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y Mayor Thompson issu- ollowing statement:

has been so much discus- agitation of the light tter that my object in he mass meeting was to people an opportunity to themselves as to whether hey wanted a municipal Brownwood.

of a population of 14,000, veral days of advertising blicity, we were able to a crowd of less than one Forty-four of those pres- a standing vote expressed es as favorable to the ion while fourteen opposed remainder of the crowd n-committal. By their ab- nd lack of interest our peo- e shown clearly that they re not interested or oppose ject and while I feel, per- that we have passed up reatest opportunity that ood ever had or ever will et I am merely the servant people and am governed by ishes and I am a game loser. now put this matter behind will devote my thoughts ergies to the many other and problems that confront your mayor."

nty Schools Are Closing Sessions

ing dates for a number of s throughout the county are announced. The Concord and Hill schools completed their for the year last Friday. school closed some time

tewater will close next Fri- Clio will close on May 10 and Creek on May 17. Early school will have its closing ses on May 19 and 20 with s being completed for the on May 24.

PROGRAM COMPLETED FOR PECAN MEETING IN SAN SABA COUNTY

Plans have been completed and the program announced for the spring meeting of the West Texas Pecan Growers Association, to be held Tuesday, May 7, at Locker, in San Saba county.

The convention will be held at the Marion Reavis farm, near Locker, with a luncheon for visitors at noon at the school house. J. T. Kelley and J. F. Roseborough of the state department of agriculture, Austin, and C. B. Nickels and Joe Hamilton, government pecan experts from Brownwood, will be on the program. Spraying demonstrations will be conducted by L. J. Rainey of San Angelo, and budding demonstrations by a number of pecan propagators.

The complete program is as follows:

Control of Case Bearer, C. B. Nickels, entomologist, bureau of entomology station, Brownwood.

Control of Rosette, Joe Hamilton, in charge of pecan experiment station, Brownwood.

Pecans in Diversified Farming, J. F. Roseborough, Extension Horticulturist, A. & M. College.

Varieties for West Texas and Budding Practices, J. F. Kelley, state department of agriculture, Austin.

Spraying Demonstration, L. J. Rainey, San Angelo.

Budding Demonstrations, by pecan propagators.

All pecan growers in West Texas are invited to attend the one-day meeting. L. J. Rainey of San Angelo is president of the association, and Wendell Mayes of Brownwood, secretary.

DISMISSAL OF PIPE LINE CASE REFUSED BY FEDERAL COURT

Judge William H. Atwell overruled a motion to dismiss the case of the Atlantic Pipe Line Company against Brown county, in which the company is seeking to restrain the county from collecting $5,103.70 in taxes, in federal court at San Angelo this week. The suit will be set for trial later.

The motion to dismiss the case was made on the ground of lack of jurisdiction and the claim that the State of Texas and 41 other counties in which the pipe lines run are indispensable parties to the suit. The Attorney General's department is handling the defense in the case.

Other proceedings in the San Angelo court which are of interest locally were:

Tuesday Judge William H. Atwell, presiding, made permanent an injunction he had granted previously at Wichita Falls preventing of the First National Bank of Brownwood from garnishing funds deposited in another bank by a farmer named Broun, which he had obtained from the government as a crop loan. The loan specified that the money was to be used only for the raising of a crop and feeding of livestock.

The case of the First National Bank of Medicine Lodge, Kansas, against Brown County Water Improvement District No. 1 was set for dismissal Saturday.

Judge Atwell signed an order for the removal of Dr. W. G. Gross, who operated in San Angelo as Dr. R. E. Curtis, a dentist, from the Tom Green county jail to Sioux Falls, North Dakota, where he is wanted on a federal charge of aiding and abetting H. M. Taylor in impersonating a federal officer to fraudulently obtain about $500 worth of property, including an automobile, from a Sioux Falls resident. The alleged offense occurred in December, 1933, and the indictment was returned in March, 1934. He was arrested by city police in Brownwood recently and was returned to San Angelo. He will be taken to Sioux Falls at once.

DAVIS BILLS ARE PASSED BY SENATE

Three bills sponsored in the Texas senate by Senator E. M. Davis of Brownwood were passed by that body Tuesday, according to word reaching Brownwood. The bills create a National Guard Armory Board, the Upper Colorado River authority, composed of Brown, McCulloch and Coleman counties, and give water improvement districts the authority to enact sanitary and safety regulations.

The Upper Colorado Authority bill already has passed the house, and needs only concurrence in a few corrective amendments placed on the bill by Senator Davis. The house has given indication of passing the National Guard Armory Board bill, and sentiment in the house seems to be favorable to the Water Improvement District bill.

The three measures are of great importance to this district, and have been given much consideration by Senator Davis during the present session.

CENTENNIAL PLANS GOING FORWARD AS FUNDS ARE ALLOWED

Full steam ahead is the program for the Texas Centennial Central Exposition and the other Centennial celebrations which will be held in Texas in 1936 and between this date and June of next year between $20,000,000 and $25,000,000 will flow into the trade channels of Texas in preparation for this 100th birthday party, according to Walter D. Cline, managing director of the Central Exposition.

By the time this story is printed Governor James Allred is expected to sign the bill which appropriates $3,000,000 to be spent in Texas on the Centennial. Of this amount, $1,000,000 goes into the State building at the Central Exposition; $200,000 for furnishing the building; $250,000 will be spent at San Jacinto battlefield; $250,000 at the Alamo; $500,000 for advertising Texas and the Centennial celebrations; $225,000 for the Texas museum at Austin and $575,000 for other historical celebrations.

In addition to the $3,000,000 of the state money; the city of Dallas will immediately begin the expenditure of $3,000,000 on grounds, street improvements and buying new property, and the Centennial Central Exposition will spend its $2,000,000 of private bond money subscribed by citizens of Dallas.

A request for $3,000,000 federal money to be spent on buildings and exhibits will be made at this session of Congress.

Exhibitors and Concessionaires many of whom have already expressed interest in the forthcoming celebration will spend between $10,000,000 and $15,000,000, making more than $25,000,000 which will be turned loose to spend on labor, materials and for various other Texas products.

"These expenditures will take many persons off the relief rolls of our state," Mr. Cline said here upon his return from Austin where he has been on behalf of the appropriation. "It will mean that a man can earn his living instead of being 'doled' out rations for his family. It will mean that every man, woman and child, will be directly effected by the expenditure of these $25,000,000, and will hasten Texas to recovery."

Brownwood Band Is Winner Of Second Place At Abilene

Brownwood Junior High School band won second place in its division of the eighth annual West Texas high school band contest held at Abilene Saturday. Abilene won first place and Crane won third. Brownwood's musicians scored only two points under the first place winner.

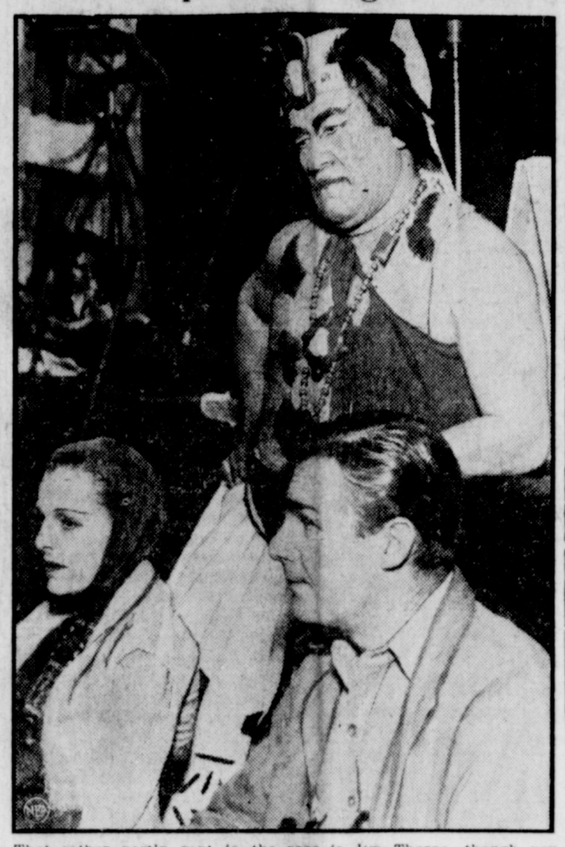
A large silver loving cup, award for winners of second place, was presented to the band. The cup will be displayed in town after it has been shown at the schools.

Two members of the local band won second places in solo contests. Billy Lehmberg, clarinet player, and Burton Denman, saxophone soloist, received medals.

W. R. Walker, director of the band, has announced that the junior band together with the senior high band will give a free concert at the high school in the near future.

Saturday — Photos 10c a dozen. Mayo Studios.

Jim Thorpe's Missing No Meals



That rather portly gent in the rear is Jim Thorpe, though you might not recognize the super-husky once greatest all-round athlete, with that extra om-bom-pwom, as the French have it, added to his mighty frame. Jim's doing well enough in Hollywood, and here is shown on the set of "She," in which he has an important part, with Helen Gahagan, the star, and Randolph Scott, who plays opposite her.

SAFETY LANE BEING CONDUCTED BY STATE HIGHWAY PATROLMEN

Drive down Safety Lane and get a ticket!

That is the opportunity being offered Brownwood motorists this week by state highway patrolmen, who are conducting Safety Lane tests here under the sponsorship of the Brownwood Lions Club.

The ticket you get will either be a certificate that your automobile is OK, or that you will be subject to arrest for traffic violations if imperfections in the mechanism of your automobile are not corrected by an authorized garage man.

The patrolmen will check brakes, horn, lights, steering-gear and trailer hitches. Faulty windshields also will be noted.

Cars that do not have proper equipment for safe driving will be given a ticket, duplicate of which will be filed at the city hall. Every garage in Brownwood will have similar tags to those given motorists. When the inspection is completed, all defects must be repaired. When this is done, the garage doing the repair work will give the motorist a certificate, which is to be presented at the city hall. Then the original traffic ticket will be destroyed.

If a motorist receives a tag and does not comply with the necessary changes in automobile equipment and does not take the ticket to the city hall for comparison, he will then be subject to arrest and fine for traffic violation.

Ten highway patrolmen, under the direction of Inspector Draper of San Angelo, are conducting the tests.

ENTRANCE EXAMS ARE BEING GIVEN

County Superintendent F. D. Pierce is giving college entrance examinations today and the remainder of this week at his office at the court house. Students interested in taking the examinations can obtain information regarding them by applying at his office.

The examinations are to allow students from unaffiliated schools to enter affiliated schools in the county to complete their high school work. They are also for the purpose of allowing students who have completed their work in an unaffiliated school to enter state colleges. Work for all four of the high school grades, making a total of 16 examinations, is included in the examinations.

BURGLARY CHARGED

L. L. Dunn was charged with burglary following an investigation Wednesday morning. He is alleged to have entered the home of W. R. Strawn, Brownwood, at about 11:30 Wednesday morning and to have taken a quantity of clothing and other items.

PUBLIC INVITED TO HISTORICAL GROUP MEETING MAY 11TH

The public is urged to attend the morning session of the West Texas Historical Association to be held at Howard Payne College auditorium at 10 a. m. Saturday, May 11. During this session a number of interesting papers will be presented. A luncheon for out-of-town visitors and a business meeting for the election of officers at noon and a trip to one or two places of interest in the Brownwood vicinity in the afternoon, complete the program.

Prof. T. R. Havins, member of the executive committee of the association, has announced the following program:

9:30 a m.: Registration of members.

10 to 10:10: Address of welcome, Chester Harrison, secretary of Brownwood Chamber of Commerce.

10:10 to 10:20: Response, Judge R. C. Crane, Sweetwater, president of the association.

10:20 to 10:50: "Forty Years of Pioneering in San Saba County, 1846 to 1886," Mrs. Alma Ward Hamrick, San Saba.

10:50 to 11:10: "C. H. Laskey, A Haltom.

11:10 to 11:40: "Rev. J. A. Hyder, Dean of West Texas Preachers," G. C. Boswell, Abilene.

11:40 to 12: "Old Comanche Days," Dr. Robert T. Hill, Dallas.

12:00 to 1:30: Luncheon and business meeting for election of officers.

1:30 to 1:50: "Industrial Development of Brown County," Brooke Smith, Brownwood.

1:50 to 2:10: "Santa Anna and the Santa Anna Mountains," R. N. Richardson, Abilene.

2:10 to 2:30: "Company E. Frontier Battalion Texas Rangers, 1874 to1880," Prof. T. R. Havins.

2:30 to 3: "Early Day Law Enforcement in Northwest Texas," Judge R. C. Crane.

R. D. Holt of Eldorado will preside at the morning session and Miss Annie Shelton, head of the history department at Howard Payne, will preside at the afternoon session.

Taylor Speaker At Ft. Worth Meeting

Dr. Thomas H. Taylor, president of Howard Payne College, stressed the huge volume of Texas exports, its manufacturing and agricultural facilities and its great natural resources in an address at Diamond Hill School in Fort Worth last week. He was presented by the Diamond Hill Parent-Teacher Association.

