

FOUND IN WEST AS HOTEL

March 11.—(P)—The body of Flanagan, about 35 years of age, was found in the Roman Catholic church at midday. The body had been in the church for some time, having stopped at the altar. He had been in California in the last few days. He had not been feeling well, but after his condition seemed to improve, he was taken to a hospital. Flanagan was a resident of Brownwood, Texas, and had been in the city since 1928.

New Head of Farm Board



Long noted as a leader of co-operative marketing projects, James C. Stone, above, of Kentucky, has been appointed chairman of the Federal Farm Board to succeed Alexander Legge, who has returned to a \$100,000-a-year job as head of the board of the International Harvester Company. Stone, who has been vice chairman of the farm board, first attained national prominence by banding together the tobacco growers.

FIRE FOLLOWS ROBBERY ALEX PLAHN STORE

Fire which appears to have followed immediately upon the heels of a robbery, or to have been started by robbers themselves, completely destroyed the general store and filling station owned and operated by Alex Plahn at Indian Creek, 16 miles southwest of Brownwood, at about 5:30 this morning. When firemen who went from Brownwood were able to enter the ruins of the store it was found that the safe door had been blown off and the contents were missing. Mr. Plahn told officers that he had about \$12 in cash and some papers in the safe. The loss from the fire was estimated at \$10,000 and he carried no insurance either on building or contents.

NEW MEXICO AUTO CRASH KILLS TEXAN

AMARILLO, Tex., March 12.—W. N. Williams, automobile salesman of Amarillo, was killed near Gallup, New Mexico, last night, when the truck in which he was riding plunged down an embankment and overturned, according to word received here today. M. M. Seufert, also of Amarillo and reported to have been driving the truck, was uninjured.

JONAS SHEARN RICE SUCGUMBS HOUSTON HOME

HOUSTON, Texas, March 12.—(P)—Jonas Shearn Rice, 75, pioneer financier, died at his home here Thursday morning.

Mr. Rice was chairman of the board of the Union National Bank here. His father, Frederick A. Rice, who came here from Massachusetts in 1859 when Houston was a village, was one of the builders of the first railroads in this, then a raw section, the Houston and Texas Central.

Hoovers at Asheville to See Son



It was to be a happy visit for President and Mrs. Hoover, when, as pictured here, they arrived at Asheville, N. C., and were welcomed by their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Herbert Hoover, Jr. For they found their son, Herbert, Jr., well on the road to recovery when they visited the mountain cottage where he has been confined for six months as the result of a lung infection. This photo was taken as the President and the First Lady stood outside the Asheville station in a heavy snow-storm.

CONTESTS DUE IN ALL PHASES SCHOOL WORK

The Annual Brown County Inter-scholastic League meet opens in Brownwood at the Junior high school auditorium at 9 o'clock in the morning, Friday, March 13, with twenty schools of the country having at this time made entries. E. J. Woodward, superintendent of the Brownwood schools, director general of the meet, said today that one of the largest meets in the history of Brown county schools was expected and that much interest had been shown by schools over all the county. Almost every school has entered contestants in every event and the competition this year in the various events is expected to be great.

FOLLOWS THREE HOUSES THIS AFTERNOON

The police department knows this afternoon secured a quantity of the other two netted homes of Tom Richardson Baker street was the bottles of beer, 110 a large jar and other articles.

MANY MOTION PICTURE HOUSES IN TEXAS ARE CLOSED PAST 4 MONTHS

AUSTIN, March 12.—(P)—Two hundred and seventy-eight motion picture houses closed their doors and business of motion picture distributors of Texas slumped \$1,000,000 during the past four months. Don Douglas, film distributor of Dallas, told members of the house committee on revenue and taxation last night. Douglas appeared against a bill by Representative Scott of Sweetwater which asked that a three per cent gross receipts tax be placed on film distributors.

BOND ISSUE RESOLUTION MEETS FIRE

AUSTIN, March 12.—(P)—Indications of what is to come when the resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution to authorize the \$200,000,000 state highway bond issue flashed in the senate today when Senator Woodall, author of the resolution, moved that it be set for special order next Wednesday morning. The motion was adopted.

SANDERSON RE-ELECTED SECRETARY-TREASURER OF VETERINARY BOARD

The State Board of a Veterinary Medical Examiners met at Fort Worth Wednesday for organization for the present year. The examiners held their first session, elected officers and assigned subjects upon which the examinations are to be given. There are eleven subjects and each of the examiners will conduct the examination in one branch of the work. Dr. W. E. Sanderson of Brownwood, a member of the board, attended the meeting.

W. W. Beard, Celebrating His 81st Birthday, Comments on Wonderful Development Witnessed in Texas

W. W. Beard, who celebrated his 81st birthday at his home, 1813 Avenue E. Wednesday, March 11th, says that in the 62 years that he has lived in Texas, the last 34 of which have been spent in Brown county, he has seen wonderful changes and great progress. When he first came to Texas there were very few people in Hunt county, where he settled, and there were no schools or churches in that district.

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home, and says that at that time Brownwood was a sprawling village and he never thought that he would see it the thriving city of today. He lived near Santa Anna for about 9 years and in 1897 bought a farm out of the Brooke Smith lands in Brown county, near Trickham. There was practically no farming done in that part of the county at that time, but where he settled, and there were no schools or churches in that district.

House in Section of Burns Today

When origin destroyed house and did \$300 worth of damage in the new building on the corner of Payne street and Payne park at 3 o'clock. The fire spread the flames from the vacant house and spread the flames from the vacant house and spread the flames from the vacant house.

First Meeting New Brooksmith Club Tomorrow Night

The first meeting of the recently organized Brooksmith Improvement Club will be held Friday night at 7:30. At that time there will be a very interesting program given. This will include short talks and a varied musical program, featuring several players from Brownwood.

13 Indictments by Grand Jury

Thirteen indictments were returned at noon by the grand jury in session. Some of the indictments were upon testimony furnished through evidence obtained during examining trials.

Exhibit Four Big Eggs At Coleman

COLEMAN, Texas, March 12.—(P)—Four of the largest hen eggs ever exhibited in Coleman were displayed here by Mrs. W. F. Paige, formerly Miss Lucile Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor of Pendleton, Bell county. The eggs were brought in by Mrs. Paige, who saw an Associated Press item about large eggs that were exhibited at Pendleton. Mrs. Paige has only 17 hens.

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Wm. Will Land Against Wimer Today

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Get \$25 from Safe At Lift Market

The Ratliff Broadway during Monday and Tuesday during the robbery was \$25 in cash, including the cash in the safe, was taken by the robbers. The robbery was discovered by unscrupulous persons. Sheriff investigated the robbery and had no clues as to who the robbers were. The safe was opened this morning and the money was found.

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ENTRIES MADE BY OVER TWENTY SCHOOLS IN LITERARY EVENTS INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE MEET

Entries are being made in the Brown county interscholastic league meet and already more than twenty schools in the county have sent their lists of contestants to Superintendent of Brownwood Schools E. J. Woodward, who is director general of the meet.

Mr. Woodward said today that from previous meetings judging from the large number of students from the various schools entered in the contests, this year's meet would be one of the most successful ever held in Brown county.

Schools in the county league are: Bangs, Blanket, Brooksmith, Brownwood Heights, Brownwood High school, Brownwood Junior High school, Bryds, Center Point, Chapel Hill, Clear Creek, Clio, Coggins Ward, Cross Cut, Grosvenor, Early, J. R. Looney Ward, McDaniel, May, South Ward, Williams, Woodland Heights and Zephyr.

Entries Literary Events Following are the entries in the literary events as received by Mr. Woodward:

Extemporaneous Speech: Boys, ton Ramsour, Brownwood Junior high, Girls, Edwina Nevans, Brownwood senior high; Cleone and Maurine Tevoeren, McDaniel; David Price, Clio; Albert McChristy, Brownwood senior high school; Mike Keith, Brownwood Junior high; Blanche Dabney, Blanket.

Arithmetic contest: J. L. Strohm, Reta Scott and C. L. Dixon, Center Point; Iva Addison and Ralph Richmond, Blanket; Winnie Dewberry, Early; Edna Newsome, Kittle Beadel, Alice Oney and Frances Lee, Ellis or Bobby Ruth Hornburg and Weldon Cook, Brownwood Junior high; Frank Harris and Aubrey Cox or Logan Stewart and Rose Studerth, May.

Essay Writing: Class A. Angenette Measor, Mary Prince, Brownwood high; Class B. Alice Bailey or Anna Belle Cook, May; Ned Snyder or Inez Mayo, Brownwood Junior high; Rural, Leola Nysale, Clear Creek; LeRoy Ashcraft, McDaniel; Dorothy Dixon, Center Point; Ward, Hermoine Vance or Nellie Cadenehead, J. R. Looney; Eloise Cabier or Doris Stewart, Zephyr.

Declaration Contest: Declaration: Junior boys rural division, Harry Mauldin or Barton Keeler, McDaniel; Dolph Brewster, Center Point; Murel Sewall or Clarence Ford, Clear Creek; Lillian Caldwell, Chapel Hill; Junior girls rural division, Thelma Spivey or Ruth Howlett, McDaniel; Dorothy Brewster or Harber Rodgers, Center Point; Alice Chapman, Clear Creek; Norma Weeks, Chapel Hill.

Senior boys, rural division: Elmo Phelan or Josephine McColley or Marie King, McDaniel; Amos Caldwell, Chapel Hill; Senior girls, rural division, Nannie Mae King, McDaniel; Marie Jones, Center Point; Delvia Mae McCrea, Clear Creek; Greta Mae Alley, Chapel Hill; Alla Coffey, Zephyr.

