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YOUTH CONFESSES KILLING SEVEN



BECAUSE his father would not let him have the family car, Owen Oberst, 17, of near El Dorado, Kas., killed his father and mother, his two brothers and three sisters, and fired the house, burning the bodies, according to his confession to police. Before leaving the house, he took $40. Then he drove to town and attended a movie. Above are the slayer's brothers and sisters, whom he killed and (inset) Oberst.

EL DORADO, Mass., May 10.—(AP)—Owen Oberst, 17-year-old confessed family slayer, who unexpectedly reversed his story and charged officers made him confess, today was held in solitary confinement in the county jail. Unless Oberst again changes his mind and decides to plead guilty to the seven counts of first degree murder against him, he will be tried in the June term of district court.

CLUB WOMEN INSPECT "BETTER HOMES"

BANKERS VOTE TO CONTINUE BANDIT REWARD

SAN ANTONIO, May 10. —(AP)—Texas bankers in session here agreed unanimously to continue for another year their offer of an award of $5,000 for dead bank robbers and nothing for bandits taken alive.

William A. Williamson of San Antonio was elected to the presidency of the Texas State Bankers' Association.

J. Edwin Brown of McGregor was elected treasurer and Galveston was named as the meeting place for the association in 1929.

W. P. Smith of the Jasper State Bank in an address advocated that the government establish forest preserves in Texas. The present waste of timber, he said, is butchery and three fourths of the East Texas supply is already gone. Reforestation, encouraged by remission of taxes was the only remedy he could see for the situation.

James Shaw, State Banking Commissioner, told the convention that "Texas bankers are now on trial."

"All state banks should be thoroughly examined," the commissioner said, "and their problems frankly discussed. Too many bankers forget the real mission of banking and do not think seriously enough of the future. The consequence is that they find themselves on a limb too late. One reason for bank failures is the incompetence of officers and directors; a second is too much money loaned to a few people, and a third is speculative credit."

Vicar Gives Tips to Bridegrooms With No 'Manners'

LONDON, May 10.—(AP)—The vicar of St. Phillip's Church is not altogether satisfied with the deportment and responses of bridegrooms in his Battersea district.

In his magazine he gives the following tips to prospective bridegrooms:

"Don't rush at the blushing bride when she joins you at the chancel steps and shake hands with her. One bridegroom did this at a recent wedding and exclaimed 'Ow are yer, mate.'

"When the priest tells you to say after him 'God's holy ordinance,' don't say 'God's holy audience.' Some of the audiences we have seen at recent weddings here could never by any stretch of imagination be called holy.

"It is always best to refrain from drinking anything stronger than tea before the ceremony. The smell of alcohol is rather objectionable and especially in the church.

"When the clergyman asks you to say 'troth' please don't say 'trough.' The former means faith, fidelity, truth; the latter anything hollowed and open longitudially on the upper side."

DILDY TO HEAD TEXAS DOCTORS

GALVESTON, May 10. —(AP)—Two important pieces of legislation one national, the other state, were advocated by the State Medical Association of Texas at the closing sessions of its convention here today.

The Russ resolution, drawn by Dr. W. B. Russ of, San Antonio, calling on Congress to relieve the medical profession of the responsibility of prescribing liquor that may be needed as a stimulant was adopted at the afternon session on motion of Dr. Preston Hunt of Texarkana. The association also went on record as favoring the annual registration of practicing physicians.

Dr. Joe Dildy of Brownwood was elected president-elect. Other officers chosen were: Dr. D. H. Hudgins, Kaufman; S. B. Naylor, Stephenville; J. L. Hammond, Paris, first, second and third vice presidents, respectively; Holman Taylor, Fort Worth, secretary, and K. H. Bell, Forth Worth, treasurer.

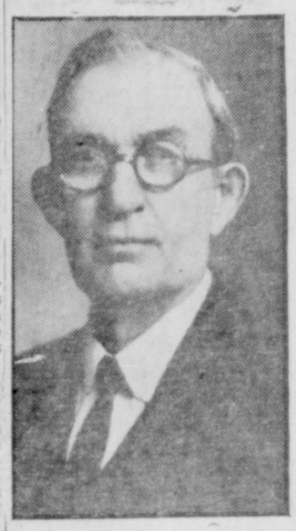
Brownsville was awarded the 1929 convention at dates to be selected later.

Mrs. Henry Haden of Houston was elected president of the women's auxiliary to the State Medical Association of Texas in session here today, succeeding Mrs. Joe Gilbert of Austin.

GALVESTON, Texas, May 10.—(AP)—Texas practicing physicians would be required to register each year under a plan endorsed by the State Medical Association of Texas in convention here today.

Dr. Felix P. Miller of El Paso, president-elect, and Dr. Holman Taylor of Fort Worth, Secretary, advocated the annual registration plan as a means of enabling the state board of medical examiners to detect and prosecute illegal practitioners. Opposition to the plan was voiced by Dr. H. O. Sappington of Galveston, former state health officer, and Dr. F. R. Winn of Alvin, and others.

HONORED



DR. JOE E. DILDY of Brownwood, chosen to head Texas Medical Association at convention in Galveston Thursday afternoon.

BROWN COUNTY OBSERVES "BETTER HOMES WEEK"

As a closing feature of "Better Homes Week," being observed thruout the nation, the Home Demonstration Clubs of Brown county made a tour of inspection of the recently improved homes in the county that have entered in the State Living Room Contest. A party of eighty club women were in the tour and nineteen cars were used for the trip.

The touring party left Brownwood at 9:30 a. m., Wednesday, May 2nd, and drove first to the home of Mrs. H. Z. Howlett of the Clear Creek community. Mrs. Howlett has a lovely new home which is neat, modern and beautifully furnished throughout.

From there they drove to the home of Mrs. Dan Hintner of Bangs, but who is a member of the Clear Creek Club. One of the features of Mrs. Hintner's home is the built-in kitchen cabinet, which was built entirely of scrap lumber. The doors were all made of the three ply wood used in the construction of boxes in which phonographs are shipped. It is all enameled white and occupies the entire north end of her kitchen. spare time, and he did a thorough Her husband did all the work in his job, but it must be seen to be appreciated.

The next home to be visited was that of Mrs. Joe Horton of the Mt. Zion community. Mrs. Horton has added a feature to her living room, which no other contestant has added since entering the contest, and that is a lovely baby boy. To her husband belongs a lot of credit for the new home and improvements as he refinished the furniture, did all the painting and enameling, and built a bookcase, a wood box and a magazine rack. The neighbors were lovely, too. The women helped with the draperies and upholstering, and even one man came to help wash the windows in order for the home to be at its best, for the inspection of the visitors.

From there the party drove to the Holloman pasture where a bountiful picnic lunch was spread and to which all did justice. Some time was spent after lunch in resting, talking, getting acquainted and singing songs.

The journey was then resumed and the next stop was made at the home of Mrs. D. W. Kyzar of the Barber community. Mrs. Kyzar was winner in the kitchen contest last year and was also a winner in the state biscuit contest, two years ago. She has a beautiful home, modern in every respect, surrounded by hundreds of lovely flowers.

The next home to be visited was that of Mrs. W. T. Martin of the Brookesmith community. Mrs. Martin was not content to improve only her living room, but remodeled and improved her entire home, doing most of the work herself. Besides this she kept house for a family of three, cooked for farm help, hatched off 600 baby chicks and 300 baby turkeys, made a garden and planted flowers.

The party then went to the lovely and hospitable home of Mrs. Walter Oden, Sr., of the Barber community where they were entertained by a splendid program put on by the women of the Barber and Brookesmith Clubs, after which refreshments of tiny cakes and punch were served.

After taking some pictures the party then left for their homes declaring it to have been a day of entire pleasure and inspiration, as well as an educational trip.

Because of the lack of time visits were not made to the homes of all the contestants in the living room contest.

The tour was made under the direction of Miss Mayesie Malone, county Home Demonstration Agent and Chairman of Brown county in the observance of "Better Homes Week;" also chairman of a committee, who is working for a better and more beautiful Brown county.

SEEK STEWART INDICTMENT

CHICAGO, May 10. —(AP)—Colonel Robert W. Stewart, chairman of the Board of Directors of the Standard Oil Company of Indiana, today issued the following statement.

"Replying to the statement of John D. Rockefeller, Jr., appearing in newspapers under date of May 9, 1928, any communication from any stockholder of the company is entitled to, and shall receive from me the most careful consideration.

"The proceedings now pending at Washington make it unwise for me to make any statement to the public at this time, much as I might desire to."

WASHINGTON, May 10.—(AP)—Seeking indictment of Robert W. Stewart, Chairman of the Board of the Standard Oil Company of Indiana, district attorney Rover today submitted to the Federal Grand Jury the transcript of the oil man's testimony before the Senate Teapot Dome Committee on February 2 and 3 and on April 24.

When Stewart appeared first before the committee he said he had not profited personally one cent through the Continental Trading Company's oil profits Liberty Bonds and had no knowledge of the Continental Company bonds. At his April appearance before the committee the oil man testified that he had received 759,500 in bonds from the Continental deal which were given him by H. S. Osler, president of the company. He insisted that he did not know of his own knowledge that the bonds were Continental bonds. They now have been turned over to the Sinclair Crude Oil Purchasing Company.

What the committee members considered discrepancies in his testimony on the two occasions were certified to Rover for such action as he deemed proper. After studying the transcript the district attorney decided to present four sections of the oil man's testimony to the grand jury.

Stewart already is under indictment on a charge of having refused to answer questions asked by the committee on his first appearance and his trial is set for May 21. At his second appearance he answered the questions and while purging himself of contempt of the Senate, that act did not affect the indictment.

More about Stewart on Page Three,, Section Two.

Shoots Bride, Kills Self In Fort Worth

FORT WORTH, May 10.—(AP)—Mrs. Fred Mercer, a bride of less than four weeks, was in a hospital here with bullet wounds in her groin, breast and abdomen fighting for life today while funeral arrangements were being made for her husband.

The shooting occurred here last night in a cafe owned by Mercer following an argument between the couple. Neighbors heard the shots and a minute later Mrs. Mercer ran out of the cafe screaming "I'm killed." Her husband's body was found on the floor.

The county coroner said last night that he will return a verdict of suicide in the case of Mercer unless contrary evidence develops.

Kills Self After Aviator Dies

NEW YORK, May 10.—(AP)—Mrs. Jean Le Brun, a sister of Dr. H. N. Tigart, of Nashville, Tenn., committed suicide by gas in her apartment today.

Friends said she had been heart broken since the death of Leonard W. Bonney, who was killed in testing a strange wing flapping airplane of his own design last Friday.

She left four letters. One addressed to her brother, as "darling Doc" said, "my suicide is unavoidable. My sweeheart was killed in aviation accident Friday, and I cannot possibly live without him."

Mrs. Lebrun was 35 years old and divroced.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 10.—(AP)—Mrs. Jean Le Brun, who committed suicide in New York today, was formerly Miss Amelia McTyeire Tigert of this city, a daughter of the late Bishop John Tigert and a sister of John Tigert, United States commissioner of education. Her maternal grandfather was Bishop H. N. McTyeire, first president of Vanderbilt University.

1 Dead, 2 Hurt in Plane Crash

LAWRENCE, Kan., May 10.—(AP)—One University of Kansas freshman lost his life, another was dangerously injured and the pilot was slightly injured when an airplane fell 200 feet near the Haskell Institute here last night.

Alfred Harwi of Atchison, Kan., died early today of a fractured skull and Lewis A. Hardman, Osborne, Kan., was in a dangerous condition, although physicians were hopeful of his recovery.

A. J. Maxwell of Kansas City, pilot of the plane, suffered an injured ankle and cuts and bruises.

2 Students Shot by Policeman

CHICAGO, May 10.—(AP)—A young probationary policeman shot and seriously wounded one of two students today and arrested the other when they resisted his attempt to question them.

The policeman, Thomas Prendergast, in citizens clothes and off duty, tried to question Daniel Wharton, 22, and Leslie Rose, 19, students whom he found loitering in a doorway.

He fired twice, wounding Wharton when he said the youths advanced on him. Wharton's parents live in Austin.

Avalanche Takes Eleven Lives

ANCONA, Italy, May 10.—(AP)—An avalanche caused eleven deaths near here last night.

Three persons were killed and eighteen injured when the fast night train collided with a huge pile of earth which completely blocked the railroad tracks between Cupra Marttima and Grottammare near San Benedetto Del Tronto.

The avalanche, which was caused by recent heavy rains, also demolished nine houses and six bodies were taken from them.

Two children also were killed.

Fear for Safety of Air Trippers

BROWNSVILLE, May 10—(AP)—A telegram received here today by M. V. Hugo, representative of the Compania Mexicana Aviacion, said that Theodore T. Hull of Los Angeles and his two companions had arrived safely in Tampico last night.

MEXICO CITY, May 10.—(AP)—Fears were entertained today for the safety of Theodore Hull, president of the California Air Race Association, who was long overdue on an airplane flight to Tampico.

Hull, accompanied by George de Saulls, mechanic, Charles Haldeman photographer, and a passenger, hopped off from Los Angeles for Mexico city in connection with plans to organize an air derby. They crossed the border at Brownsville, Texas, yesterday morning and were expected at Tampico at 6 p. m.

The Compania Mexican Aviacion ordered two planes to search for the missing fliers when they failed to arrive at Tampico.

Aviation circles believed that Hull may have lost his way and been forced to alight en route to Tampico.

BABE'S 7TH

NEW YORK, May 10.—(AP)—Babe Ruth hit his seventh home run of the season in the sixth inning of the Cleveland-New York game here today. Willis Hudlin was pitching.

Ruth's blow scored Combs and Koenig ahead of him, and sent the Yankees into a lead of three to two.

New Service Station Here

Another new service station has been opened to serve the car-owners of Brownwood and vicinity.

The Philco Battery & Service Station at East Lee and Hawkins Street will be equipped to take care of the many service requirements of the present day automobile. A complete line of tires, gas, oil, grease and storage batteries will be carried and service will be under the management of C. C. Herrin, who has had a great deal of experience in this line, and is an automotive engineer. This station will distribute the complete line of TP Coal & Oil Products, American Akron Tires, and the famous Philco Diamond Grid Battery with the two year guarantee. In addition to the various services rendered they will maintain a complete electrical department for the recharging and repairing of all makes of storage batteries, and are equipped to do starter, generator and electrical automotive repairs. Mr. Ferguson, who is recognized in Brownwood as authority on storage battery service, will be in charge of all service calls, while the front will be handled by Mr. Ohls, a man who comes to Brownwood from one of the larger service stations in this state.

WATER BOARD MEETS TODAY

The board of directors of the Brown County Water Improvement District Number One, was to meet Thursday afternoon, Judge C. L. McCartney, attorney for the board, said.

Judge McCartney declined to say what matters were to have been discussed.

DELAY GAMES

NATIONAL—Brooklyn at Chicago, game postponed, rain.

KNOWS NOTHING ABOUT EXPENSES SAYS SMITH

NEW YORK, May 10.—(AP)—Facing the United States senate campaign inquisitors for half an hour today, Governor Alfred E. Smith testified that he knew nothing about the financing of his campaign for the Democratic presidential nomination.

However, his campaign manager, George R. Van Namee, told the senators that $103,310 had been received by the New York organization for the governor and $92,090 had been expended.

William F. Kenny, a New York paving and gas main contractor, put up $70,000 of the total receipts, Van Namee said, $20,000 in ouright gifts and $50,000 in loans which are yet to be paid.

The heaviest expenditure was made in California where Governor Smith recently ran far ahead of Senators Reed of Missouri and Walsh of Montana in the Democratic presidential preference primary. A total of $41,500 was sent into that state of which $3,500 subsequently was returned.

Van Namee said that he understood that the local Smith organization in that state raised between $2,300 and $2,400.

None in South

The Smith manager, who is a member of the New York public service commission, testified that no money had been spent in the southern or border states. Seven thousand dollars was sent into the far west for use in Utah, Wyoming, Nevada, New Mexico, Washington, Oregon, Montana and Idaho.

The governor remained in the Joseph F. Guffey of Pittsburgh, Democratic national committeeman for Pennsylvania, for use in the primary in that state. The Smith organization in Minnesota got $1,200; that in North Dakota got $1,500, and that in Maine received $1,000.

Answering all questions freely, Governor Smith told the Senate inquisitors that he had made no personal effort to obtain the nomination at Houston; that he had made no promises of patronage and had contributed none of his own funds to the organizations formed on behalf of his candidacy.