Dr. Taylor also spoke at the Ft. Worth Rotary Club luncheon Friday and was a guest of the Arlington Rotary Club Thursday. He spoke at a Rotary meeting at Graham Friday night.

GOOD WILL TRIP TO GROSVENOR MAY 28

The next good-will trip will be made to Grosvenor, May 28.

This was announced this week by D. C. Pratt, in charge of the monthly good-will trips into nearby towns, under the sponsorship of the Brownwood Lions club, in cooperation with the chamber of commerce and other civic organizations.

Details of the trip have not been worked out, but will be announced in a few days, Mr. Pratt stated.

Since the trips were started several weeks ago by the Lions club, several Brown county communities have been visited by Brownwood business and professional men, and the visits have become quite popular in all sections of the county.

LOCAL GUARD UNIT WINS THIRD PLACE IN NATIONAL MEET

Company A, 142nd Infantry, Texas National Guard, Brownwood unit under command of Senator E. M. Davis, won first place in Texas and third in the United States in the annual musketry contest conducted for the William Randolph Hearst trophy, according to word received here Thursday.

The musketry unit recently won the regimental trophy in a preliminary contest. Lieut. Albert Hoffman is coach of the team, which is composed of Corporal C. L. South and Privates William Manning, Mason Melton, Vernon Scott and Archie Jordy.

INSPECTION OF GUARD SCHEDULED THIS WEEK

Annual federal inspection of the two local National Guard companies is to be held Friday and Saturday nights at Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Hall. Major John Herman of the regular army will make the inspections.

Service Company will be inspected Friday night, and Company A will be inspected Saturday night. The public is invited to attend the inspections which are to be made at 8 o'clock both nights.

FISHING SEASON IS OPEN; LAW REVIEWED

Open season on game fishing opened May 1st. A review of the fishing laws follows:

Crappie must be seven inches long to be kept and the limit is 15 a day. Bass must be 11 inches long and the limit is 15. A special Brown county law makes it unlawful to catch more than 35 fish in any one day. The state law allows a total of 50, but fishermen catching their fish in Brown county must observe the special county law. The law allows the catching of as many as 35 bream or goggle-eye in one day. It is unlawful to have in possession at any one time more than 30 bass, 30 crappies or 70 bream.

No license is required except for fishermen using artificial lure. They must pay $1.10 for the privilege. No license is required for fishing out of home county unless of course, artificial lure is used. Out of state fishermen must pay $1.10 for five days or $5 for the year.

Fishermen also are warned to remember that Lake Brownwood is closed to fishing until 1936. They will have to seek other fishing places for this season but expect to be in "fishermen's paradise" at the lake next season.

Woman Is Awarded Damages In Crash

Mrs. Robbie Derrick was awarded $950 judgment in a suit against W. L. McDaniels in county court last week. The case was a three-way suit involving Mrs. Derrick, McDaniels, and W. D. Lane. Mrs. Derrick had entered suit against McDaniels, and Lane had entered suit against both of them. Lane, whose home is in Reagan county, was not awarded damages.

According to the testimony, a car driven by McDaniels struck Mrs. Derrick's car while driving on the wrong side of the road. Then Lane's car struck the rear of Mrs. Derrick's car. The wreck occurred on highway No. 10 near the intersection of highway No. 129 in January of 1934. Mrs. Derrick suffered several broken bones and other injuries.

McDaniels, who lives in Taylor county, did not appear in court.

CAMP BILLY GIBBONS TO OPEN JULY 9 FOR BOY SCOUTS OF AREA

The annual encampment for Boy Scouts of the Comanche Trail Area will be held at Camp Billy Gibbons from July 9 to July 24, it was announced this week by J. N. Quirl, scout executive.

The first period starts at noon July 9, and ends with breakfast July 16. The second period starts at noon July 17, and ends with breakfast July 24. Many scouts from throughout the area are planning to attend the encampment.

Many scouts already are at work earning money for their camp fee for attendance, it was stated at scout headquarters. One boy has reported that he is earning his camp fee by making a house to house canvass with a rented vacuum sweeper, cleaning rugs, upholstery and window drapes. Others have reported seeking jobs mowing lawns, washing windows, milking cows, working gardens, washing cars, caring for children and other such duties.

A great deal of interest is taken in the annual stay at Camp Billy Gibbons, which is located on Brady Creek, on the Gibbons ranch near Richland Springs, San Saba county.

COUNTY WILL OFFER $44,000 ROAD BONDS FOR IMMEDIATE SALE

Commissioners court decided, in regular session Monday, to sell 44 Brown county road bonds. The main object in the present sale is to make a fund available for immediate use in case the federal government offers the county funds to be matched by the county for road construction projects in Brown county.

Completion of work on the Grosvenor road and purchase of right-of-way for the Brownwood-Richland Springs road upon completion of the survey which has been ordered by the court also are objects of the immediate sale of the bonds.

M'CULLOCH TO VOTE ON HIGHWAY BONDS

Commissioners court of McCulloch county has called a special election to be held May 25 to vote on whether a $25,000 bond issue shall be floated to finance the purchase of right-of-way for State Highway 23 from Brady north to the Brown county line. The election was called after a petition protesting the court's plan of issuing county warrants to finance right-of-way purchases was presented to the court.

Recent announcement by Leo Ehlinger, State Highway Department division engineer, that improvement of Highway 23 from Brady north to the Colorado River has been recommended as one of the first projects in the $5,000,000 federal relief program prompted negotiations for land.

Ehlinger explained that relocation of Highway 23 had been approved by both the State Highway Department and Bureau of Public Roads, and that unless right-of-way on the new location was obtained, the entire project would be dropped and McCulloch's share of relief funds would be allocated to some other county in his division.

California state fish and game officials have established by court action that each dove has a value of $5.

Soil Erosion Information Being Sought

Campaign For Restoring Topsoil May Result From Data To Be Obtained.

County Agent C. W. Lehmberg has prepared a questionnaire and a letter with the assistance of all vocational agricultural teachers in the county seeking information relative to conducting a soil erosion campaign in Brown county. The letter and questiannaire has been mailed to every farm owner and operator in the county for the purpose of obtaining information relative to the campaign.

The letter in part says: "One of the biggest and most important matters confronting the farmers of Brown county today is an effective soil erosion prevention program.

"Thousands of acres of our most fertile top soils are carried off by washing of rains each year. Hundreds of farms of Brown county are so badly gullied or ditched that it has almost become impossible to cultivate them. Certainly it has put them in a condition where it is no longer profitable to try to produce crops on them in their present condition. This condition is increasing in an alarming manner each year.

"With these facts in mind, we the undersigned vocational agricultural teachers of Brown county and the county agent, met in conference April 20th, for the purpose of working out a systematic soil erosion prevention program for Brown county. The results of this conference is embodied in the questionnaire with this letter."

Cooperation Is Sought

The letter continues to ask wholehearted cooperation of all farm owners and operators in the county so that authentic information will be available for government use. Mr. Lehmberg said the government is planning soil erosion work throughout the country and if the needed information is available it would make it much easier for Brown county to get governmental aid in such a program in the county.

The letter is signed by G. H. Morrison of May, J. M. Binion of Brownwood, R. Lane Barron of Bangs, E. W. Scott of Williams and Mr. Lehmberg.

The questionnaire includes such questions as location and size of farb; number of acres in total, number of acres in cultivation; watershed or creek upon which farm is located; number of acres already terraced both pasture and cultivated; number to be terraced. Also the type of soil in the farm and topography of farm; available machinery for terracing; and when the farmer wants terracing done. Also, there are questions relative to construction of low dams across creeks and building of tanks and reservoirs on the farm.

There are also questions for yes and no answers concerning payment of terracing, whether it is to be done with road machinery and a fair price for such work as well as whether or not a systematic terracing program is favored.

Demonstration Of Lacquers Is Given

About thirty auto painters and other interested persons from Brownwood, Coleman, Santa Anna and Brady attended a demonstration of the use of lacquers and synthetic enamels for automobile finishes given at Hotel Brownwood Monday night. E. G. Cox of Dallas, representative of the Acme White Lead and Color Works, was the demonstrator.

G. F. McKay was in charge of local arrangements for the demonstration.

FARMERS MARKETS

owers' prices quoted in Brown-, Thursday, May 2:

Vegetables

h Vegetables, doz. 30c to 40c
h English Peas, lb. 5c

Butter and Cream.

m, lb. butter fat 23c and 25c

Poultry and Eggs.

y Hens 15c
t Hens 13c
rs under 2 1-2 lbs. 12c-14c
rs 9c
ters 7c
keys, No. 1 14c
2 Turkeys 8c
Old Toms 10c
Eggs, dozen 19c

Hay and Grain.

No. 1 Milling Wheat 95c
No. 1 Durum Wheat 90c
No. 2 Red Oats 55c
No. 2 Barley 75c
No. 2 White Corn $1.00
No. 2 Yellow Corn 95c
Mixed Corn 95c
No. 1 Johnson Grass, ton 14.00
No. 2 Milo, cwt. $1.95

Cotton

Middling 10.75
Wool 22c and 23c

NEW AUTOMOBILES REGISTERED

Week Ending May 2, 1935

Number	Owner	Make	Purchased From
123-638	Putnam Supply Co., Bwd.	Studebaker	Ball & Ball Motor Co.
123-639	Blanche Shearer, Bwd.	Pontiac	Blackwell Motor Co.
123-642	D. E. Howell, Brownwood	Plymouth	Abney & Bohannon
123-654	Jno. T. Yantis, Brownwood	Chevrolet	Holley-Langford Co.
123-657	Ben Florey, Brownwood	Ford	Weatherby Motor Co.
123-664	J. D. McNeil, Brownwood	Ford	Weatherby Motor Co.
123-665	Mrs. J. W. Bell, Bwd.	Ford	Weatherby Motor Co.
123-672	S. T. Dowde, Brownwood	Ford	Weatherby Motor Co.
123-680	Roy H. Simmons, Bwd.	Ford	Weatherby Motor Co.
123-681	R. E. Dudley, Brownwood	Dodge	Abney & Bohannon
123-683	Ed A. Franke, Brownwood	Dodge	Abney & Bohannon
123-685	Jas. N. Bailey, Blanket	Dodge	Abney & Bohannon
123-686	T. & P. Coal and Oil Co.	Plymouth	Harris Motor Co.
	Commercial	**Vehicles**	
18-401	International Shoe Co. Bw.	Ford	Weatherby Motor Co.
18-404	J. A. Jackson, Brownwood	Chevrolet	Holley-Langford Co.

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Improving Brownwood

No doubt the mass meeting of Brownwood citizens Monday night was a disappointment to city officials who had envisioned a municipal light and power plant for Brownwood. To be sure, the attendance of less than 100 was unimpressive, but it should not necessarily be a disappointment to the city officials. Instead, it should serve as a guide to future action.

The municipal light plant idea just didn't strike a popular chord with Brownwood citizens. With one adequate plant in operation and the prospect of an additional plant to be constructed from private funds, taxpayers do not view with any optimism the project of entering the public service field. Lack of attendance at the mass meeting indicated not that Brownwood citizens are lacking in desire for improvement, but rather that energies had been directed to a field now served and with the definite prospect, through council action, of ample competition should that prove to be desirable. For the taxpayers to enter the field as a third competitor for business left the people cold.

There are many other fields in which the city could spend plenty of federal money, if such money is to be available, and render a greater service to the people. First and foremost of these is the construction of a municipal airport. Fourteen Texas cities secured magnificent municipal airports last year through CWA grants, and now are reaping the benefit of early action in this field. Value of these airports ranges from about $10,000 upward, and each is a decided asset to the city near which it is located.

Brownwood would profit much through construction of an airport at the present time. On an almost direct route between the army airports in the San Antonio area, and those in Oklahoma, the project is viewed with favor by high army officials. It would afford an opportunity to direct trial flights of army fledgings through this territory, and would open up the possibility — which is not in the too distant future — of regular airmail routes through this section, which also would afford opportunities for air passenger routes.

The government is very favorable at the present time toward construction of municipal airports, and probably would grant a liberal appropriation, either in the form of a loan or loan and grant, for such construction here.

Then there is the matter of city paving. Probably no city in Texas of similar size has such a poor system of paved streets as Brownwood. In fact, few of the streets are worthy of the title of paved streets, although some good paving is to be found. The $400,000 which would have gone to light plant construction could well be used in improving city streets.

The Municipal Auditorium, impressive though it is, leaves much to be desired in the way of suitable building for a meeting of almost any nature. Municipal buildings are being constructed and improved in many cities, and some money could be spent to advantage in renovating and making more usable and attractive the interior of the auditorium.

These are only a few suggestions. Many more must have occurred to those in charge of the city's affairs. And while the prospect of going into a highly competitive business wasn't so attractive, Brownwood people have a genuine interest in the city's advancement, and hold the hope that efforts to secure government aid along other lines will not slacken.

Bill McCraw

There's something refreshing about the informality of our Attorney General, William McCraw of Dallas, and his popularity is such that already he is being frequently mentioned as Jimmie Allred's successor in the governor's office some time hence. Possessed of sufficient dignity and ample intelligence to handle the affairs of the office he occupies with credit to himself and the state, with it all he refuses to take himself too seriously, and has a humor and big boy personality that is disarming.

