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## Certificates Being Given To Cotton Growers

### Permanent Certificates Finally Arrive; Temporary Ones Must Be Taken Up

Permanent cotton certificates for Brown County have been received by County Agent C. Lehmburg who Wednesday morning distributed them to cotton farmers in the May district, except those from Mr. Lehmburg's farm in the court house. May farmers will receive their certificates at May. Brown county received a total of 2,297 certificates. Cotton growers have been using temporary certificates and ginners in the county have been accepting them when the cotton was ginned. The temporary certificates had been gathered up by Mr. Lehmburg and the permanent certificates issued due to the fact that the lists shown on them had to be corrected from the total allotted farmer on his permanent certificate.

The permanent certificates show total amount allotted each grower and the certificates are arranged in a pocket size folder for convenient carrying. The poundage is in small quantities and as the cotton is taken to the gin the amount is torn from the certificate. The amount that is not included in the amount for any individual farmer is subject to a tax of fifty per cent of value, this to be collected on the cotton is ginned. However, any farmer who does not ginch enough cotton to complete allotted amount, can sell the remainder of his certificate to any other who has more cotton than the quota allotted him. Mr. Lehmburg has requested that sales or transfers of certificates be made in his office and under his supervision.

Farmers who did not grow any during the base period from 1932 and who did not receive certificates will get their allotment from the ten per cent of total 1931 cotton allotment by government which was held in care for those in that group. The tax free will be placed on the amount at the gin. With the arrival of the permanent certificates the amount of cotton will increase rapidly, it is believed. Many farmers have been waiting for their certificates before offering their ginned cotton for sale.

## Centennial Wants Picture Of Famous Shop Of N. T. Byars

The Texas Centennial Commission wants a picture of the old Smith shop of Rev. N. T. Byars which stood at Old Washington 1835-1836 and in which the Texas Declaration of Independence was signed on March 2, 1836. The picture is wanted as a model for building the old shop in Washington Park as it stood on the memorable day when Texas independence was born.

Byars owned and operated the Smith shop at that time but later came to Brownwood and a preacher in this section of country for a number of years. Byars was buried in Green Cemetery. It is hoped that someone around Brownwood has a picture of the shop or knows of someone who has it. Will H. Mayes, secretary of the Texas Centennial Commission, has written to Brownwood newspapers requesting that they try to locate the picture. Information that might possibly be in locating a picture of the shop will be gladly received by the Banner.

## FARMERS MARKETS

Growers' prices quoted in Brownwood, Thursday, October 4:  
Wheat, in bunches, doz. 40c  
Black Vegetables, doz. 40c  
Onions, doz. 5c  
Potatoes, doz. 3c  
Apples, doz. 1.00-1.50  
Butter and Cream.  
1 lb. butter fat, 16c and 18c  
Poultry and Eggs.  
Hens, doz. 9c  
Hens, under 2 1/2 lbs. 7c  
Eggs, doz. 10c-12c  
Chickens, doz. 5c-10c

## WTCC WILL CONTINUE FIGHT ON COLORADO AUTHORITY MEASURE

Determined to continue its fight on the Colorado River Authority bill, unless it is suitably amended, the West Texas Chamber of Commerce has called a conference to be held in San Angelo at 10:30 a. m., October 9. D. A. Bandoen, secretary-manager of the W. T. C. C., called the meeting. The bill was up for discussion in the special session of the Texas Legislature which closed last week.

Brown County Water Improvement District No. 1 will likely send one or more representatives to the San Angelo meeting. Judge C. L. McCartney, attorney for the Brown county water district, fought the bill at the special session of the Legislature and secured changes that would protect Brownwood water rights.

Bandoen, in calling the meeting, urged all directors of the Chamber of Commerce in the region affected by the Colorado river bill, as well as ranchmen and farmers interested in preserving their water rights, to attend the meeting.

Mr. Bandoen's statement in calling the meeting follows:  
"We are opposed to the Colorado River Authority bill as it is written," Bandoen said, "and will continue to be until it is amended so that West Texas water rights will be protected."

Under the act, Bandoen said, any farmer or ranchman, who wanted to use the waters of the Colorado River would have to get permission from the Colorado River Authority before he could do so.

"Our water rights under the act," he said, "would be wholly subservient to the big power rights. We don't want to have to go all the way down to the Hamilton Dams to get the same water that falls on West Texas and flows through the farms and ranches of West Texas."

R. W. Haynie, chairman of the West Texas water rights committee, will preside at the San Angelo conference. Will H. Scott of Sweetwater, credited with much of the responsibility for preventing passage of the bill during the special session of the Legislature just closed, will be a speaker. So will Representative Penrose B. Metcalfe of San Angelo, strong opponent of the bill as written.

## PLANS DISCUSSED TO COMBINE DRIVES FOR TWO CHARITY GROUPS

Plans for combining the Brownwood Red Cross chapter and the Brownwood Community Council for their annual drives for funds have been under discussion for several days but no definite action had been taken Thursday. Members of the Community Council and the Red Cross Board met Sunday afternoon at Hotel Brownwood to discuss the proposed plans.

R. H. Ziehm, national representative of the Red Cross, who is working in this district making plans for that organization's annual drive for funds, attended the Sunday meeting and discussed the proposed combination with Brownwood citizens.

The Community Council had already made a budget for the ensuing year's work and had set up plans for a drive for funds during the latter part of October. D. T. Strickland had been appointed chairman of the drive. But due to the fact that the work of the two organizations is overlapping, officials apparently are of the opinion that the merger should be made in the belief that one campaign for funds would be more successful than two smaller ones.

## EMPLOYMENT OFFICE SERVES 2500 PEOPLE

Approximately 2,500 people registered at the National Re-employment Service offices which were maintained in Brownwood for one year. The office was closed September 15, when PWA work was stopped in Brown county.

Orville H. Turner, who was in charge of the office at the time the work was discontinued now is in charge of the CCC camp at Taylor, Texas. He is a captain in the Artillery Reserve, and has been ordered into active service.

The office was opened Sept. 19, 1933, with Raymond Boyett in charge. The work of the office increased until four people were employed, handling the registrations, and placements during the winter when the CWA and PWA were in operation. Since June 1, Mr. Turner has been in charge of the office alone.

During the time the office has operated, about 2,500 people have registered in it. These cards had to be renewed every thirty days, or be placed in the inactive file. The Active file of applications has averaged about 650 for the last several months with 735 cards in the active file today. Since the opening of the office, 1,237 people have been given employment; these are in addition to about 650 who were given employment from the direct relief rolls last fall, and does not include those who have received work relief since the CWA ended.

## COUNTY RECORDS TO BE CLASSIFIED AND FILED BY STUDENTS

Five students in Howard Payne College will begin immediately the tedious task of sorting, classifying and indexing all Brown county documents. It is estimated that it will take nine months to complete this work.

New shelves are being built in the courthouse basement where the records are now stacked away. At present the documents are stacked away in a haphazard manner, making it almost impossible to find any specified document. The documents will be listed and indexed, making them easily accessible to the public.

This project is part of the Federal Emergency Relief Administration program and the students who will do this work will be paid out of FERA funds. Prof. T. R. Havins of the Howard Payne faculty will supervise this project.

## Brownwood Selected As Meeting Place Of 1935 Judges Meeting

Brownwood was selected as the hostess city for the March, 1935, convention of the West Texas County Judges and Commissioners Association. The judges and commissioners met in Plainview last week and Brownwood was selected as the next convention city on the first ballot, winning over Amarillo and Abilene, two other cities bidding for the March convention.

Brownwood sent a delegation to the Plainview convention and the men worked tirelessly to induce the judges and commissioners to come to Brownwood. The Brownwood delegation was headed by County Judge Courtney Gray; A. E. Nabors, nominee for county judge, and Commissioner Chas. B. Palmer, and included a number of Brownwood business men.

Officers of the West Texas association for another year were elected at Plainview as follows: Clyde L. Garrett, county judge of Eastland county, president; V. H. McClintock, county judge of Cottle county, vice-president; C. W. Humbel, county judge of Deaf Smith county, secretary-treasurer.

## Residence Here Is Destroyed By Fire

The residence of W. J. Brewer, at 1808 Avenue B, Brownwood, was totally destroyed by fire Friday afternoon with a total loss of about \$2,000. The fire started when a pan of paraffin, which was being melted on a cook stove, caught fire. The flames spread to a window curtain and soon the entire house was on fire.

The building was owned by the Brownwood Building & Loan Association and the estimated \$1,500 loss on it was covered by insurance. The furniture, owned by Mr. Brewer, was not insured.

## Censor Can't Get Norma Now



Result of censorship or not, Norma Shearer, film star of the ultra-sophisticated type, isn't wearing those clinging draperies in her latest picture. The glamorous ciennelette is shown here in a non-revealing costume that billows far, far away, in the fashion of a half century or more ago.

## CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK IS REOPENED FOR BUSINESS HERE AFTER 18-MONTHS OF EFFORT

THE CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK at Brownwood, successor to the Citizens National Bank in Brownwood, opened its doors for business at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning, October 2. A formal opening was held Tuesday and throughout the day hundreds of Brownwood citizens called to extend their congratulations to the new officers of the bank and to wish for the new banking institution a long and successful career in Brownwood. Opening of the new bank released hundreds of thousands of dollars to Brownwood citizens who had money on deposit when the Citizens National Bank in Brownwood was forced to close its doors in January, 1933.

The bank has been operated under conservatorship for several months while plans for reorganization and reopening were being completed. F. S. Abney, former president of the Citizens National Bank, served as conservator.

Officers of the new banking institution are: J. F. Renfro, president; J. A. Wise, executive vice-president; F. S. Abney, vice-president; Clyde McIntosh, cashier. Directors are J. A. Watts, H. L. Cravens, R. N. Beakley, E. E. Kirkpatrick, J. F. Renfro, F. S. Abney and J. A. Wise.

Opening of the new bank makes available approximately \$300,000 in unrestricted deposits and with the releasing of this amount of money a decided and general increase in business is anticipated by business men of Brownwood.

The new bank has a capital stock of \$100,000, a surplus of \$40,000 and a preferred stock of \$100,000 held by the federal government. This makes the new bank one of the strongest banking institutions in this section.

The bank was financed and its opening made possible by depositors in the old bank who subscribed approximately \$100,000 in stock, representing about forty per cent of their deposits in the old bank. In addition to this another \$40,000 was raised in cash subscriptions, this being in addition to the \$100,000 preferred stock issue subscribed by the government and a loan from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to pay off remaining bonds on the bank building and to discharge other indebtedness of the old bank.

The new bank will gradually liquidate assets of the old bank so as to avoid undue hardship upon any whose notes are retained by the old bank. In the new set-up the old banking institution retains ownership of the six story bank building with the new bank owning no property excepting banking fixtures.

## Relative Of Local Woman Dead In Ok.

Mrs. Etta Snow has received word of the death at Stratford, Oklahoma, of her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. F. Etheridge, September 24, 1934. She is survived by a stepson, W. W. Etheridge, and a stepdaughter, Mrs. W. H. Fleming, of Stratford.

Mr. Etheridge, formerly a resident of Brownwood, died less than a year ago. The Apache Indians considered the dandelion their favorite food.

## BANGS ENTERTAINS LOCAL LEGION POST

Bangs legionnaires entertained member of Isham A. Smith post of the American Legion Monday night, regular meeting night of the Brownwood post. About thirty Legionnaires from Brownwood went to Bangs and enjoyed a barbecue given by the Bangs buddies. About 100 were on hand for the barbecue.

Senator-elect E. M. Davis, of Brownwood, a veteran of the World War, was the principal speaker Monday evening. W. D. Wells, state sergeant-at-arms, was presented with a sergeant-at-arms cap by Joe Blazg, commander of the Brownwood post.

At the Bangs meeting further plans for an Armistice Day celebration in Brownwood were discussed and according to present indications this year's celebration will be one of the best ever sponsored.

## 100-BARREL WELL IN NORTHEAST OF COUNTY OPENS UP NEW FIELD

The Herring, Sher-Ritt Oil Company, et al. No. 1 Scott on the W. K. Dalton survey, No. 57, nine miles northeast of Brownwood, came in last Thursday, September 27, and has been estimated as being good for 100 barrels daily. It is considered the best well brought in in Brown county in many months and because of the fact that it is ten miles to the nearest production, oil men claim that the well will open an entirely new field.

The well has continued to make heads since first brought in and has made several flows daily since the thirty-foot bridge which formed when the well was shot was cleaned out Monday.

The Moore No. 1 Wilson, near Jordan Springs is drilling at more than 800 feet. No water was struck in the 800-foot sand where other wells in that area have always struck water. The well has not even provided enough water for use in drilling and as a result the operators are having to secure water elsewhere.

## MINISTERIAL COUNCIL OF H. P. C. IS ACTIVE

The ministerial council of Howard Payne met in its regular weekly meeting last Tuesday evening, October 2, 1934. Almost every preacher in Howard Payne was present. We are greatly encouraged because it means much to the success of the program.

The main program of the hour was presented by three members of the organization, having as the theme, "The Pastor." The discussions were instructive and inspirational.

The following report on services held over the week-end has been submitted by a number of the members:

Rev. Sam M. Bays preached at San Jo Baptist Church, Comanche county.

Rev. Frank Cochran at Indian Creek Baptist Church.

Rev. Warren Capps preached at a Fifth Sunday meeting at Pettit, Texas.

Rev. George Wood reports good services at Maline Baptist church.

Rev. J. B. Adams preached at Brooksmith Baptist church.

Rev. B. J. Wafford preached at Walnut Creek Baptist Church. Good services and one conversion.

Rev. C. S. Bourns reports two good services at Calvary Baptist Church, Brownwood.

Rev. M. W. Richardson was engaged in some mission work; securing appointments for services to be held in churches nearby, by Howard Payne ministerial students.

Rev. B. F. Bennett preached at Indian Creek Baptist. There was one rededication.

Rev. Cecil J. Harper preached at Whon Baptist Church Sunday morning and evening.

Rev. Loyd Carder preached in the Brown county jail, Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Robert Carlisle held services Sunday morning at Dulin school house.

Rev. James E. Cawell preached Sunday morning and evening at Macedonia. Both services were good.

Rev. L. D. Cochran assisted in organizing B. T. S. work at Tril-

## WORKMEN RUSH TO REPAIR DAM AHEAD OF SEASONAL RAIN

Steady progress has been made on repair work at Lake Brownwood dam this week. This work was begun last week and is being rushed to completion in hopes that the entire project can be finished before it rains.

Workmen this week have been placing steel plating around the mouths of the two conduits. They expect to finish this work by the first part of next week. After this is done the installation of stronger gate tracks in the gate tower will be begun. The old tracks have been removed from the north side of the tower, these being the tracks that gave away, resulting in the loss of practically all of the water impounded in the lake. The south tracks have not been torn down but will be as soon as workmen are ready to install the heavier tracks.

Until the work on the conduits is completed the job will not be entirely out of danger of rain. A heavy rain would delay the work for an indefinite length of time.

## LOCAL CENTENNIAL PLANS OUTLINED AT MEETING WEDNESDAY

Plans for a secondary Texas Centennial celebration to be held at the State Park at Lake Brownwood were further discussed at a meeting of the Brown County Centennial Council at Carnegie Library Wednesday afternoon.

As outlined at the meeting Wednesday, plans call for a three-day celebration in May, 1936. Preliminary plans for the observance were outlined at the meeting by Mrs. H. W. McGhee, secretary of the Brown County Advisory Board.

The local celebration is to be held on Saturday, Sunday and Monday, it was decided. Saturday will be devoted to social and industrial activities; Sunday to religious ceremonies, with a dedication of the State Park in the afternoon, and Monday to a regatta, games, rodeo and a historical pageant of Brown County. Sunday afternoon would be devoted also to a singing convention, with fireworks display at night. All activities with the exception of the parade, would be held at the park.

The advisory board was authorized to get the plans into shape for submission to the Texas Centennial Commission prior to November 1, so that the Brownwood observance may be classified as an authorized secondary Centennial observance and thus secure nationwide publicity, financial and other aid from the Centennial Commission.

T. R. Havins was named chairman of a committee to have charge of marking historical spots in Brown county. Other members of the committee are Brooke Smith, Sam Parks and Elmo Knight. It is understood that the state highway commission will furnish markers for the spots designated.

James C. White stated that the Brownwood Bulletin would sponsor an Old Timers Association for Brown county in connection with the Centennial celebration. Mrs. H. F. Mayes, chairman of the Brown County Centennial Advisory Board, opened the meeting, and Mr. White presided.

Ger M. Mills, county.

Rev. O. W. Huffman preached on the street at May, Texas. Also gave six "Gospels of St. John" to lost men.

Total: 14 sermons delivered; one rededication; one conversion.

## NEW AUTOMOBILES REGISTERED

Week Ending October 4, 1934

Number	Owner	Make	Purchased From
124-258	A. E. Tweedy, Brownwood	Chevrolet	Holley-Langford Co.
124-259	B. C. McLean, Brownwood	Chevrolet	Holley-Langford Co.
124-260	E. M. Townsend, Bwd.	Chevrolet	Holley-Langford Co.
124-262	Kenneth Williams, Bwd.	Plymouth	Harris Motor Co.
124-263	J. W. Newton, Cross Cut	Plymouth	Calhoun Motor Co.
124-264	Mrs. Pearl McCulley, Bwd.	Ford	Weatherby Motor Co.
124-265	S. S. Thomas, Brownwood	Ford	Weatherby Motor Co.
124-266	M. L. Cobb, Brownwood	Chevrolet	Holley-Langford Co.
124-267	P. A. Sandifer, Bangs	Plymouth	Patterson Motor Co.
124-270	Mrs. Chas. Horn, Bwd.	Chevrolet	Holley-Langford Co.
124-271	Geo. E. Lamb, Brownwood	Ford	Weatherby Motor Co.
124-274	J. S. Ragsdale, Bangs	Chevrolet	Holley-Langford Co.
124-278	Mrs. Annie Tonate, Bwd.	Ford	Weatherby Motor Co.
124-279	D. V. Hamilton, Byrds	Ford	Weatherby Motor Co.
124-280	E. Franke, Brownwood	Plymouth	Harris Motor Co.
Commercial Vehicles			
25-456	Walker-Smith Co., Bwd.	Ford	Weatherby Motor Co.
Farm Vehicles			
6-318	Jack Smith, Brownwood	Ford	Weatherby Motor Co.