Not to Quit State

The leading candidate for the Democratic nomination also stated that he did not propose to leave his state during the preconvention campaign and was not at all certain that he would go to the Houston convention.

Like Secretary Hoover, the leading Republican candidate, who testified yesterday at Washington, Smith said his campaign was in the hands of his friends in New York and other states where efforts have been made to obtain delegates.

In addition, $35,000 was sent to committee room in the Commodore hotel while the senators closely closely questioned Van Namee about the financing of the Smith campaign. He was surrounded by friends with whom he occasionally talked.

Real Contest

Questioned particularly about the expenditures in California, the campaign manager said that this was the one state in which a real contest was made against Governor Smith.

"Senator Reed and Senator Walsh were conducting vigorous campaigns there," he explained. "The newspapers were giving considerable prominence to it.

"It's a big state. There are more than 8,000 election districts and I do not think the expenditures were large, taking that into consideration."

Replying to Senator Steiwer, Republican, Oregon, the chairman, Van Namee said he knew nothing of any charges of corruption made against the Smith organization in California by the Los Angeles Express.

The witness took a fling at the Ku Klux Klan, the Anti-Saloon League and anti-Catholic organizations. He said these bodies had been making "scurrilous attacks" on the governor and that the campaign committee had sent our literature "refuting" them.

"It makes a man indignant," he said.

CONFEDERATES TO ELECT OFFICERS AT SESSION TODAY

LITTLE ROCK, May 10. —(AP)—After tabling it without discussion, United Confederate Veterans at their Reunion here today voted 137 to 51 to reconsider providing for appointment of a committee to confer with grand army of the Republic officials and perfect plans for holding their reunions jointly in the future.

Tabling of the resolution was believed due to misunderstanding of its meaning, most of the veterans being unable to hear distinctly. It was offered by John A. Miller, a member of the Sixth Cavalry in the war.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., May 10.—(AP)—Politics was the topic of interest among Confederate Veterans at the morning and noon meals today, previous to the election late this afternoon of a new commander-in-chief to succeed General J. C. Foster, Houston, Texas.

General A. T. Goodwyn, Elmore, Alabama, commander of the Department of Tennessee, and Colonel R. A. Sneed, Oklahoma City, commander of the Oklahoma division, were leading candidates for the post.

The veterans also will be confronted with selection of a city for the 1929 reunion with Atlanta and Charlotte leading contenders.

As to pleasure offered the "boys," the grand ball last night at which the United States marine band played and which was attended by about 7,000 persons, eclipsed all other events of the program thus far.

Unrestrained, the old warriors danced with an ease that belied their years. When the marines struck up "Dixie" as many as could chose partners and skipped onto the floor with a zest.

A resolution providing for perfection of plans with the Grand Army of the Republic to hold their reunions jointly in the future was tabled without discussion by the United Confederate Veterans here today. So far as could be learned, this ended consideration at this reunion of the proposal.

COOLIDGE GETS FLOOD MEASURE

WASHINGTON, May 10.—(AP)—The flood control bill was sent to the White House from the capitol this afternoon after the engrossed copy had been signed by Vice President Dawes and Speaker Longdworth.

Two Arrested for Investigation on Swindling Charge

Two men giving their names as O. H. Littleton and Roy Miller, and their places of residence as Eastland, Cisco, Cross Plains and Gorman, are being detained for investigation of complaints of losses through short changing methods which had been made to the Police Department by Frank Emison & Son, grocers, and the Blue Top filling station.

The two men were placed under arrest by Motorcycle Officer Guy Freeze, as they were driving along Austin Avenue. One of the prisoners is in the city jail and the other in the county jail.

According to complaints by the two business houses, five dollars was lost at each place through short change tactics following small purchases. Pending further investigation of the matter, no charges have been filed against the two prisoners.

THE WEATHER

WEST TEXAS: Tonight partly cloudy in south, thundershowers and cooler in north portion; Friday unsettled, thundershowers and cooler in east and north portions.

Third Party Dark Horse Is Selected

LOS ANGELES, May 10. —(AP)—A dark horse whose name is cloaked with secrecy has been chosen and has consented to head a third party as a candidate for the presidency if Governor Alfred Smith of New York is nominated by the Democrats at their convention in Houston.

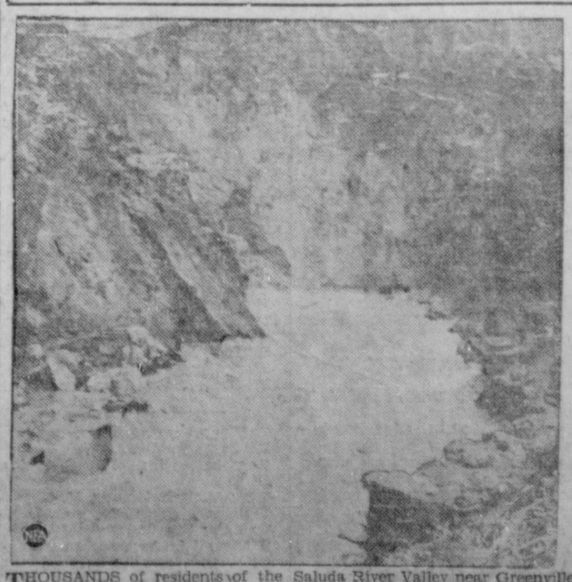
This was announced here today by Fairfax Cosby, member of Senator James A. Reed's California committee in the recent state primary campaign in which Reed ran second to Smith.

Following Smith's capture of the California Democratic convention delegation at the polls, Cosby, who is an attorney, said he had been retained by a number of progressive Democrats and Republicans to draw up the necessary legal papers for the launching of a third party if Smith is nominated at Houston.

Today he announced that preliminary arrangements had been completed, that a southern Democrat had been picked and had consented to head the third party as presidential candidate and that organization had already gotten under way in the south to launch the campaign Cosby refused to divulge the projected leader's name pending the result of the Houston convention.

Cosby said he had received offers of support for a third party from the south a typical one coming from Rev. J. Frank Norris, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Fort Worth, Texas, who offered his paper and his radio station to the service of a third party if Governor Smith becomes the presidential choice of the Democratic party.

CRUMBLING DAM THREATENS



THOUSANDS of residents of the South Carolina, fled their homes before the Saluda River Valley near Greenville, when a great earthen dam at Table rock Cove, holding back billions of gallons of water, began crumbling. This picture shows one of the leaks which threatened destruction of the dam.

DELAY EXECUTION

AUSTIN, Texas, May 10.—(AP)—Because of affidavits made by one of the state's main witnesses, Governor Moody Wednesday postponed the electrocution of Juan Flores, San Antonio, from early Friday to May 25 to further investigate Flores' application for commutation of his sentence to life imprisonment. Flores had been reprieved twice, the execution having been set originally for March 16. The Board of Pardons has made two adverse reports on the application for communtation.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Mason left today for Greenville to attend the U. C. T. Convention.

MARKETS

By Associated Press

New York: Stocks, strong; Aero issues reach higher altitude. Bonds, steady; St. Paul 5s rally briskly. Foreign exchanges, mixed; Japanese yen rise 70 points. Cotton, declined; predictions rain West Texas. Sugar, steady; better spot demand. Coffee higher; firm Brazilian markets.

Chicago: Wheat, six cents good rains in spring wh Corn, weak; lower ca Cattle, steady to lowe

COUNTY BRIEFS

BANGS

B. F. Sullivan returned to his home at Rockwood Monday after a visit to relatives here.

Mrs. Jack Green of Killeen came in last week for a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Snow.

Mrs. Laura Anderson left Monday for Glenrose.

Mrs. R. D. Aubrey, who underwent a very serious operation in the Kings' Daughters hospital at Temple more than a week ago, is reported ding nicely and will be able to return to her home here at an early date.

H. F. Thomason is in a Brownwood hospital where he underwent an operation.

Paul Gibson and Ira Lee Bird were visitors to Mullin Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Henry Francis have returned to their home at Loving, after a ten days visit here.

Mrs. Maud Williams has moved from the Welch place in East Bangs, to the May place, recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Ford.

Mrs. Dock Crooks has returned from Sipe Springs where she visited her sister.

Mrs. Dave Miller and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Thomas of Holder and Mrs. Guy House of Sipe Springs were visitors in the home of Dr. and Mrs. T. D. Holder Sunday afternoon.

H. L. Allcorn and daughters, Misses Mary June and Lillie Pearl, and Mrs. Guy Eads left Monday for Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sullivan and sons came in Saturday from Slaton where they have been making their home the past six weeks, but are now again residents of Bangs and say Bangs looks good to them.

Mr. and Mrs. Warran McIntosh are rejoicing over the arrival of a new daughter in their home.

Mrs. Henry McGeorge, who is in a hospital at Temple, is reported greatly improved.

Mrs. Annie Stubblefield of Coleman and daughter, Mrs. Iola Beason were guests in the home of Mrs. Stubblefield's mother, Mrs. Ida M. Phillips, this week.

Otis Laymen of Dallas paid a two day visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Laymen, last week.

The Brown County Workers' Conference will meet with the Bangs Baptist church Tuesday, May 15th. All board members are urged to be present.

Mrs. Maggie Martin was a Brownwood visitor Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. B. Smith of Brownwood is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. Roger R. Wilson.

Rev. W. L. Daniel of Brownwood was a dinner guest in the home of W. J. Gilbert Tuesday.

Gene Coe and sister, Mrs. Waters, left Sunday for Wichita Falls.

Franz Taylor of Brownwood visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Bessie Mays of Brownwood is visiting here and attending the Squires' meeting.

Mrs. John Gibbens and son, Coleman, of Hamlin visited here last week and Mrs. Gibbens, Mr. Gibbens mother accompanied them home for a visit.

Mrs. I. R. Preston has returned to her home here from Hamlin, where she has spent several weeks visiting.

Mrs. W. T. Jackson is reported to be greatly improved after a severe illness.

Miss Lola Mae Daniel of Brownwood spent Tuesday here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wilson of Salt Branch spent Friday in the home of Mrs. L. N. Yarbrough.

Mrs. J. E. Nix of Brownwood spent Saturday night and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. E. A. Taylor, who is sick.

Mrs. Dock Crooks and Miss Jewel Owen visited in Brownwood Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. Archer of Brownwood were Bangs visitors Saturday.

Marion Barnes and family of Pioneer visited here last week.

Miss Jessie Ray of Brownwood was a guest of Mrs. Lee Arthur Rochester this week.

Mrs. J. S. Wilson is reported on the sick list.

The wedding of Miss Vada Franklin and J. B. Evans was solemnized at Brownwood, May 4th, at the home of Rev. G. E. Cameron, pastor of the First Methodist church, witnessed by Miss Nelba Bettis.

Mrs. Evans' home is at Blanket, but she has been a member of the faculty of Bangs High school the past two years and has won many friends here. Mr. Evans is with the Santa Fe at Lampasas where they will make their home.

Their many friends wish for them great joy and happiness.

Mern Shields of Concrod community was able to return home Tuesday following an operation for appendicitis at the Brownwood Hospital. He seems to be recovering nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Lumpkin of Oklahoma City and Miss Iva Hart of Comanche visited the home of W. L. Yarbrough Tuesday. These ladies are nieces of Mr. Yarbrough. Miss Hart is County Treasurer of Comanche county. Mr. Lumpkin is president of the Peerless window shade factory of his home town.

Mrs. Bob Melton of Brownwood and son, Manson, and two of his little friends visited Mrs. Ellie Baker Sunday afternoon.

Mrs C. B. Guyger and sons visited relatives in Proctor Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Stacy and children of Santa Anna spent the week-end with relatives here.

Blanket

Dr. and Mrs. A. M. Henry went to Greenville Wednesday for a two weeks' visit with relatives.

Mesdames Joe Dabney and Harry Bettis visited relatives in Brownwood Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Macon Richmond visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carysle near Mullin Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Reeves visited their daughter, Mrs. Joy Deen in Brownwood Wednesday.

Rev. J. B. Henderson filled his regular appointment in the Baptist church Sunday morning and night.

Mrs. Stayton Pouns of Brownwood visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Reeves last Wednesday.

Miss True Routh spent the week-end at Rising Star with her sister, Mrs. Walter Pringle.

A recital was given last Wednesday night in the high school auditorium by Mrs. H. L. Moore's music class, assisted by Majorie Swindle of Brownwood.

R. Reeves is real sick with flu this week.

Mrs. G. M. Norris came home Friday from Fort Worth, where she has been visiting for several weeks.

Mesdames C. A. Stewart and Fomby of Brownwood, were visiting here short time Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Oscar Swindle of Brownwood, attended the music recital at the school building Wednesday night.

Rev. R. T. Capps filled his regularlar appointment at the Methodist church Sunday morning and Sunday night.

Mrs. H. M. Bettis and Miss Joe Dabney were in Brownwood Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Richmond and little son, Vanfleet of Bangs, visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. J. B. Strickland is on the sick list this week.

The following are the names of those who appear on the honor roll of Miss Gussie Hansard's room for the last month of school: Fourth grade, J. B. Bradley, Faenelia Hicks, Irma Scott and Ellis Daughtey. Third grade: Sidney Strickland, Thomas Levisay and Linnie Mae Parson. And the following are those who have made the honor roll each month of the past school term. Fourth grade: J. B. Bradley, Faenelia Hicks, Irma Scott, and Ellis Daughtey. Third grade: Linnie Mae Parson and Sidney Strickland. Perfect attendance: Thomas Levisay.

Misses Elizabeth and Virginia Bettis and Mary Benton Hornbuckle of Stephenville, spent the week-end here with relatives and friends.

Carl Ramsey of Brownwood was a Blanket visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Eoff and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Goats, at Steps Creek Sunday and Monday.

Misses Louise Baker, Florence Reeves, Mamie Capps and Ruthie Dabney of Brownwood, spent the week-end with homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. Joy Deen visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Reeves and other relatives here Sunday.

The commencement exercise for the graduation class was held at the high school auditorium last Friday night, Rev. Leon G. Halden of Brownwood, delivering the address.

Connie Lee Routh spent the week-end with her sister, Miss Kate Routh at May.

Word was received here a few days ago stating that J. B. Evans and Miss Vada Franklin were married Friday. The bride was teaching in the Bangs High School where she has taught for the past two years, and the groom has a position with the Santa Fe Railroad Co. We wish them much happiness in their future life together.

Miss Ruby Lightsey who teaches in the Concord school, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Lightsey.

Misses Susie Carpenter and Flora Smith of Brownwood, spent Sunday here with homefolks.

Those who appear on the honor roll of Msr. H. L. Moore's music class for the past year are: Thelma McCulley, Evelyn Levisay, Helen Cade, Bess Robinson and Blanche Dabney.

H. M. Bettis made a business trip to Fort Worth Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Colter and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Colter of Coleman, visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Noel Hayes and children of Wichita Falls, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Crisp Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. S. E. Lacy and Miss Loleta Woods were in Comanche Monday.

Rev. J. B. Henderson, R. L. Eaton, Rev. A. Woods, Grandpa Henderson, Norris Routh and Paul and Lloyd Henderson were fishing on the Colorado river a few days this week.

Mrs. T. J. Welch of Bangs, visited Mrs. J. C. Hicks several days last week.

Margaret Levisay entertained a number of her little friends with a farewell party for Othello Sparks, Monday night. A number of games were played and cake and lemonade was served to twenty-six and at a late hour all went home, a tired, but happy bunch.

Otwell Rochester of Skidmoore came in Monday to spend a month or more with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hicks.

The following is the Epworth League program for May 13:

Subject—Friendship That Inspires Home Ideals.

Leader—Hazel McLaughlin.

Song.

Script. lesson—Matt. 19:6; Gen. 29:20.

Song.

Prayer.

Song.

What Are Our Home Ideals?—H. L. Moore.

Choosing Our Friends and Associates.—Rev. Capps.

Friendship With Old People.—Robert Ferguson.

Book Friends.—Maurice Capps.

What Kind of a Friend Are you?—Mrs. Blake McLaughlin.

Song.

Benediction.

ANDERSON

Rev. W. C. Scruggs of the city preached at Anderson Sunday night. The communion services will begin at 9:45 next Sunday. Rev. Scruggs will preach the memorial services at Pleasant Valley next Sunday at 11:00 and begin his meeting at Anderson next Sunday night and continue on through the week and all day services will be held Sunday, May 20. Dinner will be served on the ground.