In two banquet appearances in Brownwood in recent weeks, McCraw beat possible critics to the draw by freely admitting that his presence in the state political picture prompted his visits to Brownwood, where he had never before been a visitor, and did it in a manner that left everybody satisfied and permitted no room for censure.

In Washington to oppose the Thomas Bill, McCraw was unruffled when dignified Senator Frazier said he had received telegrams indicating Governor Allred, McCraw and Chairman E. O. Thompson of the Texas Railroad Commission should be back in Texas tending to affairs of the state.

"I don't know but what they're right," McCraw remarked with a smile. "Why, I'm about as uncomfortable and nervous here as a June bride." How are you going to down such a man? In fact, who wants to?

In this age when everyone who has managed to get enough votes to occupy even an insignificant public office takes on a false dignity and importance, it's good to find one of our state officials who realizes that first of all he's a human being and a fellow man to the rest of us five million.

Gas Wastage

Those critics, such as U. S. Secretary of Interior Ickes and Collier's magazine, who have been accusing Texans of countenancing the continued waste of natural gas in the Panhandle fields, should be silenced by action of the Texas legislature this week in passing the gas wastage bill. The bill will become effective immediately upon Governor Allred's signature, and is designed to stop wastage estimated as high as a billion cubic feet daily.

Legislators and the Texas Railroad Commission, didn't have an easy task before them in designing a law fair to all and at the same time stopping the admitted waste in the gas fields. That legislation was not enacted earlier in the session was not because of any lack of desire on the part of those at Austin, but rather because of the complex nature of the proposed regulations, and a desire to deal fairly with all interested parties — and there are many.

Under terms of the bill, sweet gas is limited to use for light and fuel purposes and some minor manufacturing that requires small quantities. Carbon gas plants are limited to use of gas not fit for domestic use, and gasoline may be extracted from gas that has first been used to produce oil. The practice most complained of — taking from the gas a small quantity of gasoline and piping the residue into the air — has been stopped.

A few years ago the economists were trying to work out a system that would enable everyone to have more leisure. Now that we've had leisure the same birds are doing their dead level best to put us back to work.—Pittsburgh Gazette.

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True Ghost Stories

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By GLENN HUNTER

Actor

"It was with a heavy heart that I had to go to the theater every day to play a part, while my young brother lay desperately ill," related Glenn Hunter, famous portrayer of juvenile roles.

"At one part of the play the whole cast, with the exception of myself, was on the stage. This wait always occurred during a matinee, a few minutes before 4. I dreaded this wait. I did not want to be alone.

"Mary Boland's dressing room was nearest the telephone. I went into this dressing room hoping the phone would ring with a good message for me.

"The theater, off-stage, in the dressing rooms, was strangely quiet, except for the ticking of my watch. I took my watch out of my pocket. It was exactly 4 o'clock. I put it away.

"Then clearly, distinctly, came four slow, long knocks at my door. A pause separated each one. Quickly I jumped to my feet and opened the door. There was no one in sight. I searched the dim corridor and could find no one. Shivers ran up and down my back. I asked the electricians and the stage hands if they had seen anyone going to or from the dressing room. They had not.

"The cue came for my entrance on the stage. Again I entered into my part.

"When I returned home I found my brother dead. I asked mother what time he died.

"'Four o'clock,' she said."

Clean, Oil Locks.

Troublesome interior doors, locks can be removed easily for cleaning and oiling. The screw on the stem of one door knob should be loosened and the knob pulled off or unscrewed. The other knob and the rod can then be drawn out. The lock is released by the loosening of two screws and the mechanism exposed by removing a loose plate to be found on one side and secured by a single screw.

Plan Building Enlargement.

Piles sunk for the newer buildings of the University of London in London are planned so that any internal alterations to meet requirements for years to come can be made without touching the outer shell.

Parasites of insect pests are raised by the government on a large scale and released when needed.

Fossil remains of the great armored fish which is said to have swum in the seas that covered Michigan millions of years ago are to be sought in the northern portions of the lower peninsula of the state.

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS:



Grandma didn't smoke, but she'd light up at night anyhow

SALESMAN SAM - - BY SMALL



THINGS ONE REMEMBERS

By R. M. HOFER

Chickens come home to roost! From four widely separated Southern communities vigorous protests have arisen against the loss of local tax revenues resulting from government acquisition of property and its consequent removal from local tax rolls.

When people clamor for "free political pork" (government ownership of an industry or land in their community), they forget that the only way the pork barrel can be filled in order to make them the gift, is through money drawn from their own hard-earned savings by taxation. The politicians "give" them nothing except what they first take away.

A Georgia mayor wants something done about loss of municipal revenue occasioned by two large tax-free PWA housing projects which supplant former tax-paying property.

One North Carolina county wants the government to compensate it for taxes lost on account of huge acreage withdrawn for a tax-exempt park project.

Another county in the same state has now lost taxes from 52,000 acres of land taken by the government for a waterfowl refuge and wants relief along with the birds.

Six Tennessee counties find a loss in their tax rolls of from 5 to 35 per cent of total assessed valuation, as the result of TVA purchases.

One Senator declares that public ownership of railroads, which some are advocating, and public ownership of utilities would deprive his state of nine million dollars a year tax revenues. "Where in God's world are they going to make it up?" he asks.

The entire program of government competing in business with its own citizens would be laughable if it were not so serious. The politicians get votes by promising the people something for nothing, and the people try to get something which they think somebody else will pay for. In reality the people pay for the whole works, including the government-owned tax-exempt enterprises which destroy their own highly taxed businesses and ultimately government income itself. If this isn't an endless circle of destruction, what is?

Unless the people wake up to the menace of government ownership of property and industry, they will find more of their savings taken to finance political "hen houses," than they will have left to build homes for themselves.

CLOSEUP and COMEDY

by DAN THOMAS — GEORGE SCARBO



QUEENIE SMITH IS STUDYING JOURNALISM IN NIGHT SCHOOL JUST BECAUSE SHE ENJOY

JANET GAYNOR MADE HER FIRST PUBLIC APPEARANCE SINGING BEFORE SOLDIERS IN TRAINING NEAR CHICAGO, DURING THE WORLD WAR.

AL JOLSON NEVER YET HAS GONE THROUGH AN ENTIRE SHOW OR PICTURE IN BLACK FACE. HE ALWAYS INSISTS UPON APPEARING AS HIS NATURAL SELF AT LEAST PART OF THE TIME.

ON TEXAS FARMS

Houston—Harris county 4-H club girls report having planted 3,735 feet of leafy vegetables; 4,485 feet of starchy vegetables; 2,810 feet of other vegetables; and 600 feet of tomatoes, according to Miss Maudie Holt, assistant home demonstration agent.

Bettie Stalarow, garden demonstrator for the Mt. Houston club, has planted onions, Irish potatoes, strawberries, turnips, carrots, beets pinto beans, baby limas, butter beans, black wax beans, and corn. She has also set stakes for the tomatoes.

Liberty—A clothes closet five and one-half by four and one-third feet has been built for a cash expenditure of 69 cents, by Mrs. George Curtis of Liberty county, according to the report of Miss Nettie Smith, home demonstration agent. Mrs. Curtis says that she and her husband planned for some sort of storage space, but at first it seemed that about all they had to start with was a door. By replacing the closet in one corner of the room, two walls served as two sides of the closet. A 2-4 piece of timber was found which was used for a brace at the corner. Then a few strips of old boards were nailed on and two layers of heavy cardboard tacked on the outside and one layer on the inside. The money spent was for 1x6 lumber for the base board and door facing, and for nails. After the closet was built it was papered inside and out to match the paper in the room.

Benjamin—"My four and one-half by 1 foot hotbed cost me only $1.30 and I am so proud of it," says Mrs. E. T. Cluck, 4-H pantry demonstrator for the New Hope Home Demonstration Club in Knox county, according to Miss Helen Burchard, home demonstration agent. "After making it, we covered the back side with some scrap tin as additional protection from the draughts and to make it stronger," Mrs. Cluck added.

Llano—Poultry demonstrators in Llano county showed an average flock production of approximately 19 eggs per hen for February, thus exceeding the State average by four eggs per hen, according to D. D. Steele, county agricultural agent. The flock of R. Fishbeck led the contest in production with an average of 26 eggs per hen. His flock of single comb White Leghorns have made a consistent record throughout the year. The flock of 90 single comb White Leghorns belonging to Robert Boxell was second in production with 21 eggs per hen. His profit for the month was more than 20 cents per bird.

Hebronville—Home tanned leather is finding a new use, or rather an old one, in Jim Hogg county where young Wilbur Whitman of Hebronville is tanning leather to make his own saddle, according to G. W. Brown, county agricultural agent. Young Whitman has fashioned a solid wooden tree out of a large elm and has covered it with raw-hide. As soon as his leather is tanned, he will cover the tree.

Cooper—A profit of $5.75 was cleared in one week on whole milk from three Jersey cows by Eldon Stewart, Delta county 4-H club boy, according to W. H. Jones, county agricultural agent. In addition to the dairy demonstration, young Stewart has two acres of corn and three acres of hegari as demonstration this year. This is his fourth year as a 4-H club member.

Galveston— Planting of truck crops in Galveston county for cooperative car lot shipment is well advanced, according to County Agricultural Agent J. C. Yeary, with Bolivar Peninsula planting 500 acres in watermelons, 200 acres in cantaloupes, 20 acres in cucumbers; and Galvestou Island planting 100 acres in cantaloupes, 30 in cucumbers and 50 in watermelons. The mainland has planted 80 acres in cucumbers, 50 in cantaloupes and 50 in tomatoes.

Nobody's Business

By JULIAN CAPERS JR.

Way back in September, 1934, following a meeting of the Texas Centennial commission at which some fancy politics was played, a banker member of the commission from Dallas remarked that "there isn't going to be any politics in this Centennial." "It is a great patriotic enterprise, and politics has no part in it," he said.

Today the inaccuracy of his statement is being borne home forcibly on that commissioner and his colleagues.

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After the most hectic political battle in Texas' legislative history raging thru three sessions, the Centennial bill finally has passed both houses. But, as passed, it left the Centennial commission out on the tip end of a limb. The three million dollars appropriated will be spent by the newly created commission of control of nine members— the governor, lieutenant governor and speaker serving ex-officio, the governor naming three members, the lieutenant governor and speaker two each. The commission, with no money to spend, is holding the bag.

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And the end is not yet in sight, so far as politics in the Centennial is concerned. Gov. Jimmie Allred, to the astonishment of all observers, announced he would withhold his signature to the bill until he had "studied it carefully." He intimated he might not sign the bill, because the legislature has failed to pass any of his revenue-raising measures. This notwithstanding the fact he [illegible] matter to the legislature [illegible] gency legislation, and [illegible] passage.

So the poor old Centennial football received a hefty boot. Friends of the [illegible] are puzzled at his action, thinks that he believes [illegible] the legislature by his [illegible] thinks he will eventually [illegible] thing but sign the bill, [illegible] ly signing would have [illegible] the good will of thousands [illegible] triotic men and women [illegible] Texas who have labored [illegible] arduously for the Centennial [illegible] delay will not befriend [illegible] the bill, and will only [illegible] coolness on the part of those [illegible] favor it, even though [illegible] later.

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Austin observers, who [illegible] veloped a profound respect [illegible] political acumen of Gov. [illegible] were pointing this week-end [illegible] Centennial bill action as [illegible] portant political miscue [illegible] may have large bearing [illegible] future political career. A [illegible] the governor's action will [illegible] prove there hasn't been much [illegible] but politics in the Centennial [illegible] to date.

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Discussion of the governor's [illegible] litical future has opened the [illegible] whole field of state politics [illegible] ulation a full year in advance [illegible] next summer's political wars. [illegible] Allred's recent visit to Washington to oppose federal aid [illegible] has revived talk that he will [illegible] to oppose U. S. Senator [illegible] Sheppard for re-election. [illegible] gossip here names these as [illegible] probable starters in this race: [illegible] Joe Eagle, who has already announced; Rep. Martin Dies [illegible] appears to be campaigning [illegible] cotton farmers; Guy Fisher [illegible] Augustine, who polled [illegible] 50,000 votes against Senator [illegible] Connally, and has announced [illegible] Sheppard's position, and [illegible] Rep. Wright Patman of Texarkana [illegible] although Washington advices [illegible] cate Patmen seems to have [illegible] off somewhat since his host [illegible] in congress hasn't fared so [illegible]

If Allred runs for the [illegible] Speaker Coke Stevenson of [illegible] tion; Atty. Gen. Bill McCraw [illegible] Dallas and Rail Commissioner [illegible] est O. Thompson of Austin [illegible] regarded as certain starters [illegible] gubernatorial sweepstakes. [illegible] Tom Hunter may run again [illegible] Gov. Walter Woodul of Houston [illegible] and Clyde E. Smith of Wharton [illegible] now assistant secretary of state [illegible] will likely bid for the attorney [illegible] generalship. Buford Jester of Corsicana, lawyer and University [illegible] ent, is said to be contemplating [illegible] making the race to succeed Woodul as lieutenant governor, if Woodul doesn't seek re-election. He probably will have several rivals for the ranks of the senate.