## Fire Prevention Week Designated October 7 To 13

Church Talks Sunday; Free Show Monday Night Will Launch Week's Campaign.

In common with the rest of the United States, Brownwood next week will observe Fire Prevention Week, October 7 to 13, it was announced this week by Fire Chief Rance Pettitt.

The local observance will get under way Sunday, with talks by ministers at the various local churches. Plans are under way to have local pastors make announcements regarding the work.

Monday evening at 6:30 the Brownwood Volunteer Fire Department will stage a fire prevention parade through the business district of Brownwood. Included in the parade will be the Fire Department, including part of the equipment, the Auxiliary, Boy Scouts and floats of Brownwood merchants.

Efforts are being made, Chief Pettitt said, to interest a large number of merchants in putting floats or other entries in the parade. The parade will end at the Municipal Auditorium, where a Free show, consisting of two short plays and entertainment features, will be given by the fire department.

First of the plays is "Fire Next Door," in two acts. The second is "Progressive Fireman," also a two-act thriller. Between the shows and between the acts will be special entertainment numbers. And it's all free.

Rev. I. K. Floyd, chaplain of the Brownwood Volunteer Fire Department, will make a short talk at the Monday night program. He also will make a number of talks during the week at the various local schools and colleges, explaining the Fire Prevention idea to the students.

Good Record Here. Brownwood at present enjoys a good fire record, and every effort is being made to keep it good. Last year, due to three years' work at keeping down fires, Brownwood was removed from the list of cities penalized 15 per cent on fire insurance premiums. If the record is kept as good during the remainder of the year as it has been during the first part of the year, Brownwood property owners will receive a 15 per cent credit next year, Chief Pettitt stated. The 1934 record is better than the 1933 record at this date, and the fire department is much encouraged.

## DETROIT WINS TO TIE WORLD SERIES

Detroit won the second game of the World Series Thursday afternoon, defeating St. Louis, 3 to 2 in the 12th inning. St. Louis took the lead early in the game, and went into the ninth leading Detroit 2 to 1. Detroit tied the score in the ninth, and won in the 12th when "Goose" Goslin singled scoring a man from second.

St. Louis won the first game, 8 to 3, Wednesday afternoon. With the series tied, play will be resumed in St. Louis Friday afternoon.

Trench silos may be the answer to the feed shortage problem. W. C. McClain who lives near Stanton in Martin county is putting up maize stalks that have suckered heavily and will make good silage whereas they would make tough and unappetizing hay.

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Any error made in advertisements will be corrected upon being brought to the attention of the publishers, and the liability of this paper is limited to the amount of space consumed by the error in the advertisement.

A year and a half of persistent effort reached a highly successful and satisfactory climax this week, when the Citizens National Bank at Brownwood was opened for business, to succeed the former Citizens National Bank which has been operated for some time under conservatorship. No more cheering news has been recorded by newspapers in Central West Texas in many years.

The Bank Is Open

The immediate effects of the opening of the bank are many. Primarily, it releases for use in commercial channels something more than a quarter million dollars, which was on deposit in the old bank when it discontinued business. This does not mean that the money is to be taken from the bank. Far from it, for the conservative organization, the legal safeguards and the intelligent direction of the bank make it a safe place for depositors' money. But the \$300,000 or so is made available for payment of bills, for new purchases and for the interchange of money in the channels of trade. It is badly needed, of course. No doubt it will be wisely used, and will be of benefit to the entire community.

Possibly more important, however, is the renewed feeling of confidence which the opening of the bank has engendered. During the many months when officials of the bank were working on the plans for re-opening, many had adopted a hopeless attitude; a feeling that conditions would never be any better than during the dark days of the past few years. The reopening of the bank is indeed the reopening of a new era of confidence in ourselves, in our government, and in our own institutions.

The opening of the bank is a tribute to the ceaseless, patient and effective work of Fred S. Abney, conservator of the bank for many months, and charged directly with perfecting the machinery of the new institution, that it might meet the government's requirements and finally emerge as a new banking business. Mr. Abney met almost insurmountable obstacles, a confounding maze of red tape and difficulties and temporary reverses that would have discouraged one less interested in his community's welfare. That he surmounted these, carried on and finally brought the big project through to successful conclusion is but another evidence of his valuable citizenship and his worth to Brownwood and this territory.

To the officers of the new bank, charged with carrying on now that it is opened, The Banner joins all Brownwood and Brown County in extending heartiest congratulations and best wishes for continued success. There is at once a privilege and a responsibility which the people of this section will watch with interest, and aid in full measure whenever and wherever possible.

It is not difficult for most residents of Brownwood and Brown county to remember a few years back when the Carnegie Library was a vital factor in the daily life of the community. When established, the local library was one of the finest to be found in any city of like size in the United States. Bolstered by liberal and regular contributions from public spirited citizens, it boasted volumes of interest and value to almost every citizen, old or young. Especially do we remember years ago that many a Brownwood youth gained excitement and instruction from the books secured at the library.

But in recent years, something has happened to the library. Something of which no one can be proud. Instead of the pride of Brownwood, the poor library has become the neglected step-child. The volumes that remain are kept in good shape, and the same courteous service greets the patron, in spite of reduced funds and little active interest. But depleted stores of books, empty shelves, inadequate replacements of worn out volumes make the library now a reflection upon a city known as an intellectual center. And, worse, the condition makes the library of such little value, comparatively, that students and the public generally have almost ceased to patronize it.

The condition is no reflection on those directly charged with upkeep and maintenance of the library. On the other hand, they have worked faithfully and tirelessly in an effort to make it of the greatest value possible under the handicap of diminishing funds. It is just a situation that grew up—possibly when we were more engrossed in making money than in the well being of the community.

Now someone has come to the rescue of the library. The City Federation of Women's Clubs has decided to work throughout the coming year to restore the library to its rightful place in the life of the community. Just what their plans are, we do not know, but we do know that the object is a worthy one, and with an active organization behind it, we should see much improvement during the coming months. We know of no more worthy work that could be undertaken at the present time, and we ask for the women in charge of the work the cooperation of the entire citizenship.

There come to The Banner during the course of the year many special editions of newspapers over the state. None evoke a keener interest than the annual trade edition of the Galveston Daily News, issued on October 1 of each year. A copy of the 1934 edition arrived this week, a worthy example of the newspaperman's art and a tribute to the enterprise of the people of Galveston.

A Special Edition

Under other circumstances we would be interested in the issue, which through the clever use of adequate illustrations and text tells of the industrial development and possibilities as well as the recreational facilities of the Island City. But for two special reasons we feel a bit proud of the edition: the editor of The Banner saw early newspaper training on the staff of the Galveston Daily News; and the managing editor of The News is one of the ablest newspaper men Texas has produced in the present generation, Silas B. Ragsdale, former Brownwood boy.

A Republican can pretty nearly be defined as one who has to do a great deal of thinking about the New Deal of which he does not think very much.

The international debts shouldn't be cancelled; neither should they be paid. How else are we going to be reminded there was once a war?—Corpus Christi Caller.

Before long airplane service across the Atlantic will make it so a woman can buy a dress in Paris, France, and wear it in Longview before the style changes.—Longview Ledger.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson



MRS. SAGE, OF ENGLAND, WAS THE FIRST WOMAN EVER TO ASCEND FROM THE EARTH IN AN AIRCRAFT. SHE ACCOMPANIED VINCENT LUNARDI IN A BALLOON, JUNE 29, 1785.

THE BANNER'S SCRAP BOOK

THINGS ONE REMEMBERS

By R. M. Hofer I was talking to a very earnest lady recently who was enthused about the idea of "redistributing the wealth of the United States." I don't think she really knew the meaning of the phrase, but it seemed to have a nice sound to her.

She said the capitalistic system should be changed and limit the amount of money any one person could have to not over one million dollars.

I agreed no one would starve on a million and asked what her plan was for stopping industrial leaders when they had made their million. In other words, when would such men cease to be laborers, from which point they started, and become capitalists?

If Henry Ford had been shelved when he made his first million, the world might have waited years to enjoy the millions of cheap automobiles he has built.

