

SIDNEY ROAD IS COMPLETED

The Sidney road, six miles from the Sidney community in Comanche county to a connection with highway No. 10, has been completed. Hillie Burks, secretary of Brownwood Chamber of Commerce, who has been directing the work, said today the road was finished Monday afternoon.

The road has been built through the co-operation of the citizens of Sidney and merchants of Brownwood and was sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce. Commissioners in that precinct of Comanche county helped, citizens donated work and some gave land. Brownwood merchants paid for Brownwood's part of the road.

The road is 50 feet wide with a 26 foot crown. The gravel was placed 16 feet wide and is from six to eight inches deep. The road has been graded all except on a few hills. Heavy 3x4 culverts have been placed where needed. The road, Mr. Burks says, is of concrete on a gravel base, but it was built only on a gravel base.

Co-operation, Mr. Burks says, on the project has been the best he has ever seen. For example, one Sidney man gave his car and another man gave his team 23 days and another man gave the use of his team for 36 days.

Work on the road was begun several weeks ago. A great deal of the labor has been done by men sent out from Brownwood Employment Bureau for relief in the local program of RFC work relief.

BROWNWOOD INSURANCE MEN OPPOSE REPEAL OF THE ROBERTSON LAW

Several local insurance agents are active in opposing repeal or modification of the Robertson Insurance law which has been in effect in Texas for 25 years and are letting their representatives and state senators know their feelings. The law, which is "money control law," makes it possible for the people of Texas to control the flow of a part of their life insurance money as to make it work for them in the development of Texas resources, according to those agents who favor retention of the law.

The law requires all licensed life insurance companies to invest 75 per cent of their reserves on Texas policies in Texas securities; it seeks to make more money available for Texas real estate mortgage loans by reducing the rate of tax on premiums to 2 per cent, and the percentage of Texas reserves invested in real estate loans; the law permits any life insurance company to invest in Texas securities without writing life insurance in Texas "by complying with the laws of this state."

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Penalty Against Brownwood on Bad Fire Record 1932

Brownwood will have a fifteen per cent bad fire penalty on insurance rate this year, effective March 1st, according to notices which have been received from the State Fire Department at Austin by local fire insurance companies. Brownwood at present has a 12 per cent penalty.

The notices received by the companies was in part as follows: "Statements showing that the loss ratio of Brownwood for the years 1930, 1931 and 1932 is 360 have been filed with, checked and approved by the Fire Insurance Department. Under the provisions for charge for bad fire record in cities and towns, this record subjects Brownwood to a charge of 15 per cent."

Reports on some of the surrounding towns showed that Brady receives a 15 per cent credit, as does Llano; Abilene a 12 per cent, Coleman and Dublin nine per cent credit. San Angelo three per cent penalty; Ballinger and Comanche fifteen per cent penalties. Fifteen per cent penalty is the highest penalty given.

BOARD SAYS NO POLITICAL PULL

The Board of County and District Road Indebtedness will not tolerate any inference that might have been made that any individual had "political pull" or "political power" to have something approved by the Board.

The letter further states that "to be fair to administrative officials and members of the Legislature, I wish to state that up until this time no member of the Board or no employee has upon any claim or to allow any special favors that were not clearly written in the laws under which the Board is acting." The Board understands, however, that some counties have entered into contracts to get their claims increased.

The Board is composed of Gibb Gilchrist, state highway engineer; George Sheppard, comptroller; and Charley Lockhart, state treasurer, and handles the claims of counties in which the state is taking over a part of the bonded indebtedness used for building state highways.

The Board's action does not apply to Brown county, officials state, as no contract such as mentioned in the letter has been made here.

Following is the letter in the above connection which has been sent to all county judges of the state:

"It has come to the attention of the Board that several counties have entered into contracts with firms and individuals for the purpose of amending claims as submitted and approved by this Board, the compensation to be based upon contingent fee or percentage of all claims allowed by the Board, over and above that previously allowed. The Board has also found that the counties are agreeing to pay for these services out of the interest and sinking fund."

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Texas Boys-Girls Feeding Animals For Fat Stock Show

FORT WORTH, Texas, Feb. 22.—(AP)—Boys and girls clubs throughout the state are paying attention to the habits of their baby beefs, hogs, sheep and pigs are eating. On Friday night, March 10th, the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show will open here and the club members are planning to bring the pick of their animals for exhibition.

Some of the counties are planning to send special delegations to the exposition as a recognition of the work being done by the future farmers.

In addition to the cash awards the boys and girls will receive for their animals, many of the owners will reap a profit when their entries are sold at the Exposition sales pavilion. Entries in the Fat Stock Show's livestock division closed February 18th.

Manager John B. Davis said today he would be several added horse show and rodeo features and that all of the old events are being kept on the program.

WHAT'S A MAN TO DO?

FORT WORTH, Tex. — A. A. Duke has been arguing with himself whether it would be advisable to install a burglar alarm in his garage. The other morning Duke walked into his garage, which had been tightly locked, to find that his car was minus four wheels and tires. "A man can't sit up in his auto all night, so what's he to do?" Duke asked the police.

Zangara's Given Maximum Penalty For Miami Attack

MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 20.—(AP)—Guisepp Zangara today was sentenced to serve 30 years in prison for the wounding of three persons last week when he made an unsuccessful attempt on the life of the President-elect Franklin D. Roosevelt, immediately after Mr. Roosevelt had made a short address to a crowd of admirers upon his return from a ten-day fishing cruise.

Those wounded by Zangara as he fired wildly at Mr. Roosevelt were: Miss Margaret Krutz of Newark, N. J.; Russell Caldwell of Coconut Grove, Florida, and William Sinnott, a New York policeman. He was also charged with attempt to murder Mr. Roosevelt, despite the fact that the President-elect escaped injury.

Zangara was sentenced to twenty years on each of the four charges of attempt to murder, getting the maximum sentence in each case. The Italian may yet be tried for murder should either Mayor Cermak of Chicago or Mrs. Joe Gill of Miami fail to recover from their wounds.

Zangara was sentenced to prison immediately after he pleaded guilty to the four charges and after reiterating to Judge Collins that he is sorry that his attempt on the life of Roosevelt was unsuccessful.

TRAFFIC LAW HONOR SYSTEM

Chief of Police Bert Hise in a statement issued today put every citizen of Brownwood on his own honor to obey and observe the traffic regulations and laws of the city. "Under present conditions," the police force of a necessity has been cut so low in number that it can not work on traffic violations as it did in the past. Economic conditions prevent hiring of additional policemen, as a matter of economy for the taxpayers.

"Therefore, I sincerely ask every citizen in Brownwood to help me and my department by observing the traffic regulations and laws of the city. I ask people to refrain from appointing themselves to watch these violations. If every citizen will co-operate and observe the laws himself, there will be no violation. This is your city and the regulations are your laws. You owe it to yourself and the city to observe the traffic regulations as strictly as you would observe any other law. During present times when we have a small number in the force, you should be as careful to observe the laws, or even more so, than when we had enough men to take care of the traffic problems."

