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## 2500 FARM YOUTHS ARE EXPECTED AT JUNIOR A. & M. SHORT COURSE

More than 2,500 Texas 4-H club boys and girls are expected to attend the Junior Short Course to be held at Texas A. and M. College July 6-8, according to Miss Onah Jacks and B. L. Johnson, state club agents of the Extension Service.

The Junior program, like that of the adults, who hold their Short Course July 13-15, will feature members of the group.

Four outstanding Texas club members, just returned from the National 4-H Club Encampment at Washington, D. C., will relate impressions of the trip. They are Elizabeth Harrison, Alvarado Johnson county; Pauline Miller, Crescent, Wharton county; J. D. Jordon, Mason county; and Ellis Britton, Plainview, Hale county.

Cletis Clinton, Minden, Rusk county, winner of the 1937 Home Demonstration College Scholarship Award, will relate her experiences in club work, as will Walter Britton, Groom, Carson county, past president of the Texas 4-H club, now a student at A. and M., and Harvey McClure, Roby, Fisher county.

The evening entertainment series will be featured by the colorful gold star presentation ceremony as the outstanding achievements of 100 girls and the same number of boys are recognized. The musical program will center around the Strider Brothers, Swiss yodelers of New York.

Jane Alden, Chicago stylist, who will be presented before the girls' group sections, will also take part in the evening sessions.

Senator Tom Connally will deliver an address at the general assembly meeting. Miss Mildred Horton and Jack Shelton, vice directors and state agents of the Extension Service, will also be presented at the general meetings.

Sectional meetings in various phases of agriculture and home economics will again be offered.

## Three Persons Win Cash Prize in Novel Contest at H-Fain's

Three Brownwood persons won cash prizes of \$1 each in a guessing contest held in conjunction with the appearance here a few months ago of "Big Boy" Wadlow, reputedly the world's largest man. Wadlow appeared at Heaphill-Fain's store with representatives of Peters Shoe Company. Visitors were given the opportunity to guess how many pennies Wadlow's shoe would hold.

Winners and their estimates were Tom Moore, 7133; Frank Griffin, 7125; Mrs. L. E. Shaw, 7133. A grand prize of \$25 will be awarded to the Peters Company at a later date.

## Buffalo Gap Will Be Scene of Pioneers' Reunion Next Month

One of the largest crowds ever assembled in West Texas is anticipated at the annual Taylor County Old Settlers Reunion at Buffalo Gap July 15 and 16. The old settlers will hold full sway on July 15, but the Settlers Association has invited all state, district and county candidates to speak on the second day's program.

Officers of the Association are T. A. Bledsoe, president; Jim Hurt, vice-president; W. F. Jones, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. W. F. Jones, assistant secretary; Dan O. Connel, marshal, and Will Watson, announcer.

**Crowley to Speak**  
Karl A. Crowley, candidate for Governor of Texas, will speak at the courthouse in Brownwood on Tuesday, July 5, at 10:30 a. m.

## Slaps Society



Sarcastic indeed is Mary Belle Tevis, above, member of a socially prominent New York family, when she tells why she forsook high society to make her own living as an artist's model. Said Miss Tevis in San Francisco, where she is working "I got out simply because I got tired of wasting time with fortune hunters, weaklings and gigolos."

## THREE SCHOOLS IN THIS COUNTY ARE CERTIFIED

F. D. Pierce, county school superintendent, has received standardization certificates for Chapel Hill, Clio and Woodland Heights schools. The certificates will be presented to the schools at the beginning of the fall term.

Purpose of standardization is to raise the physical and teaching standards of the rural schools in order that the students will be better prepared to enter into and properly continue in an accredited system of schools. The State Department of Education, with the approval of the committee on classified and accredited schools, recognizes the work done in a standard school as worthy of recognition by an accredited system.

Standardized tests are given in the schools in grades one to seven, inclusive. These tests are approved by the state Department of Education and the median of each grade must be standard. County superintendents file these reports with the deputy state superintendent, who in turn must file his standardization with the director of elementary education.

## CC Managers Attend Conference Saturday

Chamber of Commerce of seven nearby towns were represented at a meeting here Saturday for a discussion of current activities and problems of the individual chambers and the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Present at the meeting were D. A. Bauden, Abilene, manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce; Milburn McCarty, Eastland, past president of the WTCC; Hunter Jones, manager, Breckenridge CC; H. M. Everett, Stephenville; Hilton Burks, Comanche; R. L. McConnell, San Saba; Owen Clements, Goldthwaite; M. J. Benefield, Brady; and A. B. Davis, Lubbock.

Saturday evening the managers and guests attended a dinner on the terrace of Lake Brownwood clubhouse for directors of the West-Central Texas Oil and Gas Association, which was in session Saturday.

**Warehouse Fire**  
A fire of undetermined origin did little damage to the Texas Company's warehouse at 708 Avenue A opposite the Santa Fe station Wednesday afternoon. The loading platform adjoining the building became ignited.

**FFA Winners**  
John Bowman and J. T. Soules, of the Goldthwaite chapter of the Future Farmers of America, won first place in debating at the state FFA meeting held this week in Huntsville.

## As Loyalist "Lost Battalion" Found Safety in France



Surrounded for months in the fastnesses of the Pyrenees by insurgent forces, 6000 Spanish government troops of the 43rd division staged one of the most gallant military defenses since the World War, and finally broke through the mountain passes, as shown above, to find safety on French soil at Tarbos.

## AGRICULTURE, HOME ECONOMICS, WILL BE IN PROMINENCE AT A. & M. SHORT COURSE AT COLLEGE STATION; THOUSANDS TO ATTEND

The Short Course for adults held at Texas A. and M. College during the period July 13-15, will present a program in which national, state, and local leaders in agriculture and home economics have equal parts, Roy Snyder of the Extension Service, general chairman, has announced.

Cooperation between county commissioners' courts, farmers and ranchmen, and county agricultural agents in soil conservation will be discussed on July 13 by W. M. Burnett, San Marcos, Hays county, and Howell Cobb, Brady, McCulloch county, both county judges; E. E. Kirby, Lampasas, Lampasas county, and E. Wilson Loftin, Big Lake, Reagan county, county commissioners; Manse Haggett, ranchman of Mertzon; Fred W. Rosenkoetter, farmer of Gilmer; and R. C. Highley, conservation contractor of Amarillo.

H. H. Williamson, director of the Texas Extension Service, will review conservation work in Texas, and M. R. Bentley, extension agricultural engineer, will present the record of Texas counties using county owned machinery for conservation work.

In the same way, the cotton discussion of July 14 will be led by H. A. Wischkaemper, secretary of the Lonetree One-Variety Association of Victoria county; Julius Wittliff, chairman of the Coupland One-Variety Cotton Growers Association of Williamson county; G. A. Vestal, president, Quannah Cooperative Society; R. A. Graham, president, NETEX Cooperative Gln Association, Greenville; and J. W. Jennings, farmer of Floydada.

**Afternoon Session**  
The afternoon session will also be devoted to cotton, and will be featured by talks by Burris Jackson, Hillsboro, president of the Texas Cotton Improvement Committee; P. K. Norris, Washington, D. C., marketing specialist of the U. S. D. A.; and several members of the A. and M. College faculty.

The morning of the last day of the Short Course, July 15, will be given over to a review of the economic situation facing Texas agriculture, and will include talks by Dean E. J. Kyle of the A. and M. School of Agriculture and J. R. McCrary, Calvert, president of the Texas Cooperative Council.

Sectional meetings on various phases of agriculture, including wildlife, pasture and range management, entomology, poultry, dairying, swine, sheep and goats and similar subjects will be held during the afternoons.

Home demonstration club members and farm wives will follow a similar procedure in their meetings. Cletis Clinton, Minden, and Ruth Foshbee, Greenville, 1937 and 1936 winners of the Texas Home Demonstration College Scholarship award for 4-H Club girls, will be speakers.

Jane Alden, stylist of Chicago will take part in the program, as will Mozelle Craddock, Texas Technical College, Lubbock; Ethie Eagleton, North Texas Agricultural College, Arlington; Paul Gooser, National Livestock and Meat Board, CHICAGO; Mrs. L. M. Hogsett, Fort Worth; Mrs. Jennie Moore, Houston; Mrs. Ellen S. Quillen, Director Witte Memorial Museum, San Antonio.

Will Scott Richter, Dallas Architect, E. O. Rogers, social science teacher, Bridgeport; Mrs. Virginia Sharborough, University of Texas; Mrs. M. A. Snider, Muleshoe; Mrs. F. R. Starr, Houston; Barbara Van Huelen, Washington, Farm Credit Administration; Mrs. J. C. Merka, Bryan, and members of the A. and M. faculty.

**General Sessions**  
General sessions for both men and women will be held in the mornings, with Dr. T. O. Walton, president of Texas A. and M. College; Hon. Harry Brown, assistant Secretary of Agriculture; Congressman Richard Kleberg; and Mrs. Mattie Lloyd Wooten, Dean of Women, Texas State College for Women, as speakers.

## PEANUT GROWERS WILL ENLARGE ACTIVITIES AS ASS'N INCREASES

J. H. Buzbee, May, and C. W. Lehmberg, county agent, have returned from Eastland where they attended a meeting of the Southwestern Peanut Growers Association held Tuesday. Plans are rapidly being formulated to enlarge membership of the Brown County association in time for members to receive its benefits before the current harvest season is over. Fifty-seven members now comprise the Brown county association.

The Central Texas association is composed of Brown, Comanche, Erath and Stephens county. Two other districts in Texas are in the El Paso and Fort Worth areas. Speakers at the Eastland meeting included A. M. Dickson, marketing specialist of the AAA, Washington, D. C.; C. E. Bowles, extension marketing specialist, College Station; W. I. Glass, district agent of the extension service; and District Judge E. W. Patterson of Eastland.

Producers of this county will hold community meetings as soon as more definite estimates of the amount of surplus production can be made. County Agent Lehmberg is fairly certain that a surplus will exist. The price of peanuts on the national market was raised from 50 cents to more than 90 cents per bushel last year after the activities of the Peanut Growers Association began.

The increase represents a gain in market price for Texas growers in 1937 of \$1,008,000 as a result of the work of the growers association, at an operation cost of only \$1240.

## Special Independence Day Program Will Be Observed by S.C.S.

"Our Nation—Its Ideal," will be the subject of an address by Z. T. Huff, Howard Payne college dean as a feature of an Independence Day program at the Soil Conservation Camp on the evening of June 30.

Other program numbers will include a whistling solo by Miss Ruby Bishop, a concert by the Old Gray Mare Band under direction of Captain Bland Harper, and a trav through the courtesy of the North Texas District Educational Motion picture, shown in Picture Service.

No admission will be charged for the program, and the public is invited, according to camp officials.

**Prescott Headquarters**  
Headquarters for the campaign of Ross K. Prescott, candidate for State Senator from the 25th district, have been opened in Hotel Brownwood. In charge of the headquarters is Dick Connally, Prescott spoke in behalf of his candidacy at Comanche Monday afternoon.

**Baptist Meeting**  
An important meeting of all Brownwood Baptist pastors will be held at the Rehoboth Baptist church Friday evening at 8:15.

**Concord Rally**  
The public is invited to attend a candidates' rally at Concord Friday night, July 1, at 8 o'clock. County candidates will address voters.

## DIS'T COURT RAPIDLY DISPOSES OF CRIMINAL CASES IN PAST WEEK

Following seizure Monday by the Sheriff's department of a truck containing 27 cases of beer, J. H. Woodruff laid Tuesday pleaded guilty and paid a fine of \$100 and costs.

A 35th district court jury found Jasper Price guilty of cattle theft Wednesday and sentenced the defendant to two years in the state penitentiary. Price has been held in Brownwood since June 16, when he was arrested by county officers in connection with the theft of a registered Hereford bull belonging to Ralph Hart. The animal was taken from the Perry Taylor place west of Brownwood. A second man also was arrested at the time but later was released.

Charges of driving while drunk have been filed in Judge E. T. Perkinson's justice court against Raymond Hendricks, Leonard Hicks and W. A. Forehand.

Robert Estes and David Richardson have been released on bond after having been held and charged with illegal possession of beer.

A number of cases were disposed of in district court Monday. A sentence of thirty days in jail and fine of \$25 each was assessed against Lee Goss and Earl Hill, both of Grosvenor, on a charge of chicken theft.

**Drunken Driving**  
A. A. Ryan, who had been held by county officers here nearly three weeks on a charge of driving while intoxicated was given a fine of \$50 and jail sentence of 29 days.