Junior boys, high school division: Charles Day or Harold Pettitt, South Ward; P. B. McElroy, Jr. or Elstine Bates, Brownwood Heights; Billy Hooper or Fred Abney, J. R. Looney Ward; Moody Vernon or Layton Roscoe, Early; Robert Steel or Ben Moore, Brownwood Junior high; Hal Cherry, Junior high; Robert Edward Swart, Blanket; Junior girls, high school division, Charlie Mae Scott or June Garrett, South Ward; Marie Brannon or Elizabeth Allen, Brownwood Heights; Margaret Denman, R. Looney Ward; Marjorie Jordan or Doris Mcintosh, Coggins Ward; Robbie Thomas or Bernice Flowers, Early; Alta Killion or Willie L. Keeler, May; Lucy Mae Brown or Stella M. Prude, Junior high; Clara Dabney, Blanket.

Senior boys, high school division, Leander Hall or Paul Killebrew, Brownwood Senior high; George Edwards, Early; Jesse Driskill or Julius McBride, May; James Abney or Edward Taylor, Junior high; G. C. Levisay, Blanket; Senior girls, high school division, Leota Leach or Frances Foster, Brownwood Senior high; Estelle Page or Jimmie Friend, Early; Winona Killion or Lillian King, May; Maedell Nevans or Virginia Dillard, Junior high and Marianna Landford, Blanket.

Spelling Division Junior spelling contest: Alice Brown and Josephine McColley or Voyie Irwin, Brownwood Senior high; Margaret Trigg and Ivis Wells or Alice Bailey or Burette King, May; Nona Prater and Bernice Stockton or Neida Gregg and Athalee Russell, Cross Cut; Grace Edmonds and Viola Harris, Killebrew; Helen, Cade and Ora, Strickland, Blanket; Dorothy Dixon and Marie Jones, or Mildred Kelly, Center Point; LeRoy Ashcraft and Elmo Phelan or Nannie Mae King, McDaniel; Bonna Jones and Wilmath Alley, Center Point; Jessie Stewart and Whinnie Baskin or Oleta Newton and Bettye McInnis, Bryds; Aubrey Crockett and Gillie Renfro or Wilberta Alford and Myrie Bagley, Clio; Novice Shelton and Pauline Glass, Zephyr.

Junior spelling contest: Lowanna Griffin and Alto Turpin or H. L. Buford and Hugh Von McBride, May; Bernice Gray and Lehn McInnis or Velma Holland, Bryds; Mildred Hall and I. A. Hicks, Jr. or Willis Denman and Jim Ming, Jr., Brownwood Junior high; Leroy Burns and Morris Rogers or Annie Lockwood and Leola Hughes, J. R. Looney Ward; Charles Day and Zella Keith or Charlie Mae Scott and Margaret Cole, South Ward; Estyne Bates and Hazel Dunsworth or Hortense Kerbow, Brownwood Heights; Bevelin Achon, Elizabeth Bonser or Dorothy Palmer and Grady Anderson, Coggins Ward; Geraldine Gaines and Dorris Myers or Athalee Russell and Billie R. Clark, Cross Cut; Dorothy Millan and Clois Harris, Early; Gemla Mae Douglas and Howard Kesler, Barton; Reta Scott and Anna Rogers, or Annie Hinson, Center Point; Thelma Spivey and Harry Mauldin or Barton Keeler and Pauline Haynes, McDaniel; R. Lee Owens and Margaret Nichols, Clear Creek; Bobbie Lorne Ham and Norma Weeks, Chapel Hill; June Baker and Kathleen Fisher or Dorothy Baker and Edith Kimmons, Zephyr.

Sub-Junior spelling contest: Mona Naron and Margaret Smith, or Lynette Ferguson, Bryds; Marie Copeland and Bessie Lane or Erma R. Ham and Ernestine Jones, Chapel Hill; Naomi Latham and Leona Reed, Clear Creek; Elizabeth Blair and Cluzord Wheatley, McDaniel; Juanita Boyd and Cristel Boyd or Mary C. Kelley and Wendell Brewster, Center Point; Margaret Landford and Ralph Richmond, Blanket; Shirley Mae Lambert or Phyllis, Milan, Early; Doris Griffin and Lena Teague or Billie Wilmont and C. Chambers, Cross Cut; Georgia Fitzgerald and Marie Morrison or H. Heysler and Creel Grady Coggin Ward; Margaret Sebik and Joel Woods or Alton Phillips and Maxine Shaw, Looney Ward; Virgil Paul and Mylon Gifford or Junior Marable, Brownwood Heights; Billy Ruth Thompson and Rosemary Kimberlin or C. McIntosh and E. Jones.

Debate: Boys' division: Bill Murphy and Jeff Thomas, Wilkes, Brownwood Senior high; Wyke Culpin and Burette King or John Palmer and Roy Morrison, May; Earl Clements and Robert Havins or J. R. Stalcup, Jr., Brownwood Junior high. Girls' division: Jane Woodruff and Elinor Spratt, Brownwood Senior high; Alice Bailey and Amalee Holt or Elenor Lappe, May.

Music Memory: Music memory: Wilma Fry, Kathryn Stanford, Camille McHorse, substitutes, June Buck and Nadine Morrison, Coggins Ward; Juanita Hernandez, James Scott and for substitutes, Joe Allen Adams and Laverne Scott, Looney Ward. Picture memory: Rosa Lee Harms and Aida Pearl Stewart, May; Wilma Brewster, Center Point; Ura Kelly, Anita Smith, Marita Belle Lawrence and alternates, Dick Tullos and Marie Chambers, Brownwood Heights; June Buck, Martha Dublin, Wilma Fry, Doris McIntosh, Camille McHorse, Dorothy Palmer, Katherine Stanford, Margaret Stoker, Ben Sweet, Gerald Woods, Julia McCienden and Juanita Lancaster and substitutes, Nadine Morrison, Ruth Townsend and Laurene Floyd, Coggin Ward; B. T. Neville, Alva Wise, Imogene Farris, Mary Sprinkle, Juanita Eter, Henry Newby and alternates, Cretia Mae Rice, Teddy Lewis, Edith Orr, Bettye Joe Lewis, Patsy J. Sullivane and Eloise Scott, South Ward; Nellie Cadenehead, Juanita Allred, Wannah Faye Nabours, Jake Allright, Antonio Hernandez and Ruthabel Lane and substitutes, Aida Davis and Carl Connolly, Looney Ward.

Club clubs: South Ward Junior high school sixth grade glee club, Junior high eighth grade glee club and South Ward glee club. The girls' basketball team met the May girls in a very interesting game at the Howard Payne gym Wednesday evening. The score was 13 to 19 in favor of May.

The Senon Epworth League was entertained with a social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Franklin Wednesday evening. Hot chocolate and cake was served to a large number. All reported having spent a very enjoyable evening.

Lane Whitmore and Mrs. Lloyd Ward and baby of Midland came in Wednesday for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Whitmore.

RELATIVES. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Deen of Brownwood spent the week-end here with relatives.

Ruth, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Martin is on the sick list this week.

Blake McLaughlin and children and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Gafford of Cross Cut visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McLaughlin Sunday.

Miss Derie Reeves of Menard spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Reeves. Texas Hospital, Brownwood spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Ratto.

Those to represent this school at the county meet next Friday and Saturday in spelling are: Sub-Junior, Joe Bob Rushing and Geanie Mae Douglass; Junior, Ralph Richardson and Margaret Lanford; Senior, Helen Cade and Ora Strickland.

Those to declaim are: Junior Boys, Robert Edward Swart; Junior Girls, Clara Dabney; Senior Boys, G. C. Levisay; Senior Girls, Marianna Lanford. Miss Minnie Sherman of Cross Plains is visiting in the home of her aunt, Mrs. Ben Nix this week.

Ward Lowe returned home Tuesday from Fort Worth where he attended the Fat Stock Show. The young people enjoyed a party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Huckley Saturday evening.

Music Memory: Music memory: Wilma Fry, Kathryn Stanford, Camille McHorse, substitutes, June Buck and Nadine Morrison, Coggins Ward; Juanita Hernandez, James Scott and for substitutes, Joe Allen Adams and Laverne Scott, Looney Ward. Picture memory: Rosa Lee Harms and Aida Pearl Stewart, May; Wilma Brewster, Center Point; Ura Kelly, Anita Smith, Marita Belle Lawrence and alternates, Dick Tullos and Marie Chambers, Brownwood Heights; June Buck, Martha Dublin, Wilma Fry, Doris McIntosh, Camille McHorse, Dorothy Palmer, Katherine Stanford, Margaret Stoker, Ben Sweet, Gerald Woods, Julia McCienden and Juanita Lancaster and substitutes, Nadine Morrison, Ruth Townsend and Laurene Floyd, Coggin Ward; B. T. Neville, Alva Wise, Imogene Farris, Mary Sprinkle, Juanita Eter, Henry Newby and alternates, Cretia Mae Rice, Teddy Lewis, Edith Orr, Bettye Joe Lewis, Patsy J. Sullivane and Eloise Scott, South Ward; Nellie Cadenehead, Juanita Allred, Wannah Faye Nabours, Jake Allright, Antonio Hernandez and Ruthabel Lane and substitutes, Aida Davis and Carl Connolly, Looney Ward.

Club clubs: South Ward Junior high school sixth grade glee club, Junior high eighth grade glee club and South Ward glee club. The girls' basketball team met the May girls in a very interesting game at the Howard Payne gym Wednesday evening. The score was 13 to 19 in favor of May.

The Senon Epworth League was entertained with a social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Franklin Wednesday evening. Hot chocolate and cake was served to a large number. All reported having spent a very enjoyable evening.

Lane Whitmore and Mrs. Lloyd Ward and baby of Midland came in Wednesday for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Whitmore.

Prof and Mrs. R. L. Fortune, H. H. Black, Mrs. V. B. Eoff, Mrs. Guy Heptinstall, Mrs. T. E. Beard, Misses Gladys Godwin, Allean Betts and Joe Dabney attended the Mid-Texas Teachers Association at Brownwood Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Nix and little daughter, spent from Friday until Sunday with relatives of Cross Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ingram moved to the Dave McKinney place west of town a few days ago.

