with satin streamers.

Mrs. Barbara McDonnell, attended her sister as Matron of honor. She wore a dress of pink Marquise. Mrs. Earl Howard and Mrs. Woodrow Wright were bridesmaids. They wore gowns of pink taffeta and blue satin.

Best man for the groom was Nat Fleming of Byers, Texas. Woodrow Wright and Harold McDonnell were groomsmen. Earl Howard and Buddy Warren served as ushers.

The wedding united two well-known and loved young people of the Cashion Community and Burkburnett. The bride is a graduate of Burkburnett high school of 1941, after which she attended business school in Wichita Falls. For the past four years she has been employed as a stenographer in Civil Service at Sheppard Field.

The groom served as Lieutenant in the Marine Air Corps in the Pacific theatre. He is a graduate of the Byers high school and has been attending Baylor University in Waco, Texas.

Following the wedding trip to points in Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Wright will spend the summer in Burkburnett. This fall they plan to move to Waco where both will attend Baylor University.

Out of town guests for the wedding included Mrs. Kate Prescott and Lee Prescott, Jr., of Ft. Worth; Mrs. J. W. Prescott and son Don Jo of Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Clark and daughters Polly and Helen Dale of Iowa Park; Mrs. Fenton Dale and daughters, Lucy Lee and Ruth Mary of Iowa Park; Mrs. Lawrence Weidman and daughter Nora Leigh of Oronville, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Claude Dowdy, Mrs. Bertha Dowdy and Mrs. Rex Kemper of Charlie,

## Miss Dorothy Warren Is Shower Honoree

Miss Dorothy Warren was named honoree at a lovely miscellaneous shower given May 30 at the home of Mrs. S. B. Dunn, with Mesdames S. S. Spencer, Elvis Day, Bee Bryant, P. S. Swinford, Olen Bailey, Herbert Adams, and Dawson Owen as co-hostesses.

The party rooms were most attractive with beautiful floral arrangements placed on the mantel and various other points. Especially effective was the refreshment table which was centered with a round mirror on which stood a miniature bride and groom, back of which was a double circle on which was inscribed Dorothy and Weldon, June 7. This was completed with a clever arrangement of cut flowers.

Mrs. Spencer conducted the games and contests, after which Miss Peggy Dunn entertained with several piano numbers. Mrs. Barbara McDonnell secured names for the brides book.

A lovely refreshment plate was served to the following guests: Mesdames Ralph Swinford, Earl Howard, Eugene Varner, Roy Hale, Betty Waggoner, Allen Johnson, Glen Prescott, Bee Bryant, Herbert Adams, J. W. Wright, W. E. Milam, Elvis Day, Johnny Wright, W. A. Brandon, Duke Owen, W. T. Jenne, A. J. Brooks, P. Rogers, Sam S. Spencer, J. D. Kennedy, S. B. Dunn, Lester Howard, A. L. Reid, Olen Bailey, P. S. Swinford, Mildred Hopkins, Barbara McDonnell, Sam Shaw, Imogene Welborn, Gene McNish, R. P. Brooks, Aubrey Grubbs, G. W. Varner, S. C. Polson, Lester Warren, Perry McDonnell, G. W. Sparks, Dawson Owen, T. C. Powell, J. H. Meyer, H. R. Monte and Luke Warren, and Mesdames Dorothy Warren, Metta Adams, Maxine Hale, LaQuita Milam, Freda Howard, Lila Monroe, Peggy Dunn, Frankie Kennedy, Jo Ann Jenne and Mary Jenne.

## Missionary Society Meets With Mrs. Rinefeldt June 6

The Grace Lutheran Missionary Society met on June 6 at the home of Mrs. Earl Rinefeldt for the regular business and social meeting.

Refreshments were served to the following members and visitors: Mesdames John Enderli, Arthur Evert, John Heins, H. A. Mills, Virgil Hills, Arthur Ramming, Louise Schriebe, G. B. Schroeder, Paul Schroeder, Sam Koegel, Fred Bunjes, Louise Lohofener, Buddie Boles, Fred Minick, Charlie Hemmie and the hostess.

Texas; and Mr. G. Edwards of McAllen, Texas.

Reception Immediately following the wedding, a reception was held at the home of the brides parents.

The party rooms were decorated with arrangements of pink and white gladiolus. A cloth of Normandy lace covered the attractively appointed refreshment table, which was centered with tiered wedding cake, topped by a beautifully decorated three-a miniature bride and groom. Mrs. Bee Bryant and Mrs. T. M. Clark of Iowa Park, alternated with duties of cutting and serving the cake. Mrs. J. W. Prescott of Pampa, Texas, presided at the punch bowl. Others assisting were: Mrs. Herbert Adams and Mrs. Glen Prescott. Mrs. Betty Barfield secured signatures for the guest book.

## Vivian White Trick Riding



Miss Vivian White of Nowata, Oklahoma, trick riding on her favorite paint pony. Miss White will perform at each rodeo show, in competition with a Texas girl, Miss Lucille Cowley of Midfield. In addition to trick riding they also ride saddle broncs.

## Mrs. Edward Bankhead Honoree For Shower

The First Baptist Church was the scene for a lovely shower given Friday night, June 1, in honor of Mrs. Edward L. Bankhead, the former Miss Mary Ellen Fields. Hostesses for the affair were: Mesdames Joe Adair, Northcott, Henry Ferguson, B. L. Turner, Sid Gamblin, R. P. Thornton, B. H. Preston, Fred Fawn, Durward Kemp, H. L. Lawson, J. B. Ady, S. B. Dunn, J. W. Miller, W. J. Justice, J. F. Kelley, Charles Kirsh, F. E. Cruce, H. W. Fowler, Avon Fields, B. O. Willis, Mattie Meyers, G. T. England, E. L. Taylor, Beulah Jackson, J. A. Franks, A. H. Lohofener, Jack Northcott, Wiley Browning, J. W. Outz, J. T. Deckard, L. E. Bundy, Betty Evans, John Shields, W. W. Palmer, Dot Busby, Delmer Lee Edwards and C. E. Jones, and Misses Betty Jean Turner, Betty Mills, Joyce Estes, Opal Gregg and Lillie Roark.

Lovely corsages were presented to the bride, her grandmother and her mother-in-law. Mrs. Bobbie Jean Kemp presided at the brides book. Lovely cut flowers decorated the room including the lace-covered table. Miss Ruthie Preston gave a clever reading and Miss Christine Suttles sang "Always." Little Joyce Louise Fields, sister of the honoree, presented the gifts by pulling a little red and white wagon to her laden with gifts.

Betty Mills, Betty Jean Turner and Mrs. Jack Northcott served

the dainty refreshments to the following: Mesdames Durward Kemp, Mildred Outz, B. H. Preston, J. H. Ferguson, G. T. England, B. L. Turner, Sid Gamblin, Jack Northcott, O. A. Meyer, E. L. Taylor, Beulah Jackson, Dot Busby, Al Lohofener, H. W. Fowler, Effie Burchel, O. J. Ensey, W. J. Stonecipher, Buddie Smith, Ivon Fields, Henry Magee, Mary Fields, Rene Miles, Tom Boyd, G. E. Chase, W. W. Chambers, Dux Lawson, M. E. Lewallen, W. R. Stokes, Avon Patterson, and Misses Joyce Louise Fields, Betty Jean Turner, Betty Mills, Naomi England, Ruthie Preston, Iva Jo Fields, Christine Suttles, Carol Lohofener, Ruth Carroll, Earline Reed and Margaret Chambers.

Those sending gifts but unable to attend were: Mesdames Laura Todd, C. B. Blair, Milton Archer, Carl Miller, Wendell Goins, Cecil Patterson, Mont Bowles, B. A. Landers, C. F. Johnson, John Brookman, Lee Garner, Ora Mabry, Ralph Davis, J. A. Suttles, I. D. Russell, Artie Whiteside, A. E. Harrison, James Johnson, Ailene Landrum, C. S. Polbert, E. W. Stevenson, Marie Hodges, A. L. Scott, Cliff Cannon, Buck Meyers, W. A. Beaver, A. R. Allen, J. W. Roach, Betty Key, S. A. King, Lee Willis, Minnie Todd, Roy Wilson, C. R. Chambers, A. R. Lassiter, Velma McDonald, Otis Stegall, Olena Kenneth, Floyd Landis, Soda Beldon, Nella Kemp, H. O. Smith, R. W. Kent, John Story, J. T. Brady, Stacy, Leon Pace, Ralph Brookshier, Walter Hewell, D. F. Douglas, F. G. Jeffers, O. G.

## Mrs. Sutterfield Hostess To Club

The Clara Home Demonstration club met Monday at the home of Mrs. H. M. Sutterfield, with Mrs. R. B. Chambers presiding. The meeting was opened by repeating the club prayer and motto and singing "Blest Be The Tie." Eleven members, including one new member, Mrs. E. J. Dobbins, answered to roll call.

Following a brief business session, Mrs. A. E. Morris gave a drill on parliamentary procedure. Mrs. Sutterfield gave a demonstration on making ice-box ice-cream. For recreation an Auction sale was held to raise funds for the club.

The next meeting will be June 24 at the home of Mrs. Durard Redman.

## Mrs. Richard Eldridge Honored With Shower

Mrs. Richard Eldridge, the former Miss Lou Ella Pemberton a recent bride, was honoree at a shower given Wednesday at the home of Mrs. H. M. Sutterfield.

Miss Monette Rogers gave a reading and a contest was conducted in which Mrs. Eldridge won the prize, an assortment of lovely gifts.

Hostess for the affair were: Mesdames C. B. Owens, L. A. Hodges, Lawson Gilger, George Hodges, C. Mullins, M. C. Chapman, G. L. Roberts, Clyde Peed, Henry Hodges, W. D. Rogers, Sy Parker, W. L. Ferguson, H. M. Sutterfield, W. M. Ferguson, H. T. Siles, L. B. Horr and Tom Key.

Other guests were Mesdames Herbert Adams, Dick Lennard, S. M. Butts, R. B. Chambers, G. E. Lynskey, Billie Browning, Glenda Willet, Mildred Hopkins, A. L. Reid, and Misses Monette Rogers, Wanda Rogers, Meta Adams, Janette Lynskey, Patsy Nell Sutterfield, and Lora Gene Lynskey.

Those sending gifts were Mesdames Bryant, Betty Barfield, Cannon, Hale, J. W. Roach, A. E. Morris, J. R. Nailor, Alma Lennard and Miss Carolyn Horr.

Refreshments of cake and punch were served.

Give another young man a chance. Ray Martin.

Editor and Mrs. Herman Brown and children of Cleburne were visiting relatives and friends here the past few days.

Burnett, G. C. Rankin, Leo Dudley, F. M. McMurtry, Dorothy Duke, M. E. Musick, C. C. Gilbert, Ray Mills, J. A. Thorpe, J. M. Pogue, H. R. Garrett, Neal Hall, E. E. Gibson, Hattie Smith, and Misses Joy Rankin, Janice Caffee, Virginia Allen, Crystall Waddell, Ramona Milford, Gertrude Reed, Mamie Browning, Ruby Hunt, Louise Banning, Margaret Ferguson, Ella Billingslea, Lola Mae Beckham, Billie Jo Stacy, Patsy Landes, Marginnell Chambers, Winnie Jean Johnson, Gwendolyn Turner, Lillie Roark, and Charlotte Sumeron.

## Burkburnett Couple United In Nuptials Performed Sunday

Miss Lola Hickey and Robert Laney, Jr., were united in marriage in a beautiful ceremony performed Sunday morning, June 9, at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. A. E. Harrison, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Burkburnett. The nuptial rites were read before friends and relatives.

The bride was lovely in a costume of navy blue crepe with white accessories and a carnation corsage. The bride and groom were attended by Miss Virginia Laney, sister of the groom, as maid of honor and Kenneth Tucker as best man.

Immediately following the wedding the couple departed for a trip to points in New Mexico and Colorado, after which they will return to Burkburnett to make their home.

Mrs. Laney is the daughter of Mrs. Jodie Metz of Burkburnett. She is a graduate of Walters High School and has attended a Business school in Wichita Falls.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Laney of Burkburnett and is a graduate of Burkburnett High School and Texas A & M College of Bryan. He is employed by Civil Service and is located at Sheppard Field.

## W. M. S. Meets Monday June 10

The W. M. S. of the First Baptist Church met Monday June 10. Mrs. Polson brought the Devotional on living up to our moral standards. Mrs. O. B. Wofford told of some of the conditions and habits that keep us from living up to these standards.