Marion Harris, charged with forgery, was assessed a two-years sentence. Harris was sentenced to two years each on six charges of forgery, and one charge of passing a forged instrument in the court here December 21, 1936, he was released on a 90-day reprieve February 14. Governor Allred has informed local officers that he has revoked the reprieve and ordered the sentences resumed.

The grand jury Friday afternoon returned a murder indictment against Theodore R. Capps, ranch employe, in connection with the death June 14 of W. A. Gunn. Gunn was shot and killed in a house on the B. S. Boyesen ranch four miles west of Brownwood. Capps is being held in county jail without bond. His trial is set to open Wednesday, July 13, in 35th district court.

Capps was taken into custody by county officers a few minutes after Gunn was shot in the house where Capps was living. He later made a statement in which he admitted firing the shot.

S. O. Loooper was indicted on a charge of sale of mortgaged property with intent to defraud. Bond was set at \$1500.

**Beckham Case**  
Further action will be delayed till October in the case of Tol G. Beckham, Zephyr man held here under 18-year sentence for the death of Raymond Thompson, also of Zephyr, in 1936. The Court of Criminal Appeals at Austin reversed and remanded the decision of the court here in an announcement June 14. It was the second time the Beckham decision has been reversed in the state appeals court.

A motion for rehearing on the case has been filed. The Court of Appeals is now in recess and there can be no acceptance of the motion until October.

Beckham first was tried here in December, 1936, and was given 20 years sentence, which was reversed and remanded last June. He was tried again and found guilty in February of this year. It was the second sentence which the Austin court this month ordered remanded on grounds of error in the trial court's handling of the case.

## Civic Problems Are Discussed by C of C Managers Thursday

Chester Harrison, manager of Brownwood Chamber of Commerce, attended the annual convention of business executives and chamber of commerce managers of South Texas in New Braunfels last Thursday, where he conducted a discussion of questions and problems before Texas civic organizations.

Delegates heard addresses on "Rackets and Control of Peddlers," and "Community Advertising," by J. J. Turner, secretary of the San Antonio vigilance committee, and Claude Anhol, of the San Antonio advertising commission. San Antonio levies a city tax for the purpose of municipal advertisement.

## Duchess' Dilemma



Grand Duchess Marie, native of Russia, lives in New York City, vacations in Europe as a citizen of Sweden. She first became a Swedish citizen when she married Crown Prince William, then became Russian again when she divorced him to marry a count. Her Russian citizenship ceased when she fled the revolution.

## COUNCIL ASKS METER COMPANY TO REMOVE DEVICES FROM CITY

Brownwood City Council adopted a resolution Monday night notifying McCammon & Thomas, Dallas firm which installed parking meters in Brownwood, that the city has long since discontinued their use and has repealed the original parking meter ordinance. The resolution also asks the company to remove the meters from the city.

A 120-day trial period of operation of the meters ends Friday, having been started March 4. However, for more than two months the meters have not been used by the public.

Application for a \$1,055 improvement project for Coggin Park, to be constructed through cooperation with the National Youth Administration, was signed. Tentative plans call for construction of stone benches and tables, and tennis courts and backstops. Approximately 40 Brown county youths would be used in the work.

Through decision of the body, a special summer rate for municipal water consumers will go into effect with the July meter reading, and will continue through September.

Proposal of W. A. Roush, natural gas engineer and consultant, to make a thorough examination of the Brownwood system was referred to a committee composed of Aldermen Sprinkle and T. H. Hart, and City Manager F. E. Scott.

## Board Submits Application for Armory to Be Established Here

Brownwood has filed application for establishment of a first-class armory here, following announcement recently that the Texas Planning Board has approved an application for a \$7,000,000 PWA loan and grant for armory construction in Texas. The PWA application calls for armories in 74 cities to house 166 National Guard units.

Brownwood has a National Guard of unusual strength for a city of its size, as four companies are located here: Headquarters Company, Service Company, Company A, and the Old Gray Mare Band.

National Guard officers of this section attended a meeting in Fort Worth Saturday and made plans for summer camps this year. All local companies will attend camp August 6-20.

Most of the maneuvers at the camp this year will deal with motorized equipment and there will be very little drilling as compared with last year.

## CANDIDATES VARY IN EXPENSE ACCOUNTS IN FIRST DEMO PRIMARY

County and precinct office candidates have varied in differences in their campaign expense accounts for the first primary, records show, Tuesday was the last day for filing the first statement. The second will be due July 15.

Candidates have estimated their campaign expenses as follows:  
County Judge: A. E. Nabors, \$141.50; R. L. McGaugh, \$165.30.  
County clerk: Vernon Green, \$199.50.

District clerk: Henry Buck, \$97; Luther Wilson, \$163.50.  
Tax assessor-collector: Grady Colvin, \$253.89; Winston Palmer, \$160.50.

County attorney: J. Piner Powell, \$115.37; Conner Scott, \$120.  
County treasurer: J. G. Gaines, \$146.86.

County surveyor, Mark Ragsdale, \$0.

Sheriff: Charles Mandelbaum, \$109; J. J. Allcorn, \$120.50; Ellis Daughtry, \$87; Jack Hallmark, \$123.36.

County school superintendent: Leslie Griffin, \$198.85; Harley H. Black, \$125.50; Clive Pierce, \$197.91; Chas. F. Mathews, \$163.10.

For commissioner, precinct one: A. L. Poik, \$62.50; E. S. Thompson, \$51.50; Bradley Cannon, \$59; Lee Norman, \$40.57; G. M. Allen, \$48.50; R. L. Wise, \$49.25.

Commissioner, precinct two: J. W. Phillips, \$50.75; H. I. Stapp, \$53; Mayfield Gibbs, \$60.60.

Commissioner, precinct three: Ben F. Hunt, \$81.50; Butler Damporn, \$81.40.

Commissioner, precinct four: John H. Schulze, \$96.50; Charles H. Butler, \$67.85; J. H. Browder, \$80.

Justice of Peace, precinct one: J. M. Bowman, \$49.17; E. T. Perkinson, \$41.

Constable, precinct one: Bill Broadton, \$15.50; W. O. Weems, \$24.15; J. E. Murray, \$16.50; W. B. Kilgore, \$31; C. D. Etter, \$24.75.

For public weigher, precinct one: L. M. Collier, \$25.

Weigher, precinct six: C. B. Lovelace, \$13.50.

## Farmers Are Urged To Take Advantage Of Ford Co. Sale

Weatherby Motor Co., Ford dealers, are offering special reductions of from 10% to 25% on their large stock of used cars to farmers only, beginning July 1.

Company officials this week stated that "in the past, our sales have been held at inopportune time for the farmer; consequently we are giving our farmer friends advantage of our already low prices, plus an additional 10% to 25% off for these ten days. On each car sold we will give our regular 30-day written guarantee. We accept trade, and will give liberal terms if you had rather pay cash.

"Your old car may make the down payment, so be sure to come in early before the bargains are gone. Remember—for ten big days, to farmers only."

**Milton Ave. Singing**

A singing will be held Friday night at the Milton Avenue Baptist church, beginning at 8:30 o'clock. The public is invited.

**Witcher at Reunion**

T. A. Witcher, 511 Congress street, a Confederate veteran, is attending the 75th anniversary celebration of the Battle of Gettysburg, being held June 29-July 5 at the site of the battle ground in Pennsylvania. Mr. Witcher was born December 2, 1847, in Virginia. He was accompanied on the trip by his daughter, Miss Minnie Witcher.

Judge E. J. Miller and Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Holloway of Brownwood are attending a meeting of the Texas Bar Association in Houston

## FARMERS' MARKETS

Growers' prices quoted in Brownwood, Thursday, June 30, 1938.	Old Toms	.....08c
<b>Vegetables</b>	Old Hens	.....08c
Bunch Vegetables, doz	Eggs, dozen, No. 1	.....14c
<b>Butter and Cream</b>	<b>Hay and Grain</b>	
Sour Cream, lb.	No. 1 Milling Wheat	.....65c
Sweet Cream, lb.	No. 1 Durum Wheat	.....58c
Country Butter, lb.	No. 2 Red Oats	.....22c
<b>Poultry and Eggs</b>	No. 3 Oats	.....21c
Heavy Hens	No. 2 Barley	.....35c
Light Hens	No. 2 White Corn	.....65c
Fryers	No. 2 Yellow Corn	.....65c
Bakers	Mixed Corn	.....60c
Roosters	White Ear Corn	.....55c
No. 1 Turkeys	Yellow Ear Corn	.....55c
No. 2 Turkeys	Mixed Ear Corn	.....50c
	No. 2 Milo cwt., bright	.....75c

Various grades of specialists in cotton classing, Bureau of Agricultural Economics, Department of Agriculture.

For the first four positions listed above, applications must be on file with the Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C., not later than July 25 if received from states east of Colorado, and not later than July 28 if received from Colorado and states westward.

Full information may be obtained from C. D. Woods at the post-office.



Zephyr

Mrs. N. L. Reasoner left Monday for Los Angeles, California, where she will visit her daughter Ollie who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Alec Edwards of Sweetwater were the week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Petty.

Mr. and Mrs. Bonner Thompson and children Patsy and Otis, Mrs. Babe Williams, Mrs. Duke Butler and Miss Louise Beckham, all of Brownwood, visited in the home of Mrs. Mae Williams Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kester of Brownwood visited his mother Mrs. Lanie Kester Sunday.

Misses Aniba Couch and Cleo Priest spent Monday night in Brownwood.

Annual "home coming day" for the Zephyr community will be held Sunday, July 24. Everyone is urged to attend to help make it a success.

Several people from Zephyr attended the political speaking by W. Lee O'Daniel at Howard Payne Park Monday night.

Ebony suffered the first loss of the season in the tri-county baseball campaign Sunday, when Morris Pook, strapping Zephyr hurler let the league leaders down with four hits. Zephyr took the game by a 5-4 count. The game was played at Ebony. Ebony will come here next Sunday, July 2, at the Reasoner Ball Park.

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Parlee Tomlinson, who died at her home Tuesday at 5:30 a. m., were held Wednesday at 4 o'clock from the Baptist church in Prairie, with Rev. McClood conducting the services, with White and London Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. Burial was in Rock Springs cemetery.

Mrs. Tomlinson was born September 19, 1885, in Brown county. For 31 years she had been a member of the Baptist church.

She is survived by her husband, G. Y. Tomlinson, two daughters

and Mrs. Geo. Eaton, Mr. and Mrs. John Strickland, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Evans and son Finley, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Switzer and daughter Miss Charlotte and Mesdames Easterling, Teague and Hobson attended the 3rd quarterly conference of the Methodist church at Mullin last Sunday night.

Rev. C. A. Wilkerson is conducting a revival at Trickham this week.

A large number of people from this community attended the singing at Rock Church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Curry left last week for Miles and other points in West Texas, where they will spend several weeks visiting and sight seeing.

Mrs. S. H. Townsend returned last week after a five weeks visit in Hico with relatives. She was accompanied home by her sister Mrs. M. E. Horton of Hico, who will spend some time here and with her daughter Mrs. Moses Shaw who resides west of town. We regret to learn that Mrs. Townsend's health is not so good as usual.

Miss Lillian Durham left Sunday for Hamilton where she will spend the summer.

Miss Ernestine Richmond of Lubbock and Mrs. Novella Crump of Shawwater are here visiting their brother Macon Richmond and family.

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Audie Lee Austin and Mr. Barfield Forehand which occurred Saturday night, June 25, 1938, at Trickham, with Rev. Chester A. Wilkerson performing the ceremony. Miss Audie Lee is the charming and accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tol Austin who reside east of Blanket. Mr. Forehand is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Barfield Forehand and is a prosperous young farmer and stockman of this community and is to be congratulated on his choice of a bride. They number their friends by the score who extend congratulations and best wishes.

The Woman's Missionary of the Methodist church wish to cancel their announcement made last week of their ice cream supper Saturday night, July 2, in favor of the basket picnic which will be held in Blanket July 29, 1938. Everyone is invited to attend.

Miss Alva Lee Gleaton of San Saba is here visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gleaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Winton Lee Yantis are comfortably located at the home of Mrs. Mattie Riley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Damron, Mr.

News of Brown County Communities

Ebony

Grief shook the hearts of this community this past week when death took from our midst Wednesday morning, June 22, Mrs. Albert Hardin, 22, nee Evelyn Reeves. Evelyn was one of our own girls, born and reared in this community and loved by everyone. All her life she had been as frail as a flower, but as courageous as the sunrise.