There will be decoration at Pleasant Valley next Sunday. Preaching at 11:00, and dinner for everybody at about 12:30.

Following Rev. Scrugg's sermon and the dinner there will be an afternoon of good singing.

All interested in the Staley Cemetery are asked to please come out and be with us next Friday all day as we have set that date for the cemetery working. Be sure to bring lunch and we will spread dinner together. Remember the date, May 11, beginning at about 10:30.

Mr. Dale Rouse, Mr. Grady Anderson and Mr. Horace Gatcher, all of Brownwood attended the decoration at the Heflin cemetery last Sunday.

Everyone is invited to come and attend our good Church of Christ meeting every night next week, especially are you invited to come out on the 20th and bring a well filled basket and spend the day with us.

MT. ZION

The Mt. Zion Fideles Sunday school class met last Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Johnson.

The meeting was opened by a song and Mrs. Hershel Prince read our scripture lesson, John 3-16. After a round table discussion on the scripture, a session of prayer.

An excellent report was given of benevolent work. Mrs. L. W. McDonald was appointed by the class to select a pot plant for Mrs. Web. Davis, Eight members were present. The class will meet next Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Elma McKnight.

The meeting was closed with a prayer led by Mrs. Otho Burton.

Mother's Day will be observed by Delaware church and community next Sunday, May 13th.

10:30 a. m.—Sunday school.

11 a. m.: Sermon.

Dinner on the ground.

During the afternoon there will be singing and a sermon and some talks.

Any and all are who will are invited to come and help in having a good day.

C. V. CARROLL.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our sincerest thanks to our many friends who have been so kind to us and ministered to us during the illness and death of our daughter and sister. We appreciate your love and the beautiful floral offerings.

May God bless you all.

MR. and MRS. L. F. GLEATON and CHILDREN.

FARM BUREAU COTTON ASSOCIATION MEMBERS WILL MEET SATURDAY

Members of the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association in Brown county will meet at the county court house at Brownwood next Saturday afternoon, May 5th, at 2:00 o'clock, for the purpose of selecting delegates to a district convention which will be held next week in the process of electing annually directors on the Board of the State Association. The announcement was made by Brown County Farm Bureau field service representative of the organization in Brown county.

The affairs of the cotton co-operative marketing association are controlled by the membership, Mrs. Ila Miller, assistant secretary, said, through directors selected by them.

"Various county meetings are being held all over the State next Saturday by the members where delegates to district conventions are named. At these district conventions nominees are selected, and these nominees later are balloted upon by the members through postal card ballots. The democratic principles of the elections are carried out on the basis of one man, one vote. The State Board is composed of twenty directors elected by the members, together with three public directors, one appointed by the President of the Texas A. & M. College, one by the Governor, and one by the President of Texas Farm Bureau Federation," it was said. The new directors take office July 1st for the following twelve months.

In addition to the selection of delegates at the meeting in Brownwood next Saturday there will be other important business to come before the meeting and a full attendance of the membership has been urged. All others interested in the advancement of cotton-co-operative marketing have also been invited to attend, whether members or not.

MAJOR LEAGUE LEADERS

(Including games of May 9)
(By The Associated Press.)

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Batting: Grantham, Pirates, .455.
Runs: Frisch, Cards, 40.
Runs batted in: Frisch, Cards, 24.
Hits: Douthit, Cards, 40.
Doubles: Traynor, Pirates 5.
Triples: L. Waner, Pirates 5.
Homers: Bissonnetts, Robins, 6.
Stolen bases: Frisch, Cards, 8.
Pitching: Blake, Cubs, won 3, lost 0.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Batting: Kress, Browns, .458.
Runs: Ruth, Yanks, 23.
Runs batted in: Meusel, Yanks, 25.
Hits: Manush, Browns, 35.
Doubles, Manush, Browns, 35.
Doubles: Meusel, Yanks, 10.
Triples: Langford, Indians; Manush, Browns, and Regan, Red Sox, 4.
Homers: Ruth, Yanks, 6.
Stolen bases: McNeely, Browns, and Barrtee, White Sox, 5.
Pitching: Pipgras, Yanks, won 4, lost 0.

Action Yet To Be Taken Says Thomas

BY WILLIAM C. STEWART

RELOCATION of Howard Payne College still is possible, despite statements that its retention here is assured, it has been learned.

The Educational Relocation Commission of the Baptist General Convention has not yet taken action on a proposed plan of consolidating five Baptist colleges, including Howard Payne, and removal of the merged schools to Waco to replace Baylor University, which is to be moved to Dallas if the recommendation of the commission is ratified by the general convention.

Just what will be done with the smaller schools HAS NOT been decided, all statements to the contrary notwithstanding, Cullen F. Thomas of Dallas, leading members of the commission, told The Bulletin in a telephone conversation.

As announced in The Bulletin Saturday afternoon, the relocation commission by a vote of 15 to 1 recommended that Baylor, now at Waco, be moved to Dallas and consolidated with Baylor schools already at Dallas. This action, however is not final, being subject to approval of the convention. Mayor R. E. Burt of Dallas, chairman of the executive committee of the General Convention, has issued a call for a special meeting of the convention to be held in Mineral Wells, May 5th.

"I will be glad to comply with the wishes of the commission and as chairman of the executive committee will call the convention together to consider their recommendations," Mr. Burt said after the commission had announced its decision.

Can't Forecast Action

Mr. Burt said he could not forecast the action of the General Convention, in discussing the matter with The Bulletin by telephone.

It was reported in December that five Baptist schools would be merged and moved to Waco if Baylor were relocated at Dallas. The schools mentioned were Howard Payne, Marshall college at Marshall, Burleson college of Greenville, Decatur college of Decatur, and Rusk college of Rusk.

This plan, and others having to do with changes in the location of these schools, has not been abandoned, but neither has any action been taken, Mr. Thomas told The Bulletin in an exclusive interview. He admitted that the plan had been discussed—the first confirmation of the report made public—but said it was not discussed Friday and Saturday, when action on the removal of Baylor occupied the commission.

To Consider Problem

He declined to say when action would likely be taken, but indicated that in all probability the matter would be brought up either before or at the called session of the General Convention in June.

President Edgar Godbold of Howard Payne told The Bulletin March 29 that he had been assured the commission had "no intention of consolidating or relocating Howard Payne."

Mr. Thomas stated, however, that the problem had not yet been settled, and asked The Bulletin to quote him as saying that he did not know what action would be taken.

While the commission has recommended that Baylor be moved, and The Bulletin is authoratively told that the General Convention will approve the action of the relocation body, Waco has not yet given up its fight to retain the school. A minority report will be filed at the meeting of the convention, Dr. S. P. Brooks of Baylor has indicated. Special dispatches to The Bulletin from Waco say the city is confident the convention will not ratify the commisson's recommendaton.

Mayor Burt, in talking to The Bulletin, said that while he was not a member of the commission, and was unaware of what action it would take in connection with the possible relocation of Howard Payne, he did not think the school would be moved.

May Be Bluff

It has ben authoratively stated that the whole question of moving Baylor was brought up in an effort to force Waco—through fear of losing the University—to raise money with which to pay Baylor's debts. Whether this is also true of the proposed relocation of the smaller schools is not known.

The head of one of the Baptist schools involved—whose name The Bulletin is not at liberty to use—has indicated that the "relocation plan" was a "bluff," and that a desperate effort to raise money and not removal of various schools, is the real object. If this is true, it is improbable that the General Convention will accept the recommendation of the relocation committee.

The Bulletin has been unable, however, to learn whether this is true.

Dr. Godbold Monday reiterated his statement of several weeks ago that he had been assured by two members of the relocation commission that Howard Payne would be kept here, if this section of the state raised necessary funds.

When asked about allegations of the whole question of moving Baylor and other colleges being a bluff, Dr. Godbold laughed and said: "Well, I don't know about that."

He foresees a "hard scrap" when the commission's recommendation is submitted to the General Convention.

300 Players of This League Have Only 36 Gloves

NEW YORK, May 10.—(AP)—There is a baseball league of sixteen teams and 300 players, with only 36 gloves. It is the Ligue Tunisienne de baseball in North Africa. Dr. C. Guyled Kelley of Baltimore, who is in New York on a visit from Tunis, reports the need of "the only league between Paris and Phillipines" for cast-off equipment.

The league got its start in 1921 when the Arab boys of the American Methodist school formed the Arab Orioles, who won the first two championships of North Africa. Now the 16-team league has players of nine nationalities. Most of the boys are paid only about $10 a month and cannot buy gloves and balls.

FOR WORKING PEOPLE

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RENOVATION OF BANK BUILDING BEGINS MONDAY

Work is to begin Monday on the remodelling of the I. O. O. F. building at the corner of Fisk Avenue and East Lee Street, preparatory to the occupancy of the building by the Brownwood State Bank, now located on the southeast corner of the court house square. The Odd Fellows building has been occupied for several years by the Brownwood branch of Armour & Company, who have recently moved to a new location near the Santa Fe station.

The entire front of the I. O. O. F. building will be torn out and rebuilt, according to the plans and specifications of the new tenants. The new front will be very attractive and of the latest design used in bank buildings. A tile floor will be laid in the front part of the building and the entire interior of the lower floor of the building will be remodelled and refinished.

Bank to Be Modern

O. C. Walker, cashier and vice president of the Brownwood State Bank, states that new and beautiful fixtures have been purchased for the bank and that in preparing the new home for the bank nothing will be left undone that will tend to make the new home an ideal and convenient place for banking business. Two new vaults will be built and other necessary fixtures added. According to Henry Mount, architect in charge of the work, about thirty days time will be required to remodel the building and put it in condition for the new tenants, who have taken a ten year lease on the building.

The Brownwood State Bank was organized in August, 1921, and since that time has enjoyed a very liberal patronage from Brownwood business men, farmers of the county and citizens of Brownwood. The bank has grown steadily from the first and with the acquisition of the more desirable location its officials predict an even more rapid development. Mr. Walker states that the bank has been offered many inducements to move to the new location and that he is confident the move will prove satisfactory to the bank and its many customers.

Jap Completes Trip Around World in 33 Days, 16 1-2 Hours

TOKYO, May 10.— —(AP)—Toichiro Araki today was credited with having made a trip around the world, using existing means of communication including aircraft where commercial lines were in operation in 33 days, 16 hours, 26 minutes.

Araki, eastward bound competitor in the race staged by the newspaper Jiji Shimpo, completed his trip yesterday while his westward bound competitor, Ryukichi Matsui, was sailing from San Francisco on the steamship Tenyo Maru for Tokyo which he left five days later than his rival.

IT DRIVES OUT WORMS

The surest sign of worms in children is paleness, lack of interest in play, fretfulness, variable appetite, picking at the nose and sudden starting in sleep. When these symptoms appear it is time to give White's Cream Vermifuge. A few doses drives out the worms and puts the little one on the road to health again. White's Cream Vermifuge has a record of fifty years of successful use. Price 35c. Sold by Camp-Bell Drug Stores and Renfro's Six Drug Stores. (Adv.)

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MARY ALLISON WINNER STATE ESSAY CONTEST

Miss Mary Allison, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. L. P. Allison of Brownwood and a student of the Brownwood High School, won first place in the annual essay contest conducted under the auspices of the Texas Interscholastic League, the essay written by Miss Allison at the Brown county meet, entitled, "The Legend of My Community", being awarded first place in the district meet and in the state contest. Miss Allison's victory brings a record to Brownwood High School that has not been equalled before, that of winning the state essay writing contest two years in succession. Miss Fay Galloway won the state title last year and brought to Brownwood High the beautiful silver loving cup awarded the winner of the state contest. This loving cup will remain in Brownwood for another year and if won next year by a Brownwood High School student will become the permanent possession of the local school.

Other Contestants

Other contestants from Brownwood High School gave excellent accounts of their achievements in the various contests entered, despite the fact that none won first places. In the girls debate, the Brownwood debaters, Margaret Damron and Willie Fay McElroy, won their first rounds with Lubbock, but drew Temple High School, who eventually won the state title in girls debate, in the second rounds and were beaten.

Brownwood High School boys' debating team fought their way over all opposition to take fourth place in the state contests. The Brownwood debaters, Brooke Smith and Steve Heather, won in succession from Jeff Davis High School of Houston, Grapeland High School and Eden High School. In the semi-finals, Brownwood drew Polytechnic High School of Fort Worth and lost. Abilene High School won the state title in boys debate, defeating Polytechnic in the finals. Wichita Falls, eliminated by Abilene, was awarded third place and Brownwood fourth.

Miss Desmond Weatherford, representing Brownwood High School in senior girls declamation, won fourth place, being beaten by declaimers from San Antonio, winner of first place, North Dallas and Jacksonville.

Ivis Martin, extempore speaker of Brownwood ,went in the finals in this event, but was beaten there. Of the 27 entries in this event, only five entered the finals and in the contest between these 5, Miss Martin was defeated.

Allene Tate and Elizabeth McGhee, who represented the local school in girls tennis doubles, lost in the second rounds to Mabank. However, Mabank went to the finals, being beaten by Columbus in the final match of the tournament.

Dunbar Fisher, singles representative in boys tennis, was unfortunate in drawing Barr of Oak Cliff, Dallas, in the first rounds, Fisher losing this match, 0-6; 2-6. Barr was defeated in the finals by the representative of Austin High School.

Coleman to Send Delegation to W. T. C. of C. Meet

COLEMAN, May 8. —(Sp.)—A movement was started here today for securing representatives to use the Heart O Texas Special train to West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention which convenes in Fort Worth June 18, 19 and 20.

Already large numbers of Coleman representatives have announced their intention of attending the convention, but most have intimated they will go to the convention city in private vehicles. However, the Chamber of Commerce feels that as time for the opening draws near, more will become interested in the special and will then secure tickets at the quoted rates for that occasion.

Seek Man Who Made Attack on Two Men in Washington, D. C.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—(AP)—Washington and Maryland police were co-operating in a widespread search today for a youth believed to have been responsible for an attack last night on Leonard W. Kephart, Department of Agriculture scientist, and an attempt to abduct E. Percival Wilson bank official.

Kephart, left unconscious and stripped of most of his clothing after the attack, turned up later for treatment in Soldiers' Home Hospital and this morning was taken to his home in nearby Takoma Park, Maryland.

Wilson frustrated his captor's efforts, whatever they may have been, by attacking him and gaining possession of his pistol after the man had driven him a mile away from the rear of his home in nearby Chevy Chase, Md. Wilson is secretary of the National Savings and Trust Company of this city.

Police believe the same man was responsible for both the attacks and the strange holdup of Wilson because Kephart's automobile was used to spirit the bank official away.

WANTED—Work on farm, man with good size force, wants steady work. E. F. Sevier, General Delivery, Brownwood. 175p

BARGAIN—In participating deeded oil royalty of one sixty-fourth of 440 acres in tracts, 20 to 100 acres, in 3 southwestern counties. Major Co., leases. Address Box 6, care Bulletin. 176c

MILLER ANNOUNCES AS CANDIDATE FOR JUDICIAL POSITION

E. J. Miller, member of the law firm of Jenkins, Miller & Wilson, of this city, today announced his candidacy for the office of Judge of the Thirty-fifth Judicial District of Texas, and stated that he expected to conduct as vigorous a campaign for the place as his business affairs will permit.

Mr. Miller has been considering entering this campaign for some time, and stated that he had received so much encouragment that he had finally decided to get into the race.

Reared on a farm in Callahan county, Mr. Miller taught school in Brown, Callahan, Coleman and Mills counties, and for more than twenty years has been practicing law in Brownwood. He has had a varied practice in local, appellate, and federal courts, and it is conservatively said that his practice has been successful since he has handled a large number of important cases, has been in the appellate courts more than the average lawyer and has won at least 75 per cent of all the cases he has handled. During the greater part of the time he has practiced alone, but is now a member of the firm of Jenkins, Miller & Wilson.

Speaking of the campaign and his reasons for entering it, Mr. Miller says:

"My candidacy is a response to what seems to be a general demand for more prompt and careful disposition of the business of the court. If elected I will give my full time, six days per week if necessary, to keep the dockets of the court clear, and see that the business of the court is promptly dispatched without fear or favor.

"I will give such careful consideration to the issues of law and fact involved in contested cases as will largely decrease the number of appeals and reversals.