Mrs. Mowery conducted a quiz program on old Ministers' Relief and Retirement. Mrs. McMurtry presided over a short business session. It was voted to postpone our meeting next Monday because of Vacation Bible School, until the fourth Monday. All circles will meet together at the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson, and sons, Jessie Lynn and Charles Edward of Altamont, Ill., are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hewell.

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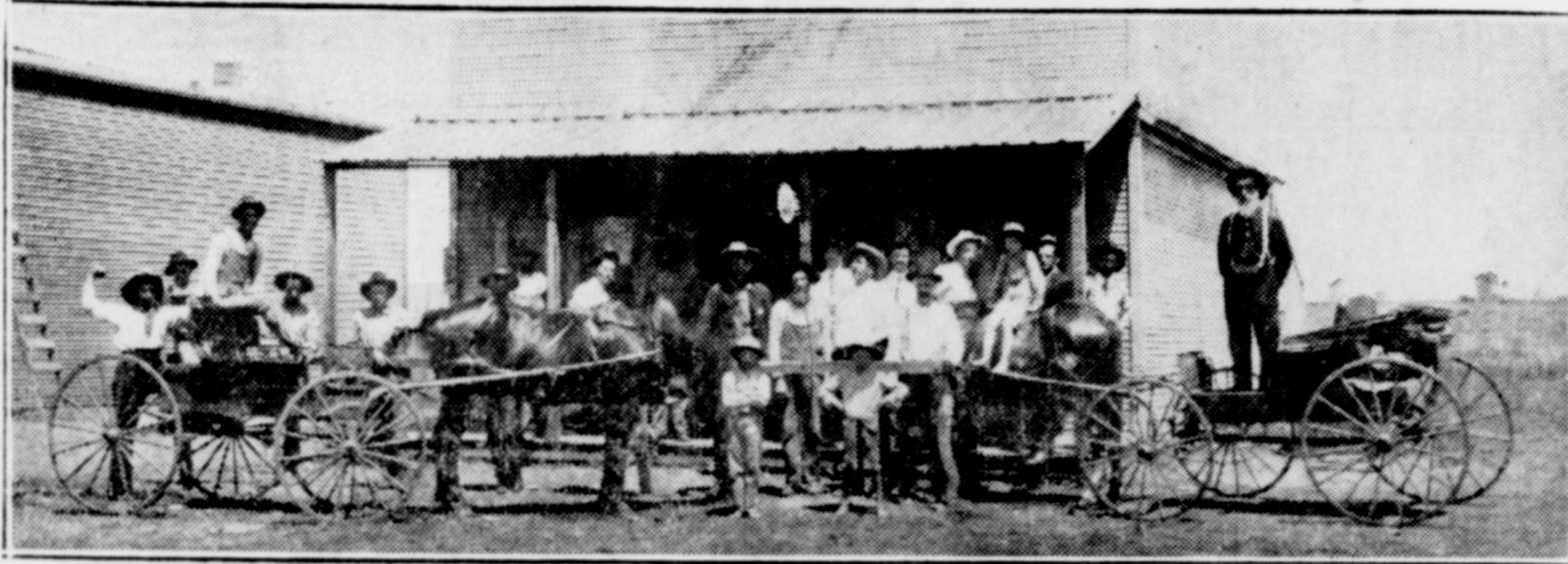
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## A Short History of Burk Burnett

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In the 60's wild cattle could be found roaming the prairies. D. P. McCracken settled in 1867. Only a few weeks later H. C. Askins, a friend of McCracken, joined the little colony, and developed into a tiny village.

Ten years after this permanent settlement two families moved into this section and they des-

tinued to exert a powerful influence in community affairs. E. Rexford and M. Dodson located near the same Gilbert of Nesterville Community.

More important was the growing influence of Burk Burnett, master of the ranches of this section. As the territory spread in the '80 he became more powerful. The Burnett ranch instituted two enterprises in this district. The first was a ranch house and a wild-horse stockade. This was established northwest of the present city.

The arrivals of the Hardin's house itself was a romantic adventure. It was built near the bluff of the Red River, and the first non-native tree, the Chinaberry was planted there.

In the summer of 1887, J. G.

Hardin and S. P. Hawkins came through the country on an inspection visit. Since that time the history of Burk Burnett has been closely parallel to the history of these families. After the inspection the two men returned to Johnson County and prepared for the move to this community. In 1890 A. J. Willis and his family moved here from Mt. Vernon, Ill., and located next to the Hardin home.

A few weeks later at Nesterville, George Darby established the first store. It became a post-office and Mr. Hardin bought the store and became the first postmaster. The Indians started trading here and found the white men so friendly they made this the center of their activity.

Nesterville Community was

where the cemetery is now located. For several years Nesterville appeared to be destined the center of population in the area. However, in the mind of Frank Kell of Wichita Falls was born an idea which changed the tendency. Kell bought the railroad into Oklahoma. As the "Big Pasture" opened there was a demand for transportation of farm products to the markets.

However, when time came to designate the stop in this area, the Gilbert or Nesterville was moved to the present location. The land was bought from Burk Burnett and his name was chosen for the name of our "Fair City" and no one has ever wanted it changed.

June 19, 1907, became the official birthday of the city.

## C. of C. Secretary



Ray Hill is the accommodating secretary of the Chamber of Commerce. "Major", as many know him, has been secretary for the past seven years. During rationing he made out applications for almost everything for all who came to him for assistance. During the tax season his office handles automobile and truck registration. He has been very active in helping servicemen and others find places to live in Burk Burnett.

No telling how many miles he has driven showing houses, apartments and rooms, and telephone calls by the hundreds. Mr. Hill was in the banking business here for 21 years prior to taking over the Chamber of Commerce work.

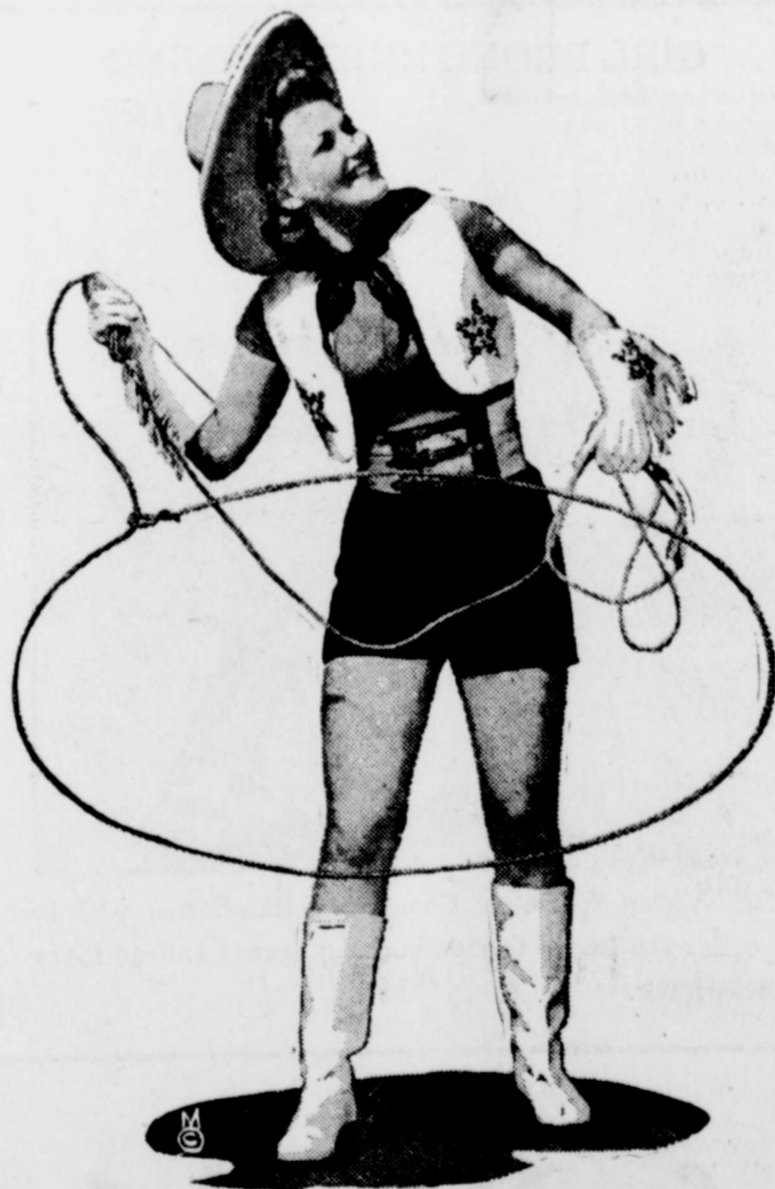
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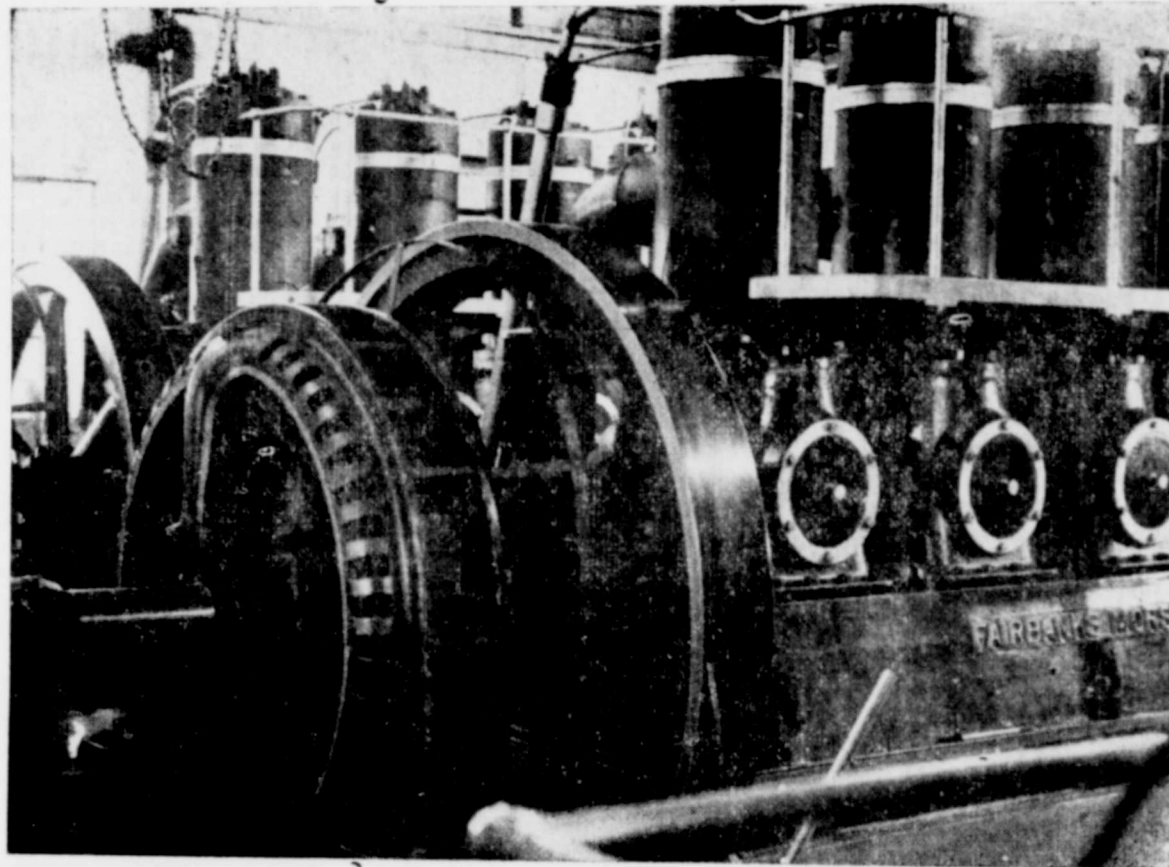
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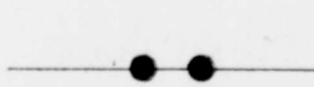


Miss Vivian White of Comanche, Oklahoma, will be here for the Rodeo to ride bucking broncs and do fancy trick riding.