She was a graduate of the Mullin High school. In 1936 she went with her aunt, Mrs. Brownie White, to her home in Los Angeles where she remained a year or more. On May 1, 1937, Albert met her in Arizona where they were married, and where they made their home for a few months. After that they returned to the Reeves home where they were making their home at the time of her death.

Apparently well Tuesday, Evelyn was rushed to a Brownwood hospital at 6:30 Wednesday morning. At 9:25 she was gone, leaving to the care of her loved ones an infant daughter.

With J. M. Cooper of Brownwood officiating, she was laid to rest Thursday afternoon in the Ebony cemetery in the midst of a tearful throng who covered her grave with flowers. Pallbearers were Ralph and Lillard Wilmetth, Charm Whittembure, B. Singleton, J. R. Reeves, Isom Carr and W. R. Scott.

Survivors are her husband, Albert Hardin; her infant daughter, Evelyn Reeves; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Reeves; a brother, Hubert Reeves; grandmothers Mrs. Sarah Reeves, all of Ebony and a sister, Mrs. Mildred R. Roberts of San Antonio.

Out-of-the-community relatives who attended the funeral were Mrs. Mildred Roberts of San Antonio; Palmer, Jake and John Zumwalt of Oklahoma; Mrs. J. N. Lanford, Oklahoma; Mrs. J. H. Hardin Stanton; Mr. and Mrs. Isom Carr and children, Big Springs; Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Scott and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Singleton and children, Novice.

Mrs. Mildred Roberts and Mrs. J. M. Lanford are staying awhile at the Reeves home. Baby Evelyn is also there, but it is the doctor's orders that company not be permitted to see her for a month or six weeks.

Paul McClung of Springtown, Parker county, preached for us Sunday morning and, at night. Please remember that our meeting will begin Friday night before the third Sunday in next month.

Mrs. Henry Smith is on the sick list. She is having to be treated at Brownwood. Mrs. Homer Egger is also having to go to Brownwood for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Smith went to Grosvener Saturday to visit Mr. Smith's sister, Miss Inez Smith of Fort Worth who was visiting a brother, Gladney Smith at Grosvener.

Martelle Crowder is staying with his father at the Ivy home.

Several visitors were in our midst last week. Mr. and Mrs. Mose Smith and baby of Midland visited at the Smith home.

Arthur Reynolds of El Paso visited his mother, Mrs. Gus Reynolds, and his aunt, Miss Dolly Reynolds. Mr. and Mrs. Percy Griffin of Electrica visited at the Griffin home. Mr. and Mrs. Hubert McMullen and children of San Angelo visited at the Singleton home. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Egger and children of Stanton visited Mr. and Mrs. Jess Egger.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mayfield and baby of Brownwood spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Reid. Also Mr. and Mrs. Charm Whittemburg and baby were guests there after church.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Roberts and Miss Odene Russell spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Tip Roberts at Ratler.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Egger and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Egger enjoyed ice cream at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Smith Saturday night.

Ruth Mashburn of Indian Creek spent Sunday with Evelyn Mashburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood Roberts and Odene Russell visited at the McNurline home Sunday after church.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Clements and Etta of Indian Creek had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Egger Sunday after church.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ketchum and

Gap Creek

The hum of the threshers can be heard in all directions this week. Most everyone will get their grain thrashed by Saturday.

J. A. Faulkner's new house is coming on nicely. He is having the brick put on the ground today Monday.

Mrs. Annie Adkinson and Mrs. Alene Faulkner made a business trip to Brownwood Monday.

Miss Oleta Gooly has returned to her home in Brownwood after a two weeks visit with her brother and Mrs. M. Heptinstall.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Crane of Jenkins Springs were visiting their aunt, Mrs. W. P. Heptinstall, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Powers and children were Sunday evening visitors with their mother, Mrs. Soucey.

Miss Annie Innes and sister, Mrs. Graves, and her daughter and Miss Velma Waldrep of Rising Star were pleasant visitors of Mrs. Adkison and Mrs. Mary Soucey Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Tucker of Blanket were visiting in the home of Curtis Faulkner one night last week.

Several from here attended singing at Rock Church Sunday.

E. M. Routh of Blanket was in this community on business Monday.

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

Willow Springs

The singing at Rock Church last Sunday was enjoyed by a large crowd. At the noon hour a bountiful dinner was served by the ladies. We wish to thank everyone for the help and co-operation they showed us Sunday. Visiting singers were: George Caraway and daughter of Sydney; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Luker and Mr. and Mrs. Westmoreland of Gustine; I. M. Davis and son, Deem; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eaton and Edwin Lane and wife of Comanche, Edna Mae Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Davis and sons of Salt Creek, Jaunita Crockett of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Petross and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Homer, Petross, Barney Parsons and daughters, Verna Mae Hall, J. B. Henderson and daughter, Luke Reeves, of Blanket, Mr. and Mrs. Newt Wolverton, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Colvin, Mr. and Mrs. Judge Nabors and Mr. Middleton of Brownwood and many others whose names we failed to get.

Everyone is cordially invited back a year from now and any second and fourth Sunday evenings.

Mrs. and Mrs. Price Yantis and Mrs. Joe Dodson of Robert Lee, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eaton of Blanket spent Monday with Mrs. Willie Heptinstall and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Horner and children of Zephyr were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Stanley Sunday.

Mrs. Lizzie Reeves of Ahilene is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Reeves.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Blackmon and children of Hasse were visiting Mr. and Mrs. K. Blackmon Sunday.

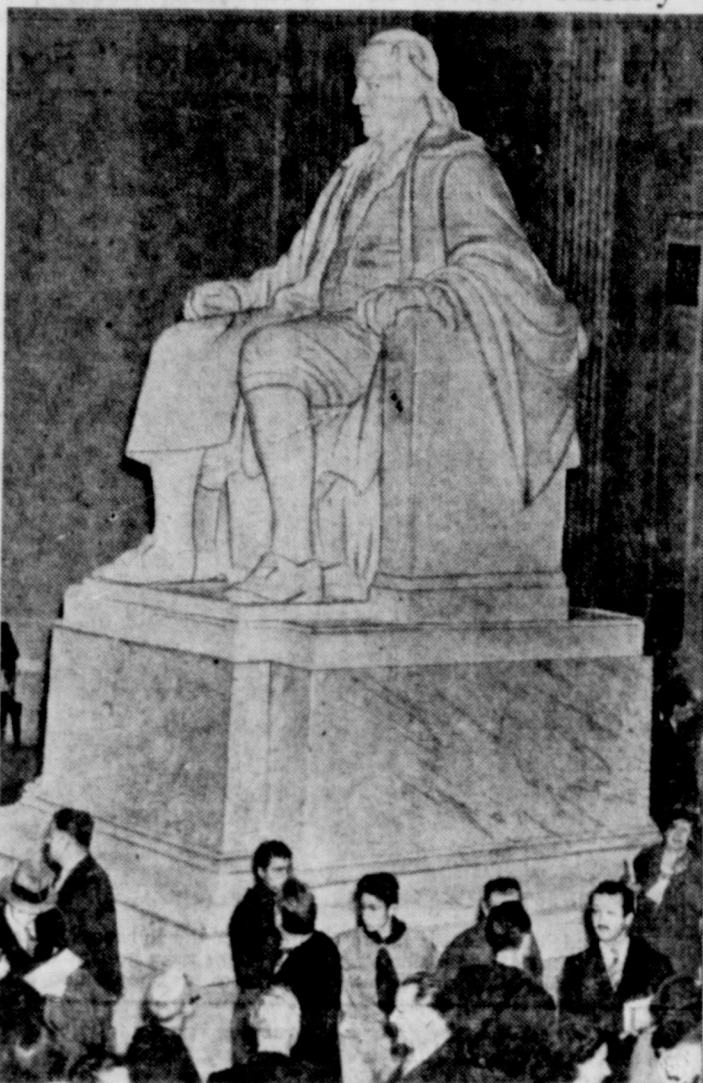
Mrs. Guy Heptinstall of Gap Creek was visiting Mrs. W. Heptinstall one day last week.

Bro. Hubert Christian of Cisco will fill his regular appointment at Rock Church next Saturday night and Sunday morning and night. Everyone come.

There are about 375,000 American citizens now living permanently in European countries.

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

"Poor Richard" Honored Richly



Philadelphia, scene of many of Benjamin Franklin's accomplishments, honored him almost a century and a half after his death by unveiling the heroic-sized marble statue shown above and dedicating it with a three-day ceremony. The statue, weighing 120 tons and rising to a height of 20 feet, was carved by James Earle Fraser, and is housed in Philadelphia's magnificent Franklin Institute Museum.

Blanket

Mrs. Harold Beck and little daughter of DeLeon and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Tidwell and daughter of Wichita Falls were here for the week end visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Dossney and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Tidwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stewart and daughter spent Sunday in Brownwood visiting relatives.

Victor Shaffer of Brownwood spent Sunday here the guest of Harry and Jack Bettis.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Curry left last week for Miles and other points in West Texas, where they will spend several weeks visiting and sight seeing.

Mrs. S. H. Townsend returned last week after a five weeks visit in Hico with relatives. She was accompanied home by her sister Mrs. M. E. Horton of Hico, who will spend some time here and with her daughter Mrs. Moses Shaw who resides west of town. We regret to learn that Mrs. Townsend's health is not so good as usual.

Miss Lillian Durham left Sunday for Hamilton where she will spend the summer.

Miss Ernestine Richmond of Lubbock and Mrs. Novella Crump of Shawwater are here visiting their brother Macon Richmond and family.

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Audie Lee Austin and Mr. Barfield Forehand which occurred Saturday night, June 25, 1938, at Trickham, with Rev. Chester A. Wilkerson performing the ceremony. Miss Audie Lee is the charming and accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tol Austin who reside east of Blanket. Mr. Forehand is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Barfield Forehand and is a prosperous young farmer and stockman of this community and is to be congratulated on his choice of a bride. They number their friends by the score who extend congratulations and best wishes.

The Woman's Missionary of the Methodist church wish to cancel their announcement made last week of their ice cream supper Saturday night, July 2, in favor of the basket picnic which will be held in Blanket July 29, 1938. Everyone is invited to attend.

Miss Alva Lee Gleaton of San Saba is here visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gleaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Winton Lee Yantis are comfortably located at the home of Mrs. Mattie Riley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Damron, Mr.

Salt Branch

The members of the Methodist church have joined with the Trickham churches for a union revival. Rev. Chester Wilkerson of Blanket is doing the preaching. Large crowds are attending each service.

Miss Ida B. Ellis of Spur is visiting friends and relatives here.

Ed McClatchey has been visiting

Let's Go to Eastland July 2-3-4! Over \$500 Cash Prizes 15 Bands in Parade Monday, July 4th, 1:30 -Square Dance- Saturday Night, 8:30 -Street Dance- Saturday Night, 10:30 Singing Sunday Stamps Quartette John Ripplettoe Monday July 4, Softball Bathing Revue, Races, Old Fiddlers Contest, Fireworks, Etc. IT'S ALL FREE!

Owens

Several from this community attended the W. Lee O'Daniel speaking at Brownwood Monday night.

Little Bobbie Ribble was painfully, though not seriously, scalded about the face a few days ago when she lifted a kettle of boiling water hitting it against something throwing the hot water in her face.

Misses Marjorie and Ruby Eaton and Miss Sadie Miller left Saturday morning for Floydada where Miss Ruby will be with her sister in a nearby town for an indefinite visit.

Miss Wanda Pittman and Louise Chambers were quietly married Sunday night at Brownwood. They left immediately after the honeymoon for points in West Texas. Their friend Tom New Mexico. Their friend them a long, successful a life.

Mr. John Heard is on the a list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Maner of Blanket stayed in the home of Tom and Jennie Wilson while they were away.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Parker of Brownwood spent Monday night with the lady's parents Mr. and Mrs. Will Alford.

Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Henderson visited with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Hass Bagley Sunday.

Tom Wilson, Albert Reynolds, Mrs. Will Alford and Mrs. Hass Bagley motored over to Houston Saturday with Miss Jennie Wilson for an examination in Hestand Clinic. The Doctor pronounced Miss Jennie as doing fine. Her friends will be glad to know she returned home with us Monday and didn't have to stay in hospital for further treatment.

Houston is a beautiful city of over 100,000 population. It is the heart of a great oil field territory about 50 miles from the Gulf of Mexico. The "Hestand Clinic" is a wonderful place for cancer patients from all over the United States are being successfully treated.

We all enjoyed the trip fine and some of the crowd was quite amused to see they were still using the yolk of oxen to plow with on some of the farms.