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Harry Hines of Wichita Falls, new chairman of the state highway commission, plans no drastic changes in highway policies, but has assured his friends. He will go after additional federal highway allotments vigorously and will continue the department's policy of connecting cardinal routes through the state. Prfvately, Hines has said he will seek to make two important changes of policy, however. One will be to decentralize operations of the highway commission, holding hearings and possibly letting contract lettings in various sections of the state, so that citizens and contractors seeking to do business with the commission will not have to travel hundreds of miles to Austin frequently. He will also endeavor to soften up the attitude of the highway engineers in their relations with the public, and make them realize they are the servants of the people. The district engineers have considerable authority in their respective territories and they have sometimes fallen into the common engineering fault of becoming somewhat "hard-boiled" with the public. Hines would like to eliminate this attitude.

Bangs Gymnasium Being Completed

Workmen are now putting the finishing touches on Bangs' new gymnasium and auditorium. Plumbing and light fixtures are now being installed and painting of the building has been started. The building will be completed around May 10.

PWA funds are being used for the building which cost $11,640.

ADMITS CAR PARTS THEFT

D. A. Fitzpatrick pleaded guilty in county court last week to a charge of taking wheels and tires from an automobile owned by Lloyd Meadows. He was given a sentence of 60 days in jail and $10 fine and costs.

Fitzpatrick was arrested in Ballinger Wednesday. The stolen property was recovered.

Progressive Texans To Boost Products Of Local Concern

Patronage of home town merchants and the use of Texas made products is being urged in a program sponsored by Progressive Texans, Inc.

W. E. Talbot, president of the organization, has secured a list of Brownwood manufacturers together with a description and titles of their products from Chester Harrison, secretary of the Brownwood chamber of commerce.

A letter from Mr. Talbot thanking Mr. Harrison for his cooperation and assuring him the information furnished will be used was received last week at the chamber of commerce office.

A CONTEST CLOSE MAY 15

t contest sponsored chapter F. F. A. is 5. Rules for the con- sheets for each sec- ontest were handed upil in October when pened. Divisions of e (1) Improving live- ultry, (2) Improving Restoring and Main- Fertility, (4) Super- e Work and (5) F. F.

es for each section champion prize are . Prizes were given in two sections, vement" and "Restor- taining Soil Fertility" nnual father and son he Bangs chapter held ores on projects done sections are counted rand champion award, be a purebred calf. ngs father and son . Barron pointed out ase of our first year riculture is one I am the farming class of sadly lacking in—co- d leadership. on to the extent that with other industries re with our own prog- iculture. Leadership to that a farm boy can nce, pride and deter- and on his feet and ing as a worthwhile ather than the lowest which all other indus- e," he said. "We hope ntest will serve its pur- h stimulating the com- long-time supervised ograms, in helping the w into farming and at me feeling that it is a that requires the high- le scientific practical raining; a training, the of which, I trust will for the vocational ag- acher's part in that in- k."

Scout News

Cisco

r of Scouts received ad- at a Court of Honor he First Presbyterian st Friday night. The presided over by Judge nkford, assisted by Rev. ssrs. Paschall, Yates, , McCorkle, Scoutmas- and Williamson and cutive Quirl. After the Honor a pie supper was y all.

esting kite flying con- held Saturday afternoon, te the office does not results of this contest.

Stephenville

ng to a report from Ste- the hike that was to n place last Friday had tponed due to inclement A future date for it has announced.

Rising Star.

No. 115 reports a Court with E. M. Howard, in charge. He was as- Cecil Shults, Fred Tun- Venable, Hubert Jones, ter Bob Buckingham and Scoutmaster Hershal in. A number of Scouts or advancement, including cNeely Jr., Glenn Shults, ones and John Cooper for Rank.

of Troop No. 115 elected Shults to be their repre- to the National Jambo-

Richland Springs

No. 34 of Richland Springs as been inactive for sev- nths, has been revived and being sponsored by the Springs Lions Club. No- Prentice, superintendent of H. Gibbons High School, is t of the club. The troop Scoutmastered by R. J. vocational agriculture J. H. Templeton is chair- the troop committee as- y J. S. Conner and Joe E.

tmaster Powell sends in tions for 19 Scouts and hat he will have at least more applications for new send in during the next s. We want to welcome Mr. into Scoutmaster circles sh to congratulate him on n a position to give the his community an oppor- to enjoy the privilege of g out the Scout program.

r leaking from a faucet in m the size of a common pin 160 gallons a day, it is es- d.

ted — Hay baler Rake. Phone 450R M. Shaw.

If Kit's a Wife, It's News to Her



If she's already married, it certainly has slipped Katherine "Kit" Klein's mind. The national women's skating champion, announcing her engagement to Dr. Thomas Outland of Sayre, Pa., was confronted with the statement of Philip Nicholas, boxer and her ex-trainer, that they married in 1933 and still are man and wife. "Kit," shown here with Nicholas while in training, says they were "sort of engaged," but never wed. Nicholas now is a Sandusky, O., night club operator.

MAKING Smart CLOTHES

It's fun, especially if you are young and sought-after, to have a whole set of cotton evening gowns made by the same design but in different colors. For instance, make this dress in white, and in pink and in pale green organdie—and pop each one in the tub after you wear it. (We advise permanent finish organdie—it launders better.) Then especially if you are going out with the same crowd very much, you will feel very smart and individual.

If you are graduating, you will find that this makes a perfect dress, too. It is the sort that your mother and the teachers will approve, and the captain of the football team will like, too. You will perhaps add a velvet sash in an entrancing color and dance in the same dress all summer long.

This is a Butterick Pattern and may be purchased at your local department store.



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Cross Cut Paving May Start Soon

According to District Engineer Leo Ehlinger, paving of 14 miles of the Brownwood-Cross Cut road should be started in the near future. Plans and specifications are now being prepared in his office and will be sent to the highway commission at an early date. The paving will be put down if enough funds are available out of the 1935 highway program.

Plans and specifications for all grade crossing and unimproved roads in the county are also being prepared. These will be sent to officials for proposed inclusion in the new four billion dollars work program now being started by the government.

Young People Hold Spring Presbytery Meeting At Coleman

A number of local people attended the spring meeting of the Young People's League of Brownwood Presbytery held at the First Presbyterian Church of Coleman Friday night and Saturday.

Those attending from the Brownwood First Presbyterian Church were: Rev. W. H. Foster, pastor of the church, Mrs. W. H. Foster, Misses Martha Logan, Sue McClelland, Mildred Hall, Nannie Beth Rankin, Julia McClendon, Camille McHorse, Suelissa Stalcup, and Messrs. John Beckham, Billy Foster, Frank McElroy, Robert E. Beckham, Jack McClendon, Frank Hall, J. M. Hall, Dewitt McClelland and Perry Roach.

THE EARLY HISTORY OF TEXAS

AS SHOWN FROM THE AUSTIN PAPERS

(Note: This is one of a series of articles taken from the three hundred special collections of family archives in the University of Texas library. The collections cover all periods of Texas history, from the earliest days of the Spanish missionaries in the province of Tejas, through the colonial era, to the present. This series of articles presents interesting excerpts from a number of these family collections, some chosen for their intrinsic significance in the development of the empire of Texas, others for their purely human interest in portraying personalities, economic conditions and social intercourse.)

AS THE ECHOES from the last gun fired at San Jacinto faded away, there arrived on the scene one George W. Smyth, a surveyor who later became land commissioner and congressman for the Republic of Texas and much later representative of the State of Texas to the Congress of the United States. Smyth was an active participant in shaping political life in Texas. In April, 1836, he had just been in attendance at the Texas Congress at Washington on the Brazos, where the monumental Declaration of Independence was drafted. Following adjournment of the convention on March 17, he was wending his way homeward to Jasper, in East Texas, near Austin's Colony. He bore with him a number of letters, all dated in April, 1836, given to him to deliver to soldiers in the Revolutionary army. But when he arrived, he found the Battle of San Jacinto fought, Texas Independence won, and the largest part of the army dispersed!

A few years ago, the George W. Smyth papers, ranging in dates from 1819 to 1892, were presented to the University of Texas library by Mr. Smyth's grandchildren, Emily Smyth Cheeseman and Sarah Smyth Walden of Beaumont, and J. Blewett Smyth of San Antonio. When this vast collection, including almost 2,500 documents, was inspected, it was found that the letters which were given to Smyth to carry to the Texas soldiers were among the family archives. Moreover, seven of them had never been opened!

Now a full century after they were written, these letters are being transcribed, and it has been found that they contain a wealth of personal and historic facts. One of these, quite brief, was written by Patrick C. Jack, relative-by-marriage of Stephen F. Austin and noted East Texas plantation owner. Addressed to Major A. Somervell "in camp," its concluding sentence indicates the migratory nature of the Texas seat of government:

"Dear Somervell:

"Some damned rascal has stolen my horse, and I suppose has gone to the camp. As I have no means of getting there myself, I must get the favor of you to look out for him and should you find him contrive some means of either sending him to me or communicating with me, as soon as possible.

"Jones has started his family under the charge of Mr. Fletcher to Orleans by water.

"Direct me to wherever the government may be en passant.

"In haste,

"Pat C. Jack."

More interesting, perhaps, than any other in the group of seven unopened epistles because of its anonymity, the following letter is also noteworthy for its picture of the valiant manner in which the Texas army faced its foes. By whom it was written and to whom destined, we do not know, yet its words carry a message of courage and loyalty:

"We are all in bustle here. Another panic I fear is about to possess the people. We hear this morning that about 500 Mexicans have crossed the Brazos at Ford Bend. Our force at that point is small and has been compelled to retire. Houston was at his old camp about San Felipe (30 miles) but I do most devoultly hope he will break up from there today and drub these fellows most soundly. They the gettin gsaucy. Houston is abundantly able to beat any force the enemy have on this side of the Colorado, and if he will do that he will be strong enough to carry the war farther west and rid our settlements of the scoundrel foes. I believe he will fight them tomorrow and whip them too—many of our folks here are looking for an attack here tonight. It may be—we will stand it out to the last, for a retreat at this time would be more disastrous than the loss of a few men. The whole strength of the enemy on this side of the Colorado does not exceed 1300 men. Houston had nearly that number and if he does not check them soon, censure will fall heavily upon him. His enemies are already busy. I hope he will disappoint all, and give us something to gladden the hearts of all good citizens. Many families are moving eastward.

"I left my letter open. We hoped to have something for you this morning. The news is still discouraging. A thousand Mexicans are advancing upon Brazoria and will probably cross at that point. Their object is Galveston bay and island, but I believe, at least I do most ardently hope, that Houston will fight the detachment at Fort Bend today. If he does and is not too much crippled he will descend the river to intercept the other force but he must be strengthened. Fie on the citizens of Trinity and the east of it. They have not borne the half of their share in the war. I hope they will do better for the future."

Speech Tournament To Be Held May 11

Students from Eastland, Rising Star, Coleman, Santa Anna and Brownwood will take part in a speakers' tournament sponsored by the National Forensic League chapter of the Central Texas School of Oratory. The tournament is to be held at the school's studio on Saturday, May 11.

Tryouts for the tournament will be held among students of the Brownwood chapter week after next. Winner of first place in declamation tryout will receive a gold medal from J. L. Brown & Son and winner of first place in extemporaneous speech will receive a gold medal from Armstrong Jewelry Co.

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FRIDAY and SATURDAY
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Plus: The Eyes of Texas and News

GEM

Week of May 5 to 12

SUNDAY and MONDAY
GARY COOPER and FRANCHOT TONE in
"The Lives of a Bengal Lancer"

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY
"Maybe It's Love"
with Ross Alexander and Gloria Stuart

THURSDAY and FRIDAY
SPENCER TRACY in
"It's a Small World"

SATURDAY ONLY
TIM McCOY in
"The Westerner"

BROWNWOOD TO PLAY LLANO TEAM SUNDAY

Brownwood's next chance to defend Hill Country League honors will be when the Llano team invades Brownwood Sunday afternoon. The Brownwood boys won their fourth League contest with a 10 to 6 victory over the team from Richland Springs in a game played at Brownwood last Sunday.

The game was played before a large crowd at the new ball park just off the Brownwood-Bangs highway, one mile west of the city. After three scoreless innings the Brownwood bats began connecting in the fourth with two runs being scored. With the exception of the seventh innings, when five of Richland Springs six runs were scored on four hits and a walk, the Brownwood boys had the game.

Cecil Chrane and Clem Page led the Brownwood attack with three hits each. B. Smith and Wilbourn collected as many for Richland Springs. Although nicked for thirteen hits, Brooks Page, Brownwood pitcher, held the visitors well in check until after his match had given him a big lead. He struck out nine opposing batters.

Santa Anna Given Church Conference

At the closing session of the Methodist district conference held here last week Santa Anna was chosen as the place for the 1936 district conference.