Ford is merely an example of the individual genius of a laboring man, which can be seen on every hand in the United States. It was this genius that built our nation.

You cannot limit genius and at the same time give its beneficial results to the people.

Those who thoughtlessly talk about redistribution of wealth confiscating capital through taxation and limitation of inventive genius, are simply advocating, whether they know it or not, destruction of million of jobs and wiping out of savings.

My intellectual lady friend was up a tree, as it were, when she started to try to decide, "When is a laboring man not a laboring man?" or "When does he become a capitalist?"

Fifteen 4-H club members who were furnished Hampshire gilts last fall in San Jacinto county are reporting the arrival of good litters of pigs. A general raising of the standard of hogs in the county is expected from this work. Celery seems to have come to Maverick county as a permanent crop. F. O. Weyrich has five acres of it already transplanted which is in fine condition and compares favorably with that grown as a demonstration last year by Theodor Katakalas.

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- 1-Count Zeppelin makes first successful flight, 1900. 2-Start of the great Boston, Mass., fire, 1711. 3-First Canadian troops sail for France, 1914. 4-Rutherford B. Hayes, 19th President, born 1822. 5-German retreat in Champagne starts, 1918. 6-50,000,000 marks equal one dollar in Germany, 1923. 7-Three-mile horse railway starts in Quincy, Mass., 1925.

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New Schedule Made By Santa Fe Trains

A new schedule for passenger trains went into effect on the Santa Fe recently. The change was allowed by the Railroad Commission at a hearing held in San Angelo several weeks ago at which time no protest was entered by any city on the route. The service of two trains between Coleman and San Angelo was discontinued but this did not affect Brownwood service. The new schedule follows: Train 77 will arrive at 5:47 a.

m., bringing Fort Worth, Dallas, Houston, and Galveston connections. Train 78 will leave at 5:57 a. m. for San Angelo. Motor car train will arrive from Temple at 7:50 a. m. Teach train No. 75 will leave at 8:19 a. m. for Sweetwater and California points. Steam train No. 76 will arrive from California and Sweetwater at 7:30 p. m. Motor car No. 76 local will leave for Temple at 8 p. m. Train No. 78 will arrive from San Angelo at 11:40 p. m. and will leave at 10:50 p. m. carrying all Fort Worth, Dal-

Political Announcements

The Banner is authorized to announce the following Democratic nominees subject to the action of the General Election, November 6, 1934.

- For Congress: CHARLES L. SOUTH For State Senator: E. M. DAVIS For Representative: COURTNEY GRAY For District Attorney: A. O. NEWMAN For County Judge: A. E. NABORS For County Clerk: W. E. (Bill) BUELESON For Sheriff: JACK HALLMARK For Tax Assessor and Collector: T. W. (Winston) PALMER For County Superintendent: F. D. PIERCE For Commissioner, Precinct 1: E. S. THOMPSON

las, Houston and Galveston connections. Train 78 will carry through chair car to Galveston and sleeper to Fort Worth, Dallas, Houston and New Orleans.

Free Picture Show By Safety Tire Co.

"The Winning Rubber" is the name of a talking picture to be shown at the Lyric Theatre Friday at 10 a. m. The picture is being presented with the compliments of Safety Tire Co. of this city. It has recently been shown in many of the largest cities of the country and everywhere has attracted favorable comment. It is of particular interest to motorists.

Young lady who would like work for room and board and reasonable salary, keeping house, inquire at 1509 Avenue B.

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### Early High Notes

People of the community are in sympathy with Mrs. Lela Wilson over the death of her father, Uncle Billy Burns, who lived in the Owens community but who died in a local hospital Monday morning, October 1, following an operation. Funeral services were held at the Church of Christ by Rev. Wharton and burial was made at May, by the side of his companion, who preceded him to the grave several years ago.

Mrs. Charles Murphy spent Monday in Brownwood with her friend, Mrs. Tom Glover.

Mrs. Belle Burks is reported as being quite a bit worse at this writing (Tuesday night).

Mr. and Mrs. Cull Earp visited for a while Sunday night with Misses Pannie and Laura Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Boyd and LeRoy Preston enjoyed a bird supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Earp on Tuesday night of last week. Mrs. Boyd brought the dough and made hot rolls so the menu was fried doves and gravy hot rolls and butter, ice tea, ice cream, etc. Several games of dominoes were enjoyed.

Mrs. Pellum Hopkins is spending a few days at Blanket with her parents, helping to can some meat.

Misses Pannie and Laura Davis spent Sunday with Mrs. Ella Williamson and daughter, Mrs. Jym Ethel Emerson.

Eye Page was painfully though not seriously hurt on Thursday of last week at Colorado, Texas, when he fell from a train. He had the wounds dressed there, then returned here next day.

Mrs. N. B. Graham was an all day Sunday visitor in the Earp home last Sunday.

Several from here attended the race at Blanket last Saturday and report an enjoyable time.

Mrs. Annie Green has returned home from Brady after a several days visit with her daughter, Miss Johnnie, who is matron of the hospital there.

A dove barbecue picnic was enjoyed over in the George Griggs pasture last Saturday by Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. A. Earp, LeRoy Preston and Grace Edwards and George Moore, brother of Mrs. Boyd. Twenty-four birds were barbecued by the men while the ladies brought cookies, fried pies, pickles, sweet pickled peaches, onions, tomatoes, bananas, biscuit, light bread and banana nut ice cream. Some interesting games of 42 were played in the afternoon. Supper was also eaten and then the little band broke camp saying in their hearts it was the end of a perfect day.

Mrs. Pat Millhollin of Snyder is here for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Maggie Sawyer.

### Gap Creek

Farmers are getting ready to sow small grain. Some are waiting for it to rain. Most all the cotton is out here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Adkison spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Stewart on the Pecan Bayou.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Faulkner were shopping in Brownwood Saturday.

Mr. David Porter of near Sidney visited here a while Saturday night.

This community was made sad Monday by the death of Mr. Billie Burns. He has lived here a number of years and had many friends and loved ones who mourn his passing on.

Mrs. Bobbie Heptinstall has gone to Elkins to start her school.

A wedding shower was given by Mr. and Mrs. Alpha Baker Saturday night in honor of their daughter, Mrs. Amanda Baker Crawford. A large crowd attended and many nice presents were received. Ice cream and cake were served to over one hundred guests. Many games were played. Music was furnished by Mr. Leonard and Clyde Scott. Everyone had a nice time. All too soon all said good-bye and wished them a long and happy life.

Mrs. Mary Chambers and daughter, Veda, spent Saturday in Brownwood with Grandma Chambers who is quite ill.

Mrs. Mary Soucy and Mrs. Annie Adkison spent Monday with Mrs. Dora Powers of Willow Springs.

Word was received here Saturday of the death of Uncle Bill Green who was accidentally jerked from a horse and his neck broken. Everyone sympathizes with the family in their dark hour.

### Zephyr

Miss Geraldine Hollingsworth of Daniel Baker College, Brownwood, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hollingsworth, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell VanZandt of Brownwood were visiting here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wilson and Mrs. T. L. Thorp of Brownwood attended Mrs. Tyler's funeral here Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Petty and family attended the football game at Brownwood Saturday night.

Misses Ina Mae Reasoner and L. C. Mae of Brownwood were the guests of Miss Reasoner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Reasoner, Sunday.

Mr. Merrill Lea and Mr. T. H. Grimes of the CCC Camp of Marble Falls were visiting here last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Lake visited in Temple Sunday with their little granddaughter, Norma Ruth Johnston, who is sick in the Scott & White hospital there.

Mrs. Ben Roach was a Santa Anna visitor Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Mae Williams and Mrs. W. W. Henson attended the W. W. C. lodge meeting in Dallas last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Weston and son, Billie, and Mr. Harvey Kesler attended the show in Brownwood Sunday afternoon.

Mr. D. F. Petty, Mr. Walter Reasoner, Mr. W. F. Timmins and Mr. Henderson Petty attended the funeral at Mullin Friday of Mr. W. W. Mosier.

Mr. Morris Reasoner was a Brownwood visitor Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Webb Perkins and family have returned from Santa Anna where they have been the past month.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Dabney Sr., Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Horton, Mrs. R. A. Scott and Mrs. W. W. Henson attended the Conference at Coleman Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Parker of Brownwood were the guests of his mother, Mrs. John Cunningham, Sunday.

Miss Aurelia Petty of Santa Anna was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Petty, Sunday.

Mr. M. N. McBurney and Mrs. Clyde Greer were Brownwood shoppers Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hollingsworth and family and Miss Novyce Shelton were visiting in Brownwood Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Braddock returned home Sunday from San Angelo, where she has been visiting her children for the past month.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Scott and Miss Esther Underwood were Santa Anna visitors last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Forsythe and daughter, Eva Jack, of Brownwood were the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Matson, Sunday.