Mrs. Letha Wilson of Plainview is here visiting with Tom and Jennie Wilson.

Ed Alexander of Cleburne is here visiting for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Armitie Pittman and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pittman spent the week end in Ahilene.

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Our July Clearance Sale Begins Thursday, June 30th Shoes 99c to \$3.49 Hose 49c to \$1.69 Millinery 25c to \$2.50 Hand Bags 29c to \$1.50 This Includes Our Highest Grade Merchandise COME EARLY SULLIVAN'S 314 Center Avenue Brownwood, Texas

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Early High Notes

A fairly large crowd attended services at Smerna Church at Jenkins Springs Sunday and listened to an interesting sermon preached by Brother L. W. Lamar, of McDaniel. There was lunch at the noon hour and communion services in afternoon.

brother Horace Webb whom she hadn't seen for 45 years. They are visiting another sister at Toga this week.

Matrimony-bound for Arizona's Airport Altar



The plane trip of Actor Donald Novis and his pretty bride-to-be, Dorothy Bradshaw, pictured above, to the Phoenix, Ariz., "Airport Altar," at left, proved a speedy hop into matrimony for the couple.

BOY SCOUT NEWS

Scoutmasters and Assistant Scoutmasters of Troops in the Council went to Lake Brownwood State Park, Saturday morning, June 25th, for a two day Training Course in Troop Camping.

JULY FOURTH MEANS START OF VACATIONS

Better Check Old Tires Before Starting On Holiday Trips, Goodyear Dealer Advises

With arrival of July Fourth, the summer vacation season really gets underway, and highways begin to fill up with traffic.

himself. "Not only is he letting himself in for a lot of inconvenience, but it subjects himself and his family to possible danger of serious accident. For the next few months the highways will be hot, and heat is the enemy of tire life.

Station Progressing

Roofing and plastering on the \$10,000 laboratory and office building of the U. S. Department of Agriculture pecan and fruit tree experiment station is well underway.

News from the Farm Clubs

May 10

Mrs. Eva Smith was hostess to 30 members and three visitors June 23 when the May Home Demonstration club met in the basement of the church.

Indian Creek

In making butter cakes, to avoid curdly look, add a little flour to the butter mixture before adding any liquid.

FARM NEWS

State Crop Insurance Supervisor Named

The appointment of E. R. Duke as state crop insurance supervisor for Texas has been announced by Roy Green, general manager of the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation.

College, who has done a great deal of horse extension work.

The vaccine, developed by the U. S. Bureau of Animal Industry, should be given in two injections 7 to 14 days apart, by a veterinarian.

Symptoms generally show up in three phases. The first phase may escape notice as it is usually only a mild indisposition accompanied by a rise in temperature.

The disease may be easily confused with other illnesses and only a veterinarian can distinguish it with certainty.

Blanket Baptist Revival

The Rev. Edwin Wilson, pastor of First Baptist church at Comanche church will meet with the meetings at the Blanket Baptist church beginning Friday night, July 1.

Kiwanis Clinic

The founding of a clinic for underprivileged children of Brownwood was discussed by members of the local Kiwanis club board of directors at a meeting Tuesday night.

Are your cows switching flies or making milk?

THE SUMMER slump in milk production is not entirely a natural phenomenon. Cows that are sexually aggravated by flies don't have much time to graze and chew their cud and make milk.

Price \$1.15 per gallon Logan Feed and Hatchery 201 E. Broadway Phone 190

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



Advertisement for Goodyear tires. Features a large graphic with 'ATH OF JULY TRIP' and 'GET SAFE, HUSKY'. Lists various tire models and prices: Goodyear G-3 All-Weather, Goodyear Speedway, and Specials like Quality Sponges and Touch-Up Enamel.

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JUST AS USERS OF THIS FINE FLOUR ALWAYS GET THE RESULTS DESIRED AND EXPECTED BY PEOPLE WHO BUY THE BEST.

YOU CAN BUY A MORE EXPENSIVE FLOUR BUT CAKE FLOUR RANKS SECOND TO NONE IN QUALITY. ASK ANY OF THE THOUSANDS OF TEXAS HOUSEWIVES WHO HAVE USED IT FOR YEARS.

Austin Mill & Grain Co.

Millers of CAKE FLOUR for 43 Years. Phones 14 and 694. Brownwood, Texas.

Advertisement for Safety Tire & Battery Company. Includes a list of specials, a new automatic safe tuning radio for \$19.95, and a replacement of old plugs with new Goodyear Double Eagle Spark Plugs for 59c each.



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The MARCH OF TIME

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

Work Done . . .

WASHINGTON—The 75th Congress, which was to have helped balance the nation's budget, went home last week after a 154-day session in which it appropriated \$12,321,635,000. This was more than any session of Congress has ever appropriated in time of peace, and two thumping billions more than Congress voted even in 1935, when it handed out the two-billion dollar Soldiers' Bonus.

It brought the 75th Congress' spending total to \$21,656,174,000 for all three sessions. It shot the net deficit for fiscal 1938 up to \$1,250,000,000, and forecast a deficit of at least \$3,722,000,000 for fiscal 1939. It meant that the national debt, which stood at \$37,379,410,474 on June 1, had a good chance of passing \$40,000,000,000 by this time next year, an increase of \$2,000,000,000 since Franklin Roosevelt took office. Spending was by all odds the biggest job performed by the 75th Congress. Its other work done:

Wages and Hours. To satisfy the President's pet piece of legislation, Congress last week passed a compromise bill fixing minimum wages at 25c an hour, maximum hours at 44 a week, providing for a 40-40-hour standard after seven years, with flexible provisions making it tolerable to the industrial South which has opposed the President from getting it before.

Anti-Monopoly. To satisfy the President's trust-busting urge, Congress finally appropriated \$500,000 to a committee to investigate a monopoly, left \$400,000 of the appropriation under direct Presidential control.

Crop Control. The second Agricultural Adjustment Act, on the President's calendar for the special session but not passed until February, gave the Secretary of Agriculture full power to control crop marketing by voluntary co-operation if possible, by compulsion if necessary.

Tax Revision. Not for Franklin Roosevelt but for business, Congress drastically revised the unpopular levies on capital gains and undistributed corporate profits.

Farm Loan Interest. Only major veto of the session was placed by Franklin Roosevelt on a bill to extend for two years the "emergency" rate of 3 1/2% on Federal Land Bank loans to farmers. Last week both Houses overrode the President.

Railmen's Insurance. Although failing to fashion a crutch for the staggering railroads, Congress last week passed a bill taking railway employees out of the unemployment insurance systems of the States and putting them under a Federal system handled by the Railroad Retirement Board. Benefits: \$1.75 to \$3 per day for up to 80 days of idleness per year. Source of revenue: a 3% payroll tax on wages up to \$300 per month.

Permanent Postmasters. Neatest political trick of the session was the Senate's confirmation in the last nine days of the session of 2,072 new Democratic postmasters of the first, second and third classes, coupled with its passage of a bill placing these offices under the Civil Service, with life tenures like fourth class postmasters and postal employees.

Phosphates for fertilizer worried the President. Congress voted him last week a \$10,000,000 survey of U. S. phosphate resources to be made by a Congressional Committee.

Drigible. The President wanted the Navy to try again with a \$3,000,000 dirigible successor to the Shenandoah. Akron and Macon, all

of which came to disaster in 1925, 1933, 1935 respectively. The House said "No." The Senate voted \$500,000 to start work and last week got it through in the final efficiency Bill.

"Flood Control." Just when TVA admitted that power production was 52% of its reason for building Federal dams, the Administration last week brought up its flood control bill in the Senate with a provision empowering the Government to take title to any and all lands involved in any and all dams, reservoirs or other flood control projects paid for entirely by the U. S. (retroactive to 1928). States' rights champions howled loudly. Cried Utah's Democratic Senator King: "This will break the back of the entire private utility industry!" Filibuster threatened, but failed and \$375,000,000 bill for flood control was passed with this provision.

Jefferson Memorial. Hanging fire for over a year has been a plan to memorialize Thomas Jefferson by revamping Washington's Tidal Basin. The late architect, John Russell Pope submitted a design which the Fine Arts Commission had not approved. Senator Clegg blasted the way for a \$50,000 appropriation to start building the Pope design whether the Commission likes it or not.

Naval Officers. To staff the expanding Navy, Congress authorized a personnel increase of 1,043 officers by 1942, at a payroll of \$3,000,000.

Natural Gas. Congress decided that there was a public interest affected by interstate transmission and sale of natural gas, so declared such gas subject to the Federal Power Commission.

Sec. In a section of the 1938 Revenue Act, amendments to the bankruptcy law and a measure framed by Senator Francis T. Maloney.

Congress notably extended the powers of SEC. To give utility holding companies special tax treatment on gains or losses resulting from property transfers ordered by SEC, to issue advisory reports on bankruptcies under famed Section 7B (where the failure is less than \$3,000,000, the court may ask SEC for a report; where more than \$3,000,000 it must ask); to regulate over-the-counter security sales.

Wheat Acreage. Next year's wheat acreage was to have been limited by law to 45,000,000 acres. Congress upped that figure to 55,000,000 despite this year's bumper crop prospects from 80,000,000 acres.

Civil Air Authority. All civil aeronautics, including air mail services, were put under a Civil Air Authority composed of five members and an Administrator. The Authority was told to report whether or not (and how) the Government should help create a national system of airports.

New Judges. During its first session, the 75th Congress killed Franklin Roosevelt's plan to enlarge the Supreme Court; but in its third session, it did create the 20 new minor Federal judgeships he had requested.

Housing. Congress extended in time and broadened in scope Federal mortgage insurance; upped USA's loan funds to \$800,000,000. RFC. Congress reimbursed RFG for moneys advanced for Relief and empowered it to make loans to businesses and municipalities to aid Recovery.

Merchant Marine. Congress extended the Maritime Commission's

power to fix rates, and to insure ship mortgages up to \$200,000,000. It created a Maritime Labor Board with mediation powers.

Work Undone . . .

WASHINGTON—In an election year, no Congress continues bucking a President who wants to spend big money. In May, when Senator Claude Pepper of Florida was renominated on a straight pro-Roosevelt ticket, Congress hastily set about giving Franklin Roosevelt what he wanted. Result was that the session closed with an unusually brief score of work undone. Its chief omissions:

Railroads. Because Labor insisted that the railroad industry give up its demand for a 15% wage cut if a bill for railroad relief was allowed to pass Congress, the session closed without anything being done for the railroads. Result: Unless the Interstate Commerce Commission closes its eyes to the facts, and certifies to the RFC that the hard-pressed roads can repay loans made to them, it is likely that within a few months most U. S. railroads will be bankrupt.

Reorganization. Alert representatives sensed that the President's plan for reorganizing the executive branch of the Government was one of his few unpopular proposals. It shelved it, went home without attempting to do anything about it.

Regional Planning. The creation of seven "little TVA's" throughout the land is the dream of Senator Norris of Nebraska, who sired big TVA. The President put this program on his Must list for the special session last fall, let it be forgotten when the ruckus within TVA broke out. Last bill on the subject submitted was "National Planning Act of 1938," which proposed to curb floods, improve navigation, conserve water, soil, forests, etc., did not mention Power.

Franklin Roosevelt's Balance Sheet . . .

NEW YORK—Revealed this week are the full results of an extraordinary survey on the popularity of Franklin D. Roosevelt, conducted by Fortune Magazine. Using the same scientific sampling of the electorate by which it was able to predict the results of the 1936 election with an error of less than 1%, Fortune prepared a balance sheet of Franklin Roosevelt's popularity. Its prime facts:

Popular are: His methods, disliked by 40%, liked by 35.5%; his reorganization bill, disliked by 38.3%, liked by 22.3%; his advisers and associates, disliked by 32.3%, liked by 28.5%.

Unpopular are: His methods, disliked by 40%, liked by 35.5%; his reorganization bill, disliked by 38.3%, liked by 22.3%; his advisers and associates, disliked by 32.3%, liked by 28.5%.

Spies Seized . . .

NEW YORK—Guenter Gustave Rumrich, an American Army deserter of Austrian parentage, was arrested in February in a clumsy attempt to steal passport blanks promptly implicated several German-Americans in attempts to steal Army aircraft designs and military secrets. G-men and U. S. Attorney Lamar Hardy went spy-hunting forthwith, and by last week they were able to hand a Federal Grand Jury a large chart showing the operations of the spy ring. Five days later, the Grand Jury returned indictments in the most serious charges of espionage ever made by the U. S. against a friendly power. Said Attorney Hardy: "The directing heads of this ring reside in Germany and are connected with the Government of that country. (They) paid these agents in the U. S., all of whom were of German extraction, various sums of money for furnishing certain information concerning our national defense."