The list of delegates elected by the conference was announced as follows: C. C. Sessions, Ballinger; Mrs. W. H. Vanderpool, Ballinger; Mrs. B. B. Edmaiston, Bangs; Hal H. Cherry, Brownwood; Mrs. Hal H. Cherry, Brownwood; Ben A. Fain, Brownwood; Mrs. J. D. Smoot, Comanche; A. O. Newman, Coleman; J. B. Pace, Drasco; M. A. Edwards, Santa Anna; Mrs. Roy Crawford, Winchell; Mrs. W. A. Pace, Pumphrey. Alternates were elected as follows: E. B. Sikes, Bangs; J. W. Damron, of Brownwood; P. C. Ragsdale, of Brownwood; Miss Maggie Grady, Indian Creek; Elgin Davidson, of Mazeland; M. A. Richardson, of Rockwood.

HELD ON CAR THEFT CHARGE

A. A. McKinney, charged with the operation of a still, was given an examining trial last week and his bond was set at $1,500 by Peace Justice E. T. Perkinson.

He was arrested following the discovery of a large still and other liquor making equipment on a chicken farm at Capps Farm by members of the sheriff's department. The still was not in operation at the time of the raid.

HIGHWAY OFFICIALS VISITORS

Harry Hines, chairman of the Texas Highway Commission, and Gib Gilchrist, state highway engineer, were in Brownwood Tuesday night. This was their first stop on an inspection tour they are making of this section.

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News of Brown County Communities

Indian Creek

Mrs. Eulalia McAden and Miss Glasscock of Santa Anna spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Grady.

Mrs. Cliff Embrey has returned to her home here after spending several weeks in Brownwood following a major operation.

Miss Sadie Dixon attended singing at Early High Sunday.

The Women's Home Demonstration club met at the home of Mrs. W. T. Sowell Thursday, April 25.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lyon, Roy Lyon and Miss Eula Fay Richardson of Ranger spent the week-end with Mrs. Will Middleton.

Miss Maggie Grady attended District Conference of the Methodist church at Brownwood last week.

Miss Edna Merle Smith of Brownwood spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Smith.

Miss Dorothy Dixon spent last week in Brownwood with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Ebrey, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Ebrey, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Maedgen and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Allen of Brownwood visited Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Embrey Sunday.

Rev. Sam Freeman preached at the Methodist church Sunday.

Mrs. W. D. Kirkpatrick spent the week-end at Whitney with Rev. Kirkpatrick.

Willow Springs

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Stewart and children of Brownwood spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lappe and children.

Miss Oleta Heptinstall, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lappe and children and Alvin Richmond and children attended the singing convention at Early High Sunday.

Several from this community were in Brownwood Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Horner and children spent a while Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Reeves.

Miss Weita Richmond, who is attending school at Howard Payne, spent the week-end with her father, M. A. Richmond.

Messrs. Harper of Brownwood were visiting in this community Sunday morning.

Mrs. Mary Soucey and Mrs. Mitchel Adkission of Gap Creek spent last Tuesday with Mrs. Lloyd Powers.

Rev. C. V. Carroll will preach at Rock Church next Sunday morning and night. Everyone come.

Zephyr

Rev. Martin, pastor of the Austin Avenue Presbyterian church at Brownwood, will preach at the Zephyr Presbyterian church Sunday night, May 5th, at 8 o'clock. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Rev. Middleton, pastor of the Church of Christ, will be here Saturday night, May 4, and Sunday, May 5, for his regular appointments. Everyone is urged to attend the three services. This will be the last time Rev. Middleton will preach until the revival which begins soon.

The senior play entitled "Hold Everything," was presented in the high school auditorium Friday night, April 26. A very large crowd attended. They made $38.95. Everyone enjoyed this play very much.

The Zephyr Cyclone baseball team played Brownwood Firemen here last Sunday. The scores were 14-1 in the Cyclone team's favor. A large crowd attended. This was the first game this season for our team. We feel very proud of them and hope they will win many more.

Miss Amy White of Brownwood spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. M. M. Glass.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Johnston and daughter, Norma Ruth, of Brownwood, spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Lake.

Messrs. Estus Bowden, Franklin Timmins and Hubert Morris were Brownwood visitors Saturday night.

Miss Geraldine and Mr. Orville Hollingsworth who have been very sick with the measles are reported resting better.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Elliott and son, Charles, of Mullin were visiting relatives in Zephyr Tuesday.

Mrs. W. W. Henson and son, Carson, were in Brownwood Saturday.

Mesdames Hubert Roach, S. E. Elliott and Mary Forsythe were in Brownwood Saturday.

The senior class of Mullin high school will present their class play entitled "Comin' Through the Rye," in the Zephyr auditorium Saturday night, May 4th. Admission, 10c for all. The Zephyr senior class will then take their play to Mullin Monday night, May 6. The Zephyr school gets all money Saturday night. Let's all attend.

Mrs. Mollie Bowles of Tulsa, Texas, spent the week-end with her brother, Mr. L. L. Thomas.

Miss Artie Mosier was in Brownwood Wednesday.

Misses Lucile Locks, Mary Belle Shelton and Daphne VanZandt were shopping in Brownwood Saturday.

Mr. John L. Boland of Goldthwaite was in Zephyr Wednesday.

A musical was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pauley Tuesday night.

Messrs. D. F. Petty, Horace Yates, Jean Couch and Franklin Timmins went fishing on the Bayou Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Thomas and family spent Saturday in Mercers Gap.

There will be a pageant presented in the high school auditorium Friday night, May 3, at 8 p. m. Admission 5c and 10c. It is sponsored by the ladies of the Methodist church. This is very educational. Let's all attend.

The Cyclone baseball team will play CCC camp Brownwood Sunday at 3 p. m. Admission 5c.

The Alabama relief administration is conducting a state-wide campaign among farm families to induce them to can unusually large quantities of vegetables and fruits for winter consumption.

McDaniel

Miss Maurine Tervooren spent last Saturday night with her friends, Misses Augusta and Pauline Browder.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cavel and famiy, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cheatham of Brookesmith, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Haynes of Bangs, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Haynes of Brownwood and Miss Bernice Cason of Early High were guests of Mrs. H. E. Haynes and daughters Sunday.

Miss Juanita Luman entertained her friends with a party last Saturday night. An enjoyable time was spent.

Mrs. A. B. Culberson spent one afternoon last week in the home of Mrs. Oren Tervooren.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Keeler, Mr. Vernon Cavel, Misses Lora Cavel, Lillie and Pauline Haynes, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Sowell and baby attended singing at Early High Sunday afternoon.

Miss Emma Francis Sikes of Bangs was the guest of her friend, Miss Maurine Tervooren, Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Browder and family spent Sunday in the home of his brother, Mr. J. H. Browder, and family of Concord community.

Mr. Elmo Phean spent last week end in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie King and family were the supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Tervooren and family Sunday night.

Mrs. Katie George and daughter of Brownwood spent Tuesday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Browder.

Bangs

Mrs. E. C. King returned to her home at Houston Tuesday after a visit to her parents and other relatives and friends.

John Sivells of Dublin visited his mother, Mrs. Ida M. Phillips, and attended the revival here Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. T. D. Holder is greatly improved after several days illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Green Matthews and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Kennedy and other relatives last week and they accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy, attended a memorial service at Jewett Sunday returning here Monday.

Rev. I. V. Garrison spent Sunday in San Angelo where he filled the pulpit for Rev. Grant, who has been doing the preaching in the revival here.

Mrs. Doris McDermott of Yoakum has been the guest of Dr. and Mrs. T. D. Holder for several days.

Miss Modena Shanklin, who returned from Central Texas Hospital last week, is reported still improving.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Guyger and sons attended service at Proctor last Sunday, this being the sixtieth anniversary of the organization of the Baptist church at Proctor.

The gymnasium for Bangs school is nearing completion and when completed will be dedicated.

The Mukewater school will close Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Byars attended the memorial service at Clear Creek Sunday.

The ten days revival meeting at the Baptist church came to a close Wednesday night. Rev. Ralph Grant, pastor of the Park Heights Baptist church at San Angelo, did the preaching. The pastor began the meeting Easter Sunday, bringing a message on the resurrection of Christ. Rev. and Mrs. Garrison had charge of the music. Rev. Garrison leding the singing with Mrs. Garrison at the piano.

Rev. Grant is a very fluent speaker and knows God's word and God's will in his life. His sermons to the saved were indeed timely and very spiritual, and from the very first service much interest was manifested on the part of the saved and unsaved. Some of the subjects used were Dividends in Prayer, Sowing and Reaping, How to Be Lost, Obedience to Christ, How to Be Saved, Where Shall We Spend Eternity, A Horse Race, a Quartet of Horses, Stiffnecks, Love from the Pit of Corruption, Considering Jesus, Heaven. All these subjects and others were very serious thinking subjects for both the saved and unsaved. There were twenty-three additions by letter and baptism. We hope for the coming of Rev. Grant for another meeting.

Miss Dorothy Nell Davis and Mrs. Bob Martin were hostesses Friday at the former's home for a shower to honor Mrs. Robert Palmer, a recent bride.

Oakland

Mrs. J. A. Ham has been sick but is improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ham have returned from Robstown where he has been working.

William Stevens of Cardam is visiting in the Oakland community this week.

John Minica and Guy Bolenger made a business trip to Brownwood Friday.

Miss Bertie Gains and Miss Mamie Egger visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Simpson Sunday.

Johnnie Egger has been working for Jack Williams this week.

Slaydon Bolenger has been sick this week. We hope for him an early recovery.

Clyde Boyd spent Saturday night with Francis Hobbs.

Johnnie Egger spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Egger.

Mrs. J. A. Horn entertained Miss Bertie Gains with a birthday party Thursday night. We all had a nice time.

The Oakland boys played ball on the Bob Testion place Sunday afternoon.

Mukewater

We received a very fine rain last week.

J. H. Browder and wife visited friends in Rocky Creek community recently.

Mrs. S. J. Cox is reported to be improving from a recent illness.

Mr. Truman Fritz and Mesdames Cal Fritz and Kyle Fritz visited Mrs. Fritz's daughter, Mrs. Henry Ryan, of Brownwood Sunday.

Miss Louise Hicks of Brookesmith visited friends in our community Saturday and Sunday.

A number of our citizens attended the Townsend pension debate at Brownwood Saturday evening.

Our present term of school closes Friday, May 3.

Mrs. E. C. Walton was a weekend visitor in the home of her son, W. B. Kellogg, at Brownwood.

At 8 o'clock Friday evening, May 3, the Mukewater P. T. A. will present a three act comedy drama entitled "Lighthouse Nan." Miss Martha Jane Gaines, who has directed all the other plays presented by our school, has also directed this play. It will please all who are seeking an evening of real jolly entertainment. Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Brooks will have charge of the special musical numbers for the play. Come and enjoy an evening of real fun. Admission will be 15c for adults and 5c for children.

The Mukewater Tigers won one of the hardest contested games of the season Saturday afternoon from the Concord Sluggers before a very large and enthusiastic crowd of baseball fans. The final score was, Tigers 4, Concord 3. Batteries for the game were Mukewater, Ennis Brooks, pitcher; Wiley French, catcher; Concord batteries were, Rhoades, pitcher, and Martin, catcher.

Mrs. M. L. Brooks has recovered from a very severe attack of tonsilitis.

Mrs. Maude Cook of Dallas visited her sister-in-law, Mrs. Joe Cates, and Mrs. Jap Hallford since last report.

J. D. White and wife were visitors in Brownwood one day last week.

Mr. Stanley Swenson was transacting business in Brownwood Saturday.

A number of our citizens have been attending the Baptist revival in Bangs the past week.

Rev. J. V. Garrison of Bangs and Rev. Grant of San Angelo were callers in the Bagley home one day last week.

The Mukewater Tigers will play the Concord team next Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Harold Hallford visited his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Tate, of Brownwood since last report.

Ennis Brooks was a visitor in the Hallford home Saturday night.

Mr. Bob Ellis is reported to be seriously ill this week.

Mr. Burton Walton and brother, Horace, were transacting business in Bangs Saturday.

Several from our community attended the school picnic at Concord Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. White were guests in the home of Leonard Phillips and wife since last report.

Blanket

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Douglas and daughter were visiting friends in Brownwood Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Curry and family were here from Jacksonville over the week-end visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Curry and other relatives.

Mrs. Grace Spangler of Coleman was the week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Reeves. She was accompanied by her sister-in-law, Miss Spangler.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bettis, who have been visiting in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Dabney, returned Sunday to their home in Graham.

Be sure to attend the Pure Food Show at the gymnasium building next Saturday. Plenty of fun and ice cream to keep to you cool.

Mr. Bob McCulley of Comanche was here Tuesday transacting business and visiting relatives.

The Methodist congregation at this place are remodeling their parsonage.

Uncle Tom Rupe, who has been quite ill at his home on North Main St. for the past month, was taken to Central Texas Hospital in Brownwood last Friday afternoon and at this writing is slightly improved. He was accompanied by his sister, Miss Alice Rupe, who is constantly at his bedside. Mr. Rupe has many friends at this place who wish for him a speedy recovery.