"I also ask the help and co-operation of the country people who come to town. They know the traffic regulations and should observe them. With the help of all the people co-operating in this matter the traffic problems of people losing their lives in accidents and of property being damaged will be removed to a great extent. I ask your help. —Bert Hise Chief of Police."

City Judge Courtney Gray and Commissioner E. S. Thompson met with the council to discuss matter of peddlers on the streets and around the court house square.

Mayor W. A. Butler appointed Henley and Roberts as a committee from the council and Judge Gray appointed Commissioner Jas. W. Phillips and Thompson as a committee from the commissioners court to work out the matter.

Representatives of both governing bodies said they favored the establishment of a market square where producers from this county and other counties may stop to sell their produce.

Judge Gray also took occasion to compliment the council on its work in reducing the amount of city bond, warrant and note indebtedness and in reducing taxes as shown in a recent report published in The Bulletin.

Health Conditions Dr. H. L. Locker, city health officer, reporting on health conditions for the city for the first time in several months is free of contagious diseases as far as reports received by him are concerned.

Charlie Beene, city ordinance man, was granted a request to raise his allowance from the city from \$4.25 per month to \$8.50, the increase to apply on his taxes until they are paid.

The city placed an order for one book of Brown county automobile registrations from P. B. McElroy who is making the books up from records at the county tax collector's office. The book is used by the police department in determining ownership of cars.

TEACHERS TO MEET

BRECKENRIDGE, Tex., Feb. 21. The third annual spring meeting of the Oil Belt Education Association will be held here March 10th and 11th. Nearly 1,200 teachers from more than 15 West Texas counties are expected to attend. The convention feature will be a school board sectional meeting conducted by C. E. Paxton, Sweetwater board president. H. W. Stillwell of Texas, president of the State Teachers Association, and N. S. Holland, Breckenridge school superintendent, will address the sectional meeting of board members.

WINTER HEADQUARTERS

BRADY, Texas, Feb. 21.—(AP)—The Brady race track has been made headquarters for winter training by a number of Texas race horse owners. Approximately 20 studs are doing daily practice here, and more are expected to arrive this month. Gus Schreiner of Kerrville has seven two-year olds here.

BURGLARIES AT MAY NET \$2.00

A lone burglar who Monday night broke into the bank and two places of business and attempted to enter another store at May obtained a little more than \$2 in cash for his night's work, according to members of the sheriff's department who Tuesday morning investigated the series of burglaries.

The bandit entered a blacksmith shop but obtained nothing. He then broke into the May bank and obtained 67 cents, the loot including a counterfeit 50-cent piece and a dime with a hole in it. He then entered a filling station and grocery store across the street from the bank and obtained about \$1.67.

He then attempted to enter the Bill Harlow store in May but was surprised by Harlow and others while trying to break in. Harlow threw a flashlight on the man who was running and at Harlow and the men with him. The burglar fled after made good his escape.

No arrests have been made.

CITY ELECTION ORDER PASSED

Orders for the annual city election for Tuesday April 4, was passed by the city council in meeting Tuesday night at 7 o'clock at city hall. The order calls for election of two aldermen, one in ward one and the other in ward three.

Tom Denman was named election judge for ward 3 and Jess Perry was appointed judge for ward one, each to appoint his own helpers. Council ordered 500 ballots printed for each ward.

Last year the city election law was amended to conform with the state law and under it candidates must file their names with the city secretary not less than 12 days prior to the date of election. Thus candidates must file on or before March 23.

Little interest in the election has been shown to this time. Both the city council and Judge Gray in ward one and Wm. Hood in ward three are seeking re-election. Only one other candidate has announced, J. L. Cross in ward three.

The street committee Aldermen Ed Henley and Hood, was ordered to investigate several street matters, including work on Avenue K in front of South Ward School to determine the amount of gravel that has been placed. They also will inspect some other streets with a view to graveling and improving them.

Attorneys, as a whole, merchants and professional men, are objecting to the proposed state sales tax also are being circulated among local people by a number of merchants. Several of these petitions are being signed at present and several hundred names of local people have been signed to them.

WILL SHOW FARMERS HOW TO HITCH TEAMS OF 3 TO 8 HORSES

LUBBOCK, Texas, Feb. 22.—Farmers who attend the fourth annual South Plains Farm and Home makers conference here February 23 and 24 will have the opportunity of witnessing a demonstration to show the best methods of hitching three, five and eight horses.

Dr. F. G. Harbaugh, member of the faculty of the school of agriculture of Texas Tech, will be in charge of the demonstration, to be given on the campus at Tech.

W. L. Stangel, head of the department of animal husbandry, explained that many inquiries had been received whether it was possible to hitch up five and eight horses.

Since the horse and mule has become such an important factor in farm power on the South Plains farms, he said, many farmers want to know how to hitch their teams so as to get the maximum number of animals to pull the plows and farm machinery.

Blanton One of 3 Texans Against Repeal Measure

Hon. Thomas L. Blanton of Abilene, representative in Congress from this district, was one of the three Texans who refused to be bound by the Democratic caucus action and refused to vote to repeal the repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment to the states. Other Texans who did not vote for submission were Wright Patman of Texas and Morgan G. Sanders of the Canyon district.

CONTRACT FOR COUNTY GAS

Brown County Commissioners court in regular session Monday awarded a contract for the supply of fuel gas to the court house and county jail, approved a number of bills and transacted routine business that came up for action.

The Community Natural Gas Company was awarded the gas contract, the bid price being ten cents per 1,000 cubic feet. This was two cents a 1,000 less than bid by the Natural Gas & Fuel Company. The Community has been serving the court house and jail the past few years.

An estimate of N. E. Atkinson for \$731.70 for work done on the Kidd Peak road was approved by the court and ordered paid.

The payroll of the engineer's department for the first half of February was approved by the court and ordered paid. The amount ordered paid were: Leo Ehlinger, \$62.50; Ira Fuqua, \$62.50; Jake Cameron, \$21; Luther Howell, \$18.

The monthly reports of W. E. Burleson county clerk for the months of November, December and January were approved.

A bill presented by Higginbotham Bros. & Co. of \$35 for the burial of Jesse A. Looney was reduced to \$20 and ordered paid.

Chas. Day for repairs on the county's car operated by the sheriff were approved and ordered paid with the understanding that the sheriff will pay all expenses incurred in operating the car during his tenure of office. The bill here for \$16.50 and \$12.50, respectively.

The court ordered Monday that in the future county commissioners' report not be paid except those covered by funds to the credit of the commissioner issuing same and that county clerk refrain from issuing warrants on orders issued by the commissioners except those approved by the county auditor, this approval certifying that funds are available for paying the warrants.

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The charges against Nations were made after Sheriff Jack Hallmark and deputies had searched property controlled by Nations Sunday afternoon and had found a liquor still, nine gallons of whiskey and three barrels of mash.

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George Hunter, who with Nations was arrested in Brownwood Saturday night is charged with driving a car while intoxicated.