Mrs. N. L. Reasoner left for Galveston last Friday where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. M. H. Donlon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Cobb left for Austin Sunday where they visited their son, Mr. Hershell Cobb, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Modie Glass and family attended the circus Friday night in Brownwood.

Miss Eva Ruth Petty returned home from Mullin Monday where she had been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. King.

Mr. Horace Lea left this week for the CCC Camp near Abilene, where he will work.

Mr. Horace Yates and Mr. W. F. Timmins made a business trip to Brownwood Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Reasoner and Mrs. Ella McBurney were shopping in Brownwood Tuesday.

Mr. J. E. Couch was a Brownwood shopper Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Gales of May are here this week with his sister, Mrs. Nettie Chesser. Mr. Gales is making mattresses. He would be glad to make them for any one.

Mrs. J. H. Wood returned home Sunday from Sweetwater where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Kirby Kenney, and family.

Mrs. Mollie Tyler, 59, passed away at her home near Woodland Heights Friday night, September 28th, at 7:20 o'clock. Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Central Methodist church in Brownwood with Rev. E. H. Lightfoot officiating. White and London had charge of the funeral arrangement. She was laid to rest in Zephyr cemetery by her loved ones. She is survived by her husband, Mr. Joe Tyler, and seven children, Mrs. J. T. Watkins, Brownwood; Miss Alice Tyler of Brownwood; Jessie Tyler, Lubbock; Albert Tyler, Austin; Leonard Tyler, Fort Worth; E. W. Tyler, New Mexico, and M. E. Tyler of Brownwood. She is also survived by two brothers, Mr. Shell Newsom of Brownwood and Mr. Newsom of Killeen, and one sister, living in Oklahoma; twelve grandchildren also survive. The pallbearers were Mr. A. B. Dabney Sr., Mr. W. W. Henson, Mr. I. L. McCowen, Mr. Hubert Locks, Sr., Mr. Modie Glass and Mr. Earl Reasoner.

Mr. W. W. Mosier, 64, passed away at the Sealy Hospital in Santa Anna Thursday night, September 27th, at 11:30 o'clock. The funeral services were held Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the

First Baptist Church in Mullin, with Rev. Moore Eubanks officiating. White and London of Brownwood had charge of the funeral arrangements. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Bettie Mosier, and seven children, Mrs. Lela Jeffers of Longview, Mrs. Mattie Musgrove of Coleman; Miss Arlie Mosier of Zephyr; Willard Mosier, Mullin; Walter Mosier, Brownwood; Fred and Luther Mosier of Zephyr.

### Willow Springs

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hicks entertained with a singing at their home Sunday night. Everyone reported a very nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. George Littlefield of Salt Creek were visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Reeves Monday.

Miss Marie Pauly of Zephyr is visiting Mrs. O. B. Horner this week.

Miss Weita and Mr. Burley Richmond of Howard Payne College spent the week-end at home.

Jesse Marlin of Blanket is working on his farm this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Heptinstall and family and Miss Marie Pauly and Miss Crystal Lappe were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lappe and children Sunday.

P. J. and Brian Bush, Milton White, Lloyd Henson, Jim Hicks and son, Will, Buford Powers, T. O. Fry, George Gleaton, Joe Polk, Amos Porter and others of this community were in Comanche Monday.

Alvin Richmond and children attended the singing convention at Postville Sunday.

Bro. H. A. Polnac of Howard Payne College will preach at Rock Church next Sunday. Come to Sunday school and church on time.

Several from this community were in Brownwood some time last week.

Don't forget to come to singing Sunday evening.

Mr. W. B. (Bill) Green of near Brownwood died Friday morning at a Brownwood hospital. Funeral services were held at Rock church with Rev. J. B. Henderson of Blanket, officiating. Burial followed in the Rock Church cemetery.

Until the last few years Mr. Green had lived in this community for many years. Everyone knew him as one of their friends.

Mr. Green is survived by his wife and eleven children.

Our hearts go out in sympathy to the bereaved ones.

### Blanket

Mrs. J. W. Dabney was called to Abilene Tuesday on account of the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. Bill McAlpine. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Neal Shaw, of Brownwood.

Complimenting Miss Amanda Baker, bride-elect of Mr. Aubrey Crawford of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Alpha Baker, parents of the charming bride, entertained last Saturday night, September 29, at their home with an announcement.

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party and miscellaneous shower. Music and games were the diversion of the evening after which cake and ice cream were served to 150 guests. Mrs. Baker was assisted in entertaining by Madames Walker and Charles Baker. Many useful and beautiful gifts were presented to the honoree. Mr. and Mrs. Crawford's many friends extend congratulations.

William Boland Green, age 72, prominent citizen of Blanket, succumbed Friday morning at 6 a. m. in the Central Texas Hospital to injuries received the day before when he was thrown from his horse. Mr. Green was one of the pioneer citizens of this community, having come here 42 years ago. Funeral services were conducted Saturday afternoon at 3 p. m. at Rock Church and burial was made in the Rock Church cemetery. Services were conducted by Rev. J. B. Henderson. White and London had charge of the funeral arrangements. Pallbearers were Messrs. W. J. Bolser, S. E. Lacy, T. E. LeVey, Amos Porter, Alvin Richmond and L. F. Bird. Mr. Green was born in Hill county August 15, 1862. Later he lived in Comanche county, then came to Brown county 42 years ago. He was married to Miss Nancy A. Field of Comanche county, in 1883. To this union fourteen children were born, eleven of whom survive. He is survived by his wife and by children as follows: Mrs. Jessie Marlin, Mrs. Claude Levisay, Mrs. Maude Teague, Mrs. Tom Singletary, Mrs. Sarah Lowery and Mrs. Ollie Black and Messrs. Bud, Ed John, Calvin and Orville Green and one sister, Mrs. Sarah Blocker of Hill county.

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### May

Mr. H. A. Glen had as visitors Saturday night and Sunday Mrs. Eva Snipes, three daughters and one son, all of Fort Worth. Also Mrs. Lottie Harvey of Weatherford. These are sisters of Mrs. Glenn.

Frank Robason and family of Fort Worth visited his mother and father, C. C. Robason, Saturday night and Sunday.

Horace Robason of Kilgore came in Friday to see his mother, Mrs. C. C. Robason, returning Sunday evening.

Ed T. Cox and family of Eastland visited C. C. Robason and wife Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. Goen of Barton, N. M., is here visiting at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. C. C. Robason.

Mrs. J. H. Gilley of Albuquerque, N. M., is here visiting relatives this week.

Mrs. W. F. and Mrs. Vera Porter of Brownwood visited friends in May Tuesday.

Miss Floyd and Miss Esk Branum, who is teaching at Breckenridge, spent Tuesday night with home folks in May.

All singers are invited to an all evening singing at May Sunday.

Baked elephant's foot is one of the greatest food delicacies of the African bushman.

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### McDaniel

Mrs. A. N. King and daughter, Miss Nancy, of Coleman visited relatives in this community last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hutcherson and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Garms of Bangs were guests in the home of Mr. C. J. Tervooren and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Keeler had as their guest last Sunday Misses Marie Shaw of Brownwood, Maurine Tervooren, Juanita Luman and Lillie Haynes of this community.

The singing at Rocky was well attended Sunday afternoon.

Those calling in the home of Mr. H. E. Haynes and family Sunday were Misses Lizzie and Susie Haynes and Anna Lee Horton of Brownwood; Miss Mae Tervooren of this community, Mr. Arlander Clifton and family of Waldrip and Miss Mildred Carpenter of Bangs.

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ON TEXAS FARMS

Provision for adequate storage space for the 836 bushels she has canned this year...

Hempstead—"I am way ahead for having cooperated with the government in the cotton control program..."

Menard—Thirty-three 4-H club calves being fed this year in Menard county have out-gained all calves previously fed by Menard club members...

Texas farm news—Corsicana—The crop insurance feature of the corn-hog program has been demonstrated in Navarro county this year in the \$8000 which came into the county in 114 corn-hog checks according to C. C. Morris...

La Grange—On a one-acre demonstration plot for his 4-H club, Edgar Walla of Fayette county has produced 117.53 bushels of corn, and on another acre he has produced 106.94 bushels, giving an average of 112.28 bushels to the acre...

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SPECIAL SESSION T O FINANCE CENTENNIAL IS URGED BY C. OF C.

Telegrams urging Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson to call a fourth special session of the Texas Legislature for the purpose of considering an appropriation for the Texas Centennial celebration in 1936 were sent this week by the Brownwood Chamber of Commerce...

Brownwood Chamber of Commerce directors voted to send a message to Gov. Ferguson at their regular weekly meeting Wednesday noon. James C. White, editor of the Brownwood Bulletin, appeared before the Chamber of Commerce director and urged them to favor a fourth special session of the legislature.

The Brown County Centennial advisory board met Wednesday afternoon and also voted to request Gov. Ferguson to call the extra session to consider an appropriation for the 1936 celebration.

Tax Paying Period Opened October 1st

Payment of 1934 taxes, county, state, city and school, began October 1 and a number of payments had been received by Lee Meek, collector of county and state taxes, during the first few days of this week.