"I entertain the very highest regard for the standing of the judiciary and feel that no condition should exist, nothing should be said or done that can give any reasonable grounds for questioning the purity of the stream of justice. If elected it will be my first endeavor to so conduct the business of the courts that every citizen, regardless of wealth, class, business connections or social standing, may bring his cause before the court with the assurance that it will be tried upon its merits, uninfluenced by any other considerations."

GRAND JURORS IN JUNE TERM COURT NAMED

The jury commission for the June term of district court in Brownwood has completed the list of grand and petit jurors and the list has been compiled and released by District Clerk Charles S. Bynum. The grand jurors will appear in the district court Monday, June 4th, at 1:30 p. m. Sixteen jurors are named on the grand jury panel and from this number 12 will be selected to serve on the grand jury for the June term of court.

The list of grand jurors for the June term is as follows: C. N. Davis, H. H. Gresham, E. W. Gill, James E. Bouldin, all of Brownwood; W. H. C. Chambers of Cross Cut; J. S. Armstrong, Rising Star, rfd.; Homer Chastain, Grosvenor; L. E. George of Thrifty; F. D. Pierce of Owens; Joe Dabney of Blanket; T. M. McCulley of Blanket; W. L. Johnson of Zephyr; Will Simmons of Indian Creek; Temple Dunn of Brookesmith; H. L. Allcorn of Bangs, and Jap Alford of Bangs.

REPUDIATION OF ALL CORRUPT BUSINESS MEN IS APPROVED

WASHINGTON, May 10.—(AP)—Repudiation "of all those who indulge in commercial and political corruption" was called for in a resolution adopted without discussion today by the Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

Declaring the organization's "confidence in the general integrity and sound ideals of modern business, brought into high relief by recent disclosures of individual violation of established business practice," the resolution set forth that "the moral turpitude of corruptors of public servants is even greater than those of those whom they debauch."

"The chamber emphasizes its principle of business conduct," the resolution read, "which provides that 'corporate forms do not absolve from or alter the moral obligations of individuals.' It maintains that stockholders of corporations owe it to themselves, to the government, and to the profession of business publicly to repudiete those who misrepresent them. Such stockholders cannot accept the profits flowing from corruption and escape the moral stigma which inheres in such profits. Neither can they permit those who act for them to profit personally through corrupt corporate transactions, or shield others who do."

COTTON BILL UP

WASHINGTON, May 10.—(AP)—A bill aiming to correct conditions in cotton market trading was introduced today by Senator Smith, Democrat, South Carolina, on the basis of the long inquiry conducted by the Senate into the break in the cotton market last fall.

BYRD-DANIEL WELL FLOWS 450 BARRELS

The D. H. Byrd and W. T. Daniel No. 1 Moody in the new Santa Anna field was deepened 6 inches yesterday and began flowing at the rate of 450 barrels a day. Before being deepened it was flowing about 300 barrels.

The well will be allowed to remain at its present depth for awhile, but may possibly be deepened another foot later, it is stated. The total depth no wis 1,844½ feet and the well is about three and a half feet in the Fry sand. It is flowing every 15 minutes.

Byrd and Daniel have made two other locations on the Moody, one in northwest corner and the other in the northeast corner of their 40 acre lease on that tract. The discovery well is in the middle of the 40 acres, being 660 feet from the east line and 660 from the west line.

Humphreys Bros. and the Union Oil Company of California have made a location on the Matthews, it is stated, offsetting the Byrd and Daniel northeast location, and Tower & McKanna have made a location on their 95 acres of the Moody 175 acres, offsetting their northwest location.

D. H. Byrd and J. W. Kitching have made a location on the Witcher 80 acres, J. Scott survey, 2500 feet southwest of the discovery well and will start drilling there within the next fifteen days.

GUYER TRACT TEST MAY GO TO THE CADDO

Melvin Barrington spudded in yesterday on a location made nearer than the regulation distance from the residence of J. W. Guyer, according to a statement received by the Bulletin this morning.

Mr. Guyer not only permits this but is giving Mr. Barrington a bonus of $100, it is stated, hoping to get well of good fresh water, in which case the rig will be moved back a few feet and the water saved.

If neither water nor oil is found at lesser depth it is Mr. Barrington, it is stated, to go to the Caddo lime, operating a day and night shift.

On his place Mr. Guyer has twelve wells, all of which have been on the pump but one, and nine of which are now pumping. They were drilled about ten years ago, during the "oil boom" of that period in Brownwood.

These wells are all close together and if the one now drilling is productive it may prove several acres more, as it is several locations from the other wells. The Guyer tract adjoins the Shelton farm, west of town, and the test now drilling is about half a mile from the Caddo test on the Shelton.

Natural Gas Men Elect Meals Head of Organization

DALLAS, May 10.—(AP)—The Natural Gas Association of America ended its annual convention here today with the election of S. W. Meals, president of the Carnegie Natural Gas Corporation of Pittsburgh, Pa., to head the organization for the coming year.

FRED HAYES NAMED DISTRICT DEPUTY OF PYTHIAN LODGE

Fred Hayes of Brownwood was elected district deputy for the Brownwood district by the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias at Austin yesterday, and states that he expects to begin at once an active campaign in the interest of Pythianism in this district. W. P. Denny and others of Brownwood were honored with appointments on important committees at the Grand Lodge meeting.

Among those from Brownwood attending the Austin meeting were Mr. Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Denny, R. A. Snyder, J. A. Wainscott, Mrs. H. H. Ingrum, Mrs. Z. C. Ingrum, Mrs. Mike Johnson and her daughter, Miss Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Sullivan and D. J. Johnson of Santa Anna, whose membership is in the Brownwood lodge. Some of these returned home Wednesday evening and others will return today.

In his work in this district, Mr. Hayes states, he is going to strive to organize a number of lodges of the Pythian Sisters and to bring the public in closer touch with Pythianism. It is his intention, he states, to hold open meetings in all towns in the district, inviting the public to attend. The Brownwood district comprises the towns of Brownwood, Comanche, Dublin, Stephenville, De Leon, Cross Plains, Walnut Springs, Hamilton, Hico and Meridian.

An important piece of legislation at the Grand Lodge, or rather a step toward that legislation, according to members of the Brownwood delegation, was a resolution asking the Supreme Lodge to adopt rules permitting lodges to use funds in community service as well as for benevolent purposes. This would mean, they state, that the Knights of Pythias lodge would take its place among the civic clubs of the community and be in position to join in civic enterprises.

Those attending from Brownwood speak in terms of praise of the courtesies extended the Grand Lodge visitors by Austin citizens. Some of the ceremonies were held in the Capitol building. Some of the Brownwood delegates went into the State Treasurer's department and that official permitted them to hold a few million dollars in their hands, just to get the thrill of being millionaires for a few minutes.

Platform Plans Are Discussed by Lynch Davidson

AUSTIN, Texas, May 10.—(AP)—Jubilant at what he believed to be the victory of the harmony Democrats in precinct and county conventions, Lynch Davidson, chairman of the faction, Thursday declared that the party now must "formulate a platform of principles dealing with the economic welfare of our less prospercus people."

The "deporable condition of the fundamental industry of the land—farming—is the major natural problem," he added.

"Powerful combinations of capital are overreaching the rank and file in numerous instances, herding up our public utilities by combinations of capital. Many of these capitalistic combinations pay little heed to our anti-trust laws, are constantly undermining them and biting at the economic welfare of society."

Stocks Reduced by Gasoline Plants

TULSA, May 10.—Gasoline stocks at 80 Midcontinent refineries reporting weekly operations to National Petroleum News were reduced 2,300,000 gallons for the week ended May. Shipments remained above the 40,000,000 gallon mark.

Crude runs were increased to 297,000 barrels daily average. Kerosene, stove distillates and gas oil stocks also were reduced. Fuel oil stocks were increased only slightly.



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Winkler Council Discusses Plans in Executive Session

FORT WORTH, May 10.—(AP)—The Winkler county's oil operators' committee went into executive session here today to discuss the terms of the proration order for Winkler county issued by the Texas Railroad commission.

New production opened up nine miles north of the former producing limits in the Hendrick pool was slated for discussion. Whether this is covered by the state order may be discussed later in an open meeting to which other operators will be invited, it was said.

Humphreys Party Leaves for Laredo

A. E. Humphreys, Jr., and I. B Humphreys of Denver, and P. C Murphy of Houston, general manager of the Humphreys Corporation in Texas, with the pilot, Eddie Brooks, left Brownwood yesterday afternoon in the Humphreys airplane for Laredo, after looking over the fields here with P. S. Groginski, manager of Humphreys Bros., Inc.

Arriving in Brownwood last Monday from Denver after a seven hours' flight, A. E. Humphreys and Pilot Brooks spent the afternoon and night here and then went to Fort Worth after I. B. Humphreys and Mr. Murphy, returning Tuesday afternoon for a further visit here.

Theparty spent some time in the new Santa Anna field, where, as stated in the Bulletin recently, Humphreys Bros. are interested in approximately 2,000 acres or leases near the new Byrd and Daniel well. This block is owned jointly by Humphreys Bros., Inc., and the Union Oil Company of California.

Aldredge & Shell Well Into Water

The well of Aldredge & Shell on the Woods tract about half way between Brookesmith and Winchell, got a flow of artesian water on drilling through the lime at 1,502 feet, and is being plugged. The well had a good flow of gas, probably a million cubic feet or more, at 1,200 feet.

Oil Refinery at Sweetwater Sold

SWEETWATER, May 10.—C. H. Travis and J. R. Travis, Duncan, Oklahoma, and Sweetwater, have sold the Sweetwater Refining Company, which they have operated for the last year, to Oklahoma and Kentucky oil men who will operate it as the Sweetwater Oil and Refining Company.

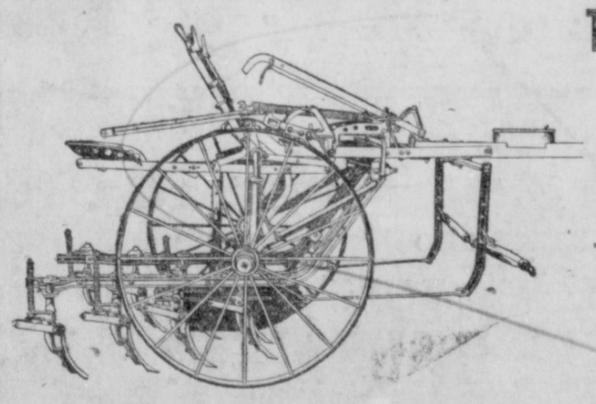
J. A. Johnson, Tulsa, has taken active charge of the plant for the new company.

Enlargement of this plant will begin within the next 10 days, and the company will triple its present capacity at the outset of its expansion program. It is possible that within the near future it will have a 10,000-barrel capacity.

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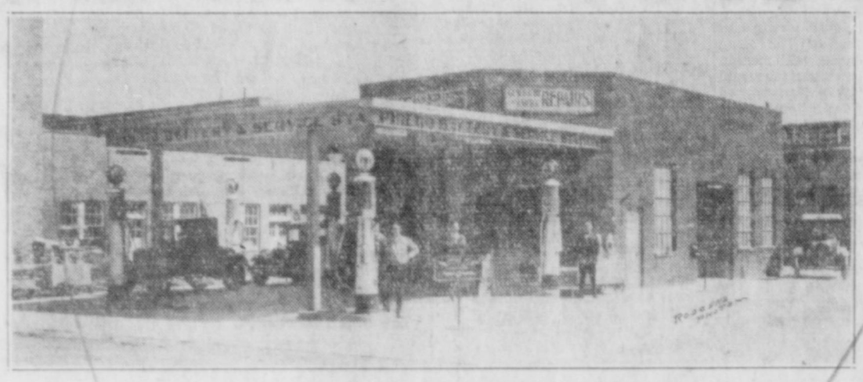
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BANKERS FAVOR MODIFICATION REWARD OFFER

Millard Romines, cashier of First National Bank, and C. L. Plyler, of the Brownwood State Bank are attending the State Bankers Convention in San Antonio this week.

It is understood that the "dead bandit reward," which has been in effect for several months and which has been attacked from several sources, will be the principal topic at the convention. It would appear that the sentiment of the local bankers is mainly in favor of the reward, though some of them suggest some modifications.

Yantis' Viewpoint

John T. Yantis, president of First National Bank, who attended group meetings of the bankers in February states that the sentiment of the bankers generally is largely in favor of the reward. He believes that the reward should stand as an offer for dead bandits, as it now is, but that it should apply to the daylight bank hold-ups, and not to night robberies. The reason for this is two-fold, Mr. Yantis states. In the first place, he points out, the lives of people are not endangered when a bank is robbed at night like they are when a daylight robbery occurs. In the second place, he says, victims can not be "framed" for a daylight robbery as they can be for a night robbery.

F. S. Abney, president of Citizens National Bank, believes that there should be a reward for bank robbers, but that it should have more safeguards than as it stands at present. Instead of being a reward for shooting a bandit, he believes, there should be a reward paid when a bank robber is really gotten, whether dead or alive.

"There are two sides to the question," is the comment of George Kidd of Coggin National Bank. However, he said he believed that that the reward should stand as it is. When bandits go into a bank, he said, they go in ready to kill, and that situation seems to make it necessary to offer the reward for the dead robber.

"The reward will stick," is the opinion of O. C. Walker, president of Brownwood State Bank. Some action may be taken later by the legislature that will make a modification of the reward necessary, Mr. Walker said, but so far as the bankers are concerned, he believes it will stand as it is.

DIXIE HEROES ENTRAIN FOR LITTLE ROCK

Ten of Brown county's Confederate Veterans, members of the Stonewall Jackson Camp, U. C. V., of Brownwood, left here Sunday afternoon and Monday morning for Little Rock, Arkansas, to attend the 26th annual Confederate reunion to be held in that city Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. The veterans were accompanied by several members of the Brownwood chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, and one or two others who went along as sponsors and maids.

Brown county veterans attending the reunion are Rev. J. W. Johnson, J. E. Witcher, Rev. W. H. White, adjutant of the Stonewall Jackson Camp, Rev. A. F. Bowdwen, J. Garner, R. F. Clardy, J. P. Spence, H. W. Kingsbury of Santa Anna, J. C. Jones and J. C. Allcorn of Bangs, Mrs. J. W. Johnson, Miss Minnie Witcher and Mrs. H. W. Kingsbury accompanied the Confederate Veterans.

That the Confederate Veterans will be royally entertained while in Little Rock is attested by the elaborate preparations that have been made for their entertainment by the city of Little Rock. Convention headquarters will be at the Little Rock Fair grounds, a place that the city of Little Rock has spent more than $1,000,000 beautifying. This garden spot contains 230 acres and in addition to giving this park for the entertainment, the city has donated $4,500 for entertainment alone and the War Department of the United States Government has loaned to Litle Rock properties amounting to $68,000, the properties including tents, cots, blankets, etc. The Arkansas National Guard has also contributed $20,000 in equipment for the entertainment of guests.

A total of 32 committees have been working for six months in the making arrangement for taking care of the thousands of visitors expected. The mess hall that will be used has a seating capacity of 1,800, making it possible to feet that many at one time. The convention hall that is to be used will care for 6,000 people.

The Brownwood party was to have joined other Confederates at Fort Worth today where Pullmans were to have been waiting to carry the Veterans direct to Little Rock.

SMALL NUMBER ATTEND PRECINCT CONVENTIONS

The Democratic precinct conventions in Brownwood Saturday afternoon in some precincts sent uninstructed delegates to the county convention, while in others the delegates were instructed to vote for a dry platform and a dry candidate but were not given instructions for or against any particular candidate. There was a small attendance at each convention. Those participating were required to subscribe to the pledge subscribed by the State Executive Committee, in accordance with instructions of County Chairman Thomas H. Taylor.

In precinct No. 1 the delegates elected were O. C. Pouns, Ira W. Hall and E. J. Miller. The only instructions given were that the delegates should vote as a unit in the county convention. Five voters participated in the convention.

Precinct No. 4, with an attendance of 8, elected the following delegates: H. M. Hughes, E. C. Harrell, Sid Oxford, Mrs. J. W. Trapp, Guy T. Hutchinson and Clyde McIntosh. They were instructed to vote for a dry platform and a dry candidate.

Precinct No. 2 sent an uninstructed delegation to the county convention. The delegates are Kay Roberts, A. Arczie and Jim Martin. There was an attendance of six or eight at the convention in this precinct.

The Republican precinct convention here sent an uninstructed delagation to the county convention. It was stated, however, that the republican sentiment here was all for Hoover.

The Democratic county convention will be held at 2 p. m. Tuesday afternoon in district court room.