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NINE SEEKING GARNER PLACE IN CONGRESS

UVALDE, Texas, Feb. 21.—Democrats in 23 South Texas counties will choose Saturday, February 25, from nine candidates names to succeed John Nance Garner in Congress as Representative of the far-flung, 30,000 square mile district he carved out for himself in 1902 and has served continuously since.

Garner advances to the vice-presidency Saturday, February 25, from a re-election to another term in the House. Nine Democrats and one Republican want to be his House successor.

It is a foregone conclusion no Democrat will have a majority in Saturday's voting unless a runoff primary for the two highest vote-getters has been set for March 15th. The general election will be held April 22nd, with the Democratic nominee certain to win.

Five of the Democratic aspirants are the one Republican live in three cities in the Lower Rio Grande valley, where population and both rural and urban development center. These are Gordon Griffin and Hal J. York, McAllen attorneys; Milton West, Noble C. Coffee and Carlos G. Watson, Brownsville attorneys, and Moulton T. Cobb, Mission editor. Watson is the Republican.

The remaining Democrats are F. W. Pulliam, reitor of Crystal City, Zavalla county; W. A. Dannelly, attorney of Hebbronville, Jim Hogg county; Charles R. Tipes, glass manufacturer of Brownsville, Calhoun county, and Jordan T. Lawler, reitor of Castrolville Medina county.

There is no candidate from Uvalde, Garner's home county.

New Sport in District Running for Congress is a new sport in the Garner district for all candidates save Watson, who opposed Garner last fall and in one previous election. For many years Garner had no Democratic opponent for renomination and this was true even last year when it was almost certain he would be a vice-presidential candidate.

While a young state representative in the early years of the present century, Garner was author of a redistributing bill with the frankly avowed purpose of creating a district in which he might run for Congress and be elected.

The bill was approved, Garner was nominated in 1902 and elected to Congress at Laredo and went to Washington with his young wife-secretary and their baby son. He has been there most of the time. Ewing Thompson retained his hold on his constituents.

His district, larger than several of the states, has a population of 370,871 (1930 census) and includes 23 counties. Only two other Texas districts—those of Representatives Marvin Jones and Ewing Thompson in the Panhandle and West Texas—are larger.

Is a Long District The district extends along the Rio Grande from Kinney county (near Del Rio) down to Brownsville and the Gulf of Mexico. It extends up the body of water to Nueces county, including Kingsville, it extends inland northwestward, along a line including Jim Wells, Live Oak and Atascosa counties, almost to San Antonio.

The district is bounded on the north by Medina, Uvalde and Kinney counties. It is preeminently an agricultural and stock-raising section, and includes all of the noted Lower Valley and winter garden citrus and truck crop growing districts.

B. H. Bettis to Be County Inspector RACC Collateral B. H. Bettis of May has been appointed inspector for this county to check over collateral put up as security by farmers in securing loans from the Regional Agricultural Credit Corporation at Fort Worth.

The Brown county committee recently organized to pass on applications for loans has received a number of applications but as yet has not approved a loan, according to John T. Yantis, chairman. The application blanks must be filled in detail and applicants are now working on these blanks to get them made out correctly.

Two Howard Payne Teams Win Debates With Southwestern Howard Payne College debating squads on a trip last week won both men's and women's debates from Southwestern University at Georgetown, the women's team lost to the team of Baylor at Belton and the men and another women's team of Baylor debated a no decision affair. At San Marcos the men's team lost an audience decision to the team of Southwest Texas Teachers' College.

Those making the trip were Misses Willie Faye McElroy and Letitia Belle Coggins, Joanne Dean and Leander Hall. Orville Walker accompanied the team as coach.

HELPED ALONG KJERULF: You say you came to this country from Moscow. Were your parents Russian? BJSC2: You bet they were rushing! I guess you'd be rushing too if you had a squad of soldiers with fixed bayonets on their rifles and the country was recovering.

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Negligent Physicians.

TEXAS PHYSICIANS have been under fire for the past several years because of their habitual negligence in the reporting of births as required by a law which seems not to be enforceable.

Records of the State Health Department disclose that during 1931 the doctors of the state reported, as directed by law, only fifty-four cases of pellagra.

The medical profession is the principal proponent of public health measures, and is principally responsible for making them effective.

Cent-a-Day Soldiering.

THE French Chamber of Deputies has been asked to approve a measure by which the pay of the French soldier would be boosted from 25 centimes a day to one franc.

Twenty-five centimes amount to just about one cent. That's what the polin has been getting.

Contrast that with the liberal pay scale in the American army, and you can understand why American army costs are comparable to those of the French in spite of the disparity in size between the two forces.

Another Relic Totters.

HAVING won his long fight to kill the lame duck sessions of Congress, Senator George W. Norris of Nebraska is now loading a gun for the electoral college.

As the Senator points out, the founding fathers devised the electoral college to keep the popular will from having too much to say about the choice of a president.

Dependable Used Cars

- 1932 Chevrolet Coupe, good as new \$485.00
1932 Chevrolet Coupe, A-1 \$385.00
1929 Chevrolet Four-door Sedan, guaranteed \$265.00
1929 Chevrolet Coach, good condition \$235.00
1930 Ford Town Sedan \$285.00
1930 Ford Coach - real bargain \$250.00
Older model Chevrolets, Chevrolet touring and Model T trucks—Your own price.
See our stock for a car worth the money.
Holley-Langford Chevrolet Co.

May

Mr. Gerald Morrison took some of the vocational agriculture class to visit some near-by farms, where they judged some cattle and staked some fields for terracing.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Knebel, who have just returned from Long Beach, California, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. F. E. Brisson and family.

Miss Anna Belle Coop spent Sunday night with Miss Opal Cathey and Mr. and Mrs. Carl LeMaster of Fort Worth, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Stovall and children, Kenneth and Vivian, of Indian Creek, are spending this week with her sister, Mrs. F. E. Brisson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Favor of Rising Star spent Saturday with their daughter and family.

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Dulin

We are still having some cool weather.

There was a musical at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lowe Friday night. Everyone reported a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Hall attended singing here Sunday night.

Miss Minnie Lee Core of Comanche is visiting her sister, Mrs. Cliff Reynolds, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Wise of Brookesmith spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Pearce.

Several from here attended the singing convention at Buffalo Sunday night.

Singing was well attended Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dixon and daughters Ella Mae and Myra were shopping in Brownwood Tuesday.

There will be a musical at the school house Friday night. Everyone is invited to come.

Several from here attended church at Brookesmith Wednesday night.

Ebony

There was a large crowd at singing at the Baptist Church Sunday night.

Several attended Sunday school and church meeting at the Church of Christ Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Clements and their daughters, Ruth and Etta, spent Sunday with the Allen Lovelace family.

Miss Irene Martin of San Angelo spent several days with Miss Erma Egger last week.

Indian Creek came over to play ball with our school Friday. A game each of basketball and indoor ball was played.

Herman Boyd and Jack Atkinson, and Misses Zella Kelo and Beatrice Curtis of Ridge attended singing here Sunday night.