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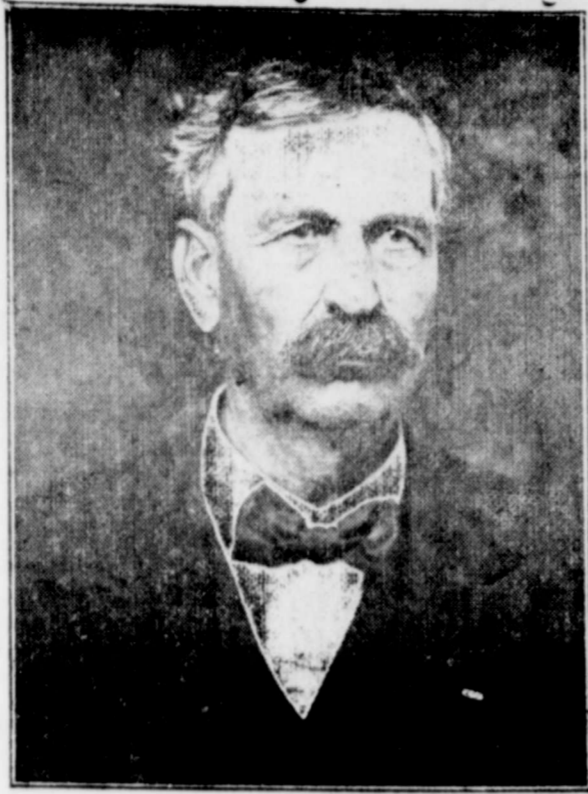
P. A. WIGGINS, CITY MANAGER

J. M. MATTHEWS ART CLASS



Fifty compositions by art pupils of Mrs. J. M. Matthews will be on exhibition at the City Hall during the Boom Town celebration, June 20. The subject matter will be varied and will include landscape, life and clay modeling. Mrs. Matthews will be reading at Harwells' and "Boom Town." Artists who will be represented reading from left to right are: Robert Thornton, Jimmy McDaniel, Bill Hullum, Norman Dodson, Kay Morrison, Bettjean Harrison, Mary Johnson, Thomas May, Trent Turpin, James Hicks, Peggy. Back row: Mrs. Chester Howard, Peggy, Mrs. J. M. Matthews, Mrs. Fred Minick, and Mrs. McKinnis. Not in the picture but taking part in the exhibition are: Thompson, David Reed, Bowden Mabin.

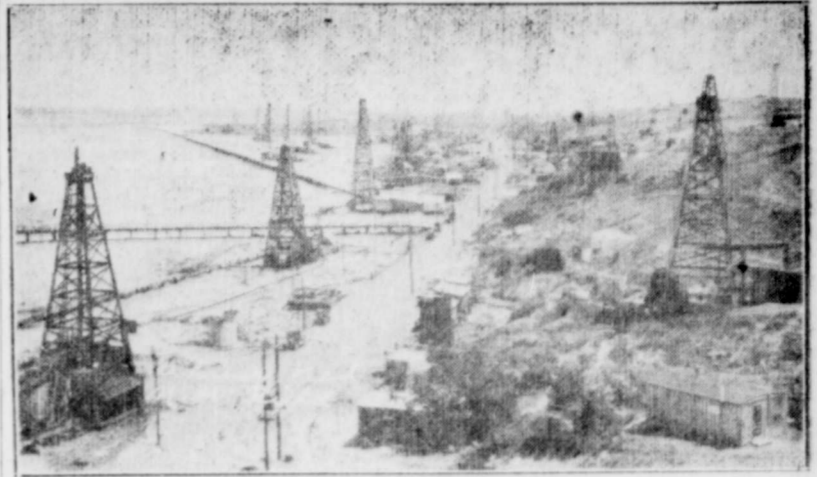
Uncle Tom Defends Boom Day Records



Uncle Tom Griffin, Burkburnett's first city marshal, fire chief, water plant manager and one of its first citizens was born in North Alabama near Athens and came to Texas to settle near Farmersville. When Burkburnett was officially started, Griffin came here to start with the new community. He was police chief during the hectic booms and he vowed that there was less criminality in Burkburnett and area during the insane boom days than before and after that period. He stoutly maintained that he and his 24 deputies kept better order than has been kept since that time. The evils of that period were greatly exaggerated, according to Uncle Tom and he persisted in proving that the town that was described as wide open was really milder than a lamb. The former chief of police retired soon after the boom days, and became actively interested in the real estate business here. Throughout the boom Griffin maintained a force of at least 10 deputies, and the average was 15 assistants, but according to the veteran policeman there was actually less trouble and the romantic tales are grossly exaggerated. Uncle Tom died December 7, 1939.

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Friday Morning  
At 10 o'Clock

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Bird of Strong, Arkansas, and Mrs. B. E. Tucker of Monroe, La., left Saturday after spending a week with Mrs. J. L. Welch.

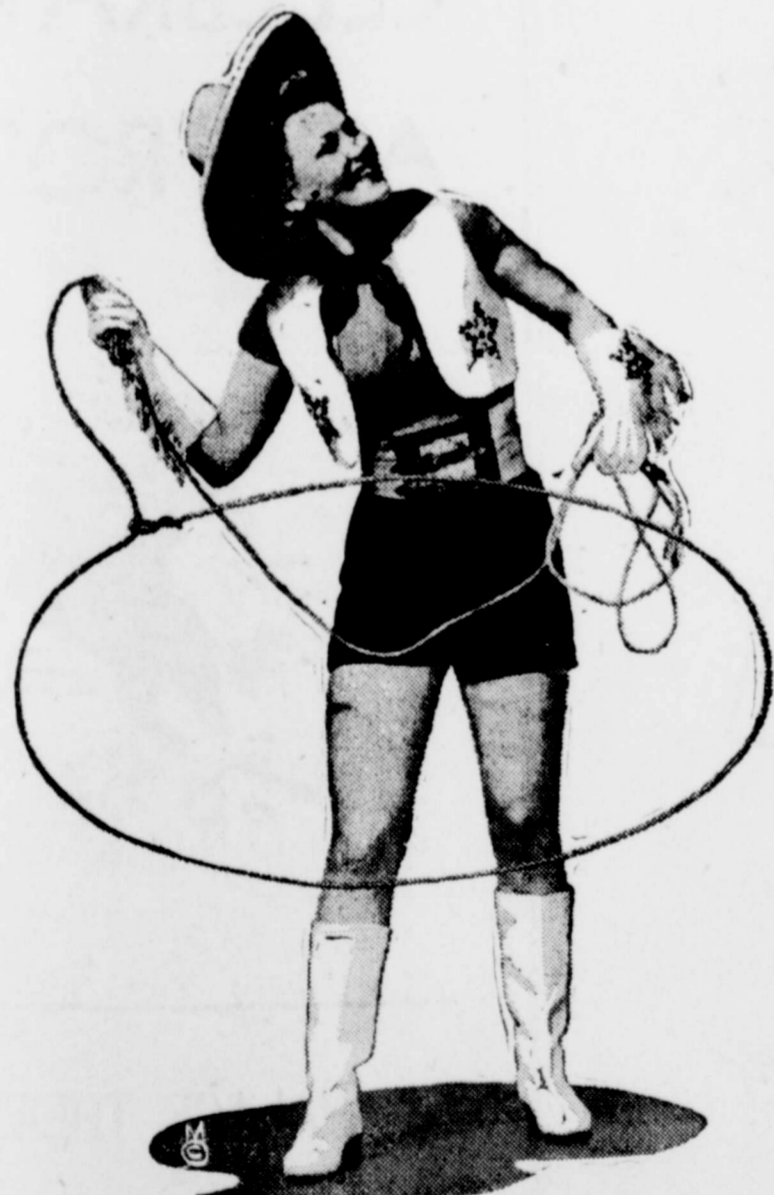
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## Melton Home Scene Of Tacky Party Thursday Evening

Mrs. Maxine Melton Inlow, entertained the Jr. Youths fellowship class of the First Methodist Church with a Tacky Party in her home on Magnolia St. Thursday evening, June 6. Mrs. Inlow is sponsor of the group. The diversion of the evening was playing various games on the lawn and prizes were awarded the "Tackiest" present. Earl Wayne Mills won the prize for the tackiest boy, while Cherry Lynn Kolter placed first for the tackiest girl. Very much in the spot light, but not qualified for a prize, was little Pat Kay, daughter of Mrs. Inlow, who was dressed up in her tackiest best for the occasion.

Refreshments were served to Ida Mae Wright, Pearl Gracey, Grace Reiver, Francis Buchanan, Claudia Kilpatrick, Cherry Lynn Kolter, Mary Jeter, Marilyn Felty, Dana Riddles, Earl Wayne Mills, Mike Harms, F. T. and Jay Felty, and James Hicks.

## Home Builders Have Monthly Meeting

The Home Builders class of the First Methodist Church met for their regular monthly meeting in the home of Mrs. J. M. Patterson, Wednesday June 5, with Mrs. Lowery as co-hostess. Mrs. Bertha Cropper presided over the meeting and Mrs. Gee brought the devotional.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames Cropper, Gee, Vance, Riddles, Urban, Henson, Sumrow, Westbrook, Roberts, Hoffman, Simpson, Gilbert, Gloger, Tucker, Knauth, Lawler, Louis, Patterson, Lowery, Browning, Bruce and two visitors, Rev. and Mrs. Minga.

John Rigby, Jr., of Dallas spent the week-end at home visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rigby.

## "Coke" Party Honors Out Of Town Guests

Mrs. J. L. Welch entertained with a coke party at her home on E. 2nd, Wednesday afternoon, honoring a sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bird of Strong, Arkansas and another sister, Mrs. B. E. Tucker of Monroe, La.

Lovely refreshments were served to Rev. and Mrs. T. Herbert Minga, Mesdames I. E. Harwell, Harold VanLoh, J. H. Brumley, Ray Hill, C. C. Gilbert, P. A. Wiggins, Alvin Hill, Paul Browning and O. E. Melton and Mrs. J. H. Rigby.

## Little Billie Ann Goodwin Honored On 2nd Birthday

A party was given Wednesday June 5, honoring Billie Ann Goodwin on her second birthday at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Pruett.

Lovely gifts were received and presented Billie Ann by her mother, Mrs. R. B. Swinford, after which the guests were invited in the dining room while Billie Ann blew out the candles on her cake.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the following: Kenneth Lee Ensey, Iris Jeanette Waggoner, Glenda Kay Grubbs, Barbara McDowell, Olen Bailey, Jr., Linda Bailey, Teddy McDowell and the honoree, Billie Ann Goodwin. Favors were pink baskets of candy.

Mrs. P. B. McCreary of Bellview and C. B. Nolen and family of Freeport are visiting this week with the Jack Alexanders.

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## Bride-Elect Named Honoree At Shower

One of the most colorful of the season's showers was the one given Tuesday evening, June 4, complimentary to Miss Jane Duvall, bride-elect of Jack Cagle. The courtesy was extended by Mesdames A. C. Reeves, Clyde Peed, Luther Knight, H. L. Martin, W. L. Hamilton, Ray Stimpson, Sid Gamblin, O. E. Melton, B. Cropper, Joe Majors, Jack Northcott, H. C. Gilbert, Ray Mills, Ed Kemp, Harry Martin, Jerry Donaldson, John Brookman, J. M. Pogue, S. S. Reger, I. D. Russell, B. Danforth, T. A. Banning, F. E. Cruce, H. R. Garrett, J. W. Roach, J. L. Caffee, L. O. Campbell, George Henderson, R. H. Henry, J. H. Ferguson, J. L. Bills, Jr., C. R. Chambers, Misses Emma Tom Yeary, Peggy Dot Busby, Mary Reeves and Marginnell Chambers.

The shower was given at the home of Mrs. A. C. Reeves. The home was beautifully decorated with gorgeous arrangements of daisies, gladiolas, lillies and roses.

When the guests were assembled, the honoree, her mother, Mrs. W. S. Duvall, and the mother of the groom-to-be, Mrs. M. A. Cagle, arrived and were greeted by Miss Mary Reeves and Miss Marginnell Chambers. The honoree and the mothers were each presented with lovely corsages from the hostesses. Miss Emma Tom Yeary presided at the guest book and Mrs. J. L. Bills, Jr., at the punch bowl, assisted by Mrs. Jerry Donaldson of Wichita Falls.

For entertainment, Mrs. T. H. Minga gave a very clever reading titled "How to Manage a Husband" and also Miss Peggy Dot Busby gave a reading which was a poem written especially for the honoree. This was followed by the presentation of the many lovely gifts to the bride-elect. The hostess's gift was the china chosen by the honoree.

Those present were Mesdames: W. A. Quinn, Barney Loring, Charles Hall, W. W. Chambers, Paul Browning, F. L. Pilkerton, T. H. Minga, V. L. Duvall, Vance Lenz, Ray Noland, A. P. Yeary, Bill Bowman, I. D. Russell, Al Lohofener, James Bohner, L. E. Anderson, Ralph Brookshier, Jr., Stacy Jenkins, Maggie Lewis, C. R. Mowery, Clyde Peed, Luther Knight, H. L. Martin, C. E. Martin, Ray Stimpson, Sid Gamblin, O. E. Melton, B. Cropper, Jack Northcott, H. C. Gilbert, Ed Kemp, Harry Martin, A. C. Reeves, Jerry Donaldson, John Brookman, W. S. Duvall, J. M. Pogue, B. Danforth, M. A. Cagle, T. A. Banning, F. E. Cruce, H. R. Garrett, J. W. Roach, J. L. Caffee, L. O. Campbell, George Henderson, J. L. Bills, Jr., C. R. Chambers, Misses Marginnell Chambers, Mary Reeves, Eileen Butcher, Peggy Parker, Betty Parker, Janice Fultz, Peggy Dot Busby, Emma Tom Yeary, Claude Mae Jenkins.