Rev. Walter Williams of Brownwood preached a very interesting sermon at the Baptist church Sunday at the eleven o'clock hour. Dr. Jewel Daugherty of the Central Texas Hospital, Brownwood filled the pulpit at the evening hour. He gave a splendid talk and the house was filled with intent listeners. A number of Brownwood people were present.

Blake McCulley of Crystal City and R. A. McCulley of Comanche visited T. M. McCulley and family and T. E. Levisay and family Sunday.

Hudson Ratto and family moved to the L. F. Bird farm south of town the first of last week.

Mrs. G. W. Faulkner had business in Brownwood Wednesday.

VIRGIL KIRKLAND IS GIVEN LIFE SENTENCE FOR MURDER OF PRETTY ARLENE DRAVES

VALPARAISO, Ind., March 11—(UP)—Virgil Kirkland, young Gary Athlete, was found guilty last night of murdering Arlene Daves at a drinking party and his punishment fixed at life imprisonment.

The jurors, nine farmers and three tradesmen who listened for 14 days to evidence in one of the most dramatic trials in Indiana's history, were out 3 hours and 22 minutes, most of which time was spent at dinner.

The state charged that Kirkland struck Arlene during the porch scene when she resisted his advances, and its medical experts testified she was killed by injuries of concussion of the brain.

Kirkland testified in his own behalf at a climatic point of the trial. Tearfully he said that he loved Arlene, wanted to marry her, and was intimate with her only with her consent.

He denied striking the girl, declaring he shook her because she was in a stupor.

Besides Kirkland, four others were charged with the murder. They are Thompson, Barton, Shirk and Leon Stanford, and will be tried separately.

Kirkland's mother, who had left the trial as Prosecutor John Underwood pictured her boy as an "inhuman beast" and demanded his life, became hysterical when the verdict was read.

"My darling, my darling, it is unfair," she cried as she fought her way past four deputies to embrace Virgil, who sat dazed for several minutes, then comforted her by reminding her she could see him in jail. He was led away late by the deputies and probably will be sentenced next Monday.

Arlene Daves, 18, pretty and just out of high school, died at a drinking party November 29, 1930, at the home of David Thompson, a Gary fireman. Sixteen persons, husbands, wives and sweethearts, met at Thompson's home, for an evening of merry making, which they described as not unlike many parties of this date and age.

Virgil Kirkland, 20, football hero before he was expelled from high school, escorted Arlene to the party and later was charged with her murder. The trial began Feb. 23.

Soon after they arrived, a bottle of alcohol was found in a pantry, and drinks were served to Arlene, Virgil and another couple. Some of "the boys" brought a gallon each of alcohol and wine, and everybody "ganged around" the kitchen table to drink it.

While other couples danced or drank, Virgil and Arlene slipped away to the front porch.

Dick Sturtridge, former Peapaw University star athlete, found them there, he testified, with Virgil leaning over Arlene, and murmuring, "I love you, you know I love you."

"I want to go home," was Arlene's only reply, said Sturtridge. Then he heard Arlene fall to the floor, ran over and picked her up, and Virgil carried her to an automobile "to get fresh air."

Paul Barton, owner of the automobile, and Thompson, the host, drove to a lunch stand for sandwiches with Virgil and Arlene in the rear seat.

Washed Blood From Hands At the cafe, witnesses testified, Kirkland washed blood from his hands and made a remark construed by the state that he had attacked Arlene and prompted Thompson to do likewise. The state stressed this testimony.

Barton and shirker Shirk later started to Arlene's home. The party was over, Kirkland remained with

LEE A. MILLHOLLON DIES AT HOME HERE AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Lee A. Millhollon, 60, passed away at his home, 318 Millon avenue, at 6:45 o'clock Sunday evening, March 8, after an illness of more than two years, a part of which time he spent in Stanton and Big Spring in an effort to regain his health, returning to Brownwood about 5 months ago.

Mr. Millhollon was born June 19, 1870 in Hill county, Texas, near Hillsboro, but had lived in Brownwood for a number of years having been one of the pioneer cattle inspectors in this section of West Texas.

On July 7, 1899, he was married to Miss Ella Jacobs of Indian Gap, and to this union were born two children, a son died in infancy and a daughter, Mrs. A. C. Woodward, lives at Lamesa.

Surviving Mr. Millhollon are his wife and daughter, Mrs. A. C. Woodward, small granddaughter, Annie Lee Woodward, a sister, Mrs. J. H. Christie of Garden City, a brother, J. E. Millhollon of Stanton, a half-sister, Mrs. Joe Taylor of Brownwood, a half brother, Bert Millhollon of Brownwood, two step sisters, Mrs. Henry Millhollon and Mrs. Charlie Camp, both of Brownwood, and four nieces, Mrs. J. A. Boler of Brownwood, Mrs. W. F. Barns of Santa Anna, Mrs. Fred Ratliff of Garden City and Miss Jewell Christie of Brownwood.

Funeral services were held at 10:30 o'clock Tuesday morning at the Church of Christ with Rev. T. M. Carney, pastor, officiating. Austin-Morris Company had charge of the arrangements.

Pal bearers: Pat Taylor, B. Weaver, Oscar Channey, J. J. Spence, C. S. Eschman, Will Mayfield and A. K. Brannon.

Honorary pall bearers: J. A. Boler, H. S. McCrum, O. A. Griffin, E. W. Jones, T. A. Barnes, J. B. Boler, P. H. Roberts, George Walker, U. R. Grooms, S. W. Childress, Arthur Ennis, Rance Pettitt, Dr. C. W. Gray, W. F. Swindle, Gib Callaway, J. Henry Hamblin, Frank Crossshaw, L. E. Shaw, Edwin Davis and Joe Stalcup.

Unemployed at Yoakum, Texas, were given work picking volunteer spring cotton maturing because of the unusual mild winter.

Teachers Attend Show as Chamber Commerce Guests More than 300 teachers attended the Lyric Theatre Saturday as the guests of the Brownwood Chamber of Commerce.

A large number of the visiting teachers left Friday night while others stayed until the closing session and returned to their homes Saturday afternoon and night. Many others, however, remained in Brownwood until Sunday before returning to their respective schools.

WHITE'S HOLDS FIRST SURPRISE PARTY White's Grocery held its first surprise party last Saturday with a full house and the whole party was declared to have been a great success. Miss June Garrett, Mrs. P. L. Hewitt and Mrs. B. Mitchell of Brownwood and Mr. Heptinstall of the Blanket community were presented with one of Mrs. Porter's home-made cakes, an eight-pound pail of shortening, 24-pound sack of flour and a bunch of bananas.

Another party will be held next Saturday and everyone is invited.

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STATE SENATE MOURNS DEATH OF C. H. JENKINS

Copies of a resolution adopted by the State Senate following the death on February 23rd in Brownwood of Judge C. H. Jenkins have been received by the family here. A similar resolution was also adopted by the House of Representatives, of which Judge Jenkins was formerly a member.

The Senate resolution, introduced by Senators Woodward, Holbrook and Hornsby, and approved by unanimous standing vote, reads as follows:

"Whereas, on February 23, 1931, in the city of Brownwood, Texas, the long and useful life of Judge Charles H. Jenkins came to a quiet and peaceful end; and

"Whereas, Judge Jenkins in early life pioneered in the great West wherein he has for more than half a century devoted his life to the building of a citizenship for which the great West is famed; and

"Whereas, Judge Jenkins has in the past served his state faithfully as a public servant, having been honored with membership in the Legislature of Texas, as Associate Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals of the Third Supreme Judicial District, and as Chairman of the Codifying Commission, during which service and in each capacity he served with fidelity and distinction, every faithful to the people whom he represented; and

"Whereas, in his death, the citizen ship of Brownwood, and all Texas, has lost a distinguished citizen, and one who, as a public servant, regarded public office as a public trust; therefore

"Be it Resolved, by the Senate of Texas, that sympathy is extended to the relatives of the deceased; that a page of the Senate Journal be set aside today in memory of Judge Jenkins and his faithful and honorable service; that a copy of this resolution be by the Secretary of the Senate forwarded to the family of the deceased and when the Senate adjourns today, it be in respect to his memory."

The resolution is signed by Edgar E. Witt, Lieutenant Governor and President of the Senate, and by Bob Barker, Secretary of the Senate.

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SWINDLE TO QUIT OFFICE JUN 1ST TO ENTER OTHER BUSINESS

County Superintendent J. Oscar Swindle tendered his resignation as an office holder to the Commissioners' court Monday in regular session. The resignation states that because of other business of his he has decided to leave the elective office. The resignation takes effect on June 12 and Mr. Swindle will remain in the office until that time.

At noon the commissioners had not appointed a successor to Mr. Swindle. However, it was understood that more than a dozen applications had been made for the position. The present term, according to a recent law, will last for four years as Mr. Swindle has only served two months of the new term.

Mr. Swindle said this morning that he had accepted a position as manager of a branch office of the Southwestern Seating Company of San Antonio. He will be placed in charge of the Fort Worth house for that company. He said that during the remainder of his time in office he would give his successor all the assistance possible in becoming familiar with the duties of the office.

R. L. Fortune, superintendent at Blanket, was mentioned as one of the prominent applicants for the appointment as successor.

Mr. Swindle came to some eight years ago and here has served in his third term. He will family to Fort Worth.

SEeks HUGH PL BRIDGEPORT, Com ture will see huge carrying 1000 persons trans-Atlantic comm according to a predic Siskowsky, noted aviation He further predicts planes will climb to 6000 to 8000 miles an hour

Horses have the posing ing while standing. The provided rest, immo isms which cause them it were, and permit rest somewhat as a standing on stilts.

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PENALTY ERSED BY HER COURT

March 11—(AP)—The final appeals today remanded the case of...

High Notes

of Brownwood, pastor Creek Baptist church, regular appointment at Sunday...

Zephyr

Rev. J. D. Smoot of Comanche filled his regular appointment at the Methodist church Sunday...

SCREEN TIME

Long before it is time to put the screens on the house, you should get them painted and all hinges and hooks repaired...