In precinct No. 3 the following delegates were elected: C. L. McCarthey, Thos. H. Hart, J. J. Timmins, David Smith, G. S. Bohannon, W. T. Fain, Mrs. E. B. Hendley, Mrs. Joe E. Dildy, Sam T. Cutbirth, Leon G. Halden. The delegation was instructed to vote for C. L. McCartney for delegates to the state convention. No other instructions voted.

So far as returns received today by County Chairman Taylor indiate, only one precinct, Clio, failed to sign the pledge while one other, Bangs, marked out the latter part of the pledge and merely signed the statement, "I am a Democrat." Precinct reports received to the present time are as follows:

Brookesmith — Delegates, N. J. Henderson, O. H. Perry. Instructed to vote under unit rule, and against Dan Moody for delegate-at-large. Pledge signed.

Chapel Hill—Delegate, M. L. Cooper. Adopted "Moody resolution," instructing for dry platform and dry candidate, but not for or against any individual candidate. Pledge signed.

CLIO—Delegate, S. P. Burns; alternate, F. B. Pearce. Uninstructed. Pledge not signed.

Jones Chapel—Delegates, J. F. Kinerd and J. M. Salyer. Instructed for dry delegates to state convention and dry platform. Pledge signed.

Thrifty Delegates, J. J. Andrews and E. F. George. Uninstructed. Pledge signed.

Cut Pledge

Bangs—Delegates E. B. Sikes, J. B. Snow, H. L. Allcorn, J. G. Smith and A. S. Rochester. Adopted resolutions for dry platform and instructed for Moody for delegate-at-large. Signed statement: "I am a Democrat."

Mt. View—Delegates, A. E. Daniel, C. V. Harris and Frank H. Sweet. No resolutions adopted. Pledge signed.

Zephyr—Delegates, J. B. Spurlock, G. C. Keating and L. W. Couch. Instructed to vote as a unit. Pledge signed.

Hog Valley—Delegates, A. Leatherwood and Roy Hickman. Uninstructed. Pledge signed.

Upper Indian Creek—Delegates, L. J. McCoy and T. J. McAden. Instructed for dry plank in platform and in favor of dry delegation to state convention at Beaumont. Pledge signed.

IMMIGRATION POLICY HIT

KANSAS CITY, May 7.—(AP)—The present immigration policy of the United States as regards exclusion was assailed and the admission of all nationals on a quota basis was urged in resolution adopted by the quadrennial general conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church here today.

The resolution, presented by Dr. E. Stanley Jones, missionary to India, gave hearty approval to the restriction of immigration, but condemned the exclusion fo some nationals as a "invidious, un-American and un-Christian" policy.

It asked "all Christian citizens to unite in removing, as soon as possible, such legislation as restricts immigration and the rights of citizenship on the ground of race and color."

The conference halted in the misdt of its business session for a special prayer for war-torn China.

Bishop George R. Grose of the Shantung area led the prayer at the request of the Rev. Perry O. Hamson, missionary of the Tsinan area, where Chinese and Japanese troops recently have been embroiled.

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PORK & BEANS	No. 2 Can Dozen	98c	SMOKED BACON	Oxford Per lb.	24c
SOAP	P. & G. or Chrystal White -26 Bars	$1.00	TOMATOES	No. 2 Can Dozen	98c
PABST A. A. MALT	Per can	55c	BUDWEISER MALT	Per Can	62c
SNUFF	Botle or Glass Garrett or Honest	31c	BLUE RIBBON MALT	Per Can	68c
CIGARETTES	All 15c Packages	2 for 25c	TOBACCO	All 10c Packages	3 for 25c
SPUDS,	No. 1 Idaho Rurals Per bushel	$1.75	PRINCE ALBERT		2 for 25c
COFFEE	Pecan Valley 3-lb. Can	$1.65	YAMS	Per Bushel	$1.75
PEACHES	No. 2½ Can Hillsdale	19c	PEABERRY COFFEE	Three Pounds	$1

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Lady Pepperell set of sheets and cases, 2 of each in a box, pink, lavender, blue, gold, a handsome gift, $11.50 set.

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Rayon Bed Spreads	$3.00 to $10.00
Plisse Bed Spreads	$1.25 to $2.50
Pair new dress slippers	$5.00 to $10.00
A new silk dress	$10.00 to $35.00
Silk Undergarments	$1.00 to $10.00
Hand Made Gown	$1.25 to $3.00
Smart House Frock	$1.00 to $5.00

Mother will appreciate a gift she can use, that will be a constant reminder of your thoughtfulness.

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STEWART NOT TO TALK ON OUSTER TRY

ON BOARD WESTBOUND TWENTIETH CENTURY LIMITED near Elkhart, Ind., May 10.—(AP)—Speeding westward from New York City to Chicago, Col. Robert W. Stewart, chairman of the board of the Standard Oil Company of Indiana, today flatly refused to comment on a statement by John D. Rockefeller, Jr., that he had asked Col. Stewart to resign.

Mr. Rockefeller issued his statement yesterday but Colonel Stewart had left New York City before the statement was released.

Col. Stewart branded as a "lie" a reported credited to his Chicago office that he would talk today."

"That is a lie, sir, I know more about it than they do, and I refuse to discuss it with you in any way," he told a representative of the Associated Press.

Asks Stewart to Resign

WASHINGTON, May 10.—(AP)—The demand of John D. Rockefeller, Jr., for the resignation of Robert W. Stewart is regarded by leaders of the Senate oil investigation as a move deserving of high praise.

Both Senator Walsh, Democrat, Montana, veteran prosecutor of the oil scandal inquiries, and Senator Nye, Republican, North Dakota, chairman of the Teapot Dome committee, have expressed gratification over Mr. Rockefeller's action, which was taken April 27 and announced yesterday in New York.

Prior to the resignation request, Stewart had twice refused to answer questions put to him in the inquiry into the operations of the Continental Trading Company, but on his third appearance revealed that he had received $759,000 in Liberty bonds or a fourth share in the company's profits accruing from an oil deal in this country, and had held them in trust until after the acquittal of Harry F. Sinclair when they were delivered to the Indiana Standard.

Is Gratifying

Coupled with the "ringing speech" of Edwin P. Parker before the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, Mr. Rockefeller's action, in the opinion of Senator Walsh, is "gratifying evidence that the business world is waking up to the enormity of the offenses revealed by the committee."

"It is reassuring to know," he said, "that the public is not indifferent to such trangressions as those disclosed. The result of the criminal trials might have been different if the public conscience had been earlier aroused by expressions such as those referred to."

Stewart will go on trial here May 21 on the Senate contempt charges growing out of his refusal, on his first appearance before the oil committee, to tell whether he had discussed Continental profits with Sinclair or whether he knew anyone who received any of the Liberty bonds.

It was after this appearance that Mr. Rockefeller, testifying before the committee, expressed his "bitter" disappointment over Stewart's failure to furnish his inquisitors with all the facts in his possession and his readiness to withdraw his support from the management of any company "that no longer justifies the confidence that has been put in it."

Fight Seen Ahead

The New York Herald Tribune says Wall Street views Mr. Rockefeller's efforts to oust Colonel Stewart as the first test of strength of the Rockfeller interests since the dissolution of the Standard Oil Trust in 1911. The paper says that the Wall Street is not at all sure of the outcome, feeling that Stewart can muster as much strength in the Indiana Company as the head of the family which formerly dominated the entire Standard empire.

The Herald-Tribune says there are few disgruntled stockholders in the Indiana company because of the liberal policy of dividends which the company has established under Stewart's regime.

SHOOTS FRIEND





DECLARING "I'm glad I did it," Harry J. Wheeler (top) wealthy inventor and real estate dealer of Kansas City, Missouri, is held by police for the shooting of his lifelong friend, Chant A. Miller. Wheeler said Miller had broken up his home. Mrs. Wheeler recently sued for divorce.

MISSIONS IN BETTER SHAPE

NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 9.—(AP)—Improved conditions in home and foreign mission fields of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, were reported by leaders in the work to the board of missions of the church in session here today.

Dr. O. E. Goddard, foreign secretary, said the general situation in the foreign field of the church was improved over that of a year ago, although conditions of unrest prevailed in some nations.

Most "promising evangelist results in years" were reported by Mrs. J. W. Downs, secretary of Home Missions, women's work.

Increased service of institutions under charge of the Home Mission department of the church were reported by Dr. J. W. Perry, Home Mission secretary. He reported progress in work of Folsom Academy, Indian school at Smithville, Okla., Wesleyan Institute at San Antonio, Texas, for Mexican boys; Textile Industrial Institute at Spartanburg, S. C., for mill workers; Paine College at Augusta, Ga.

Abolish Rule

The eight-year maximum tenure rule for Methodist Episcopal bishops in areas in the United States was abolished today. The delegates voted 390 to 256 that the success and qualifications of a bishop should be considered in assigning areas rather than limiting him to eight years in an area.

The eight-year tenure rule, adopted at the 1924 conference in Springfield, Mass., had been announced as one of the major problems of the present general conference.

FOURTH CLASS POSTMASTER EXAMINATION

Receipt of applications to close June 1, 1928.

The date for assembling of competitors will be stated in the admission cards which will be mailed to applicants after the close of receipt of applications.

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination to be held at Brownwood, Texas, as a result of which it is expected to make certification to fill a cotemplated vacancy in the position of fourth class postmaster at Grosvenor, Texas, and other vacancies as they may occur at that office, unless it shall be dicided in the interest of the service to fill any vacancy by reinstatement. The compensation of the postmaster at this office was $584 for the last fiscal year.

Applicants must have reached their twenty-first birthday but not their sixty-fifth birthday on the date of the examination.

Appliciants must reside within the territory supplied by the post office for which the examination is announced.

The examination is open to all citizens of the United States who can comply the requirements.

AApplication blanks, Form 1753, and information concerning the requirements of the examination can be secured from the postmaster at the place of vacancy or from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

Applications must be properly executed and on file with the Commission at Washington, D. C., prior to the hour of closing business on the date specified at the head of this announcement.

LIVESTOCK OF TOMORROW

DULUTH—N. H. Diamond, reindeer rancher, says reindeer will some day rank with cattle and sheep as meat animals in northern Minnesota pastures.

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TOMMY ARMOUR

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SANDWICH, England, May 10.—(AP)—Tommy Armour, open golf champion of the United States, took 80 strokes in the second round of the British open today and with a total of 161 for the two rounds apparently was eliminated from further participation in the title event.

Under the rules of play in the British championship, players 15 strokes or more above the low scorer are eliminated at the end of the first 36 holes, the remainder of the field going into the 36 hole finals tomorrow.

Jose Jurado, Buenos Aires, with scores of 74 and 71, has a total of 145, with other low scorers of yesterday still to report, so on the face of the returns already available, Armour is eliminated.

COUSIN OF MAN HERE AVENGES DEATH OF KIN

SWEETWATER, Tex., May 9.—(AP)—Charley Wells, 30, a cattle buyer, was shot to death on a street here today. Bert Trammell surrendered to police a few minutes later. No charges have been filed and Trammel has made no statement.

Wells recently was acquitted of murder in connection with the slaying of Phillip Trammell, nephew of Bert Trammell, here a year ago.

Sam Clark, deputy sheriff of Winters, who was with Wells at the time of the shooting today, said that he and Wells had just left a restaurant. Trammell, Clark said, stepped out of an automobile with a shotgun.

Heard Two Shots

"I heard two shots and Wells fell," Clark said. "He started crawling toward a tailor shop and another shot was fired, striking him in the hips. He then crawled into the pressing shop and a third shot was fired, striking him in the top of the head."

Clark said no words were spoken before the shooting, but that Wells pushed him away when he saw the man with the shotgun.

Bert Trammell, a farmer and breeder of Polo ponies, is the son of the late Tom Trammell, pioneer banker and railroad builder in West Texas.

Bert Trammell is a cousin of J. A. Trammell of Brownwood, owner of the Favorite Coffee Shop. Mr. Trammell said that the killing today was the outcome of a feud between the two families.

"I feared this would happen after Wells was acquitted of killing Phillip Trammell."

Remarkable New-Reel Shot in Pathe News at Lyric

In the Pathe News being shown at the Lyric today and tomorrow there is shown what is said to be the most remarkable News-Reel shot ever made. It shows the accident in which Frank Lockhart lost his life last week while racing at 206 miles an hour at Daytona Beach, Fla. The film shows Lockhart tearing along at a terrific speed toward the camera, suddenly there arises a cloud of dust and the car starts catapulating directly toward the camera. It faded out and shows the wrecked car with Lockhart lying beside it before anyone had yet run to his rescue. News dispatches told of the car sailing through the air directly over some photographers and newspapermen and undoubtedly this picture was taken by a man who stayed until the wrecked car was almost upon him. The feature picture on the program is "Gentlemen Prefer Blondes" from the famous story by Anita Loos and the play by Anita Loos and John Emerson with a cast including Ruth Taylor, Alice White, Ford Sterling and Mack Swain.

Santa Fe Employes Erect Flag Pole Near Round House

A new woolen flag, 8 feet by 12 feet, was floated from an 80-foot flag pole near the Santa Fe round house Tuesday morning, the flag and pole having been paid for and erected by employes of the Santa Fe in Brownwood. The flag pole is made of iron pipe, welded together and set in a concrete base and braced by several strong wires. The new flag pole and flag is a credit to the Santa Fe and fills a long felt need, employes state. It is the tallest flag pole in Brown county.

The Braves lost their fifth straight game when Eppa Rixey emerged on top in a pitching battle against Genewich. The score was 4 to 1.

SENTENCE OF DEATH UPHELD

AUSTIN, May 9.—(AP)—Five murder sentences, two of them carrying death penalties, were affirmed Wednesday by the Court of Criminal Appeals and rehearing was denied the appellant in a sixth.

Pete McKenzie, Bexar county and Tom Ross, Nacogdoches county, were those in whose apparent march to the electric chair the court declined to intervene. McKenzie was convicted of killing Sam Street, San Antonio chief of detectives; Ross of slaying Dave Patterson.

Other convictions upheld: C. C. Howe, Navarro county, robbery 99-years in the holdup of H. C. Davis from whom $3,900 was taken.

Homer Anderson, Kaufman, murder, 99 years, for the killing of Roy Payne.

Allen Hadnot, Jasper, murder, 25 years, for the slaying of Tom Hafford.

Anaceto Rios, Comal, murder, life, for the killing of Virgil Cox.

Walter Archer, under an affirmed 35-year murder sentence, from Falls county, was refused a review.

A bail bond must be signed by the principal himself, and not for him by his attorney or some one else, the Court of Criminal Appeals ruled Wednesday. The court reversed and remanded to Harrison County a judgment forfeiting the bond of Tom Walker. His bond was signed "Tom Walker, by Attorney F. M. Scott."

NEW YORK—Forskor and sevn yirz ago Aur Faharz brot forh on his kontinent a nui nasan. That's approximately how Lincoln's Gettysburg address would start in the new phonetic alphabet adopted by the spelling reform association. It has 42 characters, one for each sound, and some such characters are not on typewriter kiyed linotypes—yet.

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MANY ADVANTAGES OF CHAMBER COMMERCE ARE TOLD AT BAIRD

COLEMAN, May 10. —(Sp)—Before a representative crowd of 100 business men in Baird Tuesday night, Coleman County Judge C. L. South and C. W. Bacon, former president of the Abilene Chamber of Commerce, said that the Chamber of Commerce was one of the best investments business men in any community could make. Judge South, whose home was formerly in Callahan county, stated that he had changed his mind about the Chamber of Commerce work since becoming more thoroughly acquainted with its scope and that now instead of considering the dues a gift, he recognized that money as one of the best investments in the county and city which it might serve.

Mr. Bacon of Abilene, told of the obstacles he was forced to surmount while head of the Abilene organization and brought out the fundamental principles of Chamber of Commerce work. He compared Baird with Dallas and even larger cities, stating that the size of the town was not the prime attraction, but that the quality of "folks" inhabiting that particular community had everything to do with its desirability." The Chamber of Commerce is your clearing house," stated Mr. Bacon, concluding with, "Every modern business men, every modern city, realize these points and I for one would not live in a city without a Chamber of Commerce."

Other visitors in addition to the speakers were C. W. Barnes, president of the Abilene Chamber of Commerce, Elmo V. Cook, professor of vocational agriculture in Coleman High School, and Sim O'Neal, secretary of the Coleman Chamber of Commerce. Senator Walter C. Woodward of Coleman, sent his regrets through the Coleman delegation that a court case prevented his filling the role of the main speaker of the evening as originally planned.