Those not present but sending gifts were Mesdames M. C. Tucker, L. A. Stevenson, Ralph White, George D. Scruggs, Ben McDunald, W. M. Green, P. A. Wiggins, I. E. Harwell, J. H. Brumley, J. N. Hicks, W. A. Roberts, Ralph Brookshier, Sr., F. M. McMurtry, Tom Boyd, Dick Hall, Mattie Long, C. W. Boyd, Beva Wright, Beulah Jackson, Maxine Inlow, G. W. Fleming, A. R. Allen, D. A. Westbrook, Ray Hill, J. E. Mills, D. M. Morris, E. E. Johnson, H. R. Hayes, P. A. Johnson, J. L. Welch, A. E. Bunshine, Ima Kirkvold, Addie McCreary, Claude Bowman, O. R. Wood, M. W. Majors, Buddy Smith, L. W. Chrestman, Buck Myers, Bessie Shaffer, Artie Whitehead, W. P. Boydston, Blake Brownning, Lou Cashwheeler, Bill Cauthorn, W. Browning, C. E. Robertson, M. E. Prinzing, C. O. Walling, Keta Fudge, Ralph Winkle, C. C. Gilbert, Floyd Landis, E. H. Preston, Howard Henderson, J. M. Patterson, Edwin Haller, Grady Starr, Carl Morrison, Casey Logan, Harry Elliott, Henry Prinzing, R. P. Thaxton, Russell Duvall, Tom Duvall, R. D. Laney, O. C. Wills, W. L. Hamilton, Joe Majors, Ray Mills, S. S. Reger, R. H. Henry, J. H. Ferguson, Amos Mizell, Hugh Preston, F. J. Planchar, Billie Smith, Harry Cagle, H. B. Cagle, Eldon Morris, N. A. McCosh, Floyd Parker, Paul Lovelace, Jess Ashton, Misses Bettye Mills, Ella Billingslea, Gracie Bell Jones, Ila Frances Prinzing, Grace Preston, Joyce Estes, Virginia Laney, Kathryn Curd.

Weldon Minick Shipfitter 3/e received his discharge from the Navy Saturday and has returned home. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Minick of Burk. Weldon has served over two years, part of that time was spent in the Pacific Theatre.

## Marriage Revealed



Announcement has been made of the marriage of Peggy A. Goodwin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Pruitt and Robert B. Swinford, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Swinford, both of the Cash-ion community.

The nuptial vows were performed Saturday, March 23 in Vernon, Texas, by Rev. Walter V. O'Kelley, pastor of the Methodist church of Vernon. Following the ceremony, the couple took a short trip to Carlsbad Cavern and Old Mexico, after which they established residence near Burkburnett.

## Music Pupils To Carry Out Flag Day Theme

The music pupils of Mrs. M. E. Lewallen will be presented in a Recital at the First Baptist Church, Friday, June 14 at 8:15 p. m. Friday being Flag Day, each pupil will carry a flag representing the country of the composer of their selection.

Everyone is cordially invited to come and bring your friends. Mr. E. P. (Dick) Hall was in Detroit last week attending the Automobile Golden Jubilee.

## Couple United In Simple Rites

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Scarbrough 509 E. 3rd, announce the marriage of their daughter, Alice Jane, to George D. Scruggs of this city.

The nuptial rites were performed in Archer City, at the Methodist Parsonage, May 22 at 8:00 p. m., with Rev. Fred Adams, pastor of the church officiating.

The bride wore an aqua blue suit with white accessories and a corsage of red roses.

The event was a single ring ceremony at a double wedding with Mr. and Mrs. Norman C. Duke, also of this city.

Mrs. Scruggs was a graduate of the local high school in '46. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Scruggs, Sr., and is a graduate of Texas A. & M. He has recently been discharged from the service.

The couple is temporarily at home with the groom's parents.

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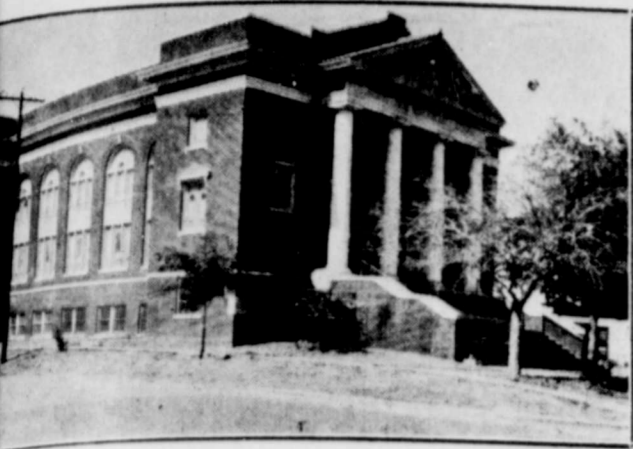


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FIFTY-EIGHT BURKBURNETT OIL COMPANIES PAY OUT \$3,630,500 DIV.

(Burkburnett Star clipping April 1919.)  
Dividends totalling \$3,630,500 have been paid by 58 companies operating at Burkburnett, according to data compiled by Everett Hughes, who has recently issued the Burkburnett Directory and Oil Company Guide, a very comprehensive information source. Mr. Hughes has also worked out a table showing the capital stock, and per cent paid by each of those companies to April 4. This table follows. The (x) by a company's name indicates that it is not a stock company, and the amount of capital given represents the investment made by the owners. The capital stock represents the investment made by the owners. The capital stock represents thousands.

Company	Capital	Per Stock	Cent Paid
B. C. Oil	\$18	10	
Bearman	15	50	
Big Hit	40	100	
Big Pools	30	150	
Big Three	40	100	
Block 36	15	300	
Brown No. 1	18	150	
Brown No. 2	40	75	
Burk - Vernon	45	25	
Burk - Wich	35	50	
Call - Slater	30	20	
Canada	50	50	
Citizens	30	200	
Columbia	20	275	
Couch - Winfrey	30	175	
Electra - Burk	40	40	
Findley - Leech	150	10	
Ford - McConkey	32	50	
Ginsite	40	50	
Goodloe - Kennedy	30	100	
Great Dome	30	75	
Green River	30	175	
Gusher	25	71-2	
Hammond No. 1 x	30	309	
Hammond No. 2 x	25	200	
Hearn No. 1	35	50	
Horne x	50	500	
K. A. P.	30	100	
Kirby	30	75	
Liberty Oil	30	45	
Lucky "7"	35	25	
McGee	30	100	
Mann - McPhail	40	20	
Mann - Naber	35	20	
Marine	200	500	
Morris	35	50	
O'Boy	30	35	
Perry Browning	50	150	
Russell - Sanderson	50	100	
Sextette	35	60	
Scruggs - Ardis	35	50	
Shepard - Corney	18	40	

Staley - Mashburn	35	100
Staley - Willis	35	153
Sunbeam No. 1	50	10
Sunflower	40	25
Southside	14	40
Thompson Oil	45	33
Thrift No. 1	50	15
Victory Petroleum	50	100
Vindicator	18	225
Wade Oil No. 1	60	65
Walker et al x	30	125
Wichita Fuel	120	300
Wichita Oil & Gas	40	50
Wichita Petroleum	70	20
Wichita Southern	35	100

Methodist Church  
T. HERBERT MINGA, Pastor

Sunday School, 9:45.  
Morning Worship, 11.  
Sermon by the Pastor  
Afternoon Service, 3 p. m.  
Sermon by Rev. L. F. Jones, Jr. Youth Fellowship, 7 p. m.  
Evening Worship, 8 p. m.  
Youth Fellowship, 9 p. m.  
Wednesday—  
Choir Practice, 7:30.  
Cottage Prayer Meeting, 8:30  
This service will be held at the home of Mr. O. V. Thompson.  
The children of our Vacation Bible School will give a program Sunday evening at eight o'clock.  
We enrolled 103 in our school this year. Come out Sunday evening and show the children and the workers your appreciation for them.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express through the medium of the Star our sincere appreciation to our neighbors and other friends who have been so thoughtful and kind to us and to Mr. Moreman during his illness. Especially do we wish to thank the Men's Bible class and the Home Builders Class of the First Methodist Church for the beautiful flowers and their expressions of sympathy in our trouble.  
Mrs. C. A. Moreman,  
S. J. Moreman and family,  
Gracie Bell Jones, 46-1tp.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brookshier  
Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Johnson and  
Mrs. Virginia McConnell attended the 4th Division Convention of the American Legion Auxiliary in Fort Worth, Saturday and Sunday.

First Baptist Church

Sunday School, 9:45.  
Preaching Services, 11.  
Training Union, 7.  
Preaching Services, 8.  
Vacation Bible School, 1:30 p. m. Monday.

Our attendance was not quite up to par last Sunday, maybe because of the harvest. Yet we had a good crowd for the preaching services.

We hope that our Sunday School will not fall off in attendance during the month of June—we should really pick up the rest of the Sundays.

Vacation Bible School, well attended, 115 present the second day, which runs the enrollment close to 125.

Because of two conflicts we are having just one week this year. Sunday night we will have our commencement. We will have our regular opening, but no program except the presenting of certificates by the different departments. The pastor will bring a message. Then an opportunity will be given to see the hand work which will be on display in the basement.

The adult training union will meet in the main auditorium at 7:30—Not in the basement.

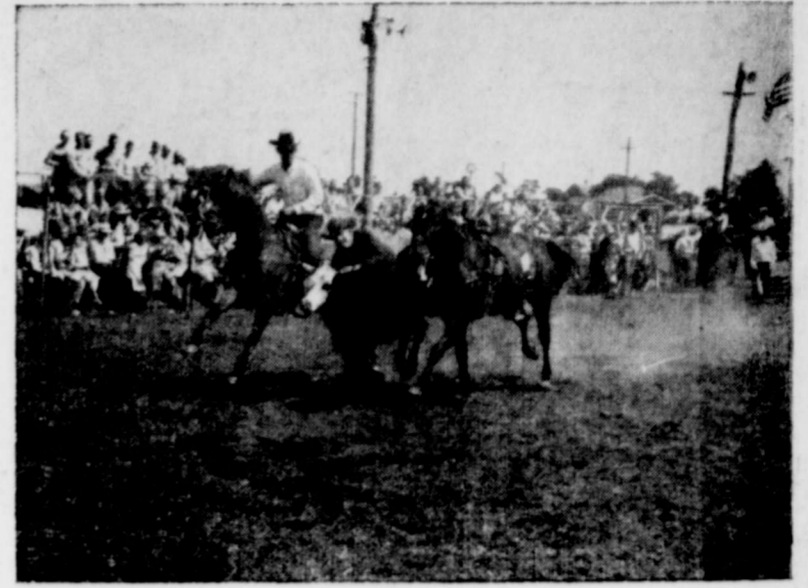
Welcome to the entire public for this service.

Pastor.

Rev. A. E. Harrison is leaving next Monday for Corsicana where he will be in a two weeks' revival.

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Bulldogging Offers Many Thrills



Never a dull moment when the bulldogging starts. Steer wrestling is one of the most dangerous rodeo contests. Barney Folsom of Comanche, Okla., is hazing for Melvin Cox, bulldogger, also of Comanche. Cox has just left his horse and has the steer by the horns. The hazer keeps the steer running straight down the arena, which takes a horse that is not afraid, also one that has plenty of speed.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Harms and sons, Desmond and Mike left Sunday for Seattle, Washington to visit Captain Tommy Harms and family.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Clayton and her brother, Ben Walstrom of Miller, Kansas, returned last Sunday from San Antonio and points in Old Mexico.