Bangs

Misses Ida Mae Roberts and Jewell Planagan of San Angelo, were week-end guests of Miss Byrtie Fowler...

May

We had a good norther during the last week-end instead of our usual rain and it was greatly appreciated by the farmers...

Salt Creek

The weather was not too bad for Sunday school, Sunday. More people are urged to come out next Sunday...

ed a few youngsters with a party, Friday night. Bad weather prevented several from attending...

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MARVIN WHITLEY, BANGS MAN, DIES IN COLORADO CAR SMASH

The body of Marvin Whitley, 37, who was instantly killed near Colorado Springs, Colorado, when a car which he was driving from Pampa, Texas, to Denver was smashed into a cliff by a large moving van at 1 o'clock Saturday night, March 7, is arrived in Brownwood Monday night at 8 o'clock. Melvin Funeral Home is to take charge of the remains and funeral services were held at Bangs cemetery at 2:00 o'clock Tuesday afternoon with Rev. Swindall, pastor of the Bangs Methodist church, officiating.

Marvin Whitley was the son of J. F. Whitley of Bangs and had lived in Bangs until last September when he accompanied two of his sisters to Pampa where they are teaching school. Mr. Whitley had been working in Pampa since that time. At the time of the accident he and a companion were driving from Pampa to Denver to get a new automobile. Near Colorado Springs they were driving in very bad weather and sleet and snow made it very difficult to see, it is reported. A large moving van failed to see their automobile and skidded into it crushing it against a cliff at the side of the road. Mr. Whitley was killed instantly and his companion lived for only a few hours.

His father, J. F. Whitley of Bangs survives him as do five sisters, Bernice and Byrd Whitley of Pampa, Mrs. W. T. Kinion of Commerce, Mrs. R. B. Pierce of Bangs and Catherine Whitley of California and the brothers, M. B. Whitley of Brownwood, J. R. and Lee Whitley of Bangs.

Bernice and Byrd Whitley of Pampa are accompanying the body of their brother to Brownwood, according to reports from Pampa.

DOMESTIC SCIENCE GROUPS TO COOPERATE IN RED CROSS WORK

A meeting of representatives of the domestic science departments of four Brownwood schools was held Monday night at which time plans for aiding the Red Cross in distributing relief here were discussed. This was the fifth meeting here during the past few days at which Red Cross relief work in this county was discussed.

At the meeting Monday night Miss Ella McFarland was appointed general county chairman of the domestic science work and a county committee composed of Miss Mayessie Malone, Miss McFarland and Mrs. A. B. Queen was named. The representatives included people from the domestic science departments of Howard Payne, Daniel Baker and the two high schools.

This meeting was the outgrowth of a similar meeting held last Saturday afternoon at which time it was decided that the four departments would aid the relief work here by making dresses and other garments for the destitute families in the county. They will do the sewing in their departments from cloth furnished by the Red Cross.

Besides the sewing the departments will undertake a county-wide educational program including health, food and sanitation and under the direction of the county committee and the departments the families now receiving aid will also be given the services of the ladies.

167 Families Receive Aid.

At a meeting held at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon it was shown that there were a total of 167 families in Brown county, outside the limits of Brownwood, who were receiving aid from the Red Cross. This was an increase over the number reported the previous Saturday of approximately 25 per cent. This meeting was attended by representatives from all the consolidated school district of Brown county in which reports from each district were made.

A meeting held during the morning at which the executive committee of the Brownwood Relief Association met with a committee of the Red Cross was called to discuss the consolidation of the Red Cross work and the Brownwood Relief work. The meeting was attended by Miss Lou Eskridge, national representative of the Red Cross, of St. Louis.

Following reports made that the meeting the Red Cross took under advisement the consolidation and a report from the national headquarters is expected during the latter part of the week.

Addresses by Miss Eskridge.

While here Miss Eskridge addressed members of the Mid-Texas Teachers Association in sectional meetings on Friday also at the Daniel Baker general meeting. Her talks were made in an effort to secure the organization of Junior Red Cross chapters throughout the entire district.

The local chapter of the Red Cross, working with the Relief Association, the domestic science departments and the sub-chairmen of the consolidation school district committees, is rapidly beginning to get all families needing aid under their care and it is thought that at the time of the regular weekly meeting Saturday the work will be progressing rapidly enough for an estimate to be made concerning the total needy people in the entire county.

Pioneer Who Left Tombstone in Hail of Lead Returns to Find Arizona City Mighty Peaceful

TOMBSTONE, Ariz., March 12—(AP)—John P. Clum, 50, who made his exit from this town years ago in a hail of lead, was back today looking around.

"It seems mighty peaceful now," he remarked.

Tombstone was a bustling silver mining camp when he rode into it, fresh from taking 4,500 Apaches on the San Carlos reservation and effecting the first capture of the bloody renegade Chief Geronimo. Clum sought new fields to conquer and Tombstone offered more than a promise. It used no restraint either in cards or killings.

Clum became the first mayor, incidentally serving as postmaster, school director and editor of the Tombstone Epitaph, which he established. He had named the Apaches with home talent, so he chose Virgil Earp from among the residents and made him Chief of Police. Wyatt Earp, Virgil's brother, who had had experience on the side of the law at Dodge City, Kansas, and other frontier points, came out as Deputy United States Marshal. It began to look like there would be trouble and there was.

"Yes, I ran away from Tombstone," said Clum. "There were nine of us who were not supposed to get out of Tombstone alive. We received warnings, written in blood. We did not pay a lot of attention to them at first, but after a few months it became most unbearable.

"They were picking us off one by one. We could never put our hands definitely on those who were doing it. I decided to settle elsewhere. They opened fire on me from both sides of the road. Three miles farther along the road a bullet tore through my coat and lead brought down my horse. I kept going without him."

Clum told about the now classic fight between Virgil, Wyatt and Morgan Earp, and "Doc" Holliday on one side, and Ike and Billy Clanton, Frank and Tom McLowery, and Billy Claiborne on the other in the O. K. corral. When six guns and shot-guns had ceased firing Frank and Tom McLowery lay dead, Billy Clanton was mortally wounded, and Virgil and Morgan Earp, and Doc Holliday had received minor wounds.

"By the time I reached The Epitaph office," he said, "the citizens' protective committee was coming two abreast down the street. It had been agreed we would turn out in time of trouble and report in front of The Epitaph."

"There had been a lot of talk about the justification of the fight. But the Earps were officers of the law and I could see no reason why an officer should wait until he was fired upon two or three times before opening up himself."

"Wyatt Earp told me afterwards he could have killed Ike Clanton. Ike, Wyatt said, drew back and motioned he was not in it. He called to Ike, 'get in this, Ike, or get out!' and Ike got out."

by the quick, sharp rejoinders of Jackson to his chief interrogator, Ray Holder, chairman of the committee.

Jackson testified he had paid a commission to only one county superintendent and that was because his intention of quitting office and of going to work for the Jackson company. The money Jackson paid was merely an advance commission, Jackson said.

There is only one instant in each day when it is the same day everywhere on earth. That is the moment when it is noon at Greenwich, England. At that stroke of 12 it is midnight along the Pacific ocean, and it is the same date everywhere on earth.

MODERN METHUSELAHS

LONDON—Jill Crossley Batt, author-explorer, has announced a return trip to a locality high up in the Himalayas to locate a tribe of people who are amazing for their old age. According to Miss Batt, the years of age, and some of them live to be 200. She hopes to learn from them how to combat disease.

OH, HOW BLEAK

LONDON—If the resurrection steps to go back to the observance of the Sunday Act of 1781 are taken, the "law" systems in the act will be one of the most striking features for a hotel to cook a Sunday. It also provides a vehicle can be operated on bath, and prohibits the selling of anything.

GOOD VOLUME COUNTY BUSINESS TRANSACTED BY THE COMMISSIONERS

In the regular commissioners' court session this week it was decided that bids for drainage structures on that part of the Cross Cut road from Cross Cut to the Callahan county would be advertised in the near future and the county auditor was instructed to prepare the advertisements for the structures.

The bid of the Citizens National Bank of Brownwood was accepted as depository for the trust funds of the various county officials. The bank entered the bid of interest at 2 per cent per annum to be paid on the funds if the county supplied the bond and a rate of 1 1/2 per cent per annum be paid if the bank supplied the bond. The court decided that the contract should be awarded at the 1 1/2 per cent rate and the amount to be taken on the average daily balances, the bank to supply the bond.

The bid of the First National Bank of Brownwood was accepted as county depository. The bank made the offer that they would take the funds as on the present contract with one exception, that being that an interest of 2 per cent per annum be allowed on daily balances, figured on a monthly average with the exception that no interest is to be paid on county school funds.

C. M. Dodd was allowed \$32.65 for moving posts off right-of-way of highway No. 10 where it crosses the R. L. Mauldin land.

Joe Baker was again employed for one month as county wolf trapper, upon the petition of L. A. Nunn and several others. It was agreed that he be paid \$70 per month by the county to match the \$70 paid by the government, provided the Brown County Wolf Club give the \$27 now in the treasury to the county to defray these expenses.

The resignation of J. Oscar Swindle as county school superintendent was accepted.

The payment of regular monthly bills was ordered.

Do make a little garden for your bird in springtime. Use a box wide enough to set the bird cage in—minus its floor—so the bird can hop about among the green things. Grass, grapefruit seeds, or pepper grass are good.

Real Estate Transfers

Warranty Deeds

D. K. Woodriddle to H. L. Locker, 125 acres and 126 1/2 acre tracts of Mary Osburn survey, \$10 and other valuable consideration.

D. K. Woodriddle to H. L. Locker, 65 2-3 acres of Mary Osburn survey, \$10 and other valuable consideration.

Roxie Carter et vir to Laura Williams, undivided 3/4 interest in 60 and 145 acre tracts of Juan Delgado survey; \$10.