STRIBLING WINS

ORLANDO, Fla., May 10.—(AP)—A right to the head followed with a left to the body, gave W. L. "Young" Stribling of Macon, Ga., a knockout over Pete Angelos of New York, former sparring partner of Jack Dempsey, in the second round of their scheduled ten-round bout here last night.

Bremen's Crew in Philadelphia on Tour of Country

PHILADELPHIA, May 9.—(AP)—The crew of the trans-Atlantic airplane Bremen arrived here today, the first stop in their swing around the eastern part of the country.

The German-Irish crew landed at the Philadelphia Navy yard in the F-13, sister ship of the Bremen at 11:34 a. m. from Curtiss Field, New York.

TAKES ON 13TH ONE

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 10.—(AP)—Les Marriner, University of Illinois student and professional heavyweight, will attempt to score his twelfth knockout in thirteen attempts when he meets Joe Burke of Detroit in a ten-round bout tonight.

His last victim was Jackie Williams of Chicago, whom he knocked out after 30 seconds of fighting in the first round.

HAVANA—Houses are so close together here that no room is left for garages. So many tourists keep their cars in the front rooms of their houses.

TREASON TRIAL FOR CAROLISTS

BUCHAREST, Rumania, May 10.—(AP)—The government intends to try for treason all those involved in an alleged attempt of former Crown Prince Carol to fly from London to Alba Julia during the peasants' meeting Sunday to demand a change of government.

The Rumanian police claimed that Carol intended to fly to Vienna secretly and wait there for word that the time was ripe for him to return to Rumania. Meantime a second plane was to carry his accomplices to Alba Julia with a manifesto to the peasants.

The police said that, learning of this plot, they tipped Scotland Yard, which led to the planes being prevented from leaving England.

Juliu Maniu, leader of the peasants, denied charges that the peasants had conspired with Carol to bring him back to Rumania.

LONDON, May 10.—(AP)—There were rumors that Great Britain's unwelcome guest, former Crown Prince Carol of Rumania, had gone to France secretly but it seemed certain today that he was still preparing to leave the Surrey estate where he has been staying.

There was no news in St. Louis. The Cardinals won as they pleased from the Phils, and they pleased, 7 to 1.

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MIXED TRAIN IS ASKED FOR THIS DIVISION

THE Brownwood Chamber of Commerce will fight plans of the Frisco railroad to substitute a mixed freight and passenger train each way daily, except Sunday, for the present passenger trains operating between Fort Worth and Brownwood, Hilton Burks, secretary, said Friday.

Just what action the C. of C. will take had not been determined Friday.

Set Hearing

The Railroad Commission has set June 12 to consider a petition of the Fort Worth and Rio Grande Railway to substitute a mixed train for the regular passenger service.

The regular night train with Pullman service will not be disturbed by the application of the railroad.

In its application, the railroad states that a regular bus between the two terminals is being liberally used by the public and that many private automobiles are owned in that section with the result that the railroad earnings have been constantly decreasing until they have reached the point of losing $2,000 each month.

Losing Money

It is further said that the railroad operation as a whole has been losing money, the loss in 1926 being set at $107,038 and last year at $47,441.

Frisco officials here said they could give little if any information regarding the proposed change.

The C. of C. learned of the application Friday and had not had time to perfect plans for fighting the railroad's petition, other than to indicate that it will be opposed.

Rising Star Man Buys Interest in Brownwood Store

G. H. Hill of Rising Star, who for some time has been manager for the hardware department of the Higginbotham store there, has purchased an interested in the Kendall Hardware Store here, according to the Rising Star Record.

Mr. Hill states that his family will remain in Rising Star until the close of the present school year, and then will join him here.

Cotton Association Plans Meeting Here for Next Saturday

The Brown County Farm Bureau Cotton Association in county convention in Brownwood Saturday elected delegates to the district convention, which will be held here next Saturday. L. L. Lanford of Blanket and Ed Boenicke of Bangs were elected delegates, and W. R. Means and L. A. Nunn were elected alternates.

The district convention will nominate two men to be voted on for director for this district and the names chosen will be sent back to the membership in the district for the vote. J. L. Wilkinson of Coleman is the director at present.

Counties in this district are Brown, Comanche, Erath, Stephens, Eastland, McCulloch, Hamilton and Mills.

LEGION MAKES PLANS FOR ANNUAL SERVICE AT VETERANS' GRAVE

At the regular meeting of the Isham A. Smith post of the American Legion Friday night, plans for a joint meeting with the American Legion Auxiliary were made and plans for the annual decoration of graves and memorial services were discussed, as well as an intensive membership campaign. The joint meeting of the Legion and Auxiliary will be held at the Legion club rooms Friday night, May 18th. Invitations will be extended to all ex-service men for this meeting. State Adjutant Ross R. Cole will be present for this occasion.

The local American Legion post will go to Zephyr, Sunday afternoon, May 27th, for decoration services at the grave of Isham A. Smith, the first casualty from Brown county during the World War. Memorial services for the local post will be held at the Austin Ave. Presbyterian Church, Sunday, June 3rd.

An intensive membership campaign was launched and will be carried on until the joint meeting Friday night, May 18th.

PINK WORM AID ASKED

WASHINGTON, May 7.—(AP)—The appeal of the South for help to control the pink boll worm was presented to the House rules committee today with the appearance of a group of Southerners to urge that the Buchanan bill be given early consideration in the House.

The bill would carry an appropriation to pay the farmers in non-cotton growing areas set aside to control the boll worm the difference between the amount received from the other crops produced on the land and that he would have received from cotton.

Representative Buchanan, Democrat, Texas, explained that the basis of determination of the amount the farmer would receive was the value of cotton produced in neighboring areas.

The Texan said his measure provided for payment by the federal government of the entire cost of setting up the non-cotton zones, because, he said, under the Texas biennial session of the Legislature it was impossible for his state to procure money to make the appropriations.

AWARDS FOR CLUB BOYS ARRANGED BY CHAMBER COMMERCE

A list of approximately 150 club boys has been furnished him by County Agent O. P. Griffin, states Secretary Burks of the Chamber of Commerce, and the Chamber of Commerce will furnish all these boys with the regulation club pins as fast as the requirements for the insignia are met.

The first year pin is bronze, the second silver, the third gold. At the end of the fourth, or graduation year, the club boy is presented with a gold chain, which becomes his permanent possession. The bronze pin is obtained for the silver, and the silver for the gold, and so on until the graduation emblem is obtained.

No boy will be presented with a pin until he has served one year as a club member and has submitted the written records of his work. Each year thereafter the records must be submitted to obtain the pin next in order.

At the next meeting of the county boys' club, which will be held in Brownwood, May 26th, pins will be presented to all the boys now entitled to them. The club meeting was originally set for May 19th, but as the Chamber of Commerce is to tender the boys a picnic luncheon at their meeting and Secretary Burks finds that it will be necessary for him to be out of town at that time, a change of date was made after a conference with Mr. Griffin.

Firemen Preparing to Enter Races at State Convention

The racing team of the Brownwood Volunteer Fire Department is holding daily workouts preparatory to the annual racing contests held in connection with the state convention of firemen to be held in Denton, June 12, 13 and 14. Johnny J. Dean, captain of the 1927 team that won the state title in the reel race, will again serve as captain of the local team. Although the personnel of this year's team has not been completed, enough candidates have reported to assure a good team to represent Brownwood at the state convention.

SISTER DIES

The many friends and acquaintances of C. O. Buckland will regret to learn of the death of his sister, Mrs. A. T. Mitchell, which occurred at Lampasas April 16. Mrs. Mitchell was formerly Miss Annie Buckland, and was born December 13, 1861, in Stanishlaw county, Calif. She moved to Lampsasa in 1893 and was married to A. T. Mitchell in 1894. She leaves her husband and three brothers, C. O. Buckland of Brownwood, W. L. Buckland of Lampasas and G. G. Buckland of San Francisco.

SAN SABA MAN GIVEN SECOND DEATH TRIAL

AUSTIN, May 2.—(AP)—Two new liquor rulings were made Wednesday by the Court of Criminal Appeals which at the same time reversed a fifteen year murder sentence and a five year robbery conviction.

Denying John Ware, under a Denton county liquor sentence, a rehearing, the court held that even when a raiding officer admits that he was not positive the premises he searched contained intoxicants, the search warrant is not invalidated when the defendant himself concedes presence of illicit stuff.

This holding drew interest in view of the court's previous decisions that a warrant based only on "information and belief" is worthless. The distinction is seen, the court indicated, in that Ware, although attacking legality of the arresting officer's warrant, admitted in his appeal the presence of liquor.

The state split honors, however, the James Jackson case being reversed because the prosecution, although ostensibly proving Jackson had liquor for sale, did not establish whether it was spiritous, vinous or malt. That phase must be shown, the court decided. Jackson got a one year sentence in Hall county.

C. H. Maxwell's five-year Midland county robbery sentence was struck down because the evidence was insufficient and the fifteen year murder assessment against Will Edmondson, San Saba Co., also goes back for another trial because evidence tended to raise the issue that Fred Bollinger, allegedly Edmondson's victim, might have committed suicide.

O. W. Webb, in the case in which he drew ten years for the robbery of Mark Cullem was denied the privilege of filing a second motion for rehearing. The five year sentence placed on Webb and the ten year sentence given Tom Menick for the holdup of Lee Berry were affirmed. Webb and Menick were convicted in Potter county.

Jim Bryant's 14-year Parmer county robbery sentence also was upheld and Norma Pierce, under a ten year Tarrant county judgment for a similar offense, failed to get a review of the previous affirmance of her case.

HELD LIABLE

The city of Fort Worth was held liable Wednesday by the Supreme Court for injuries received by Jack Wiggins, 8, when he was bitten and clawed by a bear in Forest Park there.

Legally of the bulk of the 1926 tax levies of the city of Tyler is clouded in an opinion Wednesday by the Supreme Court.

The court upheld Miss Meta Rowland's contention—and the decision of the district court—that the method used by the Tyler equalization board was incorrect and placed too high a valuation on her property.

The supreme court Wednesday refused to review the decision whereby it reversed lower court rulings awarding to Texas University around $1,300,000 from the estate of the late W. J. McDonald of Paris, Texas.

The chicken theft felony law recently held unconstitutional did not repeal other statutes making a felony of such theft when of a certain value and did not ameliorate the offense under the latter laws, the court of criminal appeals ruled Wednesday.

The court affirmed the felony conviction of B. W. Williams of Robertson county, charged with stealing 15 turkeys valued at $50.

AUSTIN, Texas, May 2.—(AP)—Jimmie Hicks, sentenced to 27 years from Orange county on criminal assault conviction, was given a general parole Wednesday by Governor Moody.

Clemency was recommended by R. H. Baker, chairman of the state prison commission and other officials. Some of the intercessors doubted Hick's guilt and believed it would be "unjust" to confine him longer.

AUSTIN, Tex., May 2.—(AP)—S. S. Birdwell, sentenced to two years from Taylor county on theft conviction, was granted a 90-day furlough Wednesday by Governor Dan Moody.

AUSTIN, Tex., May 2.—(AP)—The appeal of J. H. Dumas, indicted on murder and conspiracy to murder charges for killing of two men at Rankin as "bank robbers," for privilege to make bond was submitted Wednesday before the court of criminal appeals.

County Club Women Making Tour of Inspection Today

Miss Mayesie Malone, county home demonstration agent and a large number of club women of the county, left Brownwood early Wednesday morning on a tour of inspection of recently improved living rooms in various communities of the county.

The tour today is being conducted as a part of the "Better Homes Week" observance in Brown county. All in the party today carried basket lunches. Homes that were to have been visited today were those of contestants in the living room contest, conducted this year under the auspicess of Miss Malone.

APPROVE COTTON BILL

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CONFEDERATES HOLD SESSION

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., May 8.—(AP)—As enthusiastic if not as lively as school boys, members of the thinning ranks of the Confederacy were arriving in Little Rock today by the hundreds to attend their 38th annual reunion, which opens tonight. More than 1,000 visitors had arrived last night and at least that many more were expected on special trains today.

While a majority of the veterans were renewing friendships, leaders of the United Confederate Veterans were contemplating a move for a joint reunion of Federal and Confederate Veterans. General J. C. Foster, Houston, Texas, commander in chief of the Veterans, told the Associated Press that he favored a joint reunion but the matter would have to be decided for the Confederates by the reunion.

Camp Foster, headquarters of the reunion, was seething with the excitement of voluable handshakes and was lively with frequent and explosive coteries. The "Johnny Rebs" came to the reunion to meet old friends and they lost no time in beginning that program.

BIG SUM DESIGNATED FOR IMPROVEMENTS BY TELEPHONE COMPANY

Officers were re-elected and plans for the year's business were discussed Monday afternoon when stockholders and directors of the West Texas Telephone company held their annual business meeting. The officers of the corporation are:

F. W. Greber, Brownwood, president and general manager; R. G. Hollingsworth of Coleman, first vice president; J. A. Walker of Brownwood, second vice president; J. H. McKee of Brownwood, secretary and treasurer.

A budget of $90,000 was adopted for the year's improvement and expansion program for the properties of the company, $35,000 being designated for Brownwood. This sum will be expended in the maintenance and extension of the service lines of the company here, no additional switchboard equipment being necessary this year.

J. H. McKee, secretary-treasurer, said no plans were discussed for the company's proposed new office building which is to be erected at Fisk and Depot Streets at some time in the future. The company recently purchased a building site there, but does not intend to erect a new building until the expansion of the business makes it impossible to house it satisfactorily in the present telephone building, corner Brown and East Anderson Streets.

A number of out-of-town stockholders and directors attended the annual meeting Monday.

YOUNGBLOOD STARTS TRAINING FOR LIFE SAVING TESTS TODAY

Dewey Youngblood, track coach and physical education director at Brownwood High School, will start training today at Brownwood Hot Wells for the Red Cross life saving tests that he will give next week. Mr. Youngblood conducted these testts at Hot Wells last year and a total of 16 boys and girls succeeded in passing the tests given.

The training which begins this afternoon late will be for boys and girls, junior and senior. Juniors are classed from 12 to 17, the senior class including all over 17. The tests are given for the purpose of training boys and girls, men and women to take care of themselves in water and in case of emergency to have the life of a fellow man. Mr. Youngblood has had much experience in this line of work and is rated as one of the best in life saving methods in water.

Youngblood is very anxious to have a larger number to take advantage of this valuable training and according to the number who have asked that the tests be given again this year there will be more than twice as many to report for the training than were on hand a year ago.

Father and Girl of Santa Anna Die in Automobile Wreck

Funeral services were held in Santa Anna Monday afternoon for Ross Crews, 46, farmer, and his daughter, Zona, 15, who were killed in an automobile accident late Saturday.

Their touring car collided with a loaded oil field truck three miles south of Santa Anna. The Crews' car was driven by Crews' grown son.

The truck driver and the four other occupants of the Crews' car escaped without injury.

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INSPECTION OF CARS IS FREE

All motorists in Brownwood and Texas will be given free inspections of their cars by able mechanics in connection with the state-wide observance of a "save-a-life" campaign proclaimed Monday by Governor Dan Moody. The campaign will begin May 10 continuing through June 9, according to the proclamation.

This campaign, which will greatly aid the highway department and state officials, has been made possible through the co-operation of the automobile industry and garages and service stations in the state, the proclamation explained.

Free Inspection

Inspection stations will be announced in all cities and towns, at which free examinations and tests will be made of brakes, horns, lights, steering mechanism and mirrors, the governor declared.

Governor Moody has requested that the mayors of all Texas cities and communities issue similar proclamations.

The save-a-life period is being sponsored by the Automative Equipment Association, which promises the establishment of several thousand official inspection stations.

Takes Ten Minutes

Certificates of inspection will be affixed to the windshilds of all cars that pass the inspection and are in safe driving condition, it was stated.

Time required for the examination of a car will be about ten minutes.

SPECIAL RAIL RATE OFFERED VETERANS TO ANNUAL REUNION

Special rates, based on the certificate plan, will be available for Confederate Veterans and their families, to the annual reunion of the U. C. V. and allied organizations at Little Rock, Arkansas, May 8th to 11th, according to information received by Rev. W. H. White, 1210 Irma Street, adjutant of Camp Stonewall Jackson.