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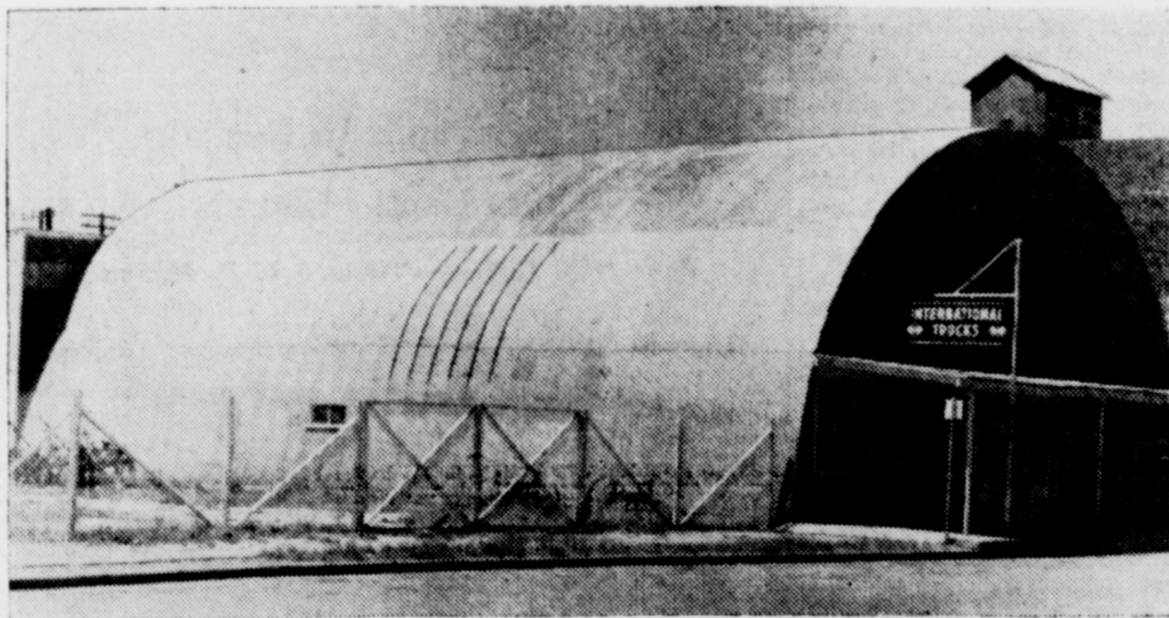
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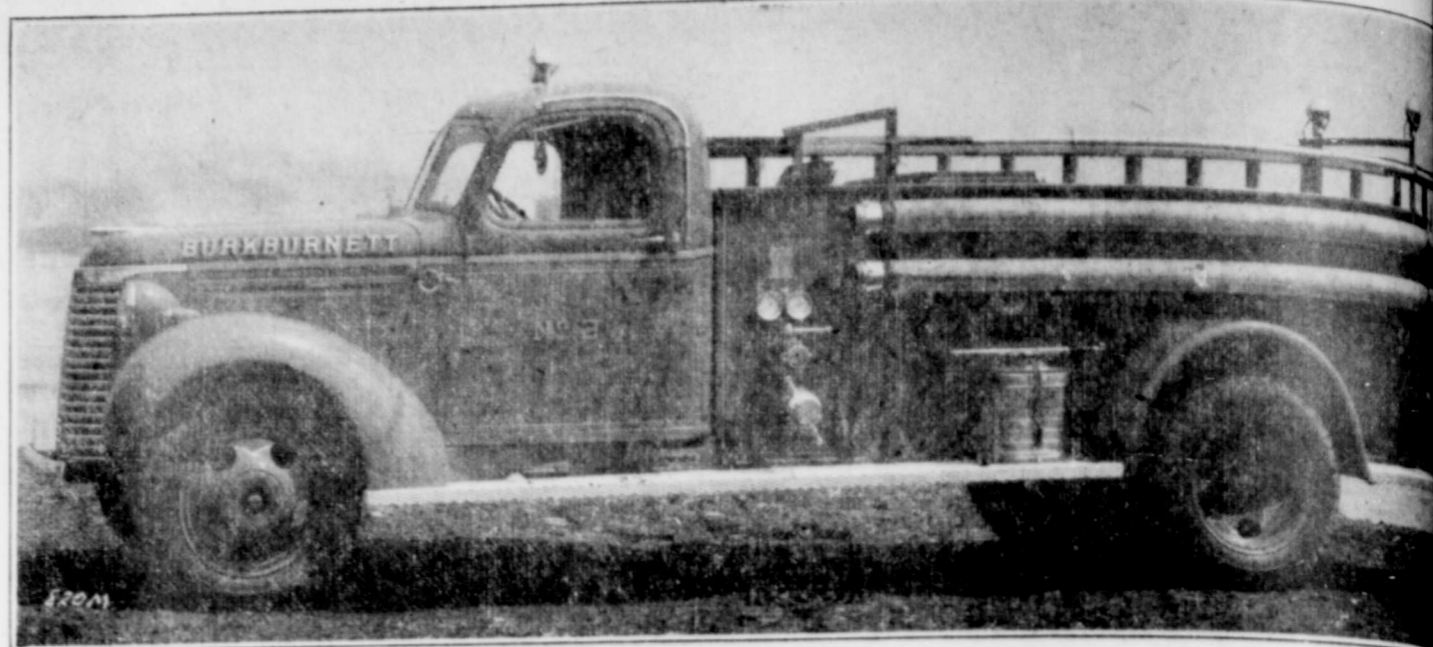
**MATURE--** 41 years old when he took office. Married and has 2 children.

**EXPERIENCED--** Served 4 years as assistant County Attorney. Now serving first term as County Attorney.

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Preventing "pox" and "laryngo" is a simple enough matter. The weapon — vaccination.

Fowl Pox

Fowl pox is carried by a great number of agents, among them mosquitoes and other birds. It can be identified by the scabs which form on the wattles, comb and about the face of the infected bird, in which form it is known as dry pox. Another form of the disease is wet pox which appears in the mouth in the form of cankers.

If your flocks have a history of fowl pox, if other flocks in your immediate vicinity are infected, if birds which might carry infection are introduced into the flock — if any one of these situations fits your case, then vaccinate.

Fowl Laryngotracheitis

Fowl laryngotracheitis is not as common as fowl pox, but it is one of the most spectacular of all poultry ailments. It is characterized by gasping, with the neck outstretched, choking, wheezing and the throwing of blood. Its spread is rapid. You should vaccinate all uninfected flocks on the farm as soon as the disease appears in one pen, if your flocks have a history of laryngotracheitis, if other flocks in your vicinity have the disease or if birds which might be carriers are introduced into the flock.

Vaccines are available which provide almost 100 per cent protection against these two diseases. For best results the vaccines should be used at between 6 and 12 weeks of age for either disease. The advantages of early vaccination are apparent. It provides protection at the period when chicks are most susceptible to disease.

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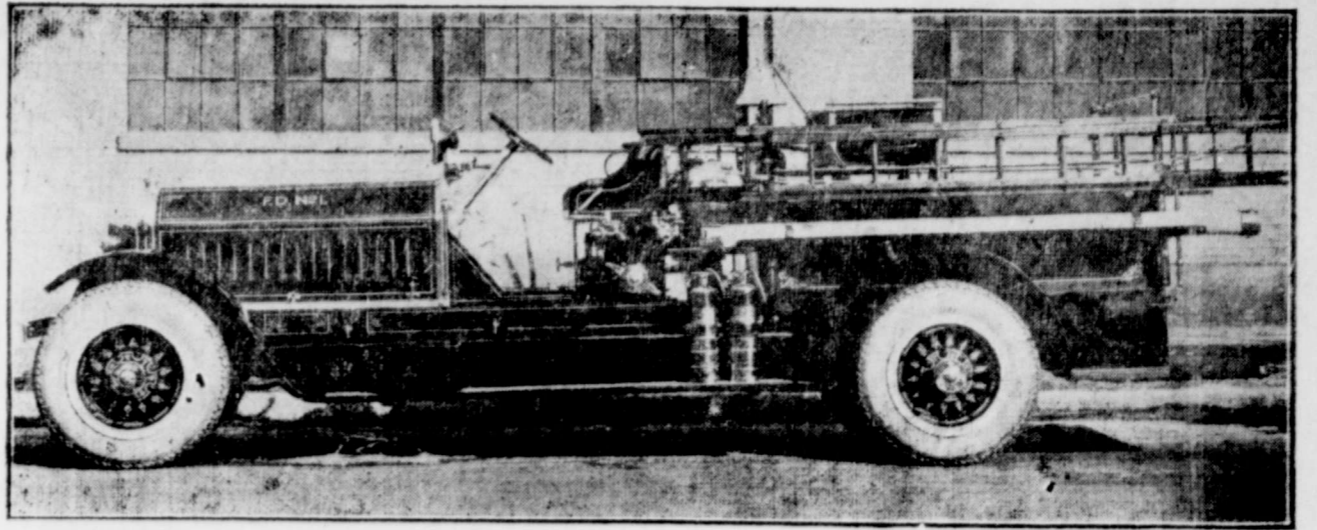
Father of two children, he was elected to the Senate to volunteer in World War II, served overseas and now asks promotion to the rank of Lieutenant Governor, which he is qualified, based on his service and experience. Ad-Allan Shivers, Port Aransas, Texas. 42-4tp.

To Be At Burkburnett Rodeo



Calgary Red of Cody, Wyoming, fancy trick rope artist, will strut his stuff at the Burkburnett Rodeo June 20, 21 and 22. Above picture shows him performing one of the many stunts he will do here at each rodeo show. There will be four complete shows, Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights, also Saturday afternoon. Rodeo will be held at Bull Dog Football Stadium.

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## Masonic District Association Has Monthly Meeting

The 88th Masonic District Association, reorganized last month held its first regular monthly meeting Wednesday night, June 5 as guest of Faith Lodge, Wichita Falls, with 90 Master Masons present.

In the absence of Brother R. R. Brubaker, President, A. B. Latimer, Vice-President, Electra, presided. After conducting the business of the Lodge, Bro. Latimer called on Ray Martin, Secretary-treasurer, to introduce the guest speaker, Senator George Moffett. Senator Moffett is well known in Masonic circles and holds the honor of being past Worshipful Master of his own lodge, past District Deputy Grand Master, past Tyler of the Grand Lodge and is now serving on the Grand Lodge committee on Masonic service and education. Senator Moffett gave a forceful speech on the principal tenets of the Masonic order.

Seventeen Masonic lodges were represented at the meeting. In addition to the nine Blue lodges in this district, there were representatives from lodges in San Antonio, Pampa, Garson, Odessa, Tennessee, Los Angeles, California, and Hugo, Oklahoma.

The next regular meeting of the Association will be held Friday, July 5th, 1946 at Dundee Lodge No. 994, located in Holliday, Texas.

Mrs. W. N. Moore left Wednesday for Los Angeles, to make her home with her son, A. A. Moore.

Mrs. H. S. VanCleave and Oma have returned home after an extended visit with relatives in Ft. Worth Waxahachie and Louisiana.

## Ladies Of The Auxiliary

Do you want your American Legion Auxiliary to throw up its hands and say "Oh Well—now that the war is over why should I be patriotic?" Do you really want this?

That is the attitude being taken in this little city of Burkburnett. I'm sure many of you who pay your dues do not fully realize the worth of an Auxiliary. This I can tell you, the Burkburnett Auxiliary alone, donates money each year to the Xmas Fun for Veterans of World War I and War II; donates to the veterans hospitals, sells poppies twice a year in order that wounded veterans may have a way of occupying their time and earning a little money to call their own and also in memory of our beloved War dead, Child Welfare is provided by the Auxiliary for children of veterans who are needy. If you will stop to realize that if Burkburnett alone with its five or six active members does this and more, then add it as one in the many many cities of our U. S. A. who also give for the same cause. It is my earnest plea that you will try to realize why we need your help desperately. If we can do this with five or six active members just think what could be done with a full quota of our 62 paid members.

If you are a member of the Auxiliary you know that you are in this organization because of the service in the military forces of some one of your family, it is your duty to carry on this work. Had your loved ones come back maimed for life, perhaps your interest in helping him and others would be greater, but perhaps the war did not touch your home except for taking him away from home for a year or so, in this case it may be hard for you to realize what it really means to have one crippled or perhaps one who lies over there in Flanders Field.

Ladies, I am asking you to read this article carefully and when we have our next meeting, will you please put the Auxiliary at the head of your list of THINGS I MUST DO. This Auxiliary has held on through this year with just a few in attendance, not even enough to have a regular drill team which is necessary

in any organization of this kind. The next time you receive a card inviting you to Auxiliary, I don't believe you will find you have wasted your time if you stop to remember our boys who gave their all for this Peace we are enjoying, and now that their war is over, but our's is just beginning.

## Johnny Wight Quits Coaching

John A. Wight, graduate of Tulane University, and former Burkburnett Coach, has given up coaching and will devote his time to recreation work for boys, according to a clipping from a New Orleans newspaper.

After school was out here this year Mr. and Mrs. Wight went to New Orleans for a visit, and from there to Honey Creek Ranch, Reagan Wells, Texas, where he is program director. The Ranch can accommodate 60 boys and is booked up solid for June.

Mr. Wight had experience in this type of work at Fort Worth and Port Arthur, and states it is a wonderful weapon to combat juvenile delinquency.