Mesdames Wilkerson and Hicks were in Brownwood Thursday in the interest of the Pure Food Show which will be staged next Saturday beginning at 10 a. m. Plan to meet all your friends here and enjoy the day.

Mesdames Frank Parsons, Geo. Easterling, W. W. Hicks and Mr. Melvin Hicks attended the Woman's Conference at the Methodist church in Breckenridge last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Dabney were visiting in Brownwood Sunday afternoon.

Messrs. Easterling and Grady were transacting business in Comanche Thursday.

The rent house of Mr. Will Baker on his farm west of town, was destroyed by fire last week. The house was occupied by Mr. George Neely and family.

The "Ugliest Man in Town"—wonder who it will be? The contest is on. Two men have already been entered with a 100 votes each. If you want to enter some one, do it now and get 100 votes for 10c. Saturday morning it will be a cent a vote. Hurry!

Early High Notes

Mr. John Mashburn died at his home in Brownwood Monday morning, April 29, and was laid to rest that afternoon in Jenkins Springs cemetery. Mitcham Funeral Home had charge of arrangements.

The singing convention at this place Saturday night and Sunday was well attended and some singing was listened to and enjoyed.

The senior play at this place on Thursday night of last week entitled "Out of the Ark Came Noah," was well attended and greatly enjoyed. A neat sum of $27.45 was realized.

Visitors for lunch Sunday with the Earps were O. B. Porter and wife of Brownwood. A fish dinner was the menu. Other visitors in the Earp home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mason and daughter, Mrs. Alice Rhone, all of Brownwood.

Mary Ellen Cobb of Bethel visited from Friday until Monday with her sister, Mrs. Tuck Green, and her friend, Anita Mae Griggs.

Brother H. W. Luman of McDaniel filled his regular appointment here Sunday at Smerna church.

Charlie McGinley and family and the Roscoe spent Saturday night and Sunday on the Bayou fishing.

Mrs. Cull Earp visited in Brownwood Tuesday with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Day.

Several from here attended the funeral of Mrs. John Kennedy at Salt Creek Tuesday afternoon. White and London had charge of arrangements.

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We will give a beautiful 8x10 enlargement complete with folder, one you will be proud of, to the first lady giving us information regarding any transient photographers or coupon salesmen selling any kind of photographs in Brownwood. When they call on you get their names, who they are working for and where they are stopping and report same to us and you are entitled to the free enlarged picture, without any obligation whatever. — THE MAYO STUDIOS.

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Gap Creek

Mr. Henry Hamblin spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. Nora Porter, of May.

Mr. David Tyson has returned from a visit with his sister at Ft. Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Stewart and baby visited the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adkisson, Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Soucey and Mrs. Annie Adkisson attended the quilting at Mrs. Dora Powers last Tuesday. There was a large crowd. A nice dinner was served at noon and a good time was had by all.

Loyd Chambers is on the sick list at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Faulkner spent Sunday in Blanket with Mrs. G. W. Faulkner.

This community was made sad Sunday when word was received of the death of Mrs. John Kennedy of Salt Creek. We extend our sympathy to the family in their sorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dikes were shopping in Brownwood Saturday.

Brother Henderson was calling on friends here last week.

Mr. Preston Heptinstall spent the week-end at Comanche.

Mr. Neal Davis and Mr. W. D. Pierce were doing some much needed work on our roads this last week.

Every one remember our club meeting at Mrs. [illegible] the first Tuesday in [illegible]

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G. Shields, 18, was fatally and five others were re- reatment in Brownwood this week as the result omobile accident in which collided on highway No. Clear Creek shortly after Saturday night.

cupants of the cars were to Medical Arts and Cen- as hospitals in Brownwood hite & London ambulance. died at 1 o'clock Sunday n.

nce Churchill received se- uries. He is suffering from gular vein and his throat cut. He has a good chance er.

s injured included J. T. of Mullin, Earl Sawyer of and Wesley Churchill. o Churchill boys live at reek with their father, Bob ll, operator of a filling sta- that point. All those injur- suffering from broken bones ts, and abrasions about the nd body.

Churchill car, with Wesley was going toward Win- In it were Wesley and Law- Churchill and Shields. The machine, coming toward Brownwood, was occupied by Earl Cawyer of Mercury, a Mr. Abshire of Milburn, J. T. McAbie of Mullin and Atwood of 2601 Avenue B.

Funeral services for Shields were conducted at 3:00 o'clock Monday afternoon at First Baptist Church in Brownwood. Professor Homer Starnes assisted by Rev. W. I. Newton and Dr. Karl Moore officiated. Interment was at Brookesmith with White & London Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Loyce G. Shields, son of E. V. Shields of Brookesmith, was born on July 12, 1917, at Brookesmith and lived all his life there.

He was a student of the Brookesmith high school and was prominent in student activities, and was very popular with his associates. He joined the Baptist church of Brookesmith about one year ago.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Shields, and two brothers, Johnnie Lee, 20, and E. V. Shields, Jr., 14. His grandfather and grandmother, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Smith of Brookesmith, survive, as does his grandmother, Mrs. L. A. Shields of Brookesmith; also an aunt, Mrs. Jack Shelton of Brookesmith and other relatives including B. K. Smith of Brownwood.

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Jolson and Keeler In Musical Picture



"Go Into Your Dance," latest musical spectacle, opens at the Lyric Theatre Sunday for a three day engagement, with Al Jolson and his wife, Ruby Keeler, co-starring.

The picture is based on a story by Bradford Ropes, author of "42nd Street." It is intensely dramatic in spots, with hilarious comedy situations and a glowing romance.

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Scouts Named To Attend Jamboree

Boy Scout Troop No. 1 has selected Fred and Mark Abney to represent the troop at the National Boy Scout Jamboree to be held in Washington, D. C., in August.

Scoutmaster J. Hervey Mayes announced the selection of the representatives.

The astronomer Purbach made the first printed almanac; it appeared about 1450.

Ebony

John Mashburn, father of Cloud L. Mashburn of this community, died Monday morning at his home in Brownwood after an illness of several weeks. He was buried Monday afternoon at Jenkins Springs. When Mr. Mashburn's family was young, they owned a home and lived for several years in this community. Friends who knew him then remember him as a good neighbor, a hard worker, and a devout Christian. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Sarah Mashburn, of Brownwood; two sons, Cloud of Ebony, and Paul of Owens; three daughters, Mrs. Edith Willis of Priddy, Mrs. Ruby Brewster of Breckenridge, and Mrs. Laura White of East Texas. He is also survived by seventeen grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ketchum, who have been staying at the home of Mr. Ketchum's mother several days, returned to their home in San Saba county Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Dwyer, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wilmeth, Mrs. Clara Wilmeth and Gene Wilmeth visited Mr. and Mrs. Austin Cawyer at Valley Spring Sunday.

Miss Evelyn Reeves and her little nephew, Charles Stanley Roberts, visited the school Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Roscoe Jones visited her mother, Mrs. McNurlen, in San Saba county over the week-end.

Misses Monta Ray Crowder, Evalyn Mashburn, Odene Russell, and Erlene Day, Elza Bell, Everett Philen, Wayne Roberts, Clayton Egger, Forest Perkins and John Mashburn enjoyed a picnic at the Regency bridge Sunday after Sunday School. They were chaperoned by Lillard Wilmeth and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Crowder.

Miss Pauline Haynes spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. C. M. Chessnutt at Cross Cut.

Ralph Wilmeth of Milburn spent the week-end at home. He has been elected to a position in the Big Valley school for next year.

John Franklin Crowder spent the week-end with his aunt, Mrs. Lucy Manning, in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry McCarty and little son, Royce, of Eastland spent Sunday night with Mrs. McCarty's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Meek Russell.

Mrs. Bob Egger is improving slowly.

Miss Ruby Ketchum spent Sunday night and Monday at the home of her uncle, J. P. Ketchum.

Miss Monta Ray Crowder and Billie Burl Crowder returned Wednesday from a visit to San Angelo.

Miss Odene Russell was elected to be crowned Queen of the May at a May fete to be held soon at Indian Creek school.

Attention: The citizens of Ebony are requested to meet Friday night, May 3, to decide about a picnic for the last of school.

Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Chesser and their children, Norman and Harold Dean, attended the cemetery working at Williams Ranch Monday.

Remember that next Sunday is preaching day here.

Division Meeting Of Legion To Be Held In Del Rio

A number of Brownwood Legionnaires will attend the 1st district American Legion convention which is to be held at Del Rio Saturday and Sunday, May 25 and 26. The Del Rio post is making elaborate plans for the entertainment of visiting Legionnaires.

Election of district officers will be held at this convention as the terms of Committeeman Turner and District Adjutant Fred R. Donohoo will expire. One delegate and one alternate to the national convention in St. Louis will be elected.

Baptists Attending District Conference

A number of pastors and laymen of this county are attending the district evangelistic conference being held at First Baptist Church in San Angelo this week.

Dr. L. R. Scarborough, president of Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary at Fort Worth, and Dr. J. Howard Williams of Dallas, secretary of the Baptist Convention of Texas, together with Dr. Culpepper of Stephenville and Rev. R. E. Day of Big Spring are on the list of prominent speakers scheduled for the two day meet.

Several local Baptist leaders were scheduled to appear on the two-day program.

Mexican Singer On Ice Parade Program

Senora Milla Dominguez, distinguished Mexican artist, will be heard on the Ice Parade, new radio feature sponsored by the Texas Ice Industry, each Monday evening at 8:30. The program is broadcast over Stations WFAA-WBAP, WOAI and KPRC.

Senora Dominguez has appeared with the Chicago Symphony Orchestra and in many operas. She is widely known for her recording of native songs, and her interpretations of Mexican and Suanish songs were featured on the famous Capitol Family Party of Major Bowes and on several of Roxy's outstanding programs.

May

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Glen and Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Wiggins spent last week-end in San Antonio.

Uncle Gordon Miller, brother of Johnson Miller of Gorman, spent the week-end in May.

Wesley Turpin of Sidney spent Sunday with home folks.

Albert Palmer and family of Mercury spent Sunday with his father, Rev. D. H. Palmer, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Underwood and wife were here Saturday and Sunday. Mr. Underwood is teaching at Rotan, and his wife is teaching at Paint Rock.

Miss Myrtle Brown of the Centray Texas Hospital visited home folks here the first of the week.

Dewitt McBride of Sweetwater visited his family Sunday.

O. T. Jarvis and family motored over to London to visit his mother Saturday and Sunday.

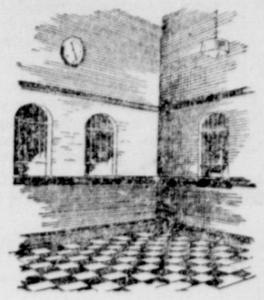
Mrs. Willie Underwood is spending a few days with her son and sister at Rotan.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. White of Carlton are here visiting his son, H. E. White.

Loys Smith and family of Roby arrived Wednesday to visit relatives here.

Mrs. A. C. Bigbee, accompanied by her son and daughter, returned Sunday from a visit to relatives in Hamilton.

Mrs. L. L. Buford of Odessa is visiting her sister, Mrs. Horace Irby.

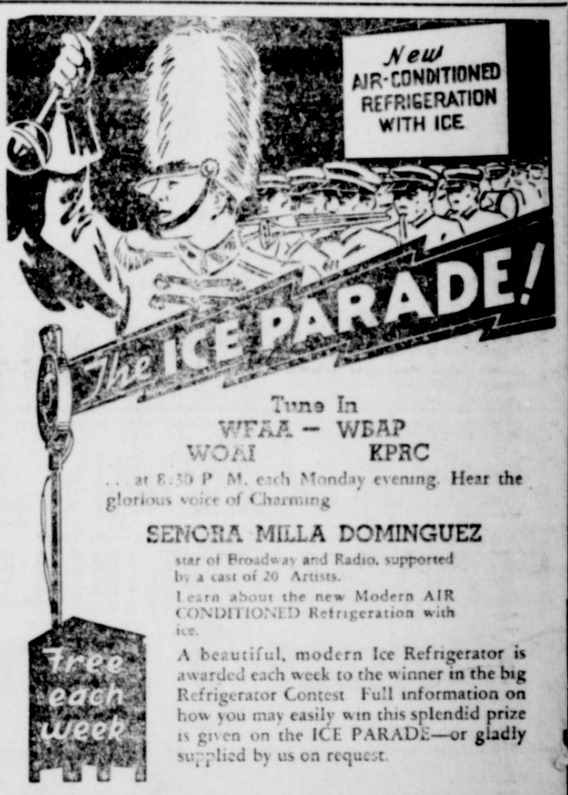


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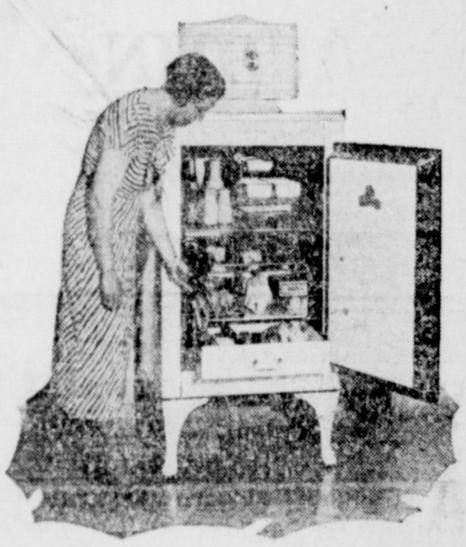
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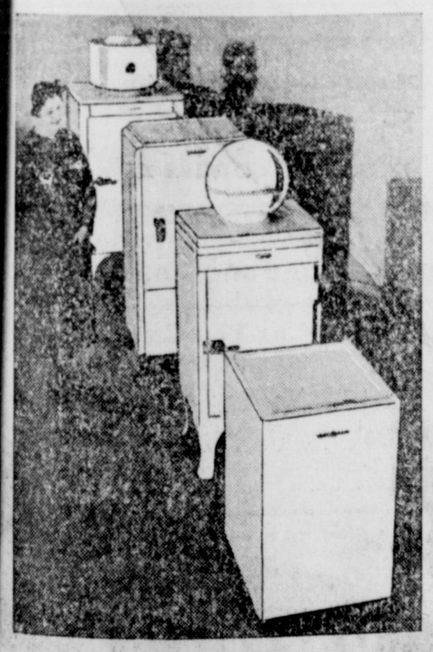
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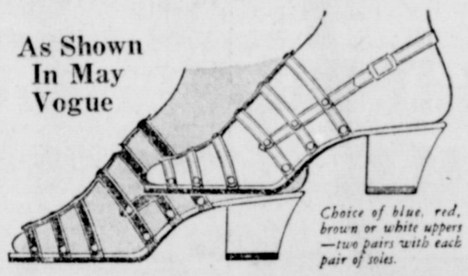
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COLLEGES ANNOUNCE LIST OF GRADUATES

Forty-eight students of Howard Payne College are candidates for A. B. degrees this year in the commencement exercises to be held Wednesday, May 22.