The period from October 1 to November 30 has been set aside for the payment of half the 1934 taxes. Second half payments are due from December 1 until June 30, 1935.

The tax paying period for city taxes also opened Monday. City school taxes are also paid to H. H. Gresham, city tax collector. The split-payment plan is also used by the city and first half taxes may be paid through January 31.

First Aid Class Being Conducted

Fireman Ivan Hays, a registered Red Cross first aid instructor, is conducting classes in first aid work for members of the Brownwood Volunteer Fire Department every Wednesday night, these classes being held in the council room at city hall.

Two weekly classes have been held and a total of ten will be conducted before the training period is completed.

Hays is planning to start a class for juniors within a short time and after the present adult class completes the course another class for adults will be offered.

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BOY SCOUT NEWS

Troop No. 29 Wins Rally. Troop No. 29 of Carbon directed by Scoutmaster F. M. Wood, won the rally which was held at Parks Friday night of last week.

Scouts were in attendance at the above rally from Carbon, Eastland, Cisco, Ranzer, Breckenridge, and Parks. Both Scouts and Scouters acclaimed it to be one of the best rallies that has ever been held in the north section.

Makes Application for Eagle Rank. The office has received application from Scout Alvin Highers, Troop No. 18, for Eagle rank.

All Scouts who attended the last period of the summer camp will remember Adwin, and we are sure will be glad to know that he is sprouting his Eagle Wings.

Scoutmaster R. A. Steel of Troop No. 9, Ranzer, is having an inter-patrol contest—two patrols against two other patrols, using the point system.

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One-half acre of strawberries returned \$360 to Dr. J. H. Loving Brooks county farmer having strawberries for a hobby.

Pomegranate flowers yield a jelly to the Moroccans, who add this to their native porridge dish, obtaining a delightful flavor.

Coggin Ave. Grocery Beside Coggin Drug. List of items: 10 Lbs. SPUDS 18c, GRAPES, Lb. 7c, Cooking Apples, 2 doz. 18c, We Have Any Other Kind of Produce, No. 2 1/2 Peaches 15c, No. 2 Tomatoes 9c, Gallon Syrup 50c, 1 Lb. Crackers 13c, Qt. Apple Butter 23c, No. 2 1/2 Spinach 15c, Gallon Vinegar 25c, 6 P. & G. - Crystal White 25c, Heart's Delight Prune Juice 10c, Longhorn Cheese 19c, Salt Pork 20c, Picnic Hams 20c, No. 1 Chili, Red Seal Brand 10c, We pay top price for Butter, Eggs, Fryers.

Youth Called Hero of Ship Fire



Gouverneur Morris Phelps, Jr., 19-year-old son of a New York physician shown above with his mother, has been revealed by evidence given at the Federal inquiry as one of the outstanding heroes of the Morro Castle catastrophe.

Calhoun county women who came to the 1934 Short Course must have reported favorably because one home demonstration club in that county promptly gave a "barn party" and made \$30 to pay the way of delegates to the 1935 Short Course.

The London Transport Board operates 3156 railway carriages, 5312 omnibuses, 2513 trams, 459 motor coaches and 60 trolley buses.

PETROLEUM OIL ADDS PRODUCER IN RUNNELS

Petroleum Oil Interests, Inc., of Brownwood, has drilled in its third producer in the McMillan high gravity, sweet oil pool in Runnels county, eight miles north of Ballinger.

With more gas than any of the others has shown—estimated as high as 3,000,000 cubic feet daily—the new producer came in spraying instead of heading, making around 30 barrels hourly. Production was settling Wednesday, as it does in all wells as the flush yield is short-lived.

Oil from the well is being hauled out by truck and sold to a Cisco refinery. The oil Tuesday tested 40 gravity. Pipe line companies have sent representatives to the new well and they say that as soon as two more wells equally as good are brought in they will begin laying pipe to the field.

Scott within the next week or ten days. One will be 500 feet south and the other 500 feet west of the discovery well. They have control of a block of about 3,000 acres around the well. Other locations are expected to be made in the area soon.

Mr. Sherman, of the Sherman Oil Company, is a new operator in the Brownwood district, having become associated with Herring only a short time ago. He is from Council Bluffs, Iowa.

The record for speed on corn as seed planted, to seed harvested and planted again, is probably held by Texas with Honey June sweet corn as the crop. In Starr county Gorgorja Guerra in March planted his sample of the new sweet corn developed by the Texas Experiment Station in Rusk county by a business man tried to get a sample but was too late, it had all been planted. He then offered a dollar for an ear of it sufficiently mature to plant by June 25.

A geographical mile is the length of one minute of latitude.

Flat breaking the land before planting has so often produced at least twice as much as nearby land that was not so prepared, that Mr. Joe Gruy of Hebronville has about decided to make this practice a part of his rental agreement.

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TAKE NOTICE Of These GREAT BARGAINS FOR THIS WEEK. SPUDS, 10 Lbs. 19c, SWEET POTATOES, Lb. 4c, Jonathon APPLES, Large Ones, doz. 19c, GRAPES, Pound 7c, LETTUCE, Per Head 5c, AMARYLLIS FLOUR, 48 lbs. 24 Pounds \$1.94 98c, SUGAR, 25 Lbs. \$1.36, SUGAR, 10 Lbs. 54c, SUGAR, 5 Lbs. 30c, LARD, 8 Lbs. 81c, LARD, 4 Lbs. 42c, PORK and BEANS, can 5c, WHITE SWAN COFFEE— 3 Pounds 93c, 2 Pounds 63c, 1 Pound 33c, 2 Lbs. CRACKERS 18c, CORN, No. 2 Can; 2 for 21c, SALMON, 2 Cans 25c, RICE, 2 Lb. Box 17c, BEEF ROAST, Lb. 7c, STEAK, Lb. 12c. HELPY-SELY A BROWNWOOD INSTITUTION CLAUD WEEDON 1602 Coggin Avenue



### The Proposed Constitutional Changes

A Discussion of The Amendments To Be Voted on in November  
By DALE MILLER, in The Texas Weekly.

**Editor's Note**—Following is the first of a series of four articles discussing the eight proposed amendments to the state constitution. The amendments will be voted on at the general election November 6. The articles originally appeared in The Texas Weekly.

Far more necessary than the ritual of validating the Democratic nominees in the November general election is an intelligent vote on the proposed amendments to the State Constitution. It is a disappointing fact that the public often works itself into a frenzy over the selection of officials to serve simple two-year terms, and then ignores sweeping changes in the all-important fundamental authority of government. Although Texas is notorious for the small percentage of its citizenship to qualify for the electorate, it is even more disturbing to realize that of those who go to the polls only one of four normally votes on the Constitutional proposals.

This certainly cannot be described as a healthy condition. Moreover it is not unjust to add that of this small number to vote one way or the other on the amendments only a small percentage of them vote intelligently. It often happens, for example, that a complete slate of amendments will be voted down because of a single objectionable amendment which has received sufficient publicity from some organized group to acquaint the people with its provisions, and that the complete slate at other times will be approved because of a single popular amendment. Rarely is intelligent discrimination made. So true is this that public-spirited citizens interested in the passage of some worth-while amendment will carefully avoid calling attention to some iniquitous proposal on the same slate—although its iniquities should be exposed for the public good—for fear of turning public opinion against the entire slate and thus jeopardizing chances of the particular amendment in which they are most interested.

Just what is the primary cause of these unhappy conditions is difficult to ascertain. One reason, of course is that the amendments are drab and colorless in contrast with the abusive war over personalities which characterizes Texas primary campaigns and are thus less likely to stimulate public interest. But another reason doubtless is that clear and concise explanations of the proposed amendments are rarely available to the people. Most newspapers are guilty in this respect, the majority of them being content to print the ponderous text of the amendments, as prescribed by law and letting the matter go at that. But an investigation would reveal, I am sure, that few persons undertake even to head the heavily worded legal resolutions printed in small, unattractive type. If editorial campaigns comparable to those directed for or against candidates were devoted to enlightening the people with simple explanations of the amendments—and surely the

law is as important as those who administer it—then we might expect Texas to be more intelligently governed in the future.

This year there are eight more proposed Constitutional amendments on which the people will vote in November. It is fortunate that the tendency sometimes to approve or reject the entire slate will perhaps not prove injurious this year, for there is probably no amendment in the list which is undesirable. Three are particularly important to the entire State—S. J. R. 13, limiting the taxing power of the Legislature; H. J. R. 14, vesting management of county affairs in the commissioners' courts and providing for consolidation of offices; and H. J. R. 2, abolishing the fee system in large counties and making its abolition discretionary in the small counties. Another amendment is important to West Texas and should be adopted—H. J. R. 30, providing that land owned by the State University in certain West Texas counties be subject to taxation for school purposes. Another is important as a step in the right direction, although practical difficulties will probably prevent any real reform from materializing—S. J. R. 21, empowering the Legislature to combine two or more counties. Two others are optional and should perhaps be authorized—H. J. R. 42, permitting cities to elect their officials for four-year instead of two-year terms; and H. J. R. 41, permitting incorporated cities to amend their charters not oftener than once in twelve months instead of once in two years. The last—S. J. R. 16—must bear further scrutiny before a definite opinion is here expressed.