Miss Maurine Goodwin is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Goodwin, before being transferred to Corpus Christi. Miss Goodwin has been employed in Seattle, Washington, the past two years.

Raymond Edison Johnson Y2/c received his discharge from the Navy at the Norman Separation center, June 1. He had spent 18 months in the Pacific theatre.

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Mrs. Fred Downs and Freddie left Wednesday for Lamesa for a visit.  
Mrs. R. D. Smith, left Thursday for Henderson, Texas, after visiting with her parents. Mrs. Smith is the former Miss Wanda Ensey.  
Gilbert Jones of Denton, and Floyd Jones, Wichita Falls, spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dodson.  
R. W. Cummings has returned to his home in Ventura, California, after a weeks visit with his sister, Mrs. George Ferguson.

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**Demo Club  
Dances To Midway  
Friday**

Members of the Midway Home Demonstration Club were guests at a party given at the home of Mrs. Verna Maney and Reva Redman on Friday afternoon. The party was given in honor of the club's first anniversary. The program consisted of a musical number by the club, a play, and a game. The club was organized in 1945 and has since that time been active in promoting the Midway Home. The club's first dance was held on Friday, June 13, 1946.

**Refreshments of cake and ice cream were served to Mesdames James Rodawalt, J. G. Cheney, W. E. Beck, W. H. Rowe, J. M. Knight, I. F. Stanford, W. A. McClure, D. A. McDaniel, E. E. Welborn, Carvel Good, Carl Vestal, Frank Butler, S. M. Butts, Felix Myers, G. W. Pemberton, R. B. Chambers, Glen Lynskey, D. Redman, M. C. Chapman, H. M. Sutterfield, A. E. Morris, Misses Reva Green, Verna Maney, Mary Joyce Butts, and Mr. Don Francisco and Tex Maney.**

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**Children Enjoy  
Theatre Party**

Joe Bill Dodson was honored on the occasion of his eleventh birthday, Tuesday June 11, with a party at his home on Magnolia street.

After the guests had gathered they went in a group to the Theatre. Following the show, they returned to the Dodson home where Joe Bill was presented with his gifts and blew out the candles on his cake, which was a lovely white creation decorated with sweet peas, and bore the inscription "Happy Birthday Joe Bill."

Cake and punch were served to the following guest: Mike and Tommy Simpler, Gad Garland, Shirley Smith, Pat Kay Inlow, Jon Hy Bear and Joe Bill.

**W. S. C. S. Has  
Mission Study**

The W. S. C. S. met at the First Methodist Church Monday for Missionary study. Mrs. Ray Hill presided in the absence of the president, Mrs. J. L. Caffee.

Following the singing of the Missionary Hymn, by the group, Mrs. Henry Prinzing led in prayer. Mrs. M. W. Majors, Supt. of Mission Study gave the devotional and also gave the Missionary lesson from the 4th chapter of our study on Africa.

There were 24 members and one visitor present.

We regret to lose our reporter, Mrs. H. E. Aarly, who is leaving for her former home in Columbus, Ohio. We appreciated her services while she was with us and our thoughts and best wishes go with her. She was presented a small love gift from Circle No. 1 of which she was a long time member.

**Christian Church**

William H. Bradley of Dallas will preach at the Central Christian Church Sunday for both the morning and evening services. All members are urged to be present to hear this young man. The public is also invited to hear his messages.

9:45 A. M. Sunday School.  
11 A. M. Communion and Worship service.

7:30 P. M. Evening Service.  
Wednesday evening at 7:30, the ladies meet with Mrs. J. H. Cecil.

Give another young man a chance. Ray Martin.

Poodle Hudson received word this week from Oildale, Calif., that his brother's wife, Mrs. T. J. Hudson, was killed last Saturday in an auto accident. She had gone after her husband who is a driller, and on the way home a car hit them from a side road. Interment was at Oildale.

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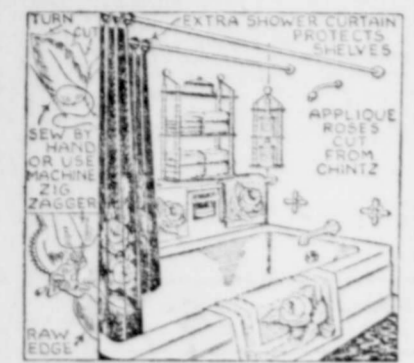


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In lengthening your daughter's dresses, sometimes a ridge appears where the old hem used to be. To conceal this, follow the line of the ridge with a row of rickrack braid.

Heat or water rings on a tabletop sometimes are only in the surface wax and may be removed with a little polishing.

Plan a "play at home" night each week with games, music, stunts, story-telling and candy pulling besides.

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS Weigh President's Political Fate After Labor Crisis; U. S. Agrees To Aid French Reconstruction

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WASHINGTON SCENE—In top panel, General Eisenhower (left), and Admiral Nimitz (center), ask for Pan-American defense in testimony before house military committee presided over by Representative Bloom (Dem., N. Y.), at right. In lower picture, Treasury Secretary Vinson (left), watches Secretary of State Byrnes sign French loan agreement as Ambassador Bonnet and Leon Eium of France also look on.

WHITE HOUSE: President's Status

Amid the welter of reconversion difficulties, climaxed by the great railroad and coal strikes, the political status of Harry S. Truman, 32nd president of the U. S., remained clouded.

Inheriting a thankless task from the late Franklin D. Roosevelt, the one-time Missouri farm boy, whom A. F. Whitney of the Railroad Trainmen lashed as a "political accident," seemed to have reached a crisis in his public life in the railroad strike.

An avalanche of telegrams from average Americans commending him for his courageous action in the railroad strike were partly offset by the bitter denunciations of the Railroad Trainmen's chief.



Members of White House secretarial staff pore over flood of telegrams complimenting President Truman on strike action.

ive Engineers into believing that they could expect substantial concessions if they postponed their walkout, Whitney said they had been double-crossed and 2 1/2 million dollars would be spent in trying to defeat Mr. Truman in 1948.

Linked with the breaking of the railroad strike was the passage of restrictive labor legislation which tended to further complicate Mr. Truman's position.

Meanwhile, settlement of the soft coal strike on terms favorable to the United Mine Workers promised to increase the prestige of John L. Lewis, whose clever handling of the walkout enabled him to escape presidential censure.

FRANCE: Big Loan Having helped France in wresting its freedom on the battlefield, the U. S. committed itself to assisting the liberated country in peacetime

AGRICULTURE: Export Future Although five years will be required for full restoration of agriculture in Europe, surplus producing countries—including the U. S.—must keep in mind the time when Europe's present acute need for imports will have subsided.

reconstruction with the advance of a \$1,400,000,000 loan and credit from the Export-Import bank.

Climaxing 11 weeks of negotiations between the two countries, the agreement provides for a cash loan of \$650,000,000 and a credit of \$720,000,000 for title to lend-lease material shipped after the war and U. S. surplus property.

Under the easy terms of the agreement, no principal payments will be expected for the first five years, but interest of 3 per cent on the loan and 2 per cent on the credit will start next July.

PAN-AMERICA: Joint Defense

In testifying in behalf of President Truman's plan for helping arm and organize South American countries and Canada in a grand defense system, General of the Army Eisenhower and Fleet Admiral Nimitz told a congressional committee that hemispheric solidarity would discourage aggressive designs against this part of the world.

Stressing the need for standardization of equipment among the Pan-American nations, the military and naval chiefs declared that a similarity of weapons and tactics would simplify a common defense in case of attack.

Visualizing a joint naval task force of Pan-American nations operating under a unified command, Nimitz revealed the U. S. would give each country sufficient vessels to protect their own coastal waters. To come from the U. S.'s surplus of naval ships, it was believed the craft would be of the small escort or destroyer classes.

DAIRY PRODUCTS: On Rise

Even higher prices for dairy products than recent increases granted to spur output were predicted by Stabilization Director Bowles if congress approves of a sharp cut in subsidy payments.

As a result of less stringent reductions, Bowles approved of a boost of 1 cent a quart for milk, 11 cents a pound for butter and 6 cents for cheddar cheese, but, he said, a bigger slash in subsidies would lead to an increase of 3 cents in a quart of milk and bring butter up to as much as 80 cents a pound.

The boosting of prices in the face of subsidy reductions would cost consumers \$250,000,000 a year, Bowles said. Thus, consumers would pay directly for increased prices designed to assure producers of fair returns instead of having the higher costs spread to all taxpayers through government outlays.

Meanwhile, representatives of the American Butter Institute declared that although an increase in butter production could be expected from higher producer returns and a ban on the sale of whipping cream, restoration of a free market was essential for output sufficient to meet the large demand.

Cotton Crop

World cotton production in 1945-46 of the crop now being marketed is estimated at 21,650,000 bales (of 478 pounds net), according to the department of agriculture. This is the smallest world crop since 1923-24 and represents a reduction of 12 per cent from the 1944-45 production and of 30 per cent from the five-year (1935-39) average.

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Lesson for June 16

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LEARNING ABOUT THE KINGDOM LESSON TEXT—Luke 9:23, 24, 46-48, 57-62; 11:1-4; 17:20, 21. MEMORY SELECTION—Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven.—Matthew 6:10.

Following Christ calls for the best in man. Weak-kneed and watered-out religious philosophies and activities have no right to call themselves Christian.

Let us put away these insipid imitations of Christianity, which so often masquerade under its name, and face our time with a call to discipleship which demands every fine, noble, manly and womanly quality.

I. Denial of Self (Luke 9:23, 24). A cross—that speaks at once of suffering and death. We may as well face it. The Lord never intended it to be an easy thing to follow him. A man must lose his life for Christ if he is to win it.

Note that the cross we bear does not refer to the trials or vexations of life. We should bear those as Christians, but there is something else in mind; namely, the complete denial of self-will, and the eager desire to do only God's will. And note also that this is required of every true Christian, not just of a few who are especially "consecrated."

Do you qualify? If so look at the next point.

II. Humility of Heart (Luke 9:46-48). The world looks up to the great, the mighty, and the rich. The disciples had caught that fever and were quarreling about who was to be greatest. What a tragic and disgraceful picture! But is it any different in the church today? Men are still determined to be "Mr. Big."

The follower of Jesus sees beyond the false earthly standard of greatness, and in humility ministers to the little child. And lo! he has received and served Jesus Christ himself, and has become greater than all the would-be great ones. Those about him may not see it, but God does, and in due time others shall also know of it.

III. Determination of Purpose (Luke 9:57-62).

Following Christ is more than singing glibly or carelessly, "I'll go where you want me to go, dear Lord." The one who starts out with him is to count the cost (Luke 14:28-33). He must expect the same treatment as Christ (II Tim. 3:12) and be willing to take it gladly (John 15:20; I Pet. 2:21).

We ought to make this plain to professed believers. Tell young people the truth and you will see that they are ready to respond to it. They are willing to give themselves sacrificially for causes of this earth—why not for Christ?

Christianity is considerate and courteous, and our Lord is not here suggesting any neglect of the duties or amenities of life. The point is rather that the Lord must have first place whatever else may call for second thought.

IV. Prayer of Faith (Luke 11:1-4).

The one who is to follow Jesus must know how to pray—and to pray in faith. He must know how to hold up the world to God, and get things from God for this needy world.

There is no one who can teach us to pray better than Jesus, for he practiced what he preached. He prayed. It was seeing him pray that led the disciples to ask him to teach them to pray. Jesus taught his disciples a model prayer. This prayer opens with a recognition of God as Father, followed by a reverent petition that his name may be hallowed; that is, that he may have glory as his will is done and his kingdom established in the hearts of men. Those who have that attitude are ready to ask for the supply of daily needs, and above all, forgiveness of sin and deliverance from temptation.

Note that verse 4 is not the prayer of the unsaved for forgiveness and regeneration, for that is all of grace (Eph. 2:8). "The man outside (of the kingdom) gets his forgiveness with no condition; but once he is in the kingdom of the Son of God's love, he lives within the laws of that kingdom. Then he does not get forgiveness unless he is ready to forgive, unless he has forgiven" (Morgan).

V. Recognition of Christ (Luke 17:20, 21).

The disciples thought of the kingdom in terms of "when"; they should have asked "what," or even better "who," for the kingdom was present and operative right then because the King was there.

That is the true meaning of "with-in" (v. 21), which really means "in your midst." It does not mean that the kingdom of God was within the hearts of the Pharisees, or within the social order, but that in the person of the King, the kingdom itself was in their midst. They rejected him, and so also his kingdom. What about us? Is he your King? Or do you also reject him?