The list of A. B. candidates as announced from the college office today is as follows:

J. B. Adams, Brownwood;
Ernest Allen, Jr., Blanket;
Mrs. Bradley Allison, Seminary Hill;
Lloyd Blalock, Tularosa, N. M.;
Viron Brady, Brownwood;
James Carroll, Fort Worth;
Dale Carter, Winchell;
Mallene Carter, Winchell;
Nelda Clements, Brownwood;
Mrs. W. L. Cooper, Menard;
Fammie Cox, Brownwood;
Morris Day, Brownwood;
Halley DeHay, Brownwood;
Paul Dixon, Indian Creek;
Dean Elkins, Nolan;
Annie L. Evetts, Coleman;
Lou Dell Green, Brownwood;
Rayford Harris, Childress;
Leo Healer, Brownwood;
Leon Henry, Brownwood;
Grace Hughes, Brownwood;
John Isaacs, Winston Salem, N. C.;
Leon Jones, Longview;
Fred King, Ballinger;
Kathryn Leach, Brownwood;
W. H. Marshall, Brownwood;
Josephine McCulley, Brownwood;
C. W. McCullough, Brownwood;
Mrs. C. W. McCullough, Brownwood.
Lucile Moore, Temple;
Blair Morris, Sheffield;
Ellis Neal, Rule;
Clem Page, Brownwood;
Joe Paul, Brownwood;
Ottis Pierce, Owens;
Mrs. F. H. Porter, Fort Worth;
Aubrey Reeves, Boling;
Docia Roberts, Brownwood;
A. C. Smith, Bangs;
Owen Spivey, Brownwood;
Ray Taylor, Brownwood;
Edna Taylor, Brownwood;
Leslie Terry, Brady;
Joe Wagner, Comanche;
John Wester, Waelder;
Mrs. R. L. Williams, Brownwood;
Mrs. Ruth Williamson, Brownwood;
Vanita Yates, Brownwood.

Twenty-five students of Daniel Baker College are candidates for A. B. degrees this year to be awarded in commencement exercises to be held Monday, May 27.

Following is the list of candidates announced by the college office today:

Aileen Bettis.
Clara Othela Cook.
Nellie Grace DeHay.
Flora Lena Eaton.
Julia Wilkinson Hall.
Anna Elizabeth Hoffman.
Emma Frances McGhee.
Nannie Marie Pearson.
Blanche Alberta Percifull.
Mima Ann Williams.
Ida Mary Stracener.
Billy Neal Dillin.
Melton E. Dobbs.
Calvin Elgin Eaton.
Burney Fender Hart.
Talmadge Head.
Reaves Hickman.
Charles Othel Hogue.
James Edward McInnis.
William Cole Nunnally.
Robert M. Parks.
Morris Rodgers.
Joseph E. Snodgrass.
William Lyons White.
H. Lamar Lee.

If this thing keeps on it may be necessary to change the spelling of Texas to Taxes.—McKinney Examiner.

WHISKERS COUNTED IN THIS RACE



A split whisker would have been the margin any one of these horses had as they cleared a jump during the gala spring Gymkhana held in Santa Monica, Calif. The riders are, left to right: Egon Merz—you just can see the top of his head; Flora Maitland, Marian Gross, and Mrs. Dorothy Cooper.

MORTUARY

KENNEDY—Mrs. Annie Kennedy, 63, died at her home near Brownwood at 11:30 o'clock Sunday morning. Funeral services were held at the Salt Creek church with burial in Salt Creek cemetery. White & London was in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Kennedy was born October 17, 1872, at Mexia. She was married to C. F. Evans in 1894. To this union five children were born: Mrs. Odessa McHan, Mrs. Lura Hester, Frank Evans, Mrs. Roberta Coffee, and Mrs. Annie Lee Shofner, all of whom survive. Also 17 grandchildren survive. Mr. Evans died in March of 1919.

In 1926 she was married to J. H. Kennedy, who survives her. She was a member of the Baptist church, having joined when a young girl. She was always a devoted church worker and was clerk of the Salt Creek church at the time of her death.

Other survivors are two sisters, Mrs. J. W. Fortson and Mrs. Ora White, both of Brownwood, and one brother, B. H. Storey, also of Brownwood.

MANLEY—Mrs. J. F. Manley, 64, died in Houston Saturday after an illness of several years. Funeral services were held in Brownwood at 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon from Austin-Morris Funeral chapel. Rev. C. A. Johnson of Nacogdoches, former pastor of First Christian church here, officiated. Interment was in Greenleaf cemetery with Austin-Morris Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Manley made her home in Brownwood for a number of years. While living here she was a member of the First Christian Church.

She is survived by her husband, one son, Sam Manley, and a daughter, Addie Manley, all of Houston. Other survivors are brothers, G. M. Ratliff, W. D. Ratliff and Carson Ratliff, all of DeMoines, New Mexico. Two sisters, Mrs. Addie Hartley of Eldorado, Kansas, and Mrs. Mary Davidson of Thorp Springs, Texas, also survive.

PIERSON—Mrs. Tom Pierson, 68, died at her home near May at 5 o'clock Sunday morning. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock at May cemetery with Rev. W. T. Veatch of May officiating. Mitcham Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Pierson was born on November 8, 1869, in Mississippi. She came to Brown county with her husband in 1915 and settled in the May section and made that her home until the time of her death.

MASHBURN—J. E. Mashburn, 83, died at the family residence, 1214 Cottage Street, Sunday. Funeral services were held at the residence at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon with Rev. Russell Parker of Coleman officiating. Interment was at Jenkins Springs cemetery with Mitcham Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Mashburn was born on September 15, 1852, in Hardin county, Texas. He was married to Miss Sallie Davis of Stepps Creek community in 1885 and lived in Brownwood for more than 40 years. He was in the grocery business here until three years ago when he retired.

He is survived by his wife and four children: Mrs. J. B. Brewster, Breckenridge; C. L. Mashburn, of Ebony; Mrs. Ed Willis, Priddy; P. M. Mashburn, Owens; Mrs. R. A. White, Center. One sister, Mrs. Pink Scott of Columbus, Texas, and 17 grand children survive. A number of nieces and nephews also survive, among these are Mrs. W. B. Selman, Mrs. I. A. Hicks and Mrs. B. D. Dozier of Brownwood.

CROSS—Lee Boyd Cross, 57, former Brownwood citizen, died in Houston Tuesday morning. Funeral services were held in Brownwood Wednesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock from White & London Funeral Chapel with Rev. W. R. Hornburg officiating.

Mr. Cross had been making his home in Houston for the past two years. He is well known in Brownwood, having made his home here for many years.

He is survived by two children, J. Riley Cross of Paris, Texas, and Mrs. Pattie Lee Weedon of Brownwood. Three grandchildren also survive as does a brother, Tom Cross of Oplin, Texas. He was a son of the late Judge G. B. Cross.

EVANS — I. N. Evans, former Brownwood citizen, died at the home of a daughter, Miss Mary Evans, who is a teacher in the Paris, Texas, schools, Saturday. Funeral services were held in Brownwood Sunday with burial at Elkins. White & London Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Evans, who was past 80 years of age at his death, came to Brown county in 1900 and settled in the Elkins community and lived there until two years ago when he went to Paris to be with his daughter. A son, John Evans, still lives on the home place at Elkins.

Other children are Addison Evans of Port Arthur, Elmore Evans of Fort Worth and a married daughter who lives at Sweetwater.

HICKSON—Miss Nora Hickson, 89, died at 6 o'clock Thursday morning at her home in the May community. Funeral services were held at 3:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the Pleasant Valley Cemetery. Rev. W. I. Newton officiated and Mitcham Funeral Home had charge of arrangements.

Miss Hickson was born on March 29, 1846, in Alabama and came to Brown county in 1920 and has made her home here since that time. She was a member of the Baptist church for more than 75 years. She had been ill for eight months prior to her death.

She is survived by nieces and nephews: Mrs. E. A. Robason, of May; Mrs. T. M. Phillips, San Antonio; Mrs. Henry Barfield, Longworth, Texas; Mrs. John Latter, Harrisburg, Mississippi; W. D. Cammack, and Walter Cammack, both of May.

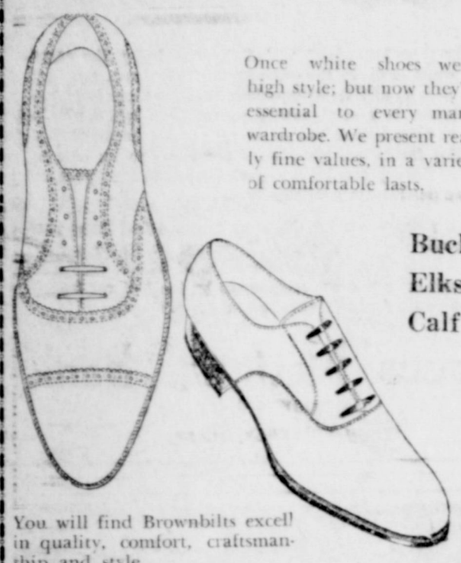
GRANTHAM—Mrs. Louella Grantham, 34, died at 1 o'clock Thursday morning at 1202 Fisk Avenue. Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Baptist church at Mullin with Rev. W. R. Dale of Midland officiating. Interment was in Mullin cemetery with White & London Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Grantham was born on July 25, 1901, in Mills county. She spent her early life there, [illegible] to Wichita Falls in 1920 and [illegible] living there she was [illegible] Allen Grantham. They then [illegible] to Dallas where they made [illegible] home until moving here [illegible] ago.

Mrs. Grantham, who had been in bad health for many [illegible] was a member of the [illegible] Baptist Church.

She is survived by her husband and one daughter, Theda Pat, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. [illegible] Wigley of Mills county, [illegible] brothers and sisters survive: W. Wigley and J. F. Wigley of Mullin, and Mrs. A. J. Wa[illegible] of Mills county.

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onne quintuplets get their heads together on plans for the coming summer. Cecile, foreground center, stretches out her toes and regards her booteed feet tively. "They'll be carrying me around soon," she reflects. And then, around the clock from Cecile are Marie, Emelie, Annette and Yvonne, kicking and stretchir developing muscles in a perfect picture of health, happiness and general toleration for a world of soft blankets, warmth, food, and perpetual wonderment.

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ace in which both contestttered the regional record, thur Thomason, Brownall-star athlete, lost the rdles event to Cornett of ity in the annual region k and field meet at Abiturday. Cornett's winning s 15.5.

et eight boys won a grand 48 points in the meet. anta Anna's one man team, eleven points. He took first in the shot and discus and place in the javelin to win al scoring honors of the rice set a new record in the t, 49 feet, in inch. Melvin, strict champs, trailed Santa y several points.

Theron Huggins, of Zephyr, outclassed the field in the 880 to set a new record for the distance. Huggins' time of 2:03.5 clipped over two seconds off the record set by Stagner, of Colorado, one year ago. Billings, of Coleman, won first place in the javelin throw with a toss of 167 feet, 5 1-2 inches, bettering the old record by twelve feet.

HELD ON CAR THEFT CHARGN

Carroll Hutson, taken into custody last week by Dr. Ben Shelton, who saw him attempting to take a car belonging to J. Claude Smith, was given an examining trial last week. Justice of the Peace E. T. Perkinson set his bond at $1,500, and Hutson was bound over to await action of the grand jury.