A special train will leave Fort Worth over the Cotton Belt after noon on Monday, May 7th, for Little Rock, and local veterans may leave Brownwood Sunday night and reach Fort Worth in time to board the special train, Adjutant White states. The round trip fare will be $13.10, the tickets going on sale May 3rd to 10th, good for final return on June 9th. The trip from Brownwood to Fort Worth or Dallas may be made by either the Santa Fe or Frisco.

Adjutant White has a supply of certificates which are necessary to secure the low fare, and will ditribute them upon demand to all those entitled to receive them, he stated this morning.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Banner-Bulletin is authorized to make the following announcements for political office, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

For Congress, 17th District:
T. P. PERKINS of Mineral Wells.

For Representative, 125th Legislative District (Brown and Coleman Counties):
W. R. CHAMBERS
FRANK P. GRANTHAM.

For County Judge:
GEO. D. DAVIS.
E. M. DAVIS
(Re-election)

For Sheriff, Brown County:
W. C. TOLLESON.
L. M. (BARNEY) CRAVENS.
M. H. DENMAN

For County Clerk—
S. E. STARK.
(For Re-Election)
J. T. McDONALD
W. J. ODELL
MARION FORD
M. L. (Luther) COBB
W. E. (Bill) BURLESON.

For District Clerk:
CHAS. S. BYNUM
(Re-election)

For Tax Collector:
W. A. BUTLER
(Re-election.)
S. L. SNIDER.

For Tax Assessor:
CLAIR BETTIS
(Re-election.)
T. E. (Tom) HILL

For County Attorney:
T. C. WILKINSON
(Re-election)

For School Superintendent:
J. OSCAR SWINDLE.
(Re-election)
J. S. ARMSTRONG.

For County Treasurer:
J. R. LEWIS
(Re-election)

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

For Commissioner Precinct 1:
N. A. PINSON
(Re-election)

For Commission, Precinct 3:
L. F. BIRD
(Re-election)

For Public Weigher:
L. Q. (Bud) REESE
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DEATH CLAIMS PROF. BASHAM HERE TUESDAY

Joseph Edward Basham, age 68, and for the past 12 years a professor in the Commercial Department of Howard Payne College died early Tuesday morning at his home at 1217 Avenue A, death claiming the veteran professor after an illness of several months duration. Mr. Basham was forced to retire from active work with the college last December due to ill health and since that time has been confined to his home. He came to Brownwood 22 years ago and for 12 years was connected with the local college as an instructor.

Joseph Edward Basham was born December 1, 1859, at Kingston, Arkansas, but had spent the greater part of his life in Texas, in fact he had been engaged in the teaching profession since 18 years of age. He lived in Collin county for 15 years before coming to Brownwood.

Mr. Brasham joined the Baptist Church at the age of 20 and since has been an active member of the church of his choice. His membership was with the First Baptist Church of Brownwood at the time of his death.

The student body of Howard Payne was grieved to learn of the death of their former instructor and friend, when Mr. Basham's death was announced in chapel Tuesday morning. The student body voted to send a wreath to the funeral services and to have as many students as possible at the funeral Thursday afternoon. Dr. Edgar Godbold, president of Howard Payne, selected the pall bearers in chapel Tuesday morning, naming 3 members of the faculty and a similar number from the student body, those selected being, Allen Finnell, Winnifred Edgar and Hamilton Gayden, from the student body, Professors Brooks, Hicks and Taylor from the faculty.

Mr. Basham is survived by his wife and three children, Miss Winnie Alva Basham, Ed Basham and Mrs. G. C. Harper, all of Brownwood. In addition to the immediate family he is survived by 2 brothers, J. W. Brasham, San Francisco, California, Tom Brasham, of Weed, California and a sister, Mrs. Josie Stamps, of Kingston, Arkansas.

Funeral services for Br. Brasham were held this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the First Baptist Church, with Rev. A. E. Prince, pastor of the church, who was assisted by Dr. Edgar Godbold, president of Howard Payne, and Dr. M. E. Davis, professor of Bible in Howard Payne. Burial was made in Greenleaf.

Honorary pall bearers for the J. E. Brasham funeral were: H. R. Kaneaster, Lem Batton, Earl Batton, W. S. Wolf, Dr. Ben M. Shelton, Dr. Joe E. Dildy, Pete Anderson, Rex Gaither, John Sullivan, C. F. Wesner, Dr. T. B. Bailey, M. C Townsend, Burney Norton, W. A. Roussel, M. H. Denman, W. S. Harper, Bland Harper, M. M. Harper, Tom Sawyer, E. J. Woodward, Dan Simmons, C. E. Britt, W. D. McCulley, W. A. Butler, Orville Turner, George Kidd, William Smith, Dr. W. R. Hornburg, Dr. L. J. Mims and the Men's Bible class of the First Baptist Church.

His Excellecny the Baby to Be Honored Here Week of May 21

"Something to live for came to the place,
Something to die for, maybe;
Something to give even sorrow a grace,
And yet, it was only a baby.

"This year, like all years, the rose and the thorn.
Next year the wilderness, maybe,
But Heaven stooped under our roof on the morn'
That it brought to us, only a baby."

The week of May 21 to 26, inclusive, has been designated as Baby Week, and will be observed in Brownwood. People of Brownwood are asked to watch for the special features that have been provided in honor the BABY for that week.

An announcement of the week says: "The baby will be the chief citizen of Brownwood during that period, and many nice things have been arranged for His Majesty. The future of this and every other nation depends upon its babies and it behooves every citizen to take part in doing honor during the week set apart for the Boss of the Home."

Readers should watch The Banner-Bulletin for further announcement of Baby Week activities.

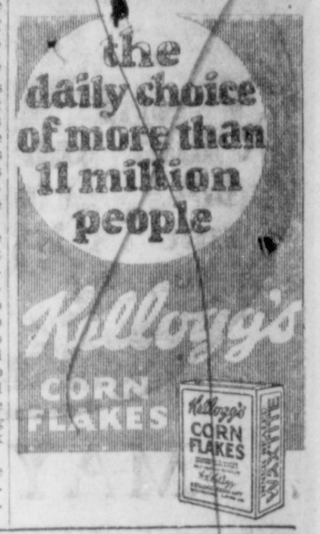
COURT OF HONOR FOR BROWNWOOD DISTRICT WILL MEET MONDAY

The Court of Honor for the Brownwood District Boy Scouts of America, will meet next Monday night, May 14, at 8 o'clock in the County Court House. All Scouts are expected to attend this meeting accompanied by their Scoutmasters and Assistant Scoutmasters. The members of the Scout Leaders Training course will all attend this meeting in order to familarize themselves with the functioning of the Court of Honor.

All Scouts who expect to receive advancement are required to meet at Scout Headquarters Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in order to appear before the examining board to have their applications certified to the Court of Honor. Scouts who fail to appear will not be certified for advancement. All Scouts who appear before the examining board must bring with them a certificate from their Scoutmaster showing they have qualified for the rank desired.

Scout Leaders Training Course last night proved of special interest to the men attending. The problems of Scoutmasters self-improvement and Troop Committee responsibilities were studied by the several patrols who's representatives made individual reports on the sections assigned to them.

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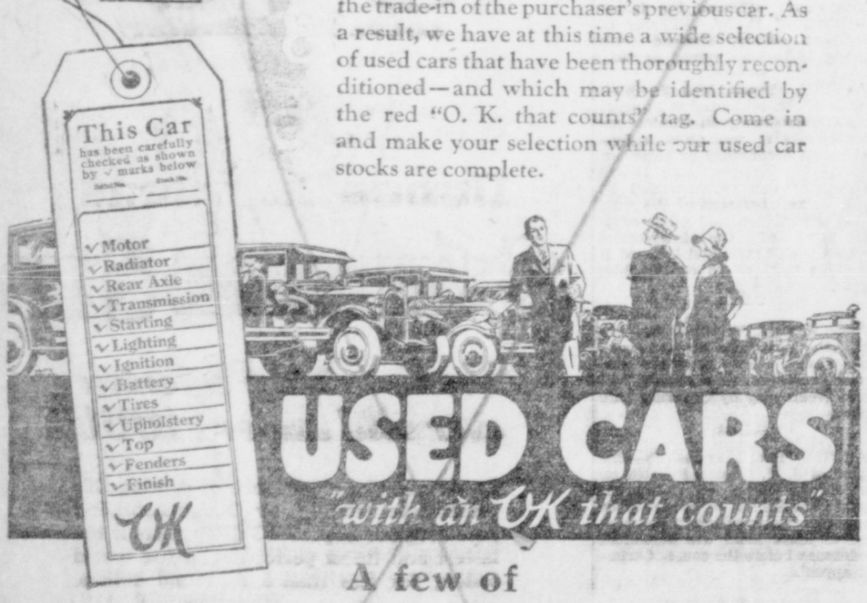
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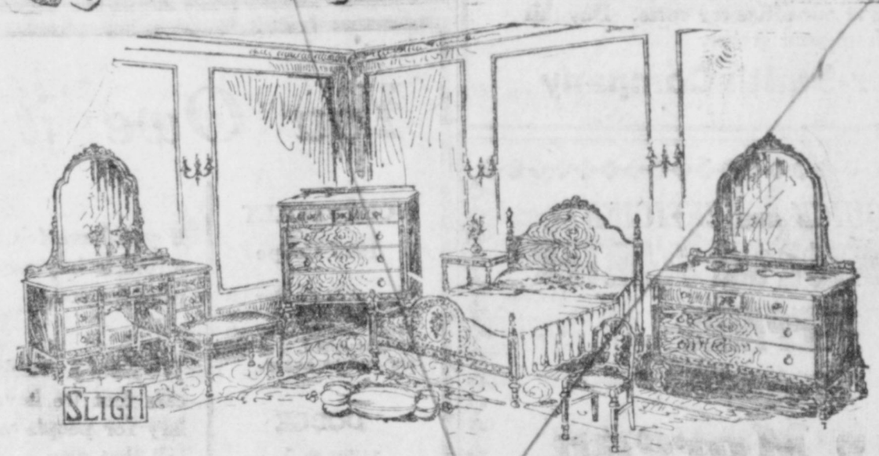
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TEXAS BRICK COMPANY STILL EXPANDING PLANT EQUIPMENT

THE Texas Brick Company's plant which opened for business here a year ago and which during the past year has been shipping its brick to many Texas towns and cities and to Colorado, Louisiana and other states, is still in the process of building and is now in the midst of its building program, notwithstanding that it is now frequently spoken of as "one of the biggest things in Brownwood."

It takes usually about fifteen months to thoroughly establish a brick plant, says W. H. Gifford, vice president and general manager of the company, and the Brownwood plant is really ahead of the schedule.

The plant presents now a greatly different appearance from what it did when it first began turning out brick, and a few weeks hence the picture will have to be recast to give an adequate idea of it.

At the beginning two dobe kilns were erected, and while these turned out brick for the market, they were largely used for a while to make brick for building other kilns.

Dozen Kilns

There are now the two dobe kilns, which hold 250,000 brick each, and a battery of 10 face-brick kilns, round kilns known as the Bee-hive type and others are under construction. These kilns hold 75,000 bricks each. The ground is laid out for the erection of quite a series of other kilns. Just how long the building will continue depends upon the market, it is stated. The ultimate size of the plant will be in accordance with the established demand for the products. Thus far the demand is still in excess of the output and orders are booked ahead.

On the first of this month the Texas Brick Company investment here was at a figure a very few thousand short of $250,000. Work now under way or planned to be done will soon put the investment above the quarter of a million mark.

Running to Capacity

The plant is now running at a capacity of twenty million brick annually. To get some idea of just what this means, it is stated that a five story business or office building, for instance, will require approximately 100,000 face bricks for its contruction. In other words, the output of the Brownwood plant in a single year, at its present capacity, would be sufficient to put up 200 such buildings. As much of the product, of course, goes into one and two story business houses, school buildings, and other such structures requiring a smaller amount of brick, it can be seen what a large number of buildings the product of the local plant enters into.

Notwithstanding the enormous volume of brick and hollow tile manufactured, Mr. Gifford states that the shale supply is sufficient for a 200 years' run. The company made very thorough tests of shales the plant, going straight out Beaver street.

From the time the shale is scooped from the pit by the great shovel and conveyed to the hopper where it is ground to the consistency of flour to its coming out of the kilns as the beautiful face-brick of the various shades of color is an interesting process.

From the machinery in which the shale is ground into powder it goes into the "pug mill" and there is mixed into the doughy substance from which the brick are formed. By machinery this is forced from the mill in a long, smooth and continuous block, and an automatic cutter whacks off 20 brick at a time.

A bunch of workmen known as "off bearers" take the brick as they are cut off, and place them on the small cars to be taken to the dryers. The "off bearers" are trained in the exact way to pick up the green brick, at this time known as "biscuits," so that there shall never be any thumb-prints on the face of the bricks.

The brick are taken to the dryers, and through tunnels made for that purpose the heat is being brought from the kilns to the dryers for the drying process. There are now twelve dryers, and construction work is under way to double the number.

The brick are taken to the kilns, where they remain for nine days. The kilns burn Brownwood gas. After the brick are out of the kiln the natural cooling process would be too slow, and air for cooling is pumped to them by a gas engine.

And after they are ready for markets the cars are on the tracks there awaiting filling. At the time the representative of the Bulletin was making the visit there Wednesday, a car was being loaded for Dallas. And would any one think of hay as one of the articles used at a brick plant? There was a great pile of baled hay out near the plant, and it was learned that 150 pounds of hay is used in loading each car of brick.

The brick now being manufactured is what is known as the rug tecture face brick. Let one stand upon a pile of the brick and look upon its resemblance to an oriental rug and he will soon understand the name. Later what is known as the bark texture will be made here. Uniformity of brick and clean edges—these are things that must be observed to the greatest degree of perfection in all that goes from the plant.

The Brownwood plant, it is declared, will be when completed one of the brick plants west of the Mississippi.

In the one year of its operation the Brownwood plant has shipped its brick to Amarillo, Dalhart, Trinidad, Colo., Dallas, Fort Worth, Houston, Corpus Christi, Laredo, San Antonio, San Angelo, Austin, Waco and many other places. It is noted that through this enterprise "Brownwood is really building other cities." Numerous local buildings also have been constructed, and are now being constructed with the Brownwood brick.

P. J. Oppen, one of the directors of the plant, who has visited Brownwood on several occasions, was here recently conferring with Mr. Gifford on the many improvements and additions to be made at the plant. Those associated in this company have been brick manufacturers for the last 20 to 25 years, and they are greatly pleased with the outlook of their Brownwood business. The officers are: B. E. LaDow, president; W. D. Pratt, treasurer; W. H. Gifford, vice-president and general manager. Mr. W. H. Blagg is superintendent. Mr. Gifford is here in active charge of the plant and will move his family here from Kansas City as soon as the present term of school in Kansas City ends. He will build a home here.

Make Arrangements by Louis J. Wardlow for Campaign Speech

D. Boaz and Roswell Wardlaw of Fort Worth were in Brownwood today making arrangements for an address to be delivered here on the night of May 16th by Louis J. Wardlaw, Fort Worth attorney, who is seeking the Democratic gubernatorial nomination.

Mr. Boaz stated that the details of arrangement for the address will be announced within a few days. A suitable auditorium is to be secured, and local citizens will be asked to provide an introduction to the speaker.

Mr. Wardlaw has scheduled a number of addresses in this part of the state, and will continue his campaign aggressively until the July primary, it was stated.

LEARNS LETTERS AT 60

WEST POINT, Neb.—Mrs. Lizzie Peters, 60, in America for two score years, is finally learning English, so she can write to her children, who do not know their mother's tongue.

Largest Unincoporated Town Takes 4th Vote on Organizing

FREDRICKSBURG, Tex, May 7.—(AP)— Fredricksburg, prosperous mountain plateau town which has become a monument to the distressed German colonists who founded it, may relinquish its claim of being the largest unincorporated town in the United States at an election May 10.

It will be the fourth vote on the question of establishing a city government since the town was founded in 1846, by a few hundred property-riddden, homeless Germans lured to America by the glowing promises of an emigration company and a French land sharper.

Three elections have gone against incorporation.

With 4,500 population, broad, immaculate streets, substantial stone buildings and churches, Fredricksburg now presents an astonishing contrast to its early days. Thrift and industry inherited from settlers who were beset by poverty, isolation and disease have gone into the making of the town. There are no city taxes, and the county has one of the lowest tax rates in Texas. The first county fair in Texas was held at Fredricksburg in 1881.