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### Devol News

Clara Stofer

Mrs. John Coker received a message Sunday night from her son Clarence U. S. who is seriously ill with Rheumatism in the U. S. hospital Mesada Md. Mrs. Coker left Monday morning to go to the bedside. Her daughter Mrs. Watkins joined her at the hospital and accompanied her to the hospital.

Luke Hatch Burk Burnett, who has given the contract for work on the school auditorium and work of salvaging material has begun.

Mrs. Luke McCullough had as guests the past week Mrs. Roy Debold and Mrs. Jan Kaschur, all of New York. Mrs. Debold recently arrived from Belfast, Ireland to her American husband.

Mrs. Arlie Doty and Claude Doty returned Sunday from Ft. Worth where they spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Claude Doty who accompanied them to Ft. Worth. They remained for a more extended visit with her daughters.

Joe Burns, who passed away at his home in Burk Burnett Monday morning was a resident of many years of this community, having come here in 1926. He was a member of the family in 1926. They were well remembered by many friends and acquaintances.

Mrs. Joe Davis returned home Sunday from a week's visit with relatives at Meadows.

Mr. J. W. Hale visited her mother, Miss Opal Hale in Falls, Saturday.

Mr. Marvin Patterson, sister Mrs. Horace and H. H. Hinkle and Mr. Patterson, Burk Burnett spent Sunday in the Hinkle home.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Douhitt of Texas visited Sunday with Mrs. Douhitt's sister, Mrs. Lagrone Sunday.

Mr. A. Woodall Grandfield of Mrs. E. N. Miracle, and her sister Miss Bessie Wood-

all, spent last week in the Miracle home, returning to their home Saturday. Mrs. Robt. Hinkle spent Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. Miracle.

Mrs. Minnie Short came home last Thursday from Houston after spending several weeks there with her daughter Mrs. Jimmie McDavid who has been seriously ill. Mr. and Mrs. McDavid accompanied her home to remain during Mrs. McDavid's convalescence.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fincher, Dallas, spent Saturday night in home of Mrs. Fincher's mother, Mrs. Dolly Hardin.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Dillow returned Sunday from Oklahoma City where they visited in the home of their son, N. K. Dillow and family.

Visitors of Mr. W. W. Houston last week were his brother, O. F. Houston of Stamford, Texas, his nephew, Mr. Otis Houston, of Decalb, Texas and his grandnephew, son of Otis. Mr. W.

Houston, who is in poor health, makes his home with his daughter, Mrs. Floyd Uthe.

Mrs. Ella Houk, of Dublin, Texas, spent two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Vernon King and family. Also visiting in the King home were Mr. Ed Houk and his daughter, Marguerite, from Dublin, Texas.

Mr. Earl Dodd, Portales N. M., arrived Tuesday for a short visit with his children. On his return home his son, Dall Dodd, accompanied him to spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Alexander of Stanford, Okla., are visiting Mrs. Alexander's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Uthe.

Miss Betty Joyce and Mary Ellen Green are spending the summer with their aunt, Mrs. Robt. Wyatt and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown and children Gay, Jackie and Billie visited Sunday with Mrs. Brown's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Tarrant.

The Devol Club will meet this Friday at the Club house, 2 p. m. Miss Helen Greb, County Demonstration Agent will be present. The study will be on detection and cure of cancer.

Mrs. W. A. Manly's brother, Ed Harmon, Ft. Worth, visited in the Manly home this week. Mr. Manly and Mr. Harmon made a business trip to Eldorado, Oklahoma, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Weaver announce the marriage of their daughter, Temple to Mr. James Edward Hays, Friday, June 1, 1946 at the Baptist Church in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Weaver attended the wedding of her daughter, returning home last Thursday.

**Knauth Family Truly Pioneers**

One of our first settlers and old-timers that has stayed thru the years is the Knauth family. Mr. F. R. Knauth and his brother Max Knauth, now of Vernon, Texas, arrived in 1907 to take possession of the 240 acres Mr. Knauth had bought. This piece of land was the first sold out of the Burnett Ranch (also called the "Big Pasture") and it is still in the family. At that time there was little to be seen but tall waving grass that attested to the richness of the land. They arrived in what was then called an "immigration car", which was a freight car loaded with their equipment and stock. At this time the rail road line extended only as far as the river. They lived in a tent while they built the house, and after a few months the family arrived and work on the land was begun in earnest.

The next year, 1908, town lots were sold, a Post Office established, and the small town of Burk Burnett was started. Mr. Knauth secured P. O. Box One which the family retains to this day. At first there was only a Post Office, a restaurant, a grocery store, and a bank. The banker's baby, Virginia Creath, was the first baby born in Burk Burnett. Supplies were carried from Wichita Falls in the early years on the wagon bed, and this was always a whole long day's journey.

Five children were in the Knauth family when they first came, two more were born in Burk Burnett. The Knauths stayed through thick and thin, the good years and the bad. The oil boom came and went, leaving them no richer, perhaps a little wiser. The family has always been affiliated with the Methodist Church, also the Masonic and Eastern Star Lodges. Mr. Knauth farmed all his life; however, he did not give it his full time after he was elected County Commissioner in 1922. He served the County and the people of Burk Burnett in that capacity until his death in 1940. Mrs. Knauth then took up the reins and carried on the farming and has done a remarkable job for a woman alone.

The members of this family and their place of residence are as follows: Mrs. F. R. Knauth, Burk Burnett, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Knauth and two children, Joinerville, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Knauth and two children, Thompsons, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. B. Knauth and two children, Livingston, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Nutt and three children, Van Horn, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Jennings and two children, Sinton, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Baker and three children, Seymour, Texas. All these families make annual trips home to see "Mama," and still feel their roots in good ole Burk. Just another bunch of "Old-Timers."

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### Radio Broadcast Through KVWC Friday, June 21

Friday, June 21, Radio Station KVWC, Vernon, will broadcast one hour directly from the barbecue grounds at the City Light Plant. The broadcast will be from 2:30 to 3:30 in the afternoon.

Program will include: Welcome, Mayor Alvin Hill. History of Boom Town, Paul Browning. Talk, Boyce House, well known humorist and writer. Musical Numbers, arranged by Ethel Virginia Allen and Blanche Butler. Interviews with some of the old-timers.

If you can't be present, listen in on Station KVWC at 2:30.

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### Steer No. 4 Gets High Behind



Hubert Dalton, Belt Buckle Champion Cowboy of Duncan, Oklahoma, drew a tough one at Bonham this year. Both performers will be at the Burk Burnett Rodeo.

### WELCOME TO----



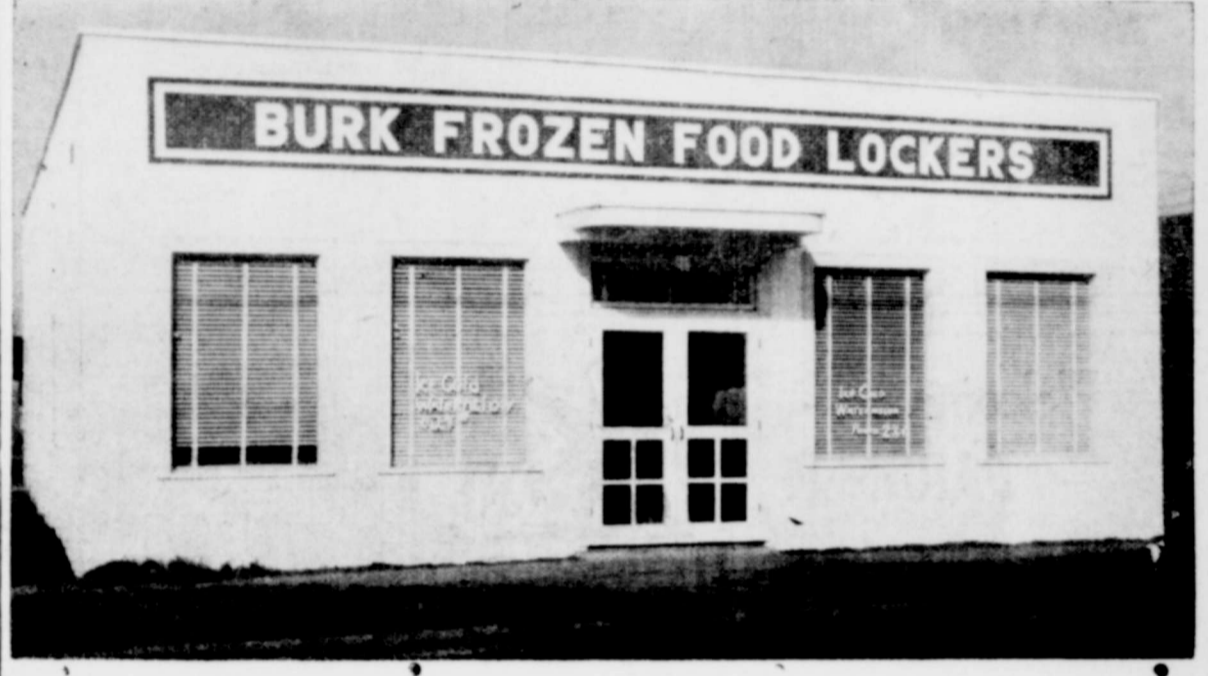
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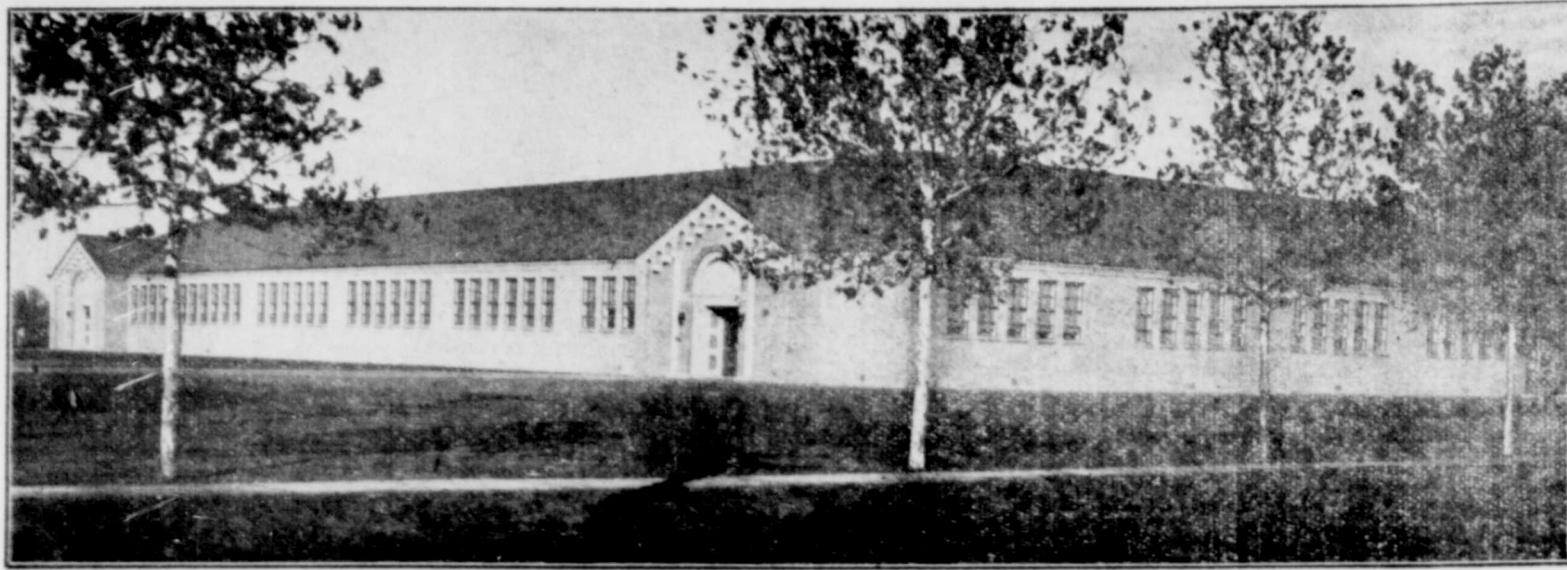
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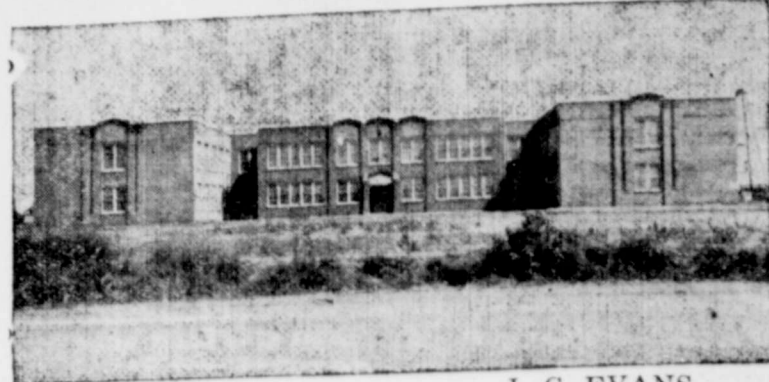
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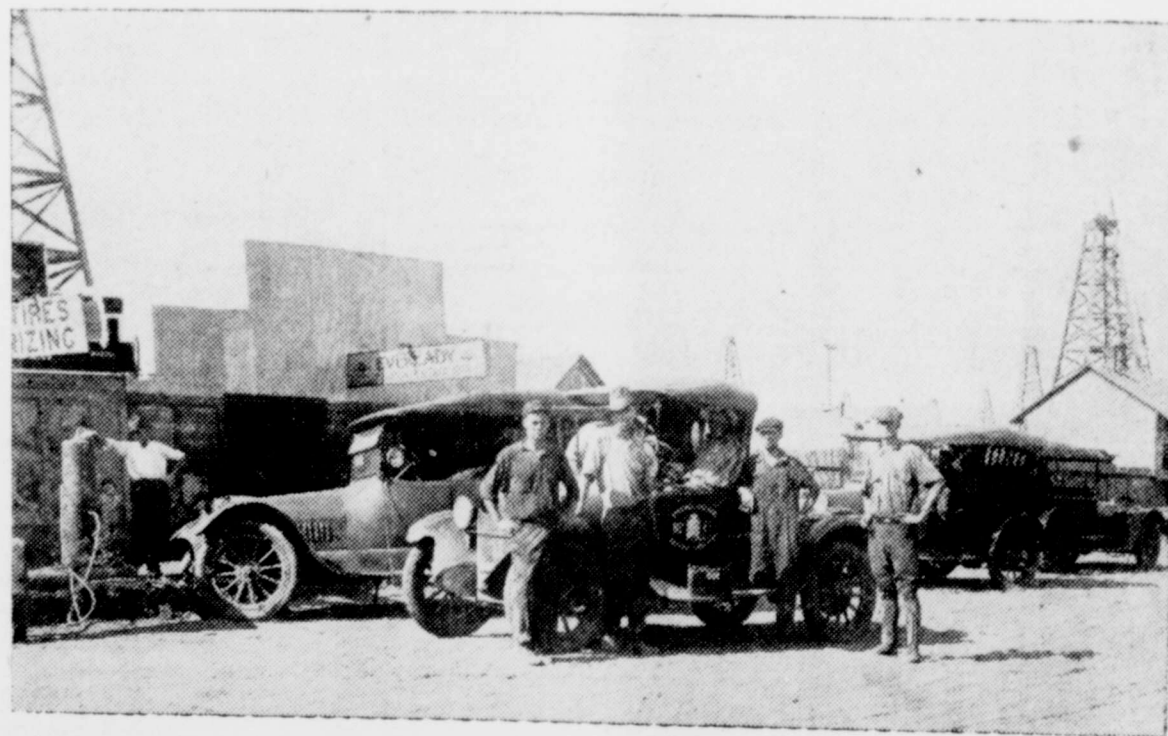
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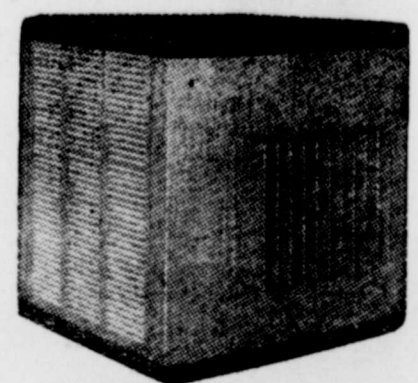
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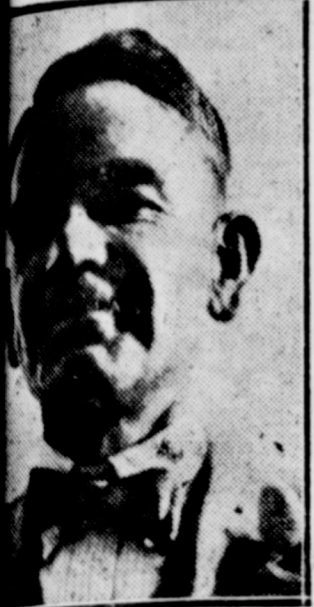
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### A. Roberts Is Head of Reception