Of the three most important amendments Numbers 13, 14, and 2, particular attention should be called to the first. S. J. R. 13 represents one of the most progressive steps toward economy in government ever attempted in Texas. Briefly, this amendment provides that the Legislature shall not receive from taxes, licenses, permits and fees an amount in excess of \$22.50 per capita for each biennium and shall not appropriate from those sources an amount in excess of \$22.50 for the same period. The total amount is to be derived, of course, by multiplying the Texas population by \$22.50; and the population of the State, as the amendment reads "shall be determined by the then last preceding Federal census, to which population shall be added or deducted, as the case may be, for each year that has elapsed since the last preceding Federal census, the average yearly increase or decrease of the population as shown by said last Federal census when compared with the Federal census which immediately preceded said last Federal census." This passage is a good indication why the public evinces little interest in Constitutional amendments, but as a matter of fact, its import is simple. The increase in Texas' population between 1920 and 1930 was 1,161,487, or an annual average of 116,148.7. If you wished to compute the Texas population for 1937, let us say, you would multiply this annual average by seven and add the result to 5,824,715 (Texas' population in 1930), giving you 6,637,766. Thus, if you wished to compute the maximum amount which could be collected and expended by the Legislature in 1937 from the sources enumerated in the amendment, you would multiply the population figure for 1937 by \$11.25 (half the biennial limit of \$22.50), giving you the figure of \$74,674,735.

At first glance it may seem unwise for an arbitrary limit on taxation to be written into the Constitution, when it is difficult to forestall the requirements of changing conditions in the future, but upon closer inspection this principle can be found to be wise. In fact, this principle has been embodied in every Constitution adopted by the State, but provisions embodying it have placed a limitation only on the ad valorem tax. In years past the ad valorem tax constituted the State's chief source of revenue, but renovation of the tax system in recent years has caused less emphasis to be placed on this source of revenue. Last year, for example, the State expended \$107,000,000 and collected only \$20,000,000 of that sum from ad valorem taxes. Inasmuch as the tendency has been to collect less and less from that source—collection of ad valorem taxes having decreased 20 per cent in the last three years—limitation on that source is scarcely no limitation at all.

Consequently the situation has arisen in which, practically speaking, there is no limitation whatever on the amount of taxes a Legislature might impose. Perhaps this should cause no alarm, yet taxes have increased steadily during the past several years. In 1925 receipts from the sources affected by the amendment, computed biennially, were \$17 per capita; in 1926, \$18; in 1927, \$20; in 1928, \$23; in 1929, \$23; in 1930, \$27; in 1931, \$28; and in 1932, \$25. The average for those eight years has thus been slightly less than the \$22.50 sought in the proposed amendment. This figure is thus adequate to produce all the revenue necessary if the State Government is operated with economy.

The real significance of the amendment, however, does not lie simply in the obvious limitation of taxation. It is paradoxical but nevertheless true that the most valuable features of the amendment will become manifest if and when the situation ever arises where per capita receipts of \$22.50 are not sufficient to run the government—because when that time comes the State Legislature, and others in authority, will wake up to the fact that bureaus and department cannot be created indefinitely and that the only alternative to increased taxation is economical reorganization of government.

Practical politics inevitably operate in such a way as to increase the burden of government upon the taxpayer. Resentment against the Federal Government is growing in many quarters just now because of the menacing growth of bureaucracy. This resentment is justified, I think, but too many of us fail to realize that a State Government can also become bureaucratic. The multiplicity of various agencies at Austin, some of which are necessary, but many are not, has been greatly responsible for the increased taxation of recent years. And no matter how insistent we may become that the State Government be reorganized on an efficient, economical basis, the exigencies of practical politics will obstruct these needed reforms until the public takes a firmer grip on the shackle bags. And that is just what this particular amendment does. It says to the Legislature in effect: "You have a generous budget allotted you with which to run the government. You have waste and inefficiency in the government, and the way for you to have plenty of money for the useful departments it may be necessary to abolish or restrict the activities of those departments which are either useless or should be combined with some other departments."

It is not secret, of course, that the State government of Texas is cumbersome and unwieldy. Various experts in the past have made thorough-going investigations and have recommended succinctly and clearly the precise reorganization which should be undertaken. The Graves Committee, for example, submitted an exhaustive study a year or two ago and its suggestions for reform were widely praised. Yet nothing has been done to the effect these reforms, and nothing will be done. Political parasites on the structure of government cannot be shaken off by mere reports. The patronage plum, unfortunately, is too succulent a morsel for the pol-

### Wilkinson To Be Eldorado Pastor

Rev. Noel P. Wilkinson, son of Judge and Mrs. T. C. Wilkinson of Brownwood, was formally installed Sunday night, September 30, as pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Eldorado. The installation was by a commission from the Brownwood Presbytery, member of the commission being Rev. B. O. Wood, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of San Angelo, Rev. E. W. McLaurin, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church at Ballinger and C. C. Crocker, ruling elder of the San Angelo church. Members of other Eldorado churches attended the installation services.

Rev. Wilkinson received his education in Brownwood and took his A. B. degree from Daniel Baker College. He received his B. D. degree from Austin Theological Seminary at Austin.

### Teacher Resigning After 45 Years of Sunday School Work

Mrs. O. T. Shugart, a prominent worker in the Central Methodist Church, has resigned as teacher of a class of boys at Central after having served continuously for forty-five years as a Sunday school teacher. Mrs. Shugart was presented with a beautiful bouquet last Sunday and a poem, called, "Recognition," was read in her honor. Mrs. Shugart tendered her resignation to permit younger workers in the church to take up the duties she has performed so thoughtfully for almost half a century.

Mrs. Shugart had taught continuously in Central Methodist Church since its organization and prior to that she had served as a teacher in the Sunday school at First Methodist church. Before coming to Brownwood she taught in the Methodist church at Marble Falls. Mrs. Shugart has been active in other affairs of the church. She is a life member of the Woman's Missionary Society, having been a member of that department for 34 years. During that time she has filled every office in the society and for the past twelve years has been corresponding secretary.

It is to be hoped that this desirable amendment will be approved. If it operates only to prevent extravagance it will have served a useful purpose, but there is every indication that it may also compel the institution of reforms in the direction of a more economical administration of government.

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prizes except First Prize are one-time cash payments.  
5 Letters will be judged on the clearness, sincerity, and interest of the statements you make about Camay, and prizes will be awarded for the best letters meeting these requirements. Judges will be: Katharine Clayburger, Associate Editor, Woman's Home Companion; Hildegard Fillmore, Beauty Editor, McCall's Magazine; Ruth Murria, Beauty Editor, Good Housekeeping Magazine. The judges of this contest are unbiased. They will judge only the effectiveness of the arguments submitted. Their decisions shall be final and without recourse. In the event of a tie, identical prizes will be awarded to tying contestants. All entries submitted become the property of Procter & Gamble Co.

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### TREASURY DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY

Washington, D. C.,  
September 28, 1934.

Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "Citizens National Bank at Brownwood," in the City of Brownwood, in the County of Brown, and State of Texas, is authorized to commence the business of Banking as provided in Section Fifty one hundred and sixty nine of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

tion shall be authorized to commence the business of Banking; Now therefore, I, J. F. T. O'Connor, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that, "Citizens National Bank at Brownwood," in the City of Brownwood, in the County of Brown, and State of Texas, is authorized to commence the business of Banking as provided in Section Fifty one hundred and sixty nine of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

In testimony whereof witness my hand and Seal of office this 28th day of September, 1934.  
(Seal) J. F. T. O'CONNOR,  
Comptroller of the Currency.

# FELICITATIONS

## CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK AT BROWNWOOD

Launching a new bank now days is something to talk about! The opening of the new Citizens National Bank proves the soundness of this great section of Texas and reveals a progressive spirit.

It is for this reason that the Community Natural is happy to join with Brownwood in wishing this new business venture a long and prosperous life of service!

## COMMUNITY NATURAL GAS COMPANY

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### RENFRO'S GET SOLID CAR OF MI-31



A Solid Car of the Popular Mi-31, Consigned to Renfro's Rexall Drug Stores.

### MORTUARY

**W. N. (Uncle Billy) Burns, 63,** pioneer ranchman and farmer of the Owens community, died Monday morning at 11 o'clock in a Brownwood hospital, death coming while Mr. Burns was on the operating table. Funeral services for Mr. Burns were held at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon from the Brownwood Church of Christ with Rev. W. L. Wharton, Jr., officiating, assisted by E. M. Davis, state senator-elect. Burial was in the May cemetery with Mitcham Funeral Home directing.