Gillespie county, of which Fredricksburg is the seat, is wealthy in stock raising and agriculture. It contans about 2,000 farms and only 50 tenants. The farm and ranch lands are valuedd at $20,000,000, against which mortgages of less than $450,000 are outstanding. The only bonded indebtedness of the county is for public roads and that is small. The latest divorce records shows 218 marriages and only two divorces for a two-year period in the county.

Nine-tenths or the Gillespie county residents are descendants of the first German settlers. About 1845 thirty-six ships from Germany brought 5,247 colonists to Texas under direction of the German Emigration company. Bad financial management and blunders in failing to get valid land grants from Texas, coupled with the chicanery of B. D'Orvane, French land trader, resulted in poverty and privation for the colonists after they landed. Pestilence killed great numbers.

Dressed in rags and with but little to eat, the colonists founded Fredricksburg, naming it in honor of Prince Fredrick of Prussia, one of the 18 German nobles and princes who organized the emigration company.

TRAGIC LANDING NARROWLY AVERTED BY COL. LINDBERGH

CURTISS FIELD, New York, May 7.—(AP)—America has had many heroes since Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh came back from his epic flight to Paris last summer, but the sight of his silver-winged plane is still enough of a magnet to send 2,000 persons stampeding to surround it.

Landing on the field here last night after a hop over to Mitchel Field, he narrowly averted a tragedy as the crowd swamped onto the field, in imminent danger from the whirling blades of his plane's propeller.

Motorcycle Police charged the crowd with screaming sires and special guards attempted to ring off a clear space for him to land, but their efforts were not enough to stop the rush. Two women were knocked down, receiving cuts and bruises which required medical attention.

Lindbergh saw the human avalanche coming toward him and swerved his ship after a run of only a few feet, almost causing it to tip over. Using his wheelbrakes as much as he dared he turned his plane completely around and shut off the motor without the customary idling while it cooled off.

He and his passengers were imprisoned in the plane's cabin as the mob milled around. Finally an automobile was forced through and ducking the hands of those who sought to touch him he jumped into the car. Policemen stood on the running board pushing away persons who sought to climb on, as motorcycle police cleared a lane to the road to New York.

ARCTIC DOGS FOR ALPS

GRINDELWALD, Greenland — Greenland dogs have been brought to this Swiss mountain resort to haul tourists over the Jungfrau glaciers. Nowhere else in Europe will the Arctic huskies thrive.

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SHOP OF YOUTH

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Program Ready for Regular Meeting of Dairy Association

The program for the next meeting of the Brown County Dairy Association, which will be held at Southern Hotel May 21 at 7:45 p. m., was announced Friday evening.

Miss Lucile Self, secretary of the Brownwood Retail Merchants' Association, will deliver a short address at the request of the program committee. There will also be brief musical program, it is stated.

Joe Shelton will discuss "The Value of Peanut Hay as Compared With Other Feeds," and Earl Foster will give the analysis of alfalfa and peanut hay and discuss them in comparison with other feed crops.

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Harmony Prevails at County Parley

AN uninstructed delegation of eight will represent Brown county at the State convention of the Democratic party to be held in Beaumont, May 22. Such was the action taken by the Brown County Democratic Convention at the meeting at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon in the county court room. At the beginning of the convention J. J. Timmins was elected chairman and Dean Thomas H. Taylor, of Howard Payne, elected secretary.

The first official act of the party was to adopt the following resolution, "Be it resolved by the duly elected and qualified voters composing the Brown County Democratic Convention that at the beginning of our deliberation we subscribe to the following pledge, 'I am a democrat and agree to support the nominee of the party'."

Vote is Unanimous

The vote for an uninstructed delegation was unanimous and according to the action of the convention the delegation from this county will cast the three votes accorded to Brown county in any way deemed wise, for or against any candidate, no mention being made of a wet or dry candidate. No candidate's name was mentioned at the convention.

Delegates to the state convention elected from Brown county are, C. L. McCartney, chairman, Chester Harrison, A. E. Nabors, Mrs. J. W. Trapp, Doc Buford, of May, N. J. Henderson, of Brookesmith, Charles Harris of Mt. View and W. F. Barnett of Bangs. The following alternate delegates were also named, H. E. Cobb, of Zephyr, F. H. Smith, of Blanket, Leon G. Halden, of Brownwood, S. P. Burns, of Clio, J. J. Andrews, of hrifty, Roy Hickman of Blake, W .M. Denman of Winchell and Frank Sweet, of Brownwood.

C. L. McCartney, who was elected chairman of the Brown county delegation, was called on for a talk and in a very few words told of his loyalty to the party and stated that he was a firm believer in party government and that regardless of who is nominated at the National Convention he will support him. Judge McCartney stated that he did not expect the man of his choice to be nominated but that he would support the nominee and felt that all Democrats should do likewise.

McCartney Refuses Nomination

Judge C. H. Jenkins addressing the convention just before its close declared that this district needed a good strong man in congress and that he knew of no man so well fitted to serve the district as its representative as Judge C. L. McCartney of Brownwood. The statement was received with applause. In the war, said Judge Jenkins, people did not wait to see whether or not a man wanted to enter into any particular service of his country, but they drafted him. That should be done in this instance, he said.

Judge McCartney arose and said: "In the war when a man refused to be drafted they called him yellow——well, I'm 'yaller."

Brown County Republican delegates to state convention were instructed to Herbert Hoover in county convention here Tuesday afternoon. Deleagtes are J. D. Stewart, county chairman, J. E. Belvan, Zephyr; Tom Lancaster, Winchell, Date Keeler, May. Brown county is accorded two votes in state convention.

DALLAS, May 8.—(AP)—The Republican State Executive Committee in session here today, voted 29 to 1, with one absent, to nominate Republican candidates for state, district and county offices in Texas in 1928 by the convention system.

The only dissenting vote was cast by proxy in the name of C. C. Littleton of Fort Worth. His vote was cast in favor of a primary under the provisions of the Terrell election law.

THE Brown County Democratic Convention was to meet in the distreit court room Tuesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock for the purpose of selecting three delegates to the state convention, which will convene in Beaumont, May 22nd.

According to present indications, the selection of the delegates will be practically the only business before the county meeting and a long drawn out session, or one in which there will be any serious contests, is not expected.

Reports so far as received from the precinct conventions held Saturday afternoon indicate that a majority of the precincts have adopted the resolutions for a dry platform and a dry candidate, without expressing a choice either for or against any individual candidates, the resolutions in the main being in the form as sent out by what is usually known as the "Harmony" or "Moody" resolutions.

Opposes "Wet"

Several precincts, however, have sent their delegates to the county convention uninstructed, while the Cross Cut precinct instructed against Smith, Ritchie or Reed, or any "wet" candidate. But those participating in the convention there signed the party pledge, and a statement was made to the effect that their opposition to any candidate would cease if and when such candidate should receive a two-third majority in the state convention.

The county convention is composed of 55 delegates from the precinct conventions. Only one precinct has sent a delegate to the county convention instructed to vote for any certain one as delegate to the state convention, that being precinct No. 3 in Brownwood, which instructed its delegation to vote for C. L. McCartney for that position. Some of the precincts, however, gave instruction as to the vote for delegate at large, one instructing against Governor Moody and some others instructing for him.

Later Reports

County Chairman Thomas H. Taylor had received this morning reports from three precinct conventions not given in the report in Monday's Bulletin. They are as follows:

Dulin—Delegates, A. J. Lee and J. M. Pearce. No instructions. Pledge signed.

Winchell—Delegates, W. F. Denman and C. F. Reese. No instruction. A statement accompanying the report stated that only nine present signed the pledge, but did not name the number present.

Cross Cut—Delegates, S. R. Chambers and T. S. Chambers. Adopted resolutions against Smith, Ritchie or Reed or any "wet" candidate. Pledge signed.

G. O. P. County Meet Slated

Republican county convention was scheduled to be held at 2 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon at Carnegie Public Library.

The number of delegates to be at the session, could not be learned Tuesday morning, as reports from precinct conventions held in several towns in the county had not been made.

It is expected that the county convention will instruct delegates to state convention for Herbert Hoover, J. D. Stewart, county chairman.

CANDIDATE FOR U. S. SENATE IN ADDRESS HERE

Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham of Austin, candidate for the democratic nomination for United States Senator, declared for prohibition and strict law enforcement, and for full co-operation of the United States with the League of Nations, in discussing her platform at Howard Payne auditorium Monday night.

Mrs. Cunningham presented her candidacy in an address to an audience of 200, composed about equally of men and women. She frankly discussed various issues of the campaign and at the close of her address invited questions from any one on any question pertaining to issues involved. She was asked a number of questions regarding farm relief, tariff reduction and other problems. To all of them she gave a ready answer, though she stated that she did not profess any great knowledge or the farm relief problems, but was studying the question. Mrs. Cunningham was introduced by Dean Thomas H. Taylor of Howard Payne College, county chairman of Brown county.

Some of her hearers observed that one of the striking things of Mrs. Cunningham's address was the absence of such terms as "Fellow citizens," "My friends," "My fellow countrymen," or any of the marks of the usual political speech.

Outlines Views

The position of Mrs. Cunningham on public questions as she discussed them here is briefly summarized as follows:

She is for prohibition and strict law enforcement.

She is opposed to secrecy in governmental affairs, she declared, and this, she said, was regardless of whether it originates in the Ku Klux Klan or executive sessions of the Senate of the United States.

She is for a revision downward of the tariff.

She is for farm relief and believes that there are many ways to secure it if really sincere effort is brought to bear on the problem. For instance, much can be done for farm relief through traiff adjustment, through increased and improved transportation facilities, through extending service to the farmer in ways the city man is now served as a matter of course. She gave no expression in her address here as to the McNary-Haugen bill.

She is for a reduction in taxes and believes that the tax experts of the United States Chamber of Commerce have assembled facts which Congress and the President would do well to consider.

She is for an adequate flood control program based on scientific engineering principles applied to the problem.

She is for a water power program "framed with an eye single to the development of these great natural resources for the public good."

She is for a foreign relations policy which will have in mind the whole citizenship of the United States and their genuinely friendly feeling toward the peoples of the world, she declared.

She is "for a revision of the treatment we are according Central and South American countries."

She is for full co-operation with the League of Nations as "the most workable machinery yet devised through which nations may co-operate to adjust their differences and preserve the peace of the world."

She is for the use of the tremendous world power of the United States to insure world peace.

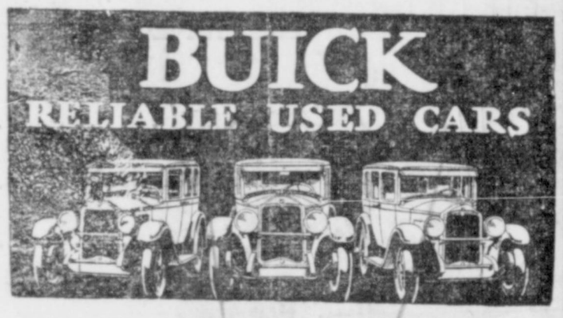
Today's Engagements

Mrs. Cunningham, accompanied by Miss Ruby Neale Long, Mrs. D. H. Doom and William Doom of Austin, left this morning for Goldthwaite, where the candidate was scheduled to address a mass meeting at the court house at 2:30 o'clock. The speaking was preceded by an informal reception to Mrs. Cunningham by the club women of Goldthwaite.

At 5 o'clock this afternoon Mrs. Cunningham will speak at the Baptist church in Lometa, leaving immediately after for Austin by the way [illegible]

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ADEQUATE HOUSING PROMISED DELEGATES TO DEMOCRATIC MEET

HOUSTON, May 7.—(Sp.)—An appeal was issued here today by General John A. Hulen, chairman of the Housing Committee for the Democratic National Convention, urging that every person planning to attend the convention register in advance with this committee, which has headquarters in the Democratic Building. Plans are being made to accommodate every person throughout the United States who desire to attend, but in order to properly provide rooms reservations should be made in advance.

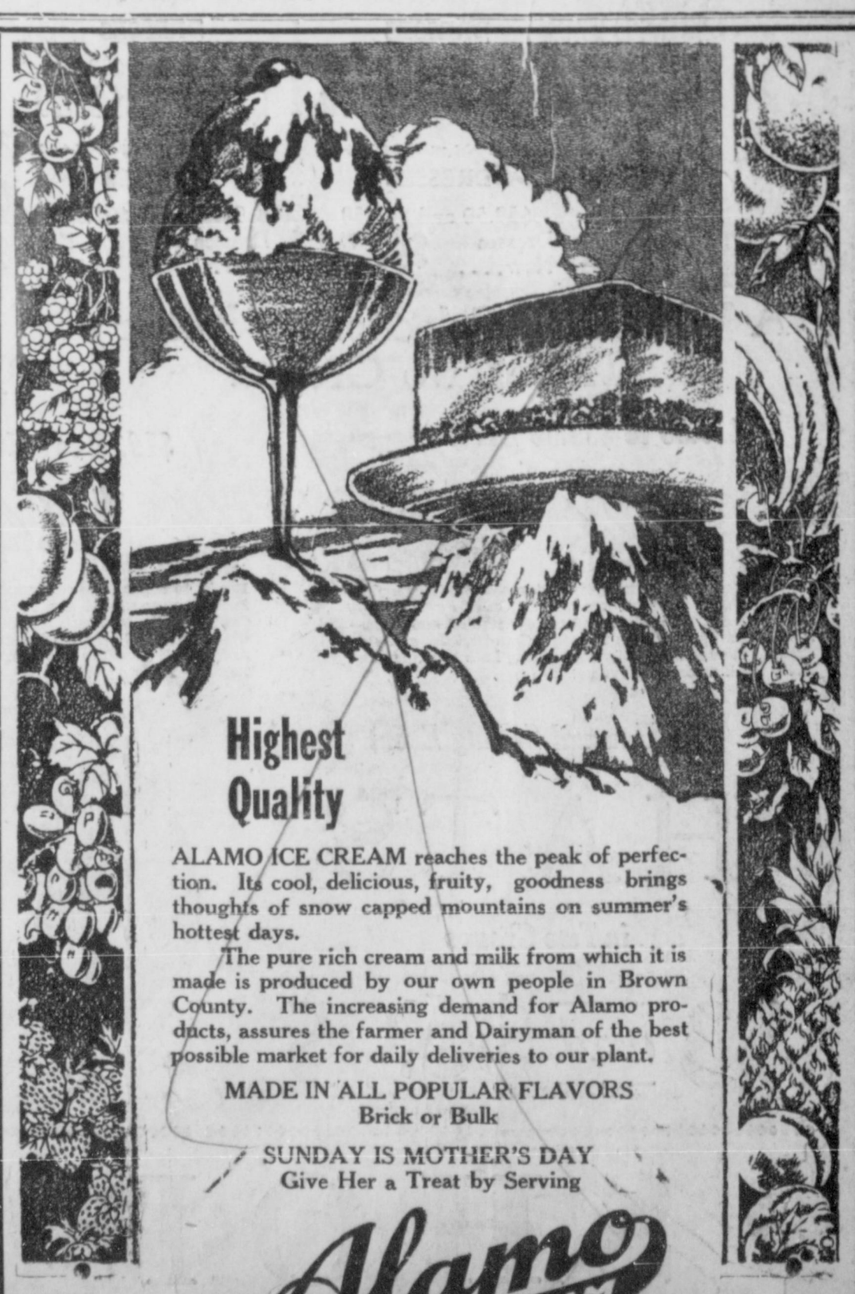
While hotel accommodations in Houston are inadequate for the extraordinary service required for the convention, all delegates, alternates, newspaper men and working personnel of the convention will be provided with first-class hotel rooms. An additional 25,000 will be housed in apartments, downtown buildings and private homes. A number of school buildings, just completed, equipped with all modern conveniences, will be used for housing many visitors.

A number of Houstonians who have summer homes on the Gulf and Galveston Bay, plan to lease their entire homes, servants, motor cars and chauffeurs to those attending the convention who desire such complete accommodations. These facilities will be available at prices much less than similiar accommodations at hotels.

Tourist camps, with paved streets, water, sewerage and electric lights will be available with parking space for 10,000 cars. These camps will be provided with telephone service, and will have a doctor and two nurses on duty 24 hours daily.

General Hulen in his statement says that every person desiring to attend the convention will be properly housed. Contrary to many reports that Houston would not be able to accommodate the thousands expected, surveys show such reports to be unfounded.

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