A. Roberts, chairman of the reception committee for the Celebration, announces the following assistants: Mesdames T. Guy Willis, Ber Cropper, O. B. Wofford, J. H. Allen, Wid Philips, J. H. Smiley, P. A. Wiggins, W. R. Nora Griffin and M. W. ...

At least two committeemen will be on hand at all times at Town Hall to receive the visitors and look after their needs. Alvin Hill, as chairman of the program committee, announces that appropriate entertainment is being arranged for the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Mayfield, son Buster of Dallas, Texas, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Browning.

Billy Burns of Camp Campbell, Ky., and L. E. Larson of Norfolk, Va. arrived Tuesday to attend the funeral of their father and father-in-law Joe Burns.

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### Funeral Services For Joe Burns to Be Held Here Thurs.

Final rites will be held for Joe Burns Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the First Baptist Church, with Rev. A. E. Harrison officiating. Arrangements are under the direction of the Owens and Brumley Funeral Home, and interment will be in the Davidson, Okla., cemetery.

Burns has been a resident of Burkburnett only four days, moving here from the Rabbit Creek community in Oklahoma, where he had lived five years. He had previously lived in Devol 16 years. He died at his home Monday morning following an illness of several years.

Pallbearers will be Fletcher Baber, Grady Duke, Jess Butler, Fred Spoon, Henry Kinnaird and Harry Griffin.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Billy; three daughters, Mrs. J. E. Larson, and Misses Wanda Jo and LeVonne Burns all of Burk; two brothers, Frank Burns of Hollis, Okla.; and Tom Burns, Phoenix, Okla.; and three sisters, Mrs. Tom Caldwell, Wellington, Mrs. Mary Johnson, Hollis and Mrs. Harvey Stevens, Frederick, Okla.; a half-brother, Lloyd Burns of Anthony, Kansas; three half-sisters, Mrs. Melvin Wilson and Miss Juanita Burns of Anthony, Kansas; and Miss Kathleen Burns of Frederick, Okla.

### Legion Auxiliary Meets Thursday June Sixth

The American Legion Auxiliary of the Oscar Frye Post No. 264 met in regular order Thursday night, June 6 at the Legion (USO) hall.

Virginia McConnell, president presided over the meeting. The minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary, Mrs. Leona Roberts, who also made a financial report. Mrs. Mable Johnson, Mrs. Grace Brookshier, Mrs. Lucille Dudley and Virginia McConnell were nominated to serve as delegates to the 4th Division Convention in Fort Worth, June 8 and 9.

New officers for the remainder of '46 were elected as follows: Mrs. Virginia McConnell, re-elected as President; Mrs. Leona Roberts, Secretary; Mrs. Grace Brookshier, Vice-President; Mrs. Lucille Dudley, 2nd Vice-President; Mrs. Lettie Roberts, Chaplain; Mrs. Williams, Sgt.-at-Arms; Mrs. Palmer, Historian. These officers will be installed into their new offices after the Dept. convention which will be held in Galveston, Texas, sometime in August. Delegates were also nominated to the Department Convention.

Plans were made to decorate a float for the Boom Town Parade, and a decorating committee appointed. A family picnic is scheduled for the middle of July. Definite plans will be announced later. The next regular schedule meeting will be June 20.

Delightful refreshments of punch and cake were served to Mesdames Leona Roberts, Grace Brookshier, Selma Palmer, Mable Johnson, Dora McPherson, Etura Williams, Lettie Roberts, Virginia McConnell and Mrs. Lucille Dudley.

Give another young man a chance. Ray Martin.

### T. Guy Willis Early Pioneer.



Life is like a book. The first we wouldn't change if we could. The last we couldn't change if we would. The pages in between

are what counts and T. Guy Willis says he has made his, clean, friendly and interesting.

He came to Texas on July 4, 1890 and has lived here continuously and joined heartily into every movement for the betterment of the community, work or fun.

Nothing he likes more than to meet the old-timers and talk tall tales of long ago. One of his favorites is how, at a young age, the boys were left out at the wagons to watch the babies who were asleep during the Sunday night services and how they would change the babies from one wagon to another and very often the parents would have to drive half the night to get their families all together again.

T. Guy was among the first in town to own a telephone and a car, and the first to put up money for the present Baptist Church. He knows more people by name than any one here and says they are never too young or too old for him.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Landers of Ardmore, Okla., spent Saturday visiting their parents in Burk.

### Seven Vacancies On School Faculty

The Board of Education met in regular session Thursday, June 6, and accepted the resignation of the following teachers: Mrs. Pearl Gracey, Mrs. Bernice Wattenbarger, Miss Aileen Stofer, Mrs. Lorene Stephenson, and Mr. John B. Young.

We now have seven vacancies in our faculty; four in the elementary system and three in the high school. Anyone interested please write to R. M. Davis, Supt. of Schools.

We are also trying to secure a band man and shop man.

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### Stamps Quartet Coming June 17

Stamps Quartet of radio fame will appear in person at Town Hall Monday night, June 17th. Concert starts at 8:30.

A small admission charge will be made.

Leonard Warren, former mail carrier, his parents and nephew who left last week for their home in Calif., after visiting with Mrs. Ross Beasley, were critically injured in a car accident in Blythe, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Nolan and children, of Freeport, Texas, have been visiting the Jack Alexander's.



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(TAKEN FROM THE STAR FILES FOR JUNE 12, 1931)

### New Grocery and Market Opens Here

A new grocery store and meat market opened today in the building formerly occupied by R. H. Henry and more recently by Slaton-Kincaid, which will be known as the City Grocery and Market.

This store is owned and operated by Henry Prinzing and J. N. (Bud) Hicks. These men need no introduction to the people of Burkburnett, as both have resided in this community for the past ten or twelve years and are well known and have many friends in this vicinity. They have a great deal of experience in the grocery business and recently decided to branch out for themselves.

Read their announcement in this issue of The Star.



Left to Right: Monroe Prinzing, Henry Prinzing, J. N. "Bud" Hicks

### PRICES TAKEN FROM THEIR PAGE AD JUNE 12, 1931

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SYRUP, gallon	59c
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BROOMS	ea. 25c
(Now \$1.25)	
BEANS, 23 lbs.	\$1.00
(Now \$2.87)	
MATCHES, 6 box ctn.	13c
(Now 25c)	
CATSUP	15c
(Now 22c)	
SUGAR, 10 lbs.	49c
(Now 75c)	
COMPOUND, 8 lbs.	85c
(Now \$1.65)	
ORANGES, doz.	15c
(Now 35c)	
SPUDS, new, lb.	1 1/2c
(Now 5c lb.)	

### And It Isn't Done With Mirrors



Calgary Red of Calgary, Canada, will do this tight rope stunt at the Burkburnett rodeo. Another stunt of his is to balance on one foot on the wire and spin three loops, one in each hand and one with his foot.

### 25,000 lbs. Wood For Barbecue Pit

Tuesday Jerry Miller came in from South Texas with 9 cords or more than 25,000 pounds of seasoned oak wood to be used at the barbecue pits.

This is the best type of wood for the purpose, not green, yet not too dry for making hot live coals.

### Committeemen Worked At Job

If hard work and cooperation between committeemen and their helpers, and the citizenship as a whole means anything, the success of the Boom Town Celebration is assured.

A spirit of cooperation and willingness to work at the job has prevailed since the first plans were laid.

The task is too gigantic for just a few. It has taken the combined work of many who gave liberally of both their time and money.

Not only the residents of this city, but the farmers, ranchers and many living in other cities have helped to make this the biggest celebration ever staged in Burkburnett.

### Jiggs Birk Is Arena Director

The making of a fast moving rodeo depends a lot upon the arena director. Those responsible for the show feel fortunate in securing the services of Jiggs Birk of Comanche, Oklahoma.

Mr. Birk is a rodeo man second to none. He was world's champion cowboy in calf roping in 1936, 1938, 1942 and 1944.

### Whiskers Club To Hold Court

Court will be called to order on the opening day of the celebration when defendants may show cause why, if any, they do not have a crop of whiskers.

This fair and impartial court will be presided over by a gentleman with a beard. The jurors will also have whiskers, as will the prosecutors.

After a fair trial, the smoothies, defended by themselves or special counsel, will be dealt with according to the impartial decision of the jury.

The prosecution will furnish doctors to examine all defendants, to try to establish the fact whether or not the accused are really capable of growing whiskers.

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