Mr. Burns was born in Collin county, September 30, 1865, and at the age of six moved to Brown county where he has made his home since. He was one of the leading ranchmen of the county and was considered one of the county's most distinguished citizens. He was a member of the Church of Christ.

Mr. Burns is survived by three sons, Earl Burns, Owens, W. N. Burns, Jr., and Clyde Burns of Ft. Worth; two daughters, Mrs. E. Q. Wilson, Brownwood route, and Mrs. Roy Davis of Brownwood; four brothers, J. H. Burns, Plainview; S. P. and W. E. Burns, of Owens, and B. W. Burns, Somerton, Arizona; two sisters, Mrs. Jennie Ellis, Christoval, and Mrs. Ollie Miller, Owens. Other relatives living in Brownwood is a nephew, Lawrence Moore.

**CHAMBERS — Mrs. Martha E. Chambers, 83,** who resided at 403 Pecos Street, died at her home at 3:30 Tuesday morning. Funeral services were held at 5:30 Tuesday afternoon at the Heflin cemetery, near Owens, with Russell Parker officiating. Burial followed with White & London directing.

Mrs. Chambers was born in Tennessee, February 11, 1851. She came to Brown county in 1902 with her family and settled near Owens where she resided until three years ago when she moved to Brown-

wood. She was living with two sons, Elmer and Robert, at the time of her death.

Mrs. Chambers was the widow of R. S. Chambers who died in 1897. She had been a member of the Jehovah Witnesses for several years. Five sons, Robert, Russell and Elmer Chambers, of Brownwood; O. D. Chambers, of Blanket; Paris Chambers, of Austin, and one daughter, Mrs. Courtwright, of Brownwood survive Mrs. Chambers.

**JONES—Derwin Jones, 14 a,** student in the Williams school, died in a Gorman hospital at 1:30 Monday morning following an illness of only two days. Young Jones became suddenly ill Saturday and was rushed to the hospital where physicians diagnosed his illness as paralysis of the brain.

Funeral services for Jones were held at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon at the Williams Baptist church.

**MOSIER — W. W. Mosier, 64,** a prominent Mills county farmer, died in the Sealy Hospital in Santa Anna Thursday night, September 27. Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the Baptist church at Mullin with Rev. Moore Eubanks officiating. Burial was made in the Mullin cemetery with White & London directing.

Mr. Mosier was born in Dallas county in 1870. He moved to Hill county when only a boy and lived there until 1899 when he came to Mills county. He was married to Miss Bettie Rosell in 1891. Mr. Mosier was a member of Masonic Blue Lodge at Mullin.

He is survived by his wife and by seven children, as follows: Willard Mosier, Mullin; Mrs. Lela Jeffers, Longview; Fred Mosier, Mullin; Walter Mosier, Brownwood; Miss Artie Mosier, Zephyr; Mrs. Mattie Musgrove, Coleman, and Luther Mosier, Mullin.

**BAKER—Mrs. Mary Frances Baker, 84,** a pioneer citizen of the

Blanket community, died Thursday night at her home, death following an illness of several weeks duration. Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Blanket Presbyterian Church with Rev. I. K. Floyd, pastor of the Austin Avenue Presbyterian Church, Brownwood, officiating. Burial followed in the Blanket cemetery with Mitcham Funeral Home directing.

Mrs. Baker was born in Giles county, Tennessee, February 6, 1850. She came to Blanket 42 years ago and has been an esteemed citizen of that community since. She was the widow of R. W. Baker, a Confederate veteran who died 18 years ago. She had been a faithful member of the Presbyterian church for 65 years. She was also a member of the Eastern Star.

Survivors are: Four sons, So' Baker, Will Baker and Charlie Baker, all of Blanket, and Frank Baker of Bangs; two daughters, Mrs. Paul Gooch of O'Donnell and Mrs. Mattie E. Riley of Blanket; one brother, Sam Lancaster of Clifton, Tennessee; 46 grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren.

**TYLER—Mrs. Mollie Tyler, 59,** of the Woodland Heights community, died at her home Friday night. Mrs. Tyler had been in poor health the past two years. Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Central Methodist Church with Rev. E. H. Lightfoot, pastor, officiating. Burial was made in the Zephyr cemetery with White & London directing.

Mrs. Tyler, nee Mollie Newsom, was born August 16, 1875, at Preston, Kentucky. She came to Texas when a small girl and to Brown county in 1904. She was married to Joe Tyler in Bell county in 1890. She became a member of the Methodist church 33 years ago and was active in the affairs of her church as long as her health permitted.

She is survived by her husband, and by two daughters and five sons as follows: Mrs. J. T. Watkins, Brownwood; Miss Alice Tyler, Brownwood; Jesse Tyler, Lubbock; Albert Tyler, Austin; Leonard Tyler, Fort Worth; E. W. Tyler, New Mexico, and M. B. Tyler, Brownwood. She is also survived by a brother, Shell Newsom, of Brownwood, and by a sister living in Oklahoma and a brother living at Killen, Texas. She is survived by twelve grandchildren.

### City Wants Builders To Take Out Permits On Jobs Of Over \$50

A drive to get contractors to take out permits for construction jobs amounting to \$50 or more is under way by city officials who state that few permits have been taken out during the past several months despite the fact that many construction or repair jobs of more than the \$50 minimum have been done.

A city ordinance requires that contractors obtain permits for all jobs over \$50. These permits are issued without cost.

Contractors who have handled jobs within the past ninety days are requested to go to city hall and fill out permit blanks. The federal government has requested City Secretary F. E. Scott to give records on building in Brownwood from month to month and unless the contractors cooperate by filling out permit blanks it will be impossible for Mr. Scott to give the desired reports.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY

The Banner has been requested to announce that friends and acquaintances of J. W. Newton are invited to attend his 80th birthday celebration, Friday, October 12, 1934, between 2 and 4 o'clock at the home, one mile south of Cross Cut, Texas.

### TWO LOCAL GAMES ON FARE FOR FOOTBALL FANS THIS WEEK-END

One victory, one defeat and one draw was the best the Jackets, Billies and Lions, Brownwood's three major football teams, could do the past week-end. The Yellow Jackets scored the victory when they downed the Southwest Texas State Teachers in San Marcos Friday night by the unusual score of 4-0. The Hill Billies took it on the chin for the second time in succession Saturday afternoon, when they ran about the School of Mines in El Paso by a 34-7 count. The Lions came through with a 0-0 game against Coleman despite the fact that the Brownwood boys clearly out-played their Class B rivals.

All three see action again this week with the Howard Payne- Trinity battle, a Texas Conference game, topping the card. The Jackets and Tigers meet in Brownwood Friday night. This will be Howard Payne's first home game of the season and the Jackets first chance to take a stride toward the 1934 championship, the goal of the nine conference elevens.

Brownwood High also plays at home this week-end but the Lions are still engaged in non-conference competition. They tangle with the powerful Polytechnic High School team of Fort Worth. Poly last week invaded Weatherford and trounced the high school team of that city by a 22-0 score, all of which indicates that the Lions will be in for plenty of trouble when they clash with the Cowtown boys at Howard Payne park Saturday night.

The Hill Billies go to Stephenville for a clash with the John Tarleton Plowboys Friday night. After games with Texas Christian and the School of Mines the Billies should find the sailing much

smoother when they tangle with the Stephenville eleven. The game with Tarleton will conclude the series of warm up games for the Brownwood Presbyterians.

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#### DO YOU NEED A NEW TIE?

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Mustard, quart jar	13c
Peanut Butter, quart jar	25c
Heminy, large size	9c
Salmon, pink, 2 cans	25c
Mackerel, 3 cans	25c
Rice, choice, full head, 8 lb	49c
Peaches, Dried, 2 lbs.	25c
Milk, 6 small, 3 large size	17c
Coffee, Bulk, 2 lbs.	25c
Cocoanut, Bulk, lb.	19c

Folger's Coffee, 1 lb.	33c
2 lbs.	65c
Soap, Large Yellow Bar, 9 for	25c
OATS, Mother's Cup and Saucer	25c
Corn Flakes, Jersey	9c
MEAL—20 lb. Bag	53c
10 lb. Bag	29c
FLOUR—48 lb. Sack, Good Flour	\$1.55
SUGAR, 25 lb. Bag	\$1.29
10 Lbs. SUGAR	52c
5 Lbs. SUGAR	26c
PLUMS, gallon	43c
JELLO, white Swan, Any Flavor	50c
Macaroni or Spaghetti	40c

## MARKET SPECIALS

Steak, Round or Loin	10c
Beef Roast, lb.	6c
Salt Perk, Choice Meat	18c
Pork Sausage, 2 lbs.	25c
Oleomarjorine, lb.	14c
Bacon, Breakfast in Piece, or Sliced, lb.	25c
Eggs, per dozen	21c
Lunch Loaf, all kinds, lb.	19c
Pork Roast, lb.	10c