Of 18 alleged spies named in the indictments, 14 are believed to have left the U. S. Two are minor officials of the German War Ministry. In captivity awaiting trial are only four: Otto Hermann Voss, onetime employee in the experimental section of Seversky Aircraft Corp. at Farmingdale, L. I., charged with shipping information on U. S. Army planes to Germany; Guenter Rumrich; a U. S. Army private named Erich Glaser; reheaded Johanna Hofmann, a hairdresser on the German liner Europa and messenger of the ring, charged with transmitting to their employers the secret code used by Army planes in communicating with their stations. Unlike Germany, the U. S. does not punish espionage by death in peacetime. Slightest sentence: the spies used on any count was 20 years imprisonment.

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Side Glances - - - - - By George Clark



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PEEP SHOW - For Ladies Only - BY MIGNON

I'm too old to worry Concerning my looks Too fat to squabble About fancy cooks Too tired to grapple With fame-baited hooks But I revel each hour That I have with my books.

How fortunate we are today to be able to reach out and find an old friend, visit with him an hour and then when work presses, put him aside and tell him to come again without his getting a bit hurt at you. That is our privilege when we can claim a book for a companion. There is no community so small nor out of the way that good books cannot be had. A post card will bring you any book you may want from your state loan library, if there is none nearer.

In the biography of Jack London, now appearing in the Saturday Evening Post, it told how he, as a child, discovered the wonderland of books. He had read a few books, borrowed from neighbors, but when his mother and stepfather moved to Los Angeles, he found out about the public library. The Post article tells what it meant to him:

Dimly the child knew that there were other and more beautiful books but he had no conception of how to get them. He had never dreamed that there was such a thing as a public library, a building that had thousands of books, all of them free for the asking. Jack London dated his spiritual birth from the moment that he stood, cap in hand, in the doorway of the wooden building, his eyes wide with unbelieving that there could be so many books in the world. From that day on, though he would undergo agonies of the brain and soul, though he would be beaten and displaced and cast out as a pariah, never again would he be alone.

Without a public library close at hand, Jack London, child of squalor and poverty, probably never could have developed as a literary figure. In time his works were to pay back to the world all that it cost to make library facilities available to him.

The June bride gets all the showers before the weddings and the husband gets all the thunder and lightning after.—Bridgeport Post.

They say down in Texas They're gathering in throngs To hear an old cowboy Sing favorite songs. Will he be governor? That no one knows He's so naive and clever Mixing his doughs. The kind that you sing with Which is followed by mi The kind that you bake with And the kind that you see Being gathered in barrels Which this guy passes out And draws them in bulging There's never a doubt. Will he be governor? No one can tell But he's got them all wondering And his singing is swell.

No Silence Heard—by Thelma Brethaupt, Tardy Publishing Co., Dallas, Texas. No Silence Heard came to my desk this week with a beautiful in-

Actress Seeking a Bank Account



Madge Bellamy, screen actress pictured above, doesn't look particularly worried for a person who had just mislaid a bank account. But that's what happened, and a court commissioner in Los Angeles ordered her to go out and locate it. The incident occurred during a trial in which Mrs. Jennie Davis sought to attach land purchased by Madge's father, W. B. Philpott, on the ground \$2143 was still due. Philpott contended the money had been paid, and his daughter set out to find the account from which payment was made.

Whether or not an unemployed man may obtain unemployment benefits depends upon his "work record" which is listed with the Unemployment Compensation Commission in Austin. Employers supply this work record when the man is working. It shows for whom he worked, how long he worked and what his salary was.

A group of 45 National Youth Administration boys are working part-time at the vocational and technical high school in San Antonio helping build playground equipment and renovating school desks and other furnishings. J. C. Kellam, State Youth Director, has announced.

LYRIC BROWNWOOD, TEXAS FRI-SAT, JULY 1-2 SPECIAL ADDED ATTRACTION SCHMELING LOUIS Fight Also By Blow -ALSO- "LITTLE MISS THOROUGHBRD" Saturday Midnight SUN.-MON.-TUES, JULY 2-5 RUDY VALLEE ROSEMARY LANE "GOLD DIGGERS IN PARIS" WED.-THURS, JULY 6-7 WARNER BAXTER FREDDIE BARTHOLOMEW -In- "KIDNAPPED"

Movie Scrapbook.

JOAN WOODBURY HEIGHT, 5 FEET, 4 1/2 INCHES. WEIGHT, 117 POUNDS. BROWN HAIR, BLUE EYES. EXOTIC TYPE. BORN, DEC. 17, 1915. IN LOS ANGELES, CALIF. UNMARRIED. MOST RECENT PICTURES: FORTY NAUGHTY GIRLS AND LIVING ON LOVE! DANCED IN HOLLYWOOD NIGHT SPOTS WHILE GOING TO HIGH SCHOOL. HAS HAD SEVERAL LEADS IN WESTERN. MADE A VAUDEVILLE TOUR WITH FRANCIS LEDERER AND WON ACCLAIM FOR HER SPANISH DANCING. SHE'S A CANDID CAMERA BUG!

The enormous increase in publicity material reaching daily and weekly newspapers during the past few years, emanating from the various Federal governmental agencies, comes in for considerable attention at the hands of the Texas Weekly, always alert to point out government extravagance.

Too Much Publicity

Government mail has long been a source of annoyance to newspaper editors, who handle hundreds of government "releases" each week.

There is a definite place in the average governmental department for a publicity department, or a department of public information, as they prefer to be called. Many governmental functions are of definite news interest; many of them are worthless without proper publicity to make these services available to the people. But there is definitely no need for the huge volume of mail which the post-office department is required to deliver free to thousands of newspapers in America daily, and which contributes greatly to the annual postoffice deficit.

Just what constitutes news is a debatable and never answered question. To the individual most interested, an insignificant item may become news value, although containing nothing of news interest to other readers. To the government official, news of his department may seem of great importance, while to the taxpayer or newspaper reader, the news value is not obvious. Possibly the government works on the theory that it is best to furnish news of all activities, in the hope that some of them will find their way into the newspapers.

The Texas Weekly discloses that Texas newspapers alone receive more than a million and a quarter news letters from government departments each year. The government, according to this authority, is spending between thirty and forty million dollars annually for publicity. This is a tremendous amount of money to be spent on material which largely finds its way into the wastebaskets of the thousands of newspapers throughout the country.

The Dallas grand jury has hit upon a sure-fire way to close the bookie shops in Dallas, which have been flourishing in spite of stringent laws against their operation. Arrests of operators had been ineffective in stopping the operations, so the grand jury ordered everyone found in the bookie establishments arrested and brought before the grand jury as witnesses. Nearly two hundred customers were thus rounded up and brought before the grand jury during the past two days.

Closing Bookie Shops

It was felt for a time that bookie shops would lose their popularity in Texas when the race track betting was outlawed, and no doubt they have lost some business. But betting on the horse race is a popular pastime in the cities, and the bookies have continued in business. The loss of business to legitimate channels is tremendous, as any merchant in Dallas, Fort Worth, San Antonio or Houston will tell you, for every dollar that goes to the bookies is lost to retail trade. And Texas merchants need every dollar they can get in these times.

The grand jury has found the answer to the problem. Wholesale round-ups of the customers soon will dry up these establishments.

Over in Knoxville, Tennessee a few days ago a man took two shots at a candid camera fan who was about to take his picture. Luckily, the photographic subject was a poor shot, and no harm resulted. But the incident will cause many a person to say "I told you so," for shooting a candid camera addict has not been unexpected for these many months.

Candid Cameras

Like most American fads and hobbies, the candid camera idea has been so overworked as to become more of a nuisance than the value of photography, and particularly informal photography, deserves. For there is definitely a place for informal photography as a hobby, as an art, or as a contribution to news photography.

The annoying feature of the present trend in news photography, and a trend which is causing some concern among newspaper executives, is the apparent desire of the photographer to catch the subject in an awkward or embarrassing pose. Odd angle photographs which have come into popularity with the mushroom growth of picture magazines, increased interest in pictures, but did not warrant the development of the awkward-angle and embarrassing feature which is in danger of becoming predominant in news photography.

Newspaper and syndicate editors have been watching the trend with some anxiety, and the Knoxville incident will not come as a shock to them, although apparently this particular picture was being taken as routine work. Smashing of cameras by temperamental dignitaries is not new, but taking a few shots at the photographer is something else. Possibly the unfortunate Knoxville occurrence will result in a return to more conservative and more valuable news photographs.

The American people are continuing to needlessly destroy property, investments, jobs and opportunities, with fire.

Needless Destruction

The total estimated direct fire loss for the first three months of this year was in excess of \$83,000,000. If indirect loss is added, the real total is several hundred millions for this 90-day period—indirect loss is by far the greater part of fire waste.

What this waste means to the country should be understood by everyone. It means that factories are being destroyed—thus throwing people out of productive employment and reducing purchasing power. It means that tax-paying property is being taken off the tax-rolls by fire—thus increasing the burden that must be borne by all other tax-paying property. It means that thousands of human beings are being cremated alive annually—because we are careless, thoughtless and ignorant when it comes to controlling fire.

We have no alibi. In no other civilized country is the per capita fire loss as great as in the United States. Nowhere else do people take destructive fire for granted, and do so little to prevent it. The wonder is not that our fire loss is so disgracefully high, but that it is not higher still.

Whether this waste shall continue is a problem that must be put squarely up to every citizen. The majority of all fires can be prevented. A little knowledge, a few minutes of time—that is all that is needed. Are you willing to give that little effort in order to help stop the inexcusable human and material waste now caused by fire?

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson

THE RATE OF DISINTEGRATION OF THE ELEMENT URANIUM, INTO LEAD AND HELIUM, FURNISHES SCIENCE ONE OF THE MOST ACCURATE HISTORICAL CLOCKS FOR MEASURING THE AGE OF THE EARTH.

THE TEMPERATURE AT THE TEN-MILE LEVEL ABOVE THE EQUATOR IS ABOUT 110 DEGREES F. BELOW ZERO, WHILE ABOVE THE ARCTIC CIRCLE IT IS ONLY ABOUT 60 BELOW.

ELECTRIC EELS HAVE TO KEEP THEIR BATTERIES CHARGED! THEIR POWER TO SHOCK IS EXHAUSTED EASILY AND MUST BE BUILT UP BY REST AND FOOD.



McCraw Will Address Local Voters July 11



William McCraw

Attorney General William McCraw will bring his campaign for Governor to Brownwood at 8:30 p. m., Monday, July 11.

McCraw, on a state-wide campaign tour, will speak earlier that day in Olney, Breckenridge and Cross Plains before coming here. Local McCraw supporters are expecting delegations from all over the county to be here for McCraw's speech.

The Dallas man, who is now serving his second term as attorney general, is expected to outline the farm and ranch program which is part of his gubernatorial platform when he speaks here. He has advocated a farmer-rancher council to work with state officials in improving farm and ranch life and to work out a program of rural betterment.

This will be McCraw's first campaign visit to Brownwood, although he visited here recently en route to San Antonio after speaking at the Coleman Lions club, where former Senator Walter Woodward described him as a man "who will make Texas a good governor."

Hunter to Speak Here

Tom F. Hunter, Wichita Falls oil man, will speak here Tuesday night in behalf of his candidacy for Governor. He resumed his campaign this week after suffering a temporary collapse in Dallas last week end.

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Lubbock Senator Is Heard Wednesday in Behalf of Candidacy



G. H. Nelson

Senator G. H. Nelson of Lubbock county Wednesday morning brought his campaign for Lieutenant Governor to Brownwood for a second time. He spent three hours here greeting voters along the streets and in their businesses.

Author of the bill which wiped racetrack gambling from the state, Nelson reaffirmed his opposition to legalized gambling, the open saloon and the sale of liquor by the drink. An aggressive campaigner, Nelson assailed the attendance record of his opponent, Coke Stevenson of Junction.

"Exclusive of his two terms as Speaker, Stevenson has missed 47 per cent of the roll calls since he has been a member of the Legislature," Nelson thumbed the House Journals.

"During the special session last year when the Legislature was considering the serious problem of raising money to pay the old age pensions and teachers' retirement and for aid to the blind and dependent and neglected children, where was Stevenson when the people needed him most? He missed nineteen of the session."

Nelson voiced his opposition to the repeal of the chair store tax law, labeling himself "a friend of the little merchant." He said he cast the deciding vote in the Senate which placed the tax on the "chain gang."