E. N. Fields et al to Lula Daniels, interest in 20 acres of section 41, H. T. & B. Railroad Company survey; \$10.

E. N. Fields et al to W. C. Wren, interest in 40 acres of section 41, H. T. & B. Railroad Company survey; \$10.

Lula Daniels et al to R. H. Wren, undivided interest in 40 acres of section 41, H. T. & B. Railroad Company survey; \$10.

Mineral Deeds

Pann Petroleum Corporation to Louis H. Spenser, undivided 1-6 interest in 80 acres of H. T. Key survey; \$1.

Sidney R. Ross to Walter Ross, undivided 2-256 interest in 151-55-100 acres of Juan Delgado survey; \$10.

Oil and Gas Assignments

C. B. Pyron et al to S. W. Coffman, 41 acres of section 17, E. B. B. & C. Railroad Company survey, \$1.

House Education Committee Hears School Supply Man

AUSTIN, March 12—(AP)—After hearing C. R. Jackson of Dallas, head of the school supply company which bears his name, testify last night, the house education committee planned to resume its investigation Monday.

The committee was investigating circumstances attending the placing of a series of character charts sold by Jackson on the required list for state aid schools. Charges had been made that the price charged for the series, \$27, was exorbitant and that school officials had received commissions for selling school supplies.

Action dragged last night, the session being enlivened at times

CAFE MAN IN HOSPITAL FROM BLOW ON HEAD

J. W. Bennett, owner of the Union Cafe at 611 South Washington Street, near the Santa Fe depot, was in a local hospital Monday in a serious condition suffering from a blow on the head. Arthur Blackwood is in the county jail facing assault charges.

According to police the trouble arose when Blackwood entered the cafe and started pouring out various articles from dishes. Mr. Bennett asked Blackwood, who had been drinking to leave the cafe and took him by the arm and escorted him to the door, the officers state. Thinking that Blackwood was leaving, Bennett turned to go behind the counter and, the police state, Blackwood then grasped a stool in front of the counter and brought it down on Bennett's head.

The police department received the call for an officer at about 7:30. Shortly after Bennett was struck. When Officer Jack Pike went to the cafe he had slight difficulty in getting Blackwood to accompany him peacefully to the jail.

According to reports from the hospital Bennett is suffering from a fractured skull and several deep gashes on his head. Several stitches were taken to close the gashes and Bennett was in a semi-conscious condition. Physicians held hopes for his recovery. Blackwood was held in the city jail Sunday night and after being fined Monday morning for drunkenness in city court was delivered to county officers.

DIARY BARES LIFE SLAIN N. Y. WOMAN

NEW YORK, March 11—(AP)—"The anniversary of the most unhappy day of my life—the day of my birth, Ha! Ha."

That's what Vivian Gordon, the Broadway blackmailer and vice inquiry witness, whose day was found February 26 in a Bronx park wrote in her diary September 27, 1930.

The entry was revealed today by District Attorney Charles E. McLaughlin, in charge of the investigation into the slaying.

On March 6, 1930 the woman made this entry concerning a visit to the office of her attorney:

"In John A. Radeloff's office—looked in his memo—found that while I was in the hospital he was racing around with (name deleted) whom I introduced to him on last June. Fickle person he is."

"No wonder he had no time to see me. All men are beasts. He was also running around with (name deleted), sweetheart of a singer at the dizzy (a night club). 'Twas a year ago I introduced J. A. R. to (name deleted). Maybe he is still running with her. Who cares? Any 'scrit' will do for him, he remarked at the time."

Another diary entry told of a very dear friend "whose name I shall not mention," who called on Miss Gordon with a bottle of Bourbon. "Boy, I needed it," she wrote. "I slept three hours. That's what a drink will do. He is so sweet—known him for five years—has twice asked me to marry him—but—Oh, well—"

Still another entry, dated in August, 1930, read thus:

"J. A. R. here again. Hinted about my getting killed."

Detectives have been assigned to question all persons mentioned in the diary.

Two Indicted For Killing Of Young Motorcycle Officer

FORT WORTH, March 11—(AP)—A charge that O. B. Hyles, youthful motorcycle rider, was slain December 13, 1930, with a club, was contained in an indictment returned by the Tarrant county grand jury today against J. C. Jones, former Johnson county peace officer, and Glenn Jones.

Previous versions of the youth's death were that he was struck by an automobile on the Burleson road the night of December 13.

Two counts are contained in each indictment. One charges Hyles was killed with a club, the other that he was killed by some means or instrument unknown to the grand jury. Glenn Jones is alleged to have been with J. C. Jones at the time.

Polo Pony Shipped To Baltimore Man

SAN ANGELO, March 11—(AP)—C. W. Wheelwright of the Baltimore, Md., banking house of Gillet & Co., late this week will receive a six-year-old polo pony for which he paid R. S. Waring and Dick Nasworthy of San Angelo \$1,000. Shipping charges by express, defrayed by Wheelwright, amounted to \$90.

Waring leaves early next week for Aiken, S. C., to judge the International Polo Show on March 21, 22 and 23. Next he will judge the hunters and polo horses at Camden, S. C., on March 29 and 30 and then will judge the polo show at Baltimore on April 1 and 2.

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THE C. E. STONE STOCK OF DRY GOODS AT BANKRUPT PRICES

This stock has been purchased by a new company at Bankrupt prices. The old stock must be sold by day, March 24—Come and get it at drastically reduced prices—prices that are less than one-half their retail selling price.

Doors Open 8 a. m.

This stock must be sold to make room for the EASTER OPENING Thursday, March 26th. Our buyers are in the Eastern Markets now buying new stock for all departments.

Everything must go—Everything must be sold to make room for the NEW EASTER MERCHANTISE for the New Store—

Stone Department Store, Inc.

Doors Open 8 a. m.



Real Estate Transfers

Warranty Deeds

D. K. Woodriddle to H. L. Locker, 125 acres and 126 1/2 acre tracts of Mary Osburn survey, \$10 and other valuable consideration.

D. K. Woodriddle to H. L. Locker, 65 2-3 acres of Mary Osburn survey, \$10 and other valuable consideration.

Roxie Carter et vir to Laura Williams, undivided 3/4 interest in 60 and 145 acre tracts of Juan Delgado survey; \$10.

E. N. Fields et al to Lula Daniels, interest in 20 acres of section 41, H. T. & B. Railroad Company survey; \$10.

E. N. Fields et al to W. C. Wren, interest in 40 acres of section 41, H. T. & B. Railroad Company survey; \$10.

Lula Daniels et al to R. H. Wren, undivided interest in 40 acres of section 41, H. T. & B. Railroad Company survey; \$10.

Mineral Deeds

Pann Petroleum Corporation to Louis H. Spenser, undivided 1-6 interest in 80 acres of H. T. Key survey; \$1.

Sidney R. Ross to Walter Ross, undivided 2-256 interest in 151-55-100 acres of Juan Delgado survey; \$10.

Oil and Gas Assignments

C. B. Pyron et al to S. W. Coffman, 41 acres of section 17, E. B. B. & C. Railroad Company survey, \$1.

FURS

Genuine Black	\$39.50
Pointed Fox	\$49.50
Two-skin Baum	\$49.50
Marten	\$59.50
Two (two-skin)	\$59.50
Marten	\$59.50

Piece Goods

Unbleached Domestic, 36 inch	5c
36 in. Comfort	10c
Challie, yard	10c
Voile, 40 inch, solid colors, yard	10c
Curtain Scrim, white and ecru, 36 inch	10c
Cretonne, 36 in, fast color, yard	15c
Krinkle Crepe Assorted Prints	15c
Gilbrae Gingham, Solids and Checks	19c
Organdie, 40 in. pastels	15c

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All Wool -- 2 Pant

Hand Tailored \$795

Sizes 34 to 42

Men's and Boy's Shoes and Oxfords

All Sizes. Colors are: Tan, Brown and Black

\$1.98

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While They Last

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98c - \$1.98 - \$3.98

Every Shoe in House Included in These Lots

Pumps, Straps, Ties.	Children's Shoes
Blacks, Blondes, Colors	50c
Patent, Kid, Novelties.	

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BARRETT ROMANCHE PRESIDENT

W. G. Barrett, superintendent of the Mid-Texas Teachers' Association...

Barrett was elected president of the association at a meeting...

Barrett's address is 1215 E. 12th St., Abilene, Tex.

Barrett is a member of the Abilene Chamber of Commerce...

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First Christian and First Presbyterian churches for use of buildings, the luncheon clubs of the city...

In view of the delinquent tax situation in all parts of Texas caused by drought...

That we endorse House Joint Resolution No. 9 now pending before the State Legislature...

At the opening of the morning session the Ballinger Girls' Glee Club presented three numbers...

He stated that there were four things in the monumental history of the education of women...

He stressed the demand for vocational training for women to enter business life...

The next speaker was R. T. Ellis, secretary of the State Teachers' Association...

Several times during the program songs were led by Mrs. Armstrong...

Three Brownwood men are members of the senior class of the State Medical College at Galveston...

Waterloo story in paper NORFOLK, Va.—(UP)—A copy of the London Times, dated June 22, 1815...

Abilene Woman Out On Bond After Her Husband Is Killed

ABILENE, Tex., March 9.—(AP)—The grand jury of 10 district court, dismissed last week, was summoned for reassembling next Monday to consider a charge of murder filed here late yesterday against Mrs. Virginia Pigg.

The woman's husband, M. I. Pigg, 33, traveling tire salesman of Abilene, was shot and killed early on Sunday afternoon at his home here.

Colleges and universities realize the value of summer session so that the millions of dollars invested will not be idle these months...

Funeral services for Old Man Gloom were conducted by members of the Brownwood Business and Professional Women's Club...

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FAST TRAIN IS WRECKED KIRKSVILLE, March 11.—(UP)—Northbound passenger train number eleven on the Wabash railroad was wrecked early today near Coatesville, Mo., just south of the Iowa state line.

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Ben A. Fain has been selected as chairman of the membership committee to head the drive for funds for the operation of the Chamber of Commerce for the coming year.

Mr. Fain stated that he had consented to head the drive provided the entire membership of the board gave their wholehearted support to the movement and said he and his committee in their work.