Alvin Mashburn, Bennie Vize and Mrs. Myrtle Lee Walker, who have been visiting at the Clements home for several days, returned to their homes at Port Arthur and Houston Thursday.

Miss Merle Haynes who teaches at Bowers, spent the week-end with homefolks.

Mrs. Hawkins White, sister of Mrs. S. H. Reeves, and her husband from Brownsville stopped over for a few hours visit with the Reeves family last week on their way to visit relatives in Oklahoma.

Mrs. Reeves accompanied them on the rest of their journey. They returned here Sunday. And Mrs. Loyt Roberts and little son, Charles Stanley, went home with the Whites for an extended visit.

S. L. Singleton receives a message Thursday that his brother Henry Singleton, who was very sick at San Angelo, He and Mrs. Singleton, together with Grandfather Singleton, Dick Singleton, and Mrs. C. H. Griffin left immediately to be at his bedside. They returned here Sunday leaving Mr. Singleton very much improved.

er places. Mrs. Walter Minica was called to Big Springs Saturday on account of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Hixley.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Dwyer visited at the John Briley home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Ketchum and little sons, Howard and James visited relatives in San Saba county on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wilmeth and Miss Ruth Briley ate dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Roberts Sunday after church.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cole and son of Cleburne spent several days last week with Rev. and Mrs. W. D. Kirkpatrick.

Miss Eulalia Grady has returned from Arlington, where she visited Mrs. Core Posey for several weeks.

D. H. Bullion, Jack Townsends, and Perry Hawthorn played at the musical given by Mr. and Mrs. Bud Reese Friday night.

J. L. Rountree of Jordan Springs attended preaching here Sunday.

The Indian Creek boys' basketball and indoor baseball teams went to Ebony Friday afternoon where they played two games, winning both of them.

Mrs. Arrie Carlisle of Brownwood spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Small.

Rev. W. D. Kirkpatrick filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church Saturday evening and Sunday.

Miss Lottie McMullen returned Saturday from Lubbock, where she has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Truman McMullen.

A number of people enjoyed a singing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ludlow Allen Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Reekie Wells and Mrs. Louise Freeman spent Friday with Mrs. John Chaille.

Mr. and Mrs. Josh Philen and children of Regency were visiting Mrs. Philen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. McCoy Sunday.

Lella McBride is leader of the B. Y. P. U. program for Sunday, February 26. Others on the program are: Nellabeth Bullion, June Embrey, Dossia McBride, Alta Reese.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Parker spent Sunday at Brownwood visiting relatives.

Hollis Paces of Jordan Springs and Jack Century of Brookesmith attended church here Sunday evening.

Mr. Lee Hunter, our popular garage man, has recently added to his line of accessories the Exide batteries.

Mr. Arthur Williams and family shipped in Brownwood Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Woody visited Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Fielder last week.

Mrs. Oliver, one of the teachers in the primary school here, has been quite sick, but is improving at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Spence Thomas visited Mrs. Thomas' parents at Lampass last week.

Early High

A lot of hogs have been butchered here the past week as the weather has been about the right temperature to save them.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. George Griggs Monday were Mrs. Verice Andrews and Misses Eugenia and Willie Guilliams of Brownwood, and Mrs. Cull Earp of this community.

Miss Page spending a few days this week in Brownwood with her sister, Estelle, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Henderson, 707 Avenue G.

Tom Horn of Colorado, Texas, returned to his home Wednesday after a week's visit here in the home of his uncle, Cull Earp, and family.

Tom Horn of Colorado, Texas, spent Sunday night here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cull Earp.

A play entitled "Wild Oats Boys" will be staged at this place Saturday night with the cast as follows: Let everybody who care to see a good play be on hand early, for you have to come early to get a seat at Early. This play is by a Woodland Heights cast under the direction of Sup. Claud Shannon and was presented at Woodland Heights last Friday night.

Will Griggs and Mrs. George Griggs and children visited relatives at Owens Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cull Earp and their nephew spent Tuesday in Brownwood with Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Henderson.

Mr. J. W. Vernon has been on the sick list for several days. Mrs. J. W. Vernon and Mrs. Arthur Vernon are both still right poorly.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Boyd has been on the sick list for the past few days suffering with severe cold.

Will Henderson and wife and little granddaughter, Marcellene Henderson, of Colorado, Texas, who have been here on a visit with relatives and old friends for a week spent Monday night in the home of Cull Earp, their uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. Cull Earp and son, Jack and Truman Henderson visited at Rochelle Sunday with Mrs. Earp's brother, Harm Wyatt, and family. They were accompanied by Roy Wyatt back to Dalzel, where they visited for a little while with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Reese.

Jack Earp and his cousin, Truman Henderson, spent the week-end in Brownwood with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Henderson.

Grandpa Preston is in a hospital at Brownwood this week for medical treatment. He is the father of our principal, LeRoy Preston. We hope he is soon better and can return back home.

Christine Wyatt, Roxie Pate and Dorothy Payne Nichols had Sunday dinner with Isabel Wyatt.

Several carloads of sheep have been shipped from Brookesmith within the past few days.

Epworth League program, Sunday, February 27, 1933.

Subject: Does the Right Change? Leader: Benita Yantis. Scripture reading: John 15:1-17 by leader.

The following talks will be given: What is Right? Evelyn Levisay. Does God Change? Mr. M. G. Smoot.

Jesus' Conception of the Right Yuh's Sutherland.

Mere Changes yet to Come, Mildred Rogers.

Business, announcements and benediction.

Mr. Tom and Miss Alice Rouns have been quite ill at their home here for the past week as reported by letter.

Miss Thelma McCulley of Brownwood spent the week-end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. T. M. McCulley.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Stewart and son, Charles, of Brownwood, spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Stewart.

J. D. P. Williams of Fort Worth was a visitor in Blanket and vicinity Thursday and Friday in the

interest of the extension work of the Methodist church.

Miss Emaline Swindall returned to Denton Friday after spending the week with her parents, Rev. Mr. and Mrs. J. Humberston and children left Tuesday for Waco where they will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Jones of Brownwood, spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. H. G. Lane.

Rev. and Mrs. E. P. Swindall attended the Hallmark funeral at Zephyr Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rutherford Damon spent the week-end with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Wes Damon.

Miss Dora Teague of O'Donnell is here visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Trig of Owens attended the services at the Methodist church Sunday.

Boys and Girls World Club program for Sunday, February 27th. Leader, Marie Miller.

Song and prayer. Scripture reading by leader. Story by Lee Burgin Swindall. Reading, Inez Strickland. Story, Nanza Yantis.

Worship poem, by Francis Levisay. Reading, by Qriena Miller. Story, by B. Norris Levisay. Reading, by Frankie Parson. Story, "Nazadi Rescues Baby Koti", by Mrs. Frank Parson. Bible drill.

Roll call, answered by verses beginning with B's and C's. Benediction.

Union Grove

Mr. and Mrs. Will Allen have a very sick baby with catarrhal fever.

There was a good crowd out for Sunday school Sunday.