Saturday — Photos 10c a dozen. Mayo Studios.

England Protects Dogs

England has a law that provides in the event any person is convict- of cruelty to a dog he can not own another one "for such a period as the court see fit to set." The dog he has abused is taken from him.

White Pelican Vanishing

The white pelican, which once bred generally in western North America, now has only four breeding colonies of significance in western United States and three in Saskatchewan.

POOL IN THE GARDEN

By DR. C. H. CONNORS
Head, Department of Ornamental Horticulture, N. J. College of Agriculture and Experiment Station, Rutgers University.

Water has been a decorative garden feature for thousands of years. A pool imparts a sense of coolness and adds immediate interest to the garden plan.

A pool of still water offers a feeling of serenity and the beauty of reflection. The cascade or the fountain, which is part of some garden pools, contributes to the garden a medium whereby a different type of plant may be cultivated.

Regardless of what its purpose may be, however, the pool should be in complete harmony with its surroundings.



Courtesy Charles L. Tricker

This small pool, above, its construction hidden, fits harmoniously into a natural landscape. The massing of the semi-aquatic plants (cat-tails, umbrella plant, ludwigia) emphasizes the feeling that the pond is shallow near the bank.

The screen planting will eventually separate the pool more definitely from the general lawn, and thus give it an appearance of segregation.

Another interesting suggestion for the informal pool is a curb entirely hidden by plantings, which gives the lawn the appearance of reaching right to the water.

The pool must be in keeping with its environment, then, if it is to be harmonious and beautiful.



Courtesy Charles L. Tricker

Let the construction of the pool be substantial, best of reinforced concrete. Its curb should be in harmony with the rest of the garden. A formal pool, for example, might have a curb of finished concrete, of brick, or of tile, while the informal pool has a curb of suitable naturalistic rock.

The rectangular, well proportioned pool, shown above, is a good example of a formal pool in a formal garden. The stately trellis at the end, the bank on one side and the open hedge on the left confine the garden.

Although the hybrid water lilies are summery and lovely, they make it impossible for the pool to catch a complete reflection of the trellis and the tall vases. A pool in this position needs only the refecition of the sky and its surroundings to give it life and color.

A very few plants, with a smaller texture of leaf, might be better than the water lilies.

The setting of the pool must be considered in planting its margins. A reflecting pool may have a very simple marginal planting or none at all, while a pool that is a feature of a rock garden might have its margins planted as a continuation of the planting in the garden.

the said district with the Pompey Creek Common School District No. 15, in Mills County, Texas, thereby forming the Zephyr County Line Common Consolidated Rural High School District No. 39 in Brown and Mills Counties, Texas.

M. N. Cobb has been appointed presiding officer for said election and he shall select two judges and two clerks to assist him in holding the same, and he shall within five days after said election has been held make due return thereof to the commissioners court of this county as is required by law for holding a general election.

All persons who are legally qualified voters of this State and County and who are resident qualified voters in said district shall be entitled to vote at said election and all voters who favor the consolidation of the aforementioned school districts shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "For Consolidation."

And those opposed to such consolidation shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "Against the Consolidation."

Dated the 30th day of April, A. D. 1935.

A. E. NABORS,
County Judge of Brown County, Texas.

May 3-10-17

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas.

You are hereby commanded to Brown County—Greeting:

You are hereby commander to summon Louis Franklin Graham by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Brown County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Brownwood, on the 4th Monday in May, A. D. 1935, the same being the 27th day of May, A. D. 1935, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 21st day of March, A. D. 1935, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 6902, wherein Etta Graham is Plaintiff, and Louis Franklin Graham is Defendant, and a brief statement of plaintiff's cause of action, being as follows:

That on or about the 18th day of October, A. D. 1913, plaintiff was legally married to defendant in Hall County, Texas, and thereafter continued to live with plaintiff as his wife until on or about the 10th day of October, A. D. 1931, when the defendant, with the intention of abandoning the plaintiff, left her, and that they have not lived together since said time as wife and husband.

That there was born of said marriage six children, and that two are married, and two virtually of age and two minor girls. Plaintiff alleges that the defendant is not a proper person to have the care and custody of these minor children.

That plaintiff desires a divorce from defendant, custody of children and costs of suit. And defendant is hereby cited to appear and answer this petition.

Herein Fail Not but have before said Court, at its next regular term this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

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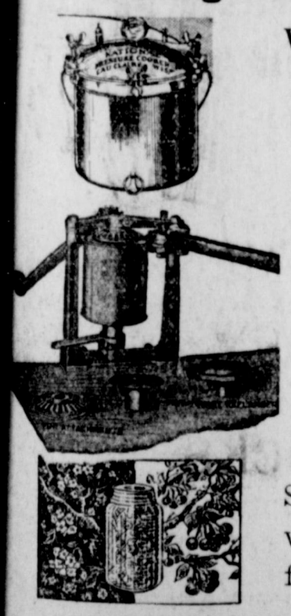
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AUGUST 24 IS SET AS DATE FOR STATE PROHIBITION VOTE

Texans will vote August 24, 1935, on the repeal of constitutional prohibition in this state, and at the next general election, November 3, 1936, will vote on a mandatory state monopoly amendment which would place retail sales of liquor in the hands of the state.

Decision on the date for the two votes was reached by the Legislature Wednesday. Governor Allred is expected to approve the measure providing the two votes.

The Senate Wednesday also adopted the house resolution setting final adjournment date of the present session at next Tuesday, May 7.

No Allotment Yet For Relief Projects

County Administrator C. E. Boyett has not yet received word on the allotment for May for work relief projects in Brown county. The new work relief program will be made up according to the amount of the May allotment.

All work relief projects in the county were shut down the latter part of last week. The projects will not be resumed until some time in May.

MEN WANTED for Rawleigh routes in Brownwood. Write today. Rawleigh Co., Dept. TXE-89-SB, Memphis, Tenn. 5—2-16-30

Charter Of Veterans Being Held Open So All May Join Post

Four new members were initiated and a number of applications for membership were received at the Saturday night meeting of the local post of Veterans of Foreign Wars. By a special dispensation the charter for the post is being held open for 90 days so that all veterans eligible for membership in the post will have opportunity to join.

State Commander E. A. Heil of San Antonio and Colonel Nicholson, his aide-de-camp, were principal speakers at the meeting, which was attended by more than 50 men.

Texas History Of Early Days Told

An illustrated lecture, sponsored by the Historical Lecture Bureau, with headquarters at Waco, was given in Howard Payne chapel one morning this week.

Charles W. Hodges lectured on the subject, "Texas Under Six Flags" using an illuminated map to illustrate his talk.

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Square Deal Used Cars Are Featured By Weatherby Co.

In cooperation with all Ford dealers in the Dallas branch territory, Weatherby Motor Company, Brownwood authorized Ford dealers, have been busily engaged in improving facilities for completely reconditioning, advertising and selling used cars, which will be featured as a part of the "Square Deal" used car project of all authorized Ford dealers in this territory.

Behind the idea of the "Square Deal" slogan identifying authorized Ford dealers' used car activities is the many years of reputable dealing in both new and used cars. The motor and electrical system of every Square Deal Ford Dealer used car will be analyzed by the Ford Laboratory Test Set, the mechanical stethoscope which is positively uncanny in the elimination of guess work in mechanical diagnosis. Reconditioning will be done which is necessary to place the car in A-1 condition with regard to price asked and the future unused mileage of the car in terms of transportation value.

Extensive advertising in newspapers and other media will be used to familiarize the general public with the fact that the authorized Ford dealer is the first place to look when seeking a used car, inasmuch as improvements in riding qualities, such as the new spring suspension of the new Ford V-8 cars for 1935, has provided this low priced car with riding ease that is comparable with that formerly available only in large and expensive automobiles.

Canning Work Is Demonstrated At Austin-Morris Co.

Canning in glass jars and the use of the pressure cooker in canning is being demonstrated at a canning school conducted at Austin-Morris Furniture Company this week. Mrs. Alisse Chaptman, representative of the Ball Brothers fruit jar company, is conducting the school.

Mrs. Chaptman has had 15 years canning experience. She is a graduate of East Central State Teachers College, of University of Oklahoma and has done extension work from Texas A. & M. She recently conducted canning schools in Stephenville, Dublin and Comanche.

The school opened Wednesday afternoon and will continue thru Saturday. Classes are at 2 o'clock each afternoon. Mrs. Chaptman gives some of her own recipes as well as practical canning suggestions and she advises every woman to bring her pencil and paper for note taking.

Bands Are To Give Concert Wednesday

The Brownwood Senior and Junior High School bands, the high school orchestra, a brass quartette from the bands and soloists will give a concert next Wednesday night at the high school auditorium, it was announced this week by W. R. Parker, director of bands in the Brownwood public schools.

The junior high school band last week won second place in the Hardin-Simmons band tournament at Abilene. The public is invited to the concert.

SPRING PRESBYTERY SESSIONS HELD HERE

Rev. Malcolm Black, retiring moderator of the Brownwood Presbytery, U. S., delivered the sermon for the opening program of the Presbytery, which held its spring meeting in Brownwood Tuesday night at 8 o'clock. The sessions continued through Wednesday.

Sessions were held at the First Presbyterian Church. Pastors and elders of churches in this district of the state were present to consider the work of the church for the past year and the year to come.

The church choir, under the direction of S. B. Gamble, gave special music at the opening of Wednesday night's services. Dr. S. E. Chandler of Brownwood and Rev. John Thorns of Sterling City officiated at the observance of communion of the Lord's Supper following the sermon.

Dr. D. O. Wood of San Angelo conducted the devotional which opened the session Wednesday morning. Rev. Matthew Lynn, Coleman, delivered a sermon at 11:00 o'clock. Luncheon for the Presbytery and officers of the church was served by the Woman's Auxiliary of the church.

Wednesday evening Miss Marguerite Mizell, Presbyterian Missionary to China, spoke on the "Foreign Missions" program.

Stork to Star in Hollywood



The stork is preparing for an extended run in Hollywood this summer. Above are six residents who are known to expect this visitor shortly. At upper right is the famous Norma Shearer, now Mrs. Irving Thalberg. At left, top to bottom, are June Collyer (Mrs. Stuart Erwin) and Gloria Stuart (Mrs. Arthur Sheekman). Below, left to right, are Marguerite Churchill (Mrs. George O'Brien), Virginia Webster (Mrs. Richard Dix), and Molly O'Day (Mrs. Jack Durant).

CCC Teams Winners Over Graham Camp

The boys at Camp Chester Harrison were hosts to two invading teams from the CCC camp at Graham last week. They were winners over both teams. The baseball team from the local CCC camp defeated the Graham boys by a score of 7 to 3 in a game played Saturday. The boxing team defeated the Graham team in matches Friday.

Will pay cash for used Pianos, if priced right. Denman Music Co., 113 E. Baker St.

POLICE RADIO IS GRANTED BROWNWOOD

The Federal Communications Commission granted a permit for the construction of a municipal police radio station at Brownwood last week. Work of building the station will start within a short time and the station should be in operation in from 30 to 60 days.

Alton Stewart, local radio man who has been working with city council and the police department on plans for the station, will build and operate it.

Adjoining counties which will be served by the station, will be asked to cooperate in the building and operation of the station. A number have already agreed to cooperate, and Stewart will visit other counties at an early date.

The station will be 100 watts, 245 kilocycles, and one microphone will be located at the police station and the other at county jail. Word of a crime committeed here can be broadcast at once to adjoining counties. It is anticipated that the use of the radio station will enable quicker apprehension of law violators as well as effecting a saving in telephone calls.

FIVE LIONS TO BE BACK NEXT SEASON

Five of the nine members of the Brownwood High School 1935 basketball team who received sweaters for their season's work will return to form the nucleus of next year's team. The 1935 season was the most successful one the Lions have ever had. They won the county, district and regional championship and advanced to the semi-finals in the state Interscholastic League meet.

Those awarded sweaters were: Willis Denman, John Arthur Thomason, Charles Davis, Lynn Clardy, Clayton Coffey, George Edwards, E. I. Crow, Wayland Crow and Frank McDaniels. John Woods, team manager, also was given a sweater.

Of the nine lettermen who received sweaters, five will return next year to form the nucleus of Brownwood High's 1936 quintet.

In addition to championships won in Interscholastic League play, the Lions annexted several invitation championships.

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Arrangements are to b... send all Confederate ve... the local camp who are ... able to go, to the Confed... erans reunion at Amarill... union is to be held Sept... 6 inclusive.

There was no U. C. T... last year due to the fact... city was prepared to ent... veterans. Elaborate plan... entertainment of the ve... this year's reunion a... made.

Every Second Was Valuable!

*Mrs. C. B. Smith, who resides three miles out of town, became seriously ill during the night from ptomaine poisoning. Mr. Smith called Dr. Brown who prescribed an antidote for Mrs. Smith until he could reach the patient. This antidote saved Mrs. Smith's life. If Dr. Brown could not have been reached so quickly by the telephone, Mrs. Smith would have died.

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