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Study Relative Merits of Asphalt And Concrete Roads

Members of the commissioners court, County Judge Courtney Gray, a committee from the Chamber of Commerce composed of Hilton Burks, Dr. Ben Shelton and E. B. Gilliam, Sr., and Resident Engineer Leo Ehlinger went to San Angelo Tuesday on an inspection tour of highways in that section.

It was the general opinion of all officials and citizens in that section that the asphalt roads were giving much better service than the concrete roads and all stated that they were well pleased with the roads constructed of crushed stone and asphalt, it was learned.

Monmouth college, Monmouth, Ill., now 75 years old, has had only four presidents.

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Gets Sewer Contract LIBERTY, Tex., March 12.—(UP)—E. L. Dalton, Dallas contractor, has been awarded the contract for the installation of a sewer system here to cost between \$55,000 and \$65,000. Work will start in two weeks.

Switchman Is Killed PALESTINE, Tex., March 12.—(UP)—Sam Creel, 45, Frisco switchman, was killed here today when he fell beneath a switch engine in the local yards. His neck was broken and his body mangled.

How you feel in the morning tells the real story THAT'S the time you should feel like whistling and singing. Your muscles should itch to tackle the day's work.

Automobile Repairing done here by skilled workmen... We are prepared to handle any job, large or small, regardless of make of car.

WRILEY ORR'S WRECKER SERVICE Rear T. P. Service Station. E. Lee at Hawkins St.

Specialty Crops In Texas This Season Greatest in Years DALLAS, Mar. 11.—(UP)—Specialty crops in Texas this year have been planted to the largest acreage in many years.

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Piggly Wiggly At Piggly Wiggly Stores You Choose for Yourself What you want to buy and do not have to listen to what some clerk has to say about something that does not interest you... But if you need someone to help you with your purchase we will gladly do so. We sell what you want to buy in the grocery line. We also buy what you have to sell in the way of butter, eggs, chickens, bunch vegetables and fresh produce of all kinds. When you need groceries see us and get our prices. When you have something to sell, see us; we pay cash and top the market. In connection with our stores we have two of the most complete meat markets in the city, selling all kinds of fresh and cured meats. Our produce departments are always complete with fresh fruits and vegetables. Store No. 1 401 Fisk St. Store No. 2 1002 Austin Ave. Store No. 3 1419 Coggin

Spring Season Opens Way for Employment of Many Laborers

GRASS CUTTING AND SCREENING HOMES SOON WILL BE DEMANDED

As better times are evitable, and prosperity again is in sight, the opening of the new spring season is a great help in bringing about the employment of the many laborers that have been idle so long.

It is well to try to "keep up with the Joneses" at the present time and hire your lawn cut, your screens fixed and various other little things that are so necessary to be done in the spring clean-up. The public today are aware to the fact that it is only through the employment of the unemployed neighbor that better times can arrive. The demands that have recently been made of the manufacturers all over the country have caused the employment of many thou-

sands of otherwise unemployed; this with the American public "Giving a Neighbor" a job movement has put into circulation many dollars that are working hard for the return to prosperity.

The opening of the spring season demands the plowing of gardens, pruning of trees and small bush, the building of fences, and poultry houses, arranging of flower beds, sodding of lawns all go into the general scheme of building for better business. Join the Public move of America, "Give a Neighbor a Job" today.

Good Progress in Hotel Remodeling

Remodeling work at Southern Hotel is progressing rapidly. Four business compartments have been built in the coffee formerly occupied by the hotel coffee shop, fronting on West Anderson Street. These will be occupied by the barber shop and tailor shop now in the section of the hotel building facing on Center Avenue and by two other establishments, one of which, it is stated, will probably be a beauty shop.

Immediately on completion of the work on this part of the building the barber shop and tailor shop will be moved and the section now occupied by them will be remodelled for the coffee shop.

No Unemployment For Him

NEW PRESTON, Conn.—(UP)—What's all the talk about unemployment asks Oscar Swanson, odd job man of New Preston, who has just cut an entire ice crop, delivered 10 cords of hard wood to the schoolhouse and put supports under a garage and boathouse.

Building Expectations for 1931

(From Literary Digest)

NO SINGLE ACTIVITY is being so closely watched for evidences of business revival as building.

"There will be no substantial business recovery until there is an increase in building operations," recently remarked Hugh Bancroft, publisher of The Wall Street Journal.

"It is evident that national leaders look to the building industry to bring the country out of its business slump," says M. H. Furbringer, a Memphis architect, after a tour of the Southwest which, according to the El Paso Times, persuades him that there will be a spectacular upturn in building activity during the present year.

"At least one-quarter of the entire population of the United States receives, directly or indirectly, a substantial part of all of its income from construction," says Assistant Secretary of Commerce Julius Klein. And with building touching so many people and so many interests, "any major development tending to quicken or depress the building industry brings immediate repercussions throughout American industry generally," concludes The Index, published by the New York Trust Company.

So the first building statistics of the year are being closely watched. The Wall Street Journal notes Bradstreet's figures showing building permits for 186 cities slightly less for January than for

either last December or January, 1930. But it does find reason for a little cheer in the fact that, according to the same figure, "the new work and alterations in New York City total \$33,515,800 against \$27,635,000 in December and \$29,591,000 a year ago." It may be suggested that New York City, "that a city that is the center of the country's commerce and finance would be the first to feel an approaching improvement."

Taking a broader look, on the basis of a nation-wide survey of the building situation, Nelson, Hunt & Company of Chicago point out that new 1931 construction totaling more than \$3,500,000,000 is either planned, under way, or about to be started. This survey indicates that construction activities are proceeding at about the same rate as in 1930. It is noted that "up to February 15, heavy engineering and public work was leading in activity, being about 10 per cent. ahead of last year." To quote further from this statement as it appears in The Economist (Chicago):

"Public works, public buildings, State highways, municipal improvements, and all types of Federal and State work will undoubtedly be the most important factor in utilizing labor and building materials in 1931—particularly during the first half of the year.

Whereas public building ordinarily comprises 5.5 per cent. of total construction it is estimated that it will be more than double this percentage this year.

Other factors especially noted in this report are the vast amount of building planned by the utilities and a considerable volume of building in the Southern States and on the Pacific coast. Universities and colleges are doing considerably more building than they did last year.

Aviation is contributing more than \$25,000,000 worth of expenditures already scheduled for new hangars, machine shops, terminals, etc.

And another factor, extremely important and not included in the list of new projects for this year, "is the modernization of homes and business structures—a movement which is receiving unusual business emphasis because of the high cost of materials and the plentiful labor supply." Expenditure here is estimated at nearly \$500,000,000.

So important is building that the New York Trust Company makes a careful study of the industry in its Index. The general conclusion reached is that an increased demand for building is bound to show its effect before very long.

Looking back, the writer of this survey points out four distinct periods in the building industry since the war. "The first of these ended with the depression of 1920-21, which resulted in a marked decline in building, because of high costs and the consequent slump in commodity prices." This was only a temporary setback, for the war had developed a shortage in practically all kinds of building. New construction at once began to meet this deficit. This period lasting "until 1925, or possibly 1926, when building once again was measurably abreast the demand." From then until early in 1928, a speculative boom developed:

Buildings of all sorts were erected, often without full regard for immediate needs, or the investment entailed, with the result that a considerable surplus in practically every class of building was created.

The boom reached its peak about the middle of 1928, when residential building began to decline, due,

in part, to the diversion of investment funds to the stock market. This decline of residential building marked the beginning of the fourth period in our survey. Other kinds of construction did not feel this slackening at first, and continued at fairly stable levels until late in 1929.

The year 1930 was one in which residential building plumbed even lower depths of inactivity and other classes of construction work, except public works and public utilities, followed it downward.

The extent of this slump, which still exists, is indicated, we read on, by the fact that the F. W. Dodge figures for thirty-seven States east of the Rockies show a total construction falling off of 31.8 per cent. in the value of construction between 1928 and 1930 and nearly 50 per cent. decrease for the same period in floor space contracted for. The biggest drop was in residential building, which fell off about 80 per cent. according to both the space and the dollar measurement.

Now, looking ahead, there seems to be a general consensus of opinion that building is somewhere near the bottom of its decline. When will improvement set in? The writer for the New York bank can not undertake to answer this question, but he does call attention to certain favorable and unfavorable factors. Among the unfavorable factors are the still existing surplus of industrial and commercial building and the natural slackening of buildings by public utilities after their spurt last year. As against these are listed "several developments preparing the ground for the revival of building."

Among these may be mentioned the large decline in the costs of construction work, variously estimated to range from 11 to 18 per cent.; the huge program of public construction sponsored by the Federal and State governments; a growing demand for more substantial construction and the elimination of "jerry buildings"; the stabilized wages of building craftsmen and the constantly increasing flow of the population to urban centers, which tends to eliminate any temporary overbuilding that may have taken place in the past.

And, in so far as low interest rates have any effect, they are helpful.

When it comes to residential building, this writer is inclined to think that "much surplus space has been gradually eliminated, and that a more normal balance between supply and demand is again in sight." Besides this, "a number of movements have been inaugurated to make it easier for individuals to build and own their homes, and thus swell the total amount of residential building."

In conclusion, the writer in The Index states that "the present year will be chiefly one of stabilization and retrenchment" in building. There is still some surplus commercial and industrial building. Therefore, "the most hopeful sign in the building industry is the general feeling that a gradual upturn in residential construction will be witnessed in the not-too-distant future." To sum it all up:

"The excesses of the years from 1926 to 1928 are surely, if slowly, being remedied and new demands

for construction are in the process of development.

Estimates have recently been made that the American people will spend at least \$50,000,000,000 for residential construction in the next two decades.

An industry which is assured of such a substantial back-log business, in addition to comparable demands for other classes of building can face the long-term future with optimism.