Questioned on the pensions, Nelson pointed out that he had voted to finance the social security program, which includes aid to the aged needy. He favors larger educational appropriations especially for rural aid, and believes in soil conservation. Nelson has been touring the state for four months. Last week he returned to West Texas where

the people have elected him to the offices of county attorney, district attorney and State Senator. He has never been opposed for a second term.

Madeira for Wild Flowers

There are seven hundred species of wild flowers growing on the Madeira Islands, many of them found nowhere else in the world or only in the West Indies.

Scott's Curiosities

In Sir Walter Scott's old home, Abbotsford, can be seen the crucifix of Mary Queen of Scots, Napoleon's pistol and blotter, a tumbler from which Burns drank, Rob Roy's gun, and other articles.

Poland's Riviera

Gdynia, the miracle port on the Baltic, is not only a busy harbor, but the seashore playground of Poland; her Riviera, whose expanse is crowded with tourists.

Wordsworthshire

The English Lake District is the wildest, grandest excursion region of England, a region of thirty-five square miles, which because of its association with the poet, is sometimes called Wordsworthshire.

The Bookman's Paradise

The bookman's paradise is Leipzig, Germany, where there are over a thousand publishers and shops devoted to the trade, and where books have been the chief manufacture for 200 years.

The Host That Is Italy

Italy entertains a quarter of a million visitors every month in the year who stay an average of two weeks. Every year they leave three quarters of a billion dollars behind spent for souvenirs, scenery and supplies.

A home economics cottage, which National Youth Administration boys are assisting in building at the Dunbar High school in Mexia, is nearing completion. J. C. Kellam, State Youth Director, has announced. The structure includes foods and clothing laboratories, a living and dining room, a fitting room and pantry.

Thirty-six youths in DeWitt county are working part-time on an NYA farm produce cannery project at Cuero. Youths assist in canning vegetables and meats, and process approximately 300 cans daily.

Garage 400 Years Old

At the Castle of Amboise, near Tours, France, is a "garage" with inside driveways windings up from floor to floor. It has been there since the 16th century, when kings used to drive up the runways in royal coaches.

THE CAMPAIGNING O'DANIEL FAMILY



Pictured above is the family of W. Lee O'Daniel, Fort Worth flour merchant whose band of Musical Hill Billies, radio entertainers, accompany him on all his speaking engagements. In the picture above are, front row, Pat O'Daniel, 19; Mrs. O'Daniel and W. Lee O'Daniel; back row, Mike, 18, and Molly, 16. The crowd which heard O'Daniel speak in Brownwood Monday night filled the Howard Payne athletic park to capacity.

CROWD AT O'DANIEL SPEECH HERE MONDAY FILLS HPC STADIUM

W. Lee O'Daniel came to town this week, and his coming brought together the largest crowd ever assembled in Brownwood for a political meeting. O'Daniel, Fort Worth flour manufacturer turned candidate for Governor, spoke, sang and in general entertained the crowd Monday night at Howard Payne football field, which held for the night a larger crowd than ever pushed through the gates at a football game.

O'Daniel spoke from the top of a bus in which he and his hill billy band travel, and the talk was interspersed with music from the hill billies, whose radio performances also staged and managed by O'Daniel, are partly responsible for the enormous crowds which have greeted the candidate at every appearance. During the speaking, the musicians passed through the crowd with barrels, collecting campaign funds, and quite a few coins were dropped into the containers.

The candidate has no platform except the ten commandments, and the talk he made here Monday night seemed incidental to the entertainment features of the meeting, but at the close of the program when O'Daniel asked for a showing of hands of those who would vote for him, nearly every hand was raised. And there were fully as many people there as there are voters in Brown county.

O'Daniel would run the government like he runs his successful flour business, he said. He would call together a "board of directors" of Texas business men, who would work out a business program for the state. This board, serving without pay, would "iron out some of the tax inequalities." He favors advertising Texas, since advertising, he says, has increased his own flour sales 300 per cent.

The candidate said he believed in payment of \$30 monthly pensions to every Texan past 65 years of age, regardless of circumstances, and said he believed this could be done by putting the state "on a business basis."

From Brownwood O'Daniel went to Lampasas Tuesday noon and Tuesday night spoke in Austin, where he drew an enormous crowd in the politically-minded capital variously estimated at from 15,000 to 25,000. The crowd at Brownwood was estimated at from 5,000 to 10,000 people, with most people favoring the larger figure.

Work has begun on a National Youth Administration Work Project for improving the athletic field at the Levelland High school. The youths are now assisting in building a fence around the grounds, sodding the area, and planting and cultivating trees and shrubbery.

The Radio City Music Hall is big; but at Brunswick in Germany the world's largest picture auditorium, seating 400,000 people, makes it seem small.

Starting Again



PAULETTE GODDARD, film actress . . . She's getting her hair fixed up pretty for a role in the new movie, "The Young in Heart," after breaking away from the management of Charlie Chaplin, who gave her her first movie job.

E. O. Thompson to Speak



Ernest Thompson, candidate for Governor of Texas, will speak in Brownwood July 25 at 2:30 p. m. at the courthouse. His supporters in this area are anticipating a large crowd to hear the candidate.

A National Youth Administration Work Project employing 40 El Paso youths in the City Maintenance Shops has been approved. The youths will work in four shifts and will receive training in carpentry and mechanics.

Go North Young Man

One of the first astonishments which come to tourists going to Europe is that London, Paris, Berlin and Rome are all nearer the North Pole than New York.

Going to Have a Fine Funeral

Once a week during Lent, a medieval society in Poland, known as "The Society of the Happy Death," has a procession in Cracow, dressed in death's robes and carrying lighted candles. All members pray for a happy death whether on battlefields or in bed.

Faster Than Horses Can Gallop

Visitors to the towering Mont St. Michel off the coast of northwestern France can reach it by a causeway from the mainland, but when the tide comes in the advancing foam roars in faster than horses can gallop.

Coral Reef Mountains

The Dolomite mountains in Italy, unlike all other mountains in Europe, are believed to be ancient coral reefs that were once below the sea. Today they comprise one of the loveliest tourist regions of the continent.

Children Are Lucky

It is an ancient belief among seamen that children bring good luck to a ship, which may be one reason why trans-atlantic liners usually have playrooms for the thousands of children who cross the sea with their parents every year.

American's English Garden

At Munich in Bavaria one of the finest parks is the 600 acre "English Garden," which was made a hundred and fifty years ago by the eccentric but learned American, Count Rumford.

Runaway Plane Jails Poet's Son



Capt. Ugo V. D'Annunzio, 49-year-old aviator son of the late Italian poet, Gabriele D'Annunzio, is pictured in center foreground above, as he was arrested at the Seversky Airport, Farmingdale, L. I., after his grounded plane got away from him, wrecked an automobile and seriously injured the woman occupant. The Italian World War ace, held in \$500 bail for third-degree assault, will face a Department of Commerce inspector's charge that he had no license to operate an airplane.

The Great Things of Life

All the great things of life, says Bruce Barton, are expressed by words of one syllable: love, hope, joy, home, faith. So are the words for travel: ship, boat, road, line, inn, ride, hike, fly, sail, walk, room, cruise, drive, trip, car, train, come and go.

At Home in Berlin

Berlin is not so full of Germans as some imagine. The City Year Book shows that over a hundred thousand people of other nationalities love the city well enough to live there permanently, nearly two thousand originating on the American continent.

Glasgow for Haggis

Haggis, the Scottish national dish, consisting chiefly of oatmeal, onions, suet, the heart, liver and lungs of a sheep, all cooked in the paunch of the animal, is found best in the restaurants of Glasgow, which city exports large quantities in tins to other Scots.

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

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Advertisement for W. Lee O'Daniel & his Hillbilly Boys. Text includes: RADIO SCHEDULE, W. LEE O'DANIEL & his Hillbilly Boys, POLITICAL PROGRAMS on The TEXAS QUALITY NETWORK: (WFAA-Dallas, WBAP-Ft. Worth, KPRC-Houston, WOAI-San Antonio) TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY at 12:45 Noon, HILLBILLY FLOUR PROGRAMS: TUESDAY AND THURSDAY MORNINGS at 6:45-AM SUNDAY MORNING at 8:30-AM, Paid for by HARRY KNOX CO. Wholesale Distributors for W. LEE O'DANIEL, The "Common Citizen's" Candidate for Governor of Texas (Pol. Adv.) (24-25)

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**B'wd Trainmaster Is Promoted by Santa Fe**

Clarence R. Tucker, present Santa Fe trainmaster at Brownwood will succeed the late F. H. Christian as superintendent of the Southern Division at Temple, effective July 1. It was announced today by R. E. Ball, assistant general manager of the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe at Galveston.

Arthur B. Clements, present trainmaster at Beaumont, will succeed Tucker at Brownwood. Mar-

shall M. Killen, present general manager of the Gulf Division of the Santa Fe will succeed Clements at Beaumont, Mr. Ball stated.

All three appointees are veteran Santa Fe men, it was stated.

**Don't for Tourists**

Don't look for the Sistine Madonna in the Sistine Chapel at Rome; it is in Dresden. Don't look for Mons Meg, the great cannon, at Mons in Belgium; it is in Edinburgh Castle. Don't look for Londonberry near London; it is in Ireland.

**Montuary**

**TOMLINSON**—Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Parlee Tomlinson, 55, were held at 4 p. m. Wednesday from the Baptist church in Prairie, Texas, with the Rev. Mr. McClond conducting. Burial was in Rock Springs cemetery. Mrs. Tomlinson died at her home in Mullin Tuesday at 5:30 a. m.

She was born September 13, 1885, in Brown county. She was a mem-

ber of the Baptist church for 21 years.

Survivors include her husband, G. Y. Tomlinson; two daughters, Mrs. J. F. Johnson of Kilgore, and Mrs. Dick Jones of Zephyr; two grandchildren, and her mother, Mrs. J. B. Scoggins of Brownwood; her sisters, Mrs. John Bell of Ring Star, Mrs. C. C. Gunter of Zephyr, Mrs. T. E. Stevens of Brownwood; Mrs. W. A. Jenkins of Stephenville and Mrs. Jennie Bishop of Decatur; her brothers, J. H. Scoggins of Odessa, J. L. Scoggins

of Abilene, J. F. Scoggins of San Antonio and J. C. Scoggins of Brownwood.

Pallbearers were A. B. Simpson, Silas Stevens, Fred Johnson, Leroy Johnson, Jack McCurdy and Elzie Smith.

**WHITE**—Funeral services for Jas. Wesley White, 29, were held at 4 p. m. Tuesday from White & London Funeral Home. Mr. White died Sunday.

Born July 21, 1909, Mr. White for the past two years had been an

employee of the city of Gladewater. He was the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Settle.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. J. W. White, and two children, Weldon Morris, 3, and Delta Jane, six months; his mother, Mrs. Jennie Pilkington, Brownwood; sisters, Mrs. W. B. Lane, Brownwood; Mrs. B. P. Duke, Gladewater; Emily Jean Pilkington, Brownwood; and three brothers, W. S. White, Marcus Pilkington and Harry Lee Pilkington, all of Brownwood.

**Museum of Doctor's Fees**

At Lillehammer in Norway is a great folk museum containing many priceless Norse antiques. It was started by a doctor fifty years ago, who used to accept pieces of old furniture from family attics in place of cash payment for his services. A relic a day kept the doctor's bill away.

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Pet shops in Italy frequently have no addresses, for they consist of large batteries of cages mounted on a set of wheels, and the vendor pushes his "shop" from street to street accompanied by barking puppies and squawking parrots.

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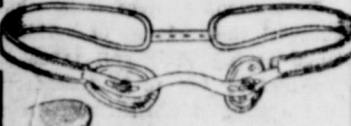
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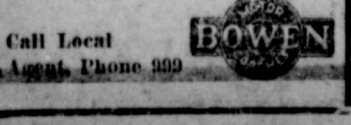
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**ON TEXAS FARMS**

**Texas Representatives At National Meeting**  
Miss Mildred Horton, vice director of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service, and Miss Bennie Campbell, Extension district agent, are representing Texas at the 31st annual meeting of the American Home Economics Association, which will be held in Pittsburgh June 28-July 1.

Miss Horton is chairman of the extension division of the association and will preside over the meeting while committee reports in her division are given.

Reports on the family as a unit will be given by Grace Henderson of Cornell University; on housing by Virginia P. Moore, Tallahassee, Florida; and on home economics in education through libraries by Ethelwyn Dodson, California; Mary Brady, Wisconsin, and Mary Frayser, South Carolina.