Mrs. J. A. Hancock returned Sunday from a visit with her daughter, Miss Dorothy, who has been sick with flu. Miss Dorothy is a teacher in the school at Santo.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lappe and daughter from near Blanket were up Sunday for the funeral of Mrs. J. T. Willett.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Crowover enjoyed a visit from their little granddaughter of Rising Star Sunday.

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Johnson, West Texas Pioneer, in Coleman County in Early Days

J. Lee Johnson, Sr., prominent lumberman and business man of Fort Worth for thirty years, who has been listed in the West Texas Pioneer column in the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, is known in Coleman and Brown counties, having spent several years of his early life in Coleman county. The story about Mr. Johnson is as follows:

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"It was one of the longest months I ever spent but it was good experience and John Scharbauer was not a bad cook, either," Johnson said. "It was in August, awfully hot and the rattlesnakes were everywhere. I slept in the camp wagon."

"In connection with his work at the Connell store, Johnson also had charge of the large wool storage house. In 1885 he and his brother went to Pecos and established a general store in the Hilliard and Johnson Store. They soon built up a large trade, customers coming in from over in New Mexico. The ranchers sometimes bought supplies to last for six months at a time.

"Most of the purchases were charged, the ranchers paying for in cattle, wool, hides and other products every six to 12 months. Soon the Johnsons had such large herds of cattle they had to secure a ranch. Later the ranch became their main interest and the business was sold."

"Johnson came to Coleman county in 1897 and in 1903 organized the Cicero Smith Lumber Company of which he has been president and general manager since. The Pecos ranch was sold in 1910. The Hendricks Oil Pool later was discovered in what the Johnson brothers used for a horse pasture. Johnson still owns a ranch near Odessa and visits it occasionally."

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF BROOKS.

WHEREAS, on the fifteenth day of March A. D. 1928, S. P. Burns and wife, Mary Ellen Burns, of the County of Brown and State of Texas, made, signed, executed and delivered to G. F. Zimmermann, as Trustee, a deed of trust, payable in date, now of record in the Deed of Trust Records of said Brown County, Texas, in Volume 40, page 301, to secure payment of one certain promissory note of even date therewith, signed by said S. P. Burns and wife, Mary Ellen Burns, payable to the order of R. L. Slaughter, for the principal sum of Eighteen Hundred, Fifty and No-100 (\$1850.00) Dollars, due May 1, 1933, bearing interest from November 1, 1927, until maturity at the rate of eight (8) per cent per annum, principal and interest bearing interest from maturity until paid at the rate of ten (10) per cent per annum; and

WHEREAS, default having been made for more than five (5) days in payment of interest due on said note on May 1, 1931, November 1, 1931, May 1, 1932 and November 1, 1932, John C. Palm being then and now the legal and equitable owner and holder of said note, requested G. F. Zimmermann to as such Trustee sell the property conveyed in said deed of trust and hereinafter described in accordance with the provisions of said deed of trust, after the advertisement provided for therein, and apply the proceeds of sale in accordance with said deed of trust; and

WHEREAS, said G. F. Zimmermann being unable to act because unable to be in Brownwood, Texas, to conduct said sale at the proper time, in pursuance of power conferred on him by said deed of

trust, appointed me, H. M. Huges, Substitute Trustee, to conduct said sale, apply the proceeds in accordance with said deed of trust, execute and deliver proper conveyance to the purchaser at said sale.

WHEREAS, default in payment of said interest items having been made by said John C. Palm, then and now the legal and equitable owner and holder of said note, I requested me, H. M. Huges, Substitute Trustee, to sell the property conveyed in said deed of trust and hereinafter described in accordance with the provisions of said deed of trust after the advertisement provided for therein, and apply the proceeds of sale in accordance with said deed of trust, and to execute and deliver proper conveyance to the purchaser at said sale.

NOW THEREFORE, notice is hereby given by me that I, H. M. Huges, as Substitute Trustee, in pursuance of authority conferred by said deed of trust sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder at the Court House docket room of Brown County, Texas, in the City of Brownwood, Texas, on the Tuesday of March A. D. 1933, at 10 o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. for satisfaction of said note, whereon there remains unpaid principal amount and interest thereon of said note, the sum of \$2,000.00, full principal amount and interest thereon from Nov. 1, A. D. 1927, in accordance with the provisions of said note, all that certain land and improvements and fixtures thereon in the County of Brown, State of Texas, being the land conveyed by and described in said deed of trust, described as follows:

All that certain lot, tract or parcel of land situated in the City of Brownwood, in Brown County, Texas, as and the improvements thereon, described as follows, to-wit: part of Lot Number Two Hundred and Fifty-eight (258) and part of portion of said Lot No. Two Hundred and Fifty-eight (258) conveyed to S. P. Burns by G. F. Bodenhamer by deed dated September 18, 1926, of record in the Deed Records of said Brown County, Texas, in Volume 123, page 145; Three (3) acres and 45 East with Lipscomb Street 45 feet to corner; Thence North 45 East parallel with said Hand Street (Main Avenue) about 84 feet Northeast line of said parcel of land conveyed to S. P. Burns by G. Bodenhamer by deed heretofore mentioned, said line being Southwest line of Lot known as H. N. Davis lot; Thence North with the Northeast line of said parcel of land conveyed to S. P. Burns by the deed to him heretofore mentioned, 140 feet to the West corner of said parcel of land at the West corner of said H. N. Davis lot on the South East line of said Hand Street (Main Avenue); Thence South 45 West with said Hand Street (Main Avenue) 80 feet more or less to the place of beginning.

H. M. Huges, Substitute Trustee. Feb. 9-1933

Job Disappeared

NEW KYO, Durham, Eng.—Relief workers in this district will have to turn their efforts to other occupations. The administrators of emergency jobs found themselves to the jobless ones when 1,200 mint workers had been receiving the aid of the relief bureau, returned to work.

Just received shipment Harness, Collars and Leather Goods. Looney's.

Anniversary Sale. Our 2nd Anniversary Sale Begins Thursday. At These Greatly Reduced Prices We Must Sell For Cash. To some people and to some firms a birthday means little... but we are still young enough to get a thrill from having passed another milestone. Since we get a thrill we are anxious to pass on to our friends and customers who have stood by us during the past two years some of the thrill. Therefore this sale. The ACTUAL SAVING OF CASH THAT CAN BE ACCOMPLISHED BY BUYING DURING THIS SALE WILL BE A THRILL TO ONE AND ALL.

Groups \$3.95	Underwear All Underwear offered in this sale is new, modish merchandise, and at a reduction of price that you will appreciate. Slips . . . 89c and \$1.79	Sweaters and Skirts New Sweaters and Skirts that have just arrived are offered you at an extremely low price—Just the thing for these snappy mornings. \$1.95	Handkerchiefs ROCHESTER HANDMADE The handkerchief is a very important part of any costume. Buy several at this price. \$1.00 values . . . 59c 75c values . . . 39c 50c values . . . 29c	Gloves The very latest in colors and combinations for spring . . . all sizes. \$3.50 and \$1.95 \$3.95 values \$2.50 and \$1.50 \$2.95 values \$1.50
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Heavy Losses In New Born Lambs Being Reported

SAN ANGELO, Texas, Feb. 22.—(P)—Reports of heavy losses among new born lambs during the recent cold spell continue to trickle into San Angelo. With lambing in full swing in the country south of here, some outfits are reported to have lost as high as fifty per cent of those born during the cold nights.