BROWNWOOD HOSPITAL LOT BEING CLEARED OF DAMAGED BUILDING

The Brownwood hospital building, which was partly destroyed by fire several weeks ago is being torn down and the lot is to be cleaned up. The lot was recently sold by Mrs. N. E. Brown of Galveston and local agents for the owner are having the lot cleaned up.

J. L. Thomas Is Building New Ice Cream Station

A building to be used as a cream and ice station is now under construction on Coggin avenue. J. L. Thomas is having the building erected for use in his business. The job is costing between \$500 and \$600 and is furnishing employment for several men and is helping a great deal in the "build and repair now" campaign in Brownwood, it is said. The building will be about 14 by 30 feet.

HONOR OR PRIDE?
BIRMINGHAM, Ala.—To save his honor, James Robert Benson, 19, committed two robberies which netted him \$143. He told authorities that he was broke and rode into town on a freight train. "And do you think I would ask a man for a dime on the streets? I'll say not," he explained. He said his honor was at stake and that he'd rather steal than beg.

EAGLE WRECKS PLANE
LAHORE, India—An eagle and a modern airplane got into a fight over the right-of-way of the air near Risalpur, and the eagle won. The bird crashed into the plane at a height of 800 feet. One of the pilots jumped, but his parachute failed to open, the other was killed when the plane crashed to the ground. The eagle measured eight feet across the wings.

No Crime—No Courts
BERLIN, Conn.—(UP)—Town court session were cancelled here when for an entire month not a constable made an arrest. The "crimelessness" was attributed variously to cold weather, business depression and moral reformation among local residents.

Three Yolks in Egg
TARBERT (Argyllshire), Wales—(UP)—An egg containing three yolks was laid by a hen here which previously had laid two double-yolks eggs.

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WORKMENS Classified Column

for information of the public.

Contractors, Painters, Builders and Laborers have listed their names here for convenience to those who have any kind of employment.

Call them for SERVICE from any of the classifications listed.

- Carpenters**
- A. G. Hill Phone 1351
 - J. J. Blackman Phone 289
 - H. C. Barnett Phone 546-J
 - Building Contractor
 - P. A. Watson Phone 564-X
 - Building Contractor
 - W. W. Cantrell Phone 94
 - 107 South Greenleaf
 - O. V. Lemmons Phone 8505-F21
 - B. F. Fairchild 804 Rogas
 - J. N. Wilson Phone 94
 - 1416 Avenue B
 - Hal Jackson Phone 1279-J
 - J. W. Boatright Phone 1972
 - G. W. Gabbert Phone 1382-R
 - Building Contractor
 - A. L. Locke Phone 255
 - 904 Booker
 - J. L. Jones Phone 1812-J
 - W. H. Goodwin Phone 1812-J
 - W. D. Cartwright Phone 94
 - G. A. Clemens Phone 904-X
 - G. A. Curllin Phone 726-W
 - O. H. Gault Phone 1641-J
 - J. M. Eaton Phone 844-X

- Painters and Paper Hangers**
- Lester Locke Phone 1581
 - George Etheridge Phone 227R-R1
 - Larry Camp Phone 841-R or 344
 - Luther Dixon Phone 1124-R
 - S. J. Hawley Phone 1147-R
 - Jack Horner Phone 227W-R1
 - Sam Martin Phone 569-R
 - Charles L. Camp Phone 1365
 - L. C. McBurnett Phone 344
 - J. P. Streckert Phone 227R-R & 344
 - W. P. Denny Phone 470-J & 344
 - Sam S. Smith Phone 2234-J
 - A. P. Sprinkle Phone 215
 - Palmer Hair, 501 4th. Phone 1157-R

- Window Glass**
- W. H. Huggins (Fitter) Phone 344

- Cement Workers**
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CLEAN-UP CAMPAIGN GETS OFF TO GOOD START HERE MONDAY

The clean-up campaign which was started Monday and which will last for two weeks is gathering momentum hourly, according to City Manager H. V. Henmen. Twenty-four loads of trash were removed Monday from various parts of the town and the wagons and trucks started early this morning to continue the gathering in both the business and residence sections of town.

Mr. Henmen said that the wagons and men would be busy during the next two weeks in the clean-up

movement and that it was planned to make this by far the largest that has ever been undertaken in Brownwood. He is arranging for men to clear the brush and trash along the sidewalks on the south and west side of town where small trees have obstructed the paths. Five men who are being supported by the Brownwood Relief Association are to be placed upon the brush cutting on the sidewalks and with this additional help it is thought that the entire town will be covered during the two-week time limit.

CREDIT OBLIGATIONS BY BOARD ONLY TO AMOUNT OF CONTRACTS

Members of the Water Board have expressed their appreciation to the merchants of Brownwood for their cooperation with the board in extending credit to men who have contracts for clearing brush from the dam site and they say that they also appreciate the cooperation of the laborers with the merchants and with the board. The members of the board are glad that merchants have extended credit to the men, but caution the men not to ask for credit above the amount of money they receive from their contracts. The board has previously announced that it would not make good any bills that could not be met by the laborers. The board has also cautioned the merchants to cooperate with them by seeing that they do not extend more credit than can be covered by the money from the contracts, because the board cannot be responsible above that amount.

contracts will cover the amount, it was said today. Board members say that they fully appreciate the cooperation given by merchants and laborers and wish them to continue. The board is cooperating with the merchants and are doing everything they can for the men who have taken out the contracts in trying to help both, say members. The board is also cooperating with the Brownwood Relief Association in every way possible, it is said. The brush cutting or clearing of the dam site work will be finished in a very short while now and laborers and merchants are asked to make arrangements to be made to clear up debts satisfactorily as soon as possible so that no inconveniences will be placed on the board, it is announced.

Requests Received for Men to Work in Yards and Gardens

There have been many requests received by the Bulletin for men to do yard work, garden work, plowing and other work. The wants are much greater than the supply of labor and more laborers are being urged to leave their name and address with The Bulletin. Not only in yard work and house work, but in every other field of work there is now being shown an increase in jobs open. The building and repair work is progressing very rapidly and because of the publicity which has been given the movement. Those in charge of the registration department state that a demand for mechanics is being received as well as for other kinds of labor and the campaign which has been waged is growing and is showing very noticeable returns.

JESUS AMONG FRIENDS AND FOES



Text: Luke 10:38-42; 11:42-46, 52-54
Now it came to pass, as they went, that he entered into a certain village; and a certain woman named Martha received him into her house. And she had a sister called Mary, which also sat at Jesus' feet, and heard his word.

But Martha was cumbered about much serving, and she came up to him, and said, Lord, dost thou not care that my sister hath left me to serve alone? bid her therefore that she help me.

And Jesus answered, and said unto her, Martha, Martha, thou art careful and troubled about many things.

But one thing is needful: and Mary hath chosen that good part, which shall not be taken away from her.

But woe unto you, Pharisees! for ye tithe mint and rue and all manner of herbs (every herb), and pass over judgment and the love of God; but these ought ye to have done, and not to leave the other undone.

Woe unto you, Pharisees! for ye love the uppermost seats in the synagogues, and greetings in the markets.

Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye are as grave which appear not, and the men that walk over them are not aware of them.

Then answered one of the lawyers and said unto him, Master, thus saying thou reproachest us also.

And he said, Woe unto you also, ye lawyers! for ye lade men with burdens grievous to be borne, and ye yourselves touch not the burden with one of your fingers.

Woe unto you, lawyers! for ye have taken away the key of knowledge, ye entered not in yourselves, and them that were entering in ye hindered.

And as he said these things unto them, the scribes and the Pharisees began to urge him vehemently, and to provoke him to speak of many things.

Laying wait for him, and seeking to catch something out of his mouth that they might accuse him.

The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for March 15, Jesus Among Friends and Foes, Luke 10:38-42; 11:42-46, 52-54.

By WM. E. GILROY, D. D., Editor of The Congregationalist

To speak of a man like Jesus of Nazareth as having foes seems so strange considering the beauty of his character and the goodness manifest in all his activities.

But Jesus himself called attention to the fact that the good man is not free from the malignancy of the evil, and the lover of truth must expect the opposition of the ignorant and the prejudiced. He said to his disciples, "Woe unto you when all men speak well of you."

It is appalling to realize the way in which good and saintly men have suffered throughout history from unfriendliness and persecution; it has been true in the realm of all religions. The man whose discernment of truth has been keen and whose life has explored new adventures in goodness and service, simply because these things have marked his life as different from the lives of his fellows, has become an object of suspicion or of persecution.

Remarkable Friendship
But a man is known by his friends as well as his enemies. Perhaps the remarkable thing is that Jesus had such friends, that in spite of all that seemed in him so different from the teaching and the life of his religious environment, there were men and women who perceived his goodness and attached themselves to him with earnest devotion.

Here in our lesson we see Jesus in the home of friends, in a house where he apparently liked to go and where he was a welcome guest. It is the old story of Martha and Mary representing the two types of womanhood, or the two types of people—the one careful about the externals, fussy and scrupulous, even to the point of embarrassing a guest when the matters of service did

not turn out just according to her ideas and plans; the other, possibly too neglectful of the mechanical duties, with her heart full of longing, thinking above everything else of the opportunity of conversing with the Master and forgetting everything in the joy of communion with her guest.

A Gentle Rebuke
It is noteworthy that Jesus commended Mary as having chosen the one thing needful, though his rebuke to Martha was gentle and kindly. He thought of Martha as "anxious and troubled about many things." Perhaps, it may be said, that the world would be a much less pleasant place to live in and hospitality would be much more crude and ungratifying if there were not somebody to look after details.

It would seem that life requires that a good many people should be anxious and troubled about many things; yet when one sees all the time in ordinary life how people spend the great part of their energy on externals and how little they are really devoted to the supreme things of life—the things of the mind and the spirit, the joys that are associated with beauty and goodness—can one wonder at the scale of values which Jesus established in his judgment? Can one fall to place Mary and Martha in their relative positions as Jesus did?

The world has had plenty of Marthas, but Marys are rare, so rare that when they appear they become the permanent treasure of humanity.

It is a strangely contrasted picture that we have in the second portion of our lesson, where the scale of values that Jesus established becomes a measuring rod for some of the religious of his day. The denunciation of the Pharisees in the teaching of Jesus should always be understood in relation to the facts and circumstances of the time. It is as if a great teacher might speak in the same way today about the church members, pointing out that profession of religion is not always possession of it, and that the actualities of spiritual life and character are often different from the external and conventional form of religion.

Must Practice Religion
As a matter of fact, it is possible that some of those who were anticipating the coming of Jesus were among the Pharisees. They represented in their own way the strictly religious party in Israel and when Jesus reproaches them, he is pointing out that those who might be expected to be manifesting the most vital application of religion in practice were neglectful of the major duties of life, making a pretense of prayer without putting their prayers into their lives and making sacrifices unto God without having established justice and right in the relationships of daily life.

We miss entirely the point of this portion of the lesson if we take all the teaching of Jesus for the ancient Pharisees and do not apply it to our own time. It is true in our day as it was then that the man who makes a profession of godliness and allegiance to Jesus Christ, but who neglects the plain duties of every day life—the duty of promoting kindness, justice and mercy—is among those who worships with his words but who denies both God and Christ in the reality of his living.

He was regarded as one of the keenest men ever drafted into government service, working as Under-secretary of State in a manner that brought him praise from high and low alike. His latest diplomatic achievement preceding a breakdown in health was that of successfully handling affairs of state while Secretary Siltson attended the London naval conference.

Last summer, Cotton took a leave of absence in an effort to rebuild his vitality. A tonsillotomy failed to give desired results and last January he underwent an operation for spinal infection. On February 16th his

right eye was removed, but the end could not be forestalled.

With him when he died in Johns Hopkins Hospital were his wife, his daughter, Isabel, and his New York law partner, George S. Franklin. He had been visited by his chief, Secretary Siltson, and the White House physician, Dr. Joe T. Boone.

Born at Newport, Rhode Island, July 22nd, 1875, Cotton graduated from the Harvard law school 25 years later.

A friend of President Hoover because of his work with the Chief Executive when the latter was food administrator, he was appointed Under-secretary of State in May of 1929.

In Washington President Hoover

saw the death as a "great loss to the government and to our country." Secretary Siltson said Cotton had "rendered service of literally inestimable value."

A successor to Cotton has not been appointed, although William R. Castle, Jr., assistant secretary for far eastern and European affairs, has been mentioned.

Confederate Vets Camp Is Disbanded

SAN ANGELO, March 11.—(Sp.)—The records of Camp Schuyler, United Confederate Veterans, here have been closed forever,

by the vote of five of six members, the only ones of nineteen surviving who were able physically to attend the last meeting.

The dissenter was W. M. (Bill) Murphy of Bronco, small, bewhiskered and 87, the oldest veteran present. He literally leaped to his feet when the vote upon disbanding was called and declared: "I'm agin disbanding. I rode with Morgan's raiders and we never laid down on a job." But his negative vote could not prevail against those of J. H. McCormick of Eldorado, 85; J. M. Israel, commander, and R. C. Bates and J. P. Dugan, all of San Angelo, each 84, and S. J. Martin of Bronco, 83. Schuyler Sutton was the last of the Confederate Veterans' camps in

this section to disband. Mountain Remnant Branch, its annual reunion at Camp usual the last three days

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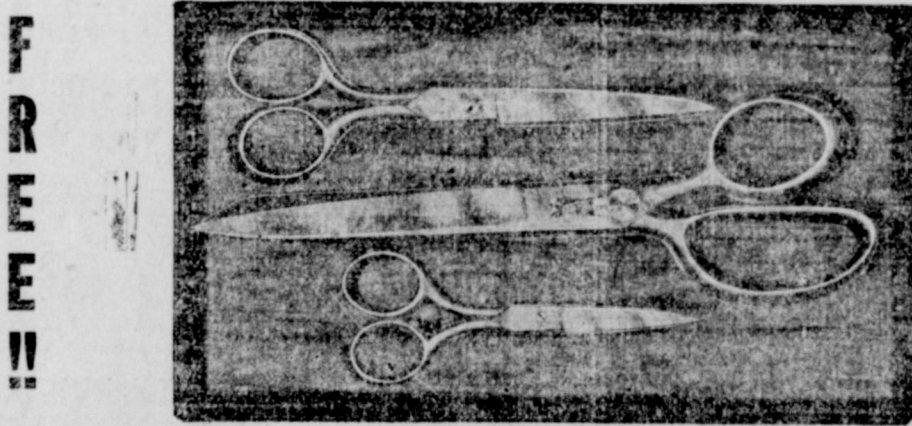
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children spent the week-end at Woodland Heights... Rev. Henry Francis began a revival meeting at Johnson Memorial Methodist church at Brownwood Sunday morning...

BROOKSMITH HIGH SCHOOL NOTES... By Members of the English Classes... plans for the use of vegetables that they had on hand, but for which they had no immediate use...

group there are epic, lyric, drama and ballad forms and under the story group there are history, biography, letters, essay, novel and short stories he continued... Learning to read... "Learning to read is a life long process if we keep growing mentally and spiritually and reading is also biological process..."

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Coleman after spending several weeks with her mother, Mrs. George Creamer... Miss Mabel Posey of Grosvenor visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Posey Sunday afternoon...

COUNTY POLL TAXES 3,645... The voting strength of Brown county decreased 2,731 votes this year from the number of voters in the 30 precincts last year with 1,242 of the loss being in the city of Brownwood...

Table listing receipts for 1931: 1. Court House 378, 2. Howard Payne College 446, 3. Daniel Baker College 492, 4. Jones Chapel 84, 5. Ricker 41, 6. Mountain View 64, 7. Woodland Heights 110, 8. Bangs 243, 9. Thrifty 50, 10. Weedon 18, 11. Grosvenor 82, 12. Cross Cut 86, 13. Byrds 27, 14. Williams 85, 15. Angel 29, 16. May 142, 17. Holder 46, 18. Clio 45, 19. Blanket 176, 20. Zephyr 140, 21. Elkins 31, 22. Low Indian 31, 23. Jordan Springs 66, 24. Dulin 23, 25. Salt Branch 25, 26. Brooksmith 74, 27. Chapel Hill 58, 28. Winchell 27, 29. Anderson 27, 30. Coggin Ward No. 4 485, Total 3,645

BOHANNON AND SHAW TO ENTER CITY ELECTION... Reports that G. B. Bohannon and L. E. Shaw, members of the City council whose terms expire next month, would not be candidates for re-election in the coming city election...

THE SUCCESS OF THE DINNER LIES IN THE COFFEE... Coffee is the one item of every meal that men discuss with knowledge and enthusiasm... They may not know what kind of flour made the bread, the rolls or the pastry...

VITAL SCHOOL SUBJECTS ARE DISCUSSED IN FRIDAY NIGHT SESSION; DBC MUSICAL PROGRAM... The auditorium at Daniel Baker College was crowded with teachers Friday night to hear the discussions in the second general session of the Mid-Texas Teachers Association...

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More Pecans on Fewer Trees

A SUGGESTION for increasing the pecan production of the Bayou valley has been made by Mr. J. W. Taber, veteran pecan grower, and is passed along for the information and benefit of other land owners who have pecan timber. Mr. Taber says this is the best time in the world to deaden other timber near the pecan trees, and to deaden pecan trees as well when they are found to be growing too close together. For best results pecan trees should be spaced at least forty feet apart, and all other timber should be deadened by chopping a ring around the trunks. Labor for this purpose can not be secured at a very low figure, and the cost of such work need not be heavy.

Pecans bear better when they have plenty of sunshine. If the trees are so closely crowded together that there is an abundance of shade, the production invariably is poor. Moreover, insect pests cause much more damage in thickly growing trees. In one instance, fifty-two trees have been deadened for the benefit of a single pecan tree.

The native pecan timber of this county is a valuable asset, and ought to be given the very best of care. Land owners should carefully inspect their pecan trees, selecting those that are best and giving them every possible care to promote increased production. Simple methods for caring for pecan trees have been developed in the experience of many citizens who have become interested in pecan culture, and what was once regarded as a crop that was hardly worth gathering each season has become a source of real revenue to those who have given their pecan timber reasonable care. It is as illogical to expect pecan trees to bear profitably when they are permitted to crowd each other or are crowded by other trees as to expect a corn field to be profitable when no care is given it. And it is worth remembering that year in and year out, a single mature pecan tree is more profitable than an acre of corn or cotton, and is actually worth more to its owner than the acre of ground on which it stands.

Give the pecans a chance, and they will pay very satisfactory dividends.

Not a Modern Parable

HERE'S A STORY taken from life as it is lived in this modern age: "In a large middle-western city there was a grocer, who worked very hard and saved his money religiously so that his old age would be provided for. For fifty years he stuck to his grocery store. He worked and saved too hard to have very much fun, but he was looking forward to the day when he could retire; then he would have fun. He would have money and leisure and he would make up for the years of hard work.

"Well, he finally retired—money in the bank, an assured income, a nice home, everything he needed. 'Now,' he told his friends, 'I am going to enjoy life.' And just twenty-four hours after he had retired he dropped dead."

It is an interesting story, and modern in its setting, but by no means a new one. Nineteen hundred years ago, the world's greatest Teacher told the same story, which was already an old story then. He said: "The ground of a certain rich man brought forth plentifully; and he thought within himself, saying, 'What shall I do, because I have no room where to bestow my fruits?' And he said, 'This will I do: I will pull down my barns, and build greater; and there will I bestow all my fruits and my goods. And I will say to my soul, Soul, thou hast much goods laid up for many years; take thine ease, eat, drink and be merry.' 'But God said unto him, 'Thou fool, this night thy soul shall be required of thee; then whose shall those things be which thou hast provided?'"

And the great Teacher pointed out the moral of the story by saying, "So is he that layeth up treasure for himself, and is not rich toward God."

The Wrong Method

DRASTIC measures to control the dangerous activities of the