Miss Campbell, a councillor of this association of home economists, which has more than 10,000 members, carries with her the invitation of San Antonio for the next convention to meet in the Alamo City.

The invitation is supplemented by Texas groups of home economists and other interested agencies.

**Grasshoppers Again Threaten Texas Crops**  
Grasshoppers threaten minor to severe damage to crops in 117 Texas counties and the state allotment of poison material from federal sources is exhausted, according to R. R. Reppert, entomologist of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service and state grasshopper control leader.

**English Spoken in Latvia**  
The majority of the people of Riga, Latvia, who have any pretence to culture, speak and read five or six languages; English being the first foreign tongue taught in the schools, tourists from America have no difficulty conversing with these Baltic citizens.

**Poland Attracts American Teachers**  
Poland is attracting many American school teachers, who marvel at the Polish educational system which provides that each school have a settlement in a country place, where each class spends a month every year for study and games.

**Wheat Growers Face Poser in Loan Decision**  
Under the new farm act, a wheat loan must be offered at the rate of 52 to 75 percent of parity if the June 15 price of wheat is below 52 percent of parity or the July crop estimate is above normal domestic and export needs. It is generally agreed that the loan will be offered on both counts.

**The amount of the loan will have a long time bearing on the welfare of wheat growers, and they should study the matter from all angles before they ask for a loan on any definite level.** W. E. Morgan, economist in agricultural planning of the Extension Service of Texas A. and M. College, has pointed out.

**With the parity price of wheat at \$1.15, the loan may vary from 60 to 85 cents per bushel.**

**"The loan rate on wheat this year will have a bearing on the price of the entire crop,"** Morgan said, "so we must think not only about the 200 million bushels put up for loans but also about the price on the other 750 million bushels of wheat."

**"We have a carryover of around 200 million bushels, and it is estimated that the winter wheat crop will be 760 millions and the spring crop another 250 million. That gives us a total supply of about 1,200 million bushels.**

**"The normal domestic consumption and export of wheat is around 750 million bushels a year, so we will have left some 450 million bushels to store. We can figure on exporting between 80 and 100 million bushels.**

**"The prospects for the export figure holding up are pretty fair, but if we put the loan far above the world price of wheat, we will shut off our exports. That would mean that we would face a carryover of some 900 or more million bushels**

**Among the twenty-five states paying unemployment compensation Texas ranks among the first ten in the number of claims received. About 152,000 original claims (the first claim an unemployed man files is called "original") have been received since January 1, of which more than 97,000 have been paid benefits in the amount of \$3,261,501.11.**

**Most of the letters that come to the Unemployment Commission in Austin are from people who think the money subtracted from their pay checks is for unemployment compensation. This money is for old age insurance. The Employee does not contribute to the Unemployment Compensation Fund. These contributions are made only by the employer.**

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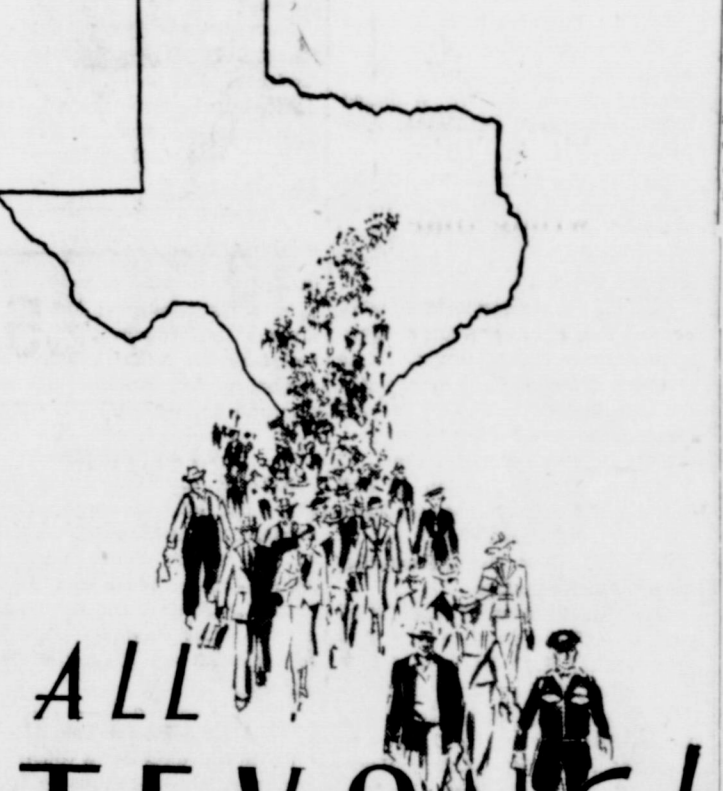
of wheat in 1933." The decision wheat growers must make, according to Morgan, is whether to ask for a high loan and let the future take care of itself, or ask for a loan at a level which will allow foreign markets to absorb some of the potential 1,200 million bushels supply of United States wheat.

Although death losses from fowl pox are not as severe as might be expected, death does occur in many cases due to stoppage of the windpipe. Even if few deaths occur, fowl pox is costly to any flock.

All birds that show symptoms of the disease should be isolated in a well ventilated room. The growths should be removed and the sores painted with tincture of iodine. A 10 percent solution of argyrol should be used if the eyes are affected. It is well to give the confined birds a weekly flush of one

**Vaccination for Fowl Pox Effective**  
Fowl pox, a very common disease of poultry, can be effectively controlled by vaccination, according to Geo. P. McCarthy, poultryman of the Extension Service of Texas A. and M. College.

The disease usually shows up as small blister-like, yellowish growths on the comb, wattles, or skin



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**Political Announcements**

The Brownwood Banner is authorized to announce the following as candidates for office in Brown County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary held in July:

**DISTRICT OFFICERS**  
For Senator: E. M. DAVIS  
For District Attorney: A. O. NEWMAN (re-election)  
For Representative: W. R. CHAMBERS Wm. R. (BHU) MURPHY J. G. HARWELL

**COUNTY OFFICERS**  
For County Judge: A. E. NABORS (Re-election) R. L. McGAUGH  
For County Attorney: CONNER SCOTT  
For Sheriff: W. E. (Jack) HALLMARK (re-election) CHAS. MANDELBAUM J. (Julie) ALLCORN ELLIS DAUGHTRY

**For County Clerk: VERNON GREEN (Re-election)**

**For Tax Assessor-Collector: WINSTON (Wink) PALMER (Re-election) GRADY COLVIN**

**For County Superintendent: CLIVE PIERCE LESLIE GRIFFIN CHARLES F. MATHEWS HARLEY H. BLACK**

**For County Treasurer: J. G. (Grundy) GAINES**

**For Justice of the Peace, Prec. 1: E. T. PERKINSON (Re-election)**

**For Commissioner, Precinct 1: R. L. (Lee) WISE A. L. POLK E. S. THOMPSON (Re-election)**

**For Commissioner, Precinct 2: MAYFIELD GIBBS**

**For Commissioner Precinct 3: BUTLER DAMRON BEN F. HUNT (re-election)**

tablespoon of soda for each gallon of water.

Loss of birds can be prevented and the flock kept in a thrifty condition by the use of fowl pox vaccine, McCarthy says. Both pullets and cockerels may be vaccinated, but cockerels which are being finished for sale as broilers or fryers should not be treated unless time is allowed to permit full recovery.

If cockerels are not vaccinated, they must be separated from the other birds. Brown birds and pullets coming into lay should not be vaccinated, McCarthy warned. The best age for treatment is between one and three months of age.

The method used is to pluck a few feathers from the thigh of the bird and to apply a very small amount of the vaccine to two follicles. Most laboratories prepare the vaccine in two containers, one with the pox powder and the other of glycerine water. When the birds are to be vaccinated, the powder is mixed with the liquid to make the correct solution.

**Yard Improvement Work Makes Headway**

The 9,955 home demonstration club members and 4-H club girls who carried on yard improvement work in 1932 under the supervision of county home demonstration agents achieved excellent results with a total cash expenditure of only \$10,122, or an average of slightly more than \$10 a yard, according to Miss Sadie Hatfield, landscape gardening specialist of the Extension Service of Texas A. and M. College.

There were 1,709 lawns leveled and sodded and 2,487 drives and walks constructed. The big improvement came in the addition of plants, with 25,372 nursery shrubs, 19,765 native shrubs and 18,906 trees for shade and background planted and living. In addition, 25,369 rose bushes were planted and are living.

Cutting beds produced 88,610 plants and shrubs which will make a showing in future years. This economical way of securing material for beautifying home surroundings is growing in popularity. There were 36,233 cuttings rooted in 1932.

The work listed above does not include work done in 1932 on demonstrations of the past. The volume of accomplishments of these yards is indicated by 14,194 trees and 12,376 shrubs planted and living.

Miss Hatfield lists among the 1937 trends a movement to include the Agricultural Conservation Program in yard improvement plans. One result of this trend has been to replace row crops around farm homes with permanent pastures or alfalfa fields.

Fort Leavenworth is one of the oldest military posts west of the Mississippi. It was built in 1827 by Col. Henry Leavenworth.



**EXTENSION SERVICE  
LISTS PROGRAMS OF  
INTEREST TO FARMERS**

July radio programs of interest to rural listeners scheduled over stations WFAA, WOAL, WTAU and KPRC at 11:30 a. m. each day follow:

July 1, Edwards Plateau, W. T. Carter, Chief, Division of Soil Survey, Experiment Station; Farm Security Administration, L. A. Machemehl, Supervisor, Farm Security Administration.

July 2, Accomplishments in the range conservation program, J. A. Scofield, Extension District Agent; Book Review, Mrs. F. L. Thomas, College Station, Texas.

July 4, Dairy Husbandry Notes, C. N. Shephardson, Head, Department of Dairy Husbandry; Horticultural Notes, Dr. Guy W. Adrignace, Head, Department of Horticulture.

July 5, Patriotism Begins at Home, Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham, Extension Editor; Agricultural Engineering Notes, Dan Scoates, Head, Department of Agricultural Engineering.

July 6, Poultry Notes, James O. Avery, Kennedy, Texas; Organization of County Councils in Education, W. E. Driskill, Deputy State Superintendent.

July 7, Highlights of the National 4-H Club Encampment (10 min.), Elizabeth Harrison, Egan; Pauline Miller, Wharton; J. D. Jordan, Mason; Ellis Britton, Plainview, Delegates to 4-H Club Encampment at Washington, D. C.

July 8, Soils of the Plains, W. T. Carter, Chief, Division of Soil Survey, Experiment Station; Farm Security Administration, L. A. Machemehl, Supervisor, Farm Security Administration.

July 9, Agricultural Conservation in Texas (Summary of 1937 Annual Report), E. N. Holmgren, Administrative Officer in Charge, Agricultural Conservation Program; Book Review, Mrs. F. L. Thomas, College Station, Texas.

**Dairy Notes**  
July 11, Dairy Husbandry Notes,

**Ask State Help  
for Movie Stars**



Once a highly-paid actress and wife of Rudolph Valentino, Jean Acker Valentino, above, leads a group of impoverished former film luminaries who have petitioned Governor Merriam of California to draft a new state "career insurance" law setting aside 10 per cent of salary and protecting stars against penniless lives when careers are ended. Mrs. Valentino is pictured during work as an extra in new movie, "The Young in Heart."

C. N. Shephardson, Head, Department of Dairy Husbandry; Agricultural Education Notes, Henry Ross, Acting Head, Department of Agricultural Education.

July 12, Pastures in East Texas, J. F. Combs, County Agricultural Agent, Beaumont; Animal Husbandry Notes, D. W. Williams, Head, Department of Animal Husbandry.

July 13, Your State Per Capita Apportionment for Schools, W. E. Driskill, Deputy State Superintendent; Poultry Notes, J. D. Moore, Newton, Texas.

July 14, Developing an Extension Service Foods Program in a County, Miss Clara Brown, County Home Demonstration Agent, Baird; Agronomic Notes, Dr. Ide P. Trotter, Head, Department of Agronomy.

July 15, Soils of the Plains, W. T. Carter, Chief, Division of Soil Survey, Experiment Station; Farm Security Administration, L. A. Machemehl, Supervisor, Farm Security Administration.

July 16, Present Wheat Situation, K. J. Edwards, Extension District Agent; Book Review, Mrs. F. L. Thomas, College Station, Texas.

July 18, Dairy Husbandry Notes, C. N. Shephardson, Head, Department of Dairy Husbandry; Horticultural Notes, Dr. Guy W. Adrignace, Head, Department of Horticulture.