LOCAL OFFICERS AID IN RECAPTURING TWO ESCAPED CONVICTS

Truman Timberlake and Fred Jennings, escaped convicts, are in jail at Lampasas Tuesday afternoon having been taken by a small army of peace officers and volunteers after being surrounded about four miles west of Lampasas.

RECAPTURED CONVICTS MAY BE BROUGHT BACK HERE FOR TRIAL

It is possible that Truman Timberlake and Fred Jennings, twice escaped and recaptured convicts, will be brought back to Brownwood for trial on burglary charges, officers said here Tuesday afternoon after they returned from Lampasas where the pair were captured by a small army of peace officers and citizens earlier in the day.

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by officers. They left the car, boarded and rode a passenger train for a short distance and then tried to make their get-away through the hills west of Lampasas. They were finally surrounded by officers. Peace officers from a number of counties took part in the capture. Jennings and Timberlake are charged with two robberies here committed early in December.

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W. E. Connell, one of the most prominent bankers and cattlemen of the Southwest Tuesday, looked back nearly 60 years to the time when he was a cowboy and line-riding a herd of cattle in the then wild and uninhabited Colorado river valley.

Born Near Belton. "Born on a farm near Belton, Bell county, on April 12, 1868, Connell attended a one-room school in Williamson county. Taking particular interest in the cattle on his father's farm, he was a full-fledged cowboy at 16. Saving his earnings, young Connell acquired a herd of his own. At the age of 18 he sold his cattle for a profit of \$12,000.

Wild Game and Indians. "The country abounded in wild game and the Indians still gave a little trouble but their hostilities were confined for the most part to stealing a horse now and then.

Returning home again, Connell married Miss Hattie Millican, a sweetheart of his school days. He regards his marriage as the turning point in his life. It was then he decided to go into business. Building westward, the Texas & Pacific Railroad had forged its way as far as Sweetwater. Soon after its arrival there Connell and his brother, the late G. H. Connell, opened a store in Sweetwater. They prospered but a slump and drought later left him almost penniless.

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ATTENDANCE OF LADIES AT C. C. BANQUET URGED

Ladies as well as men are urged to attend the annual banquet of Brownwood Chamber of Commerce to be held at 7:30 o'clock tonight at Hotel Brownwood. This announcement was made today after the Chamber of Commerce received at least two inquiries as to whether or not women could attend.

By all means Hilton Burks, secretary, said, the women of Brownwood and from surrounding towns are urged to attend this banquet as they have past banquets.

Report from the ticket sales committee this morning was that about 100 tickets had been sold and additional sales were expected through the afternoon. J. J. Timmins, chairman of the committee, said if there was ever a time when the citizens of Brownwood should show their interest in the future of the city and its development and offer their cooperation it is now. All local citizens are urged to attend. Those who do not buy tickets from some members of the committee may secure tickets at the door tonight at the banquet.

An interesting program with talks by several local men, readings of original poems by Mrs. Lexie Dean Robertson of Rising Star, songs led by D. D. McClure and with James C. White as toastmaster was outlined yesterday.

Representatives of H. P. C. Attending Scholarship Meet

Five representatives of Howard Payne College are attending the annual meeting of Scholarship Societies of the South being held at Southwest Texas State Teachers College at San Marcos. The meeting opened Wednesday and will close today.

Those attending are: Miss Annie Shelton, head of the history department, Glynn Raley, Arthur Johnson, Tolbert Lawrence and Miss Pay Canady.

Seventy-eight universities and colleges are included in this district of the association. Interesting discussions and entertainments are included on the two days program.

Bank Stock Was Sold "Short" on Market in 1929

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—(AP)—The National City Company, under questioning of senate stock market investigators today acknowledged that the company was in a "short" position in stock of the National City Bank in the spring of 1929.

WOMAN LOST 20 POUNDS IN 4 WEEKS

Mrs. Mae West of St. Louis, Mo. writes: "I'm only 28 yrs. old and weighed 170 lbs. until taking one box of I now weigh 150 lbs. I also have more energy and further more I've never had a hungry moment."

Fat folks should take one half teaspoonful of Kruschen Salts in a glass of hot water in the morning before breakfast—it's the SAFE, harmless way to reduce as tens of thousands of men and women know. For your health's sake ask for and get Kruschen at Fenro's 6 Drug Stores, Peerless Drug Co. or any drug store—the cost for a bottle that lasts 4 weeks is but a trifle and if after the first bottle you are not joyfully satisfied with results, money back. (Adv.)

Hose, Rakes and Files are cheaper at Looney's.

Church Services to Be Held Sunday in Honor of Birthday of Venerable Member

James Early Smith, known familiarly as "Uncle Jimmie," one of the oldest living Confederate veterans in this section of the state, will celebrate his 90th birthday here Monday, February 27. On next Sunday before his birthday an old folks service will be held at First Baptist church in celebration of the occasion. Lunch will be served at the church at noon.

The morning service will be devoted to the celebration and Dr. A. E. Prince, pastor, will preach a sermon especially for old people. All old people in the section are invited to attend and all who do not have means of transportation may telephone the church office and transportation will be furnished them. People who plan to stay for lunch are urged to bring their basket with them and leave it in the church kitchen in the basement.

Bonds Are Set in Charges of Theft Bathroom Fixtures

Examining trials for Ross E. Hardin and Orvell Bankston, charged with burglary on three counts in connection with the thefts of bathroom fixtures from as many Brownwood houses, were held Thursday morning before Judge E. T. Perkinson.

Hardin made a complete statement before the court admitting the burglaries and stated that Bankston was an accomplice. Hardin said that he and Bankston had planned to take the fixtures to San Antonio or some other city where they hoped to sell them.

Bankston declined to make any statement. Bonds for Bankston and Hardin were fixed at \$500 in each, a total of \$1,500, these bonds binding them over to action of the grand jury. Bankston perfected bond and was released.

Revival Meeting In County Court Room Announced

Rev. H. A. Martin announces a revival meeting to begin tonight at 7:30 in the court house. The court house is "on the square," says this announcement, and so will the revival be.

This campaign is being launched by Rev. Roger Portson and Rev. E. B. Early, it is stated, who will be assisted in the devotionals and music by John Curbo. An invitation is extended to everybody to attend. "There will be old time gospel singing, old time gospel praying and old time gospel preaching," the announcement states.

Nazarene Revival

Rev. B. A. Fox preached last night in the revival at the Church of the Nazarene last night on "Where Art Thou?—God's First Call to Man." Rev. J. L. Bates of Goldthwaite will preach tonight on "How Shall We Escape." Mrs. Denman, a member of Central Methodist Church, sang a solo, "Face to Face," at last night's meeting.

The crowd at last night's service was the largest since the beginning of the meetings, pastor reports.

City Gospel Mission

Rev. Mr. Boles, Howard Payne ministerial student, preached last night at City Gospel Mission last night. Good reports of his sermon are heard. Mr. Nuckols, also a Howard Payne ministerial student, will preach tonight.

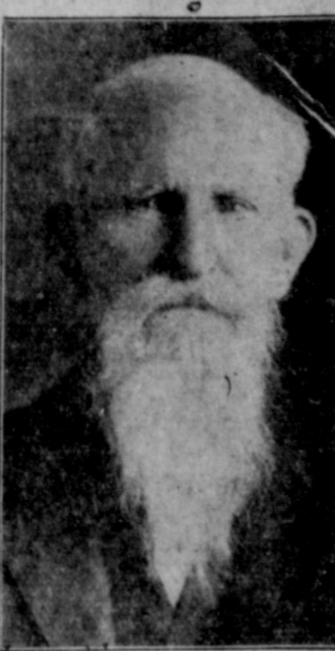
Rev. Frank O'Hearn, in charge of the mission, reports good crowds attending and good interest in the services. At the altar in the last few nights, he states, have been men from Lubbock, Amarillo, Longview and other places.

In 1924, the Department of Agriculture spent \$10,300,000 in attempts to control insects and diseases of plants and animals.

Harness Goods about half the price of two years ago at Looney's.

In Brownwood Since 1882 90 Years Old

90 Years Old



James E. Smith

Mr. and Mrs. Smith came to Brownwood in 1882 from Kentucky and at that time there was only one school house here and not a church building in the village. Mr. Smith joined the Baptist church in Kentucky. He was born in Lyon county February 27, 1843, and spent his boyhood on his father's plantation. Mr. Smith joined the Confederate army October 26, 1861, at Hopkinsville, and was placed in Company B of the Eighth Kentucky. He fought through the war, seeing much action, until within a few months of its close when he and a brother became separated from their company and was forced to surrender.

Many old people from all the surrounding section are expected to attend the service Sunday and help Mr. Smith and all his many friends celebrate his birthday.

Zephyr

Miss Marzelle Boland of Goldthwaite, is the guest of her brother, Garland Boland, this week.

Miss Pauline Davis returned home Thursday from a visit with friends in Paint Rock.

Rev. Paul McCasland of Brookessmith filled his regular appointment at the Baptist Church Sunday.

Misses Lella Van Zandt and Aurilla Petty of Stephenville, spent Sunday here with their parents.

Miss Vivian McDaniel was in Brownwood visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Lea and baby visited Mrs. Lea's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Dabney Sunday.

Mr. Kemp of Paint Rock, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. George Ware.

Mrs. R. L. Beck of Big Spring, is visiting her sister, Mrs. D. F. Petty, this week.

Miss Alla Rae Coffey is visiting Miss Lella Van Zandt in Stephenville this week.

Supt. Griffin is the owner of a new Chevrolet sedan.

Miss Pauline Glass spent the week-end in Brownwood with her grandmother, Mrs. L. L. White.

Mrs. Mattie McCutcheon attended the funeral of her niece in Mullin Sunday afternoon.

Messrs. Leslie Griffin and Alec Edwards and Miss Little Beth Morris were week-end guests of Miss Kate Fields at her home near Bangs.

Misses Avis and Inez Petsick spent the week-end with their parents in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Weston entertained the members of the Epworth League with a social at their home Friday. Various games were played throughout the evening.

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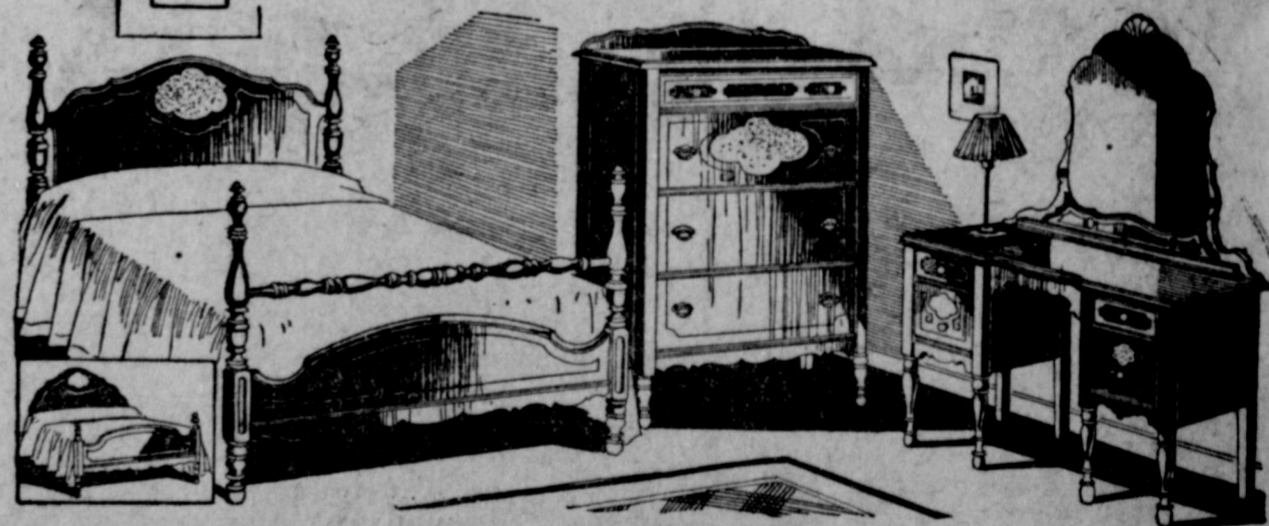
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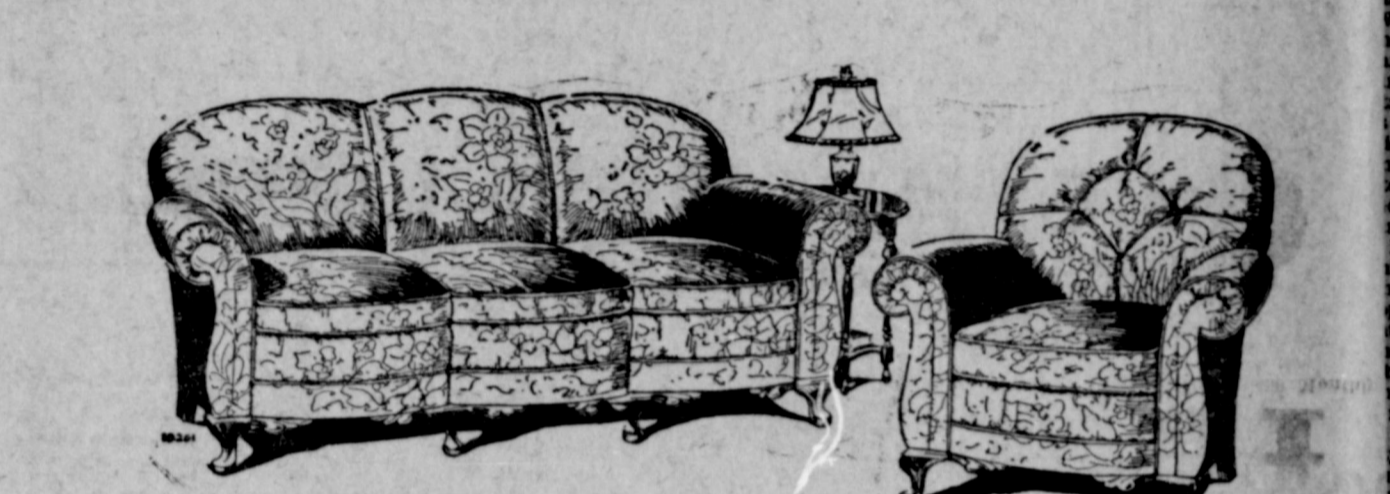
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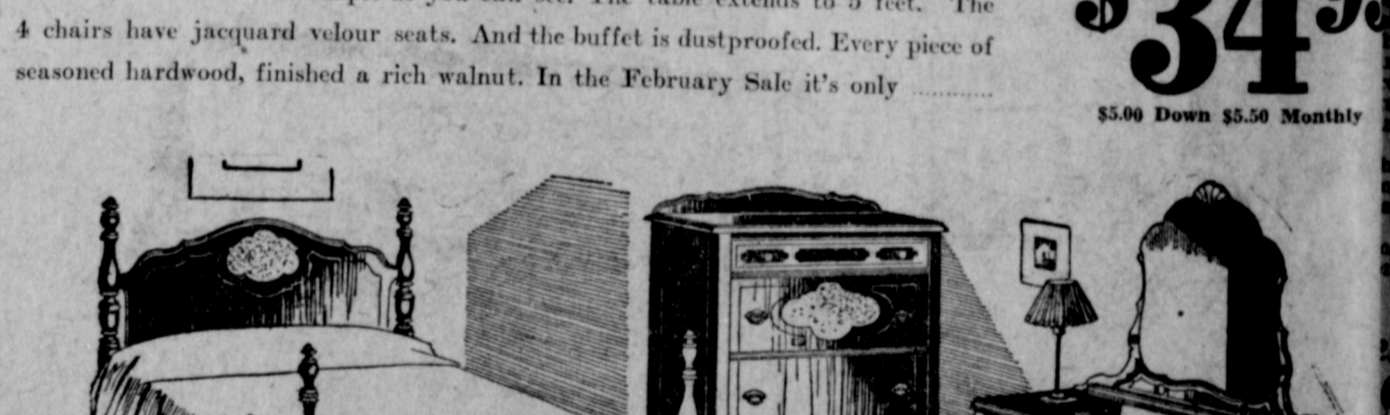
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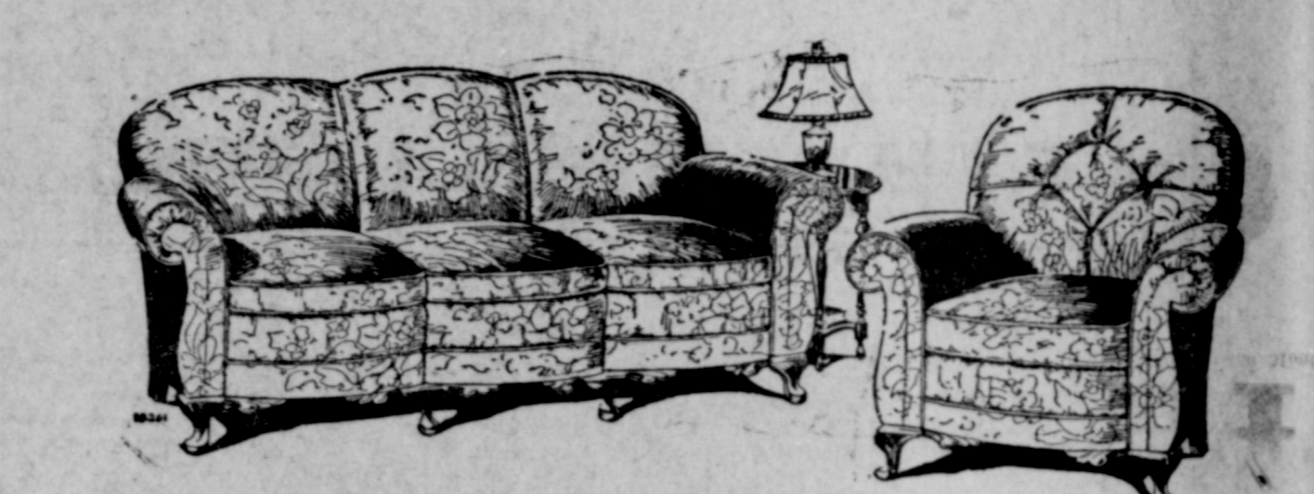
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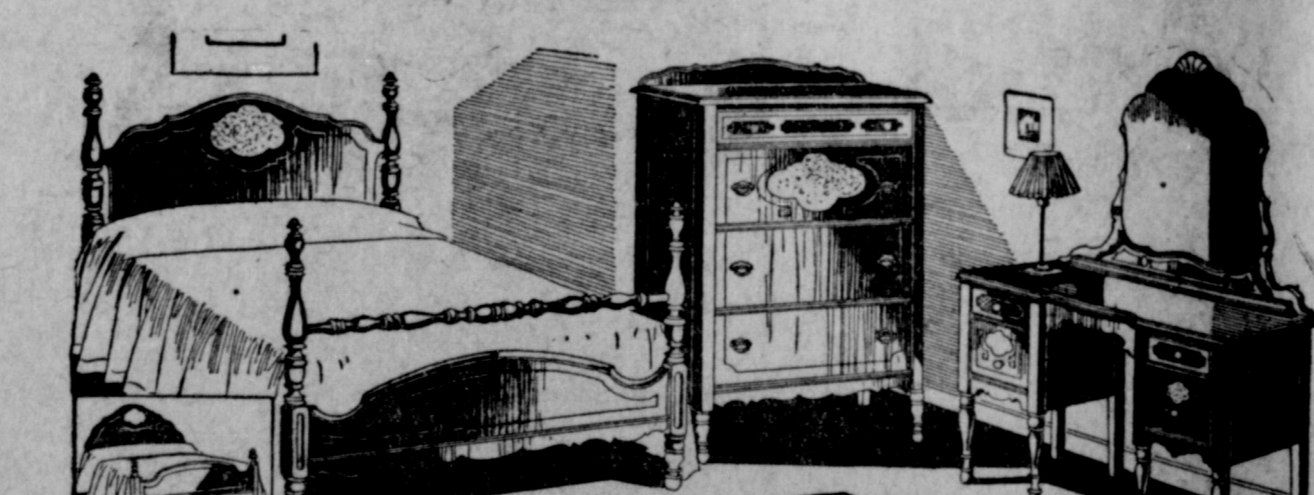
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