July 19, That Fall Garden, Miss

Jennie Camp, Specialist in Home Production Planning, J. F. Rosborough, Extension Horticulturist; Agricultural Engineering Department Notes, Dan Scoates, Head, Department of Agricultural Engineering.

July 20, Poultry Notes, D. H. Reid, Head, Department of Poultry Husbandry; The District System in Texas and Its Progress, W. E. Driskill, Deputy State Superintendent.

July 21, Beef Cattle Development in South Texas, E. C. Martin, Extension District Agent; Agricultural Economics Notes, J. W. Barger, Head, Department of Agricultural Economics.

July 22, Mountains and Basins Area, W. T. Carter, Chief, Division of Soil Survey, Experiment Station; Farm Security Administration, L. A. Machemehl, Supervisor, Farm Security Administration.

July 23, Packing a Picnic Basket, Miss Minnie May Grubbs, Extension District Agent; Book Review, Mrs. F. L. Thomas, College Station, Texas.

July 25, Dairy Husbandry Notes, C. N. Shephardson, Head, Department of Dairy Husbandry; Agricultural Education Notes, Henry Ross, Acting Head, Department of Agricultural Education.

July 26, Use of Records in Whole Farm Demonstrations, T. R. Timm, Extension Economist in Farm Management; Animal Husbandry Notes, D. W. Williams, Head, Department of Animal Husbandry.

July 27, The Fifth Annual School Administrators Conference and County Superintendents' Conference, W. E. Driskill, Deputy State Superintendent; Poultry Notes, D. H. Reid, Head, Department of Poultry Husbandry.

July 28, Soil Conservation Activities, Paul H. Waiser, Acting State Coordinator, Soil Conservation; Agronomic Notes, Dr. Ide P. Trotter, Head, Department of Agronomy.

July 29, Alluvial Soils, W. T. Carter, Chief, Division, Soil Survey Experiment Station; Farm Security Administration, L. A. Machemehl, Supervisor, Farm Security Administration.

July 30, Some Facts About Your Camera, L. J. Franke, Extension Assistant Editor, Howard Berry, Agricultural Experiment Station Photographer; Book Review, Mrs. F. L. Thomas, College Station, Texas.

**Made in Europe**  
Going to Europe for a new idea is still the motive of many American tourists, because America has already derived from Europe the diesel engine, model housing, bath-rooms, radio, consumer co-operation and boy scouts.

**Great Little Holland**  
Holland may be little, but it owns the longest air line in the world, has the largest canal locks in the world, thinks nothing of boiling out an ocean and planting bulbs where once the fishes swam. As for great financial ability, did it not once buy Manhattan Island for \$24?

**A Paradise for Tourists**  
Czechoslovakia has a tourist club you may join, which owns 140 hotels and chalets, 24 old castles, 16 panorama lookout towers and 600 quaint old inns.

**Tone-ing Up**



Hollywood hears rumors of a Joan Crawford-Francochet, Tone marital rift, but there is certainly no trace of it in the above photo. Here are the Tones—apparently in perfect harmony, stylishly dressed, and looking up at life—as they attended the races at a Hollywood track.

**YOUNGEST MAN IN SCS  
CAMP HERE HAS LIVED  
INTERESTING CAREER**

By Captain Morris U. Lively  
Each day at Company 2818-V Robert Richard Hall goes quietly about his work as officers' orderly and canteen steward. Robert Hall is very quiet, very taciturn. He has but little to say. One would never think to look at him that ere he was seventeen years old he had "lived a lifetime" in experience. Nor would one think that Robert Hall is the youngest man in camp, hence his nickname, "Baby."

Robert Richard Hall, the son of James Lawrence and Anne Hall, was born at Mesquite, Texas, June 5, 1922. In the early months of 1917, Robert felt that he was needed, badly, on the Mexican border. In short, on the third of April of 1917 when he was only fourteen years old, the recruiting sergeant for the Company of the 2nd Texas Infantry said, "Oh, well, you are big enough to go," and Robert Hall learned to do "squads east, west 'n round-about."

**On Border Duty**  
Company B, 2nd Infantry, Texas National Guard, stayed at San Antonio until June in 1917. Robert enjoyed the sights of that historic city and there he celebrated his fifteenth birthday. From San Antonio his unit was ordered to Rio Grande City, near Fort Ringold, Texas. He stayed on the border until September 1, 1917.

Meantime the United States had entered the great war on the side of the Allies. In August, 1917, the Texas National Guard was federalized, and Robert Hall found himself, while he was only 15 years old, in the regular army. In September, 1917, the unit of which Robert was a member was moved from Fort Ringold to Camp Bowie at Fort Worth. In July of 1918, his outfit was sent to France.

**At Argonne Forest**  
In France, came many experiences for one so young as Robert Hall, or "Baby" Hall as he was known in his unit. For twenty-three days that sixteen year old boy was under fire in the Meuse Argonne Forest, Champagne defense sector. During those 23 days Robert Hall received not a scratch, although he saw hundreds die during that great battle. On one particular day, 32 men out of a platoon of 52 were killed in action.

Robert Hall tells of two unique experiences during his services in the Meuse Argonne Forest. On one day the ammunition was running very low. There had been so many casualties that no officers could be spared to send back with a detail for ammunition. The colonel of the regiment came in person and explained the gravity of the situation to the men. He asked for a volunteer to lead a party back. Sixteen-year old Robert Hall was placed in charge of eight men to go back after the ammunition.

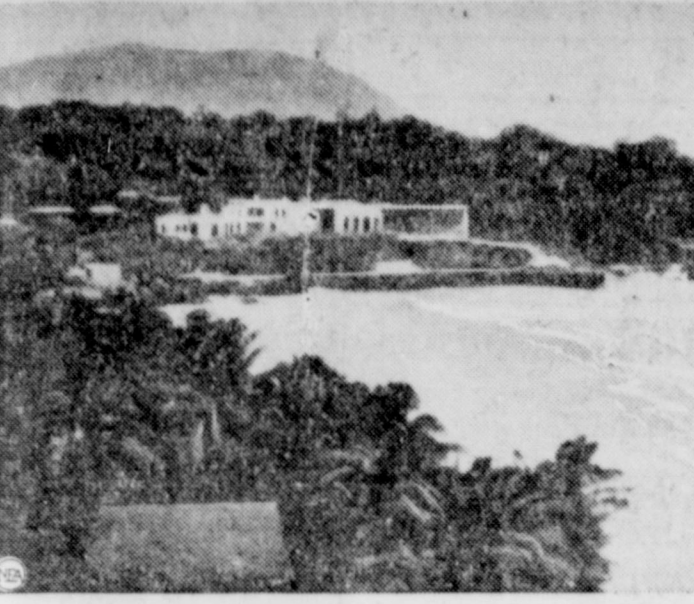
**Under Gas Attack**  
On another occasion Robert Hall's unit suffered a terrific gas attack of twelve hours duration. Robert was unscratched but men were lying everywhere suffering from the deadly effects of the gas.

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**Doris Duke's 'Forbidden House'**



Isolated on its rocky promontory with the mountains and jungle as a back yard and the foaming sea for a front lawn, here is the partly-built half-million dollar Honolulu home of James H. R. Cromwell and his wife, the former Doris Duke, pictured below. Natives were shocked when the Cromwells threw an air of secrecy about the place and by the name they gave it—Hale Kapu, "forbidden house." The tobacco heiress is one of the richest women in the world. Her husband is a money reformer.

**Indian Creek**

Rev. George Groebon, preached at the Methodist church Sunday.

The willing workers Sunday school class held a social meeting at the church Tuesday evening. The sunshine friends were revealed at this time. Refreshments were served to about twenty-five.

Miss Marie Hanle of Brownwood spent last week with her grandfather G. W. Brack.

Mrs. Henry Morgan and son Ferrel Ray left Friday for Los Angeles, California, where they will join Mr. Morgan. She has been staying with her parents Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Edwards.

Miss Mayesha Malone, county home demonstration agent, made butter cakes at a meeting of the Women's Home Demonstration club Thursday afternoon, June 23 at the clubhouse. There were nine women present.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Smith made a business trip to San Angelo one day last week.

A number of people of this community attended the W. Lee O'Daniel candidate speaking at Brownwood Monday night.

Mrs. Bruce Francis and sons, Chuck and Buck, of Abilene spent last week with relatives here.

Mrs. Carl Greer entertained her Sunday school class with a social at her home Saturday night.

Mrs. Bill Ineson of Galveston visited relatives here several days ago.

**An Oasis of Date Palms**  
Marrakech, the largest city of Morocco, at the base of the snow-capped Atlas mountains, is surrounded by an oasis of one hundred thousand date palms.

**Disappointed Tourists**  
Holland has sent out word that Hollanders do not usually wear lace caps and wooden shoes. This will be disappointing to that type of tourist who when he comes to America regrets so few Americans wear moccasins and head feathers.

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**Potato Growers Are  
Expecting Successful  
Yields This Season**

Approximately 300 acres of potatoes have been planted by farmers in the May and Wolf Valley communities, and the crops show promise of profit for growers. Harvest is just now starting. The section is peculiarly suited for the crop and commercial production probably will be extended there, as well as in other parts of the county.

Samples of large potatoes produced on the W. R. Chambers farm have been displayed in County Agent C. W. Lehmburg's office. They represented a six-acre crop which is expected to produce from 60 to 80 sacks per acre, or around 10,000 pounds of number one potatoes.

**'Hopper Menace Seems  
Under Control Here**

In the face of the possibility of the most serious grasshopper infestation in the history of the state, Texas farmers are making extensive use of poison bran mash. Infestation in Brown county is centered mainly in the Bangs section, and northwest toward Cross Cut. Only slight damage has been reported in other areas of the county.

County Agent C. W. Lehmburg's office has issued approximately 100 sacks of bran, weighing 100 pounds each, and about 100 gallons of poison. To the amount, farmers of the county have added 100 sacks of bran. The poison mixture is made up of one gallon of poison to each 200 pounds of bran mash. The poison and bran can be obtained at the agent's office and farmers whose crops are being damaged are urged to make plans immediately to combat the pests.

Reports received from county agricultural agents indicate that the poison has been, in most cases, effective. Kills ranging from 60 to 95 per cent have been generally reported by the farmers.

This year Texas was allotted 300 carloads of bran, each accompanied with 400 gallons of sodium arsenite. Approximately 50 carloads were available from the 1937 allotment, giving the state a total supply of 700 carloads. This amount was enough to scatter poison at the rate of 10 pounds an acre over almost 3 million acres.

State officials announced recently that the allotment of poison material for Texas from federal sources has been exhausted. "Although the 'hoppers' invasion has been checked, enough of the pests remain to do untold damage to crops unless control measures can be continued. Present indications are that additional material may be allotted to counties where the migratory grasshoppers, which are the most dangerous species, are present.

**Ou-u-u-u-ch!**



Film Comedienne Martha Raye must have had her chin out when she dived in the pool on the set of "Give Me a Sailor," her current picture. In any event, she came up spluttering and rubbing her jaw, as pictured above, and if she's not in agony she's putting on a good act.

**Voters Must Change**

Brownwood voters who have changed their places of residence since paying their poll taxes are required by law to be transferred to the ward in which they now reside before July 18, according to announcement by County Tax Assessor-Collector Winston Palmer.

**Means Birth**

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Means of Winchell announce the birth of a daughter in Stump Hospital Wednesday morning.

**Johnson Infant**

Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Johnson of the birth of a daughter, Martha Ellen, Friday, June 24. Mr. Johnson Beverly Hills, California, announce is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Johnson, for many years residents of Brownwood.

**Pearls in Scotland**

Believe it or not, pearl-bearing mussels abound in Scotland's many rivers; and for centuries valuable pearls have frequently been found. In the 19th century Scottish pearl fishers often made from 60 to 150 dollars weekly.

**Stewart's Leave**

Alton W. Stewart, for a number of years proprietor of a radio fixture shop in Brownwood, will leave with his family July 1 for Fort Worth, where Stewart has accepted a position as radio mechanic at the Central Bureau of Air Commerce. His appointment to the position was based upon a rigid technical examination.

**Norway's Coastline**

Counting indentations and sinuities the coastline of Norway measures about 12,600 miles, or an ocean strand that would stretch half way around the world.

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Tom Moore's Guess 7133  
Frank Griffin's guess 7125  
Mrs. L. E. Shaw's guess 7133

THE CAPITAL PRIZE of \$25—offered by Peters will be announced later, as they write us, some merchants have not yet sent in their guesses in this contest. Winners please call, receive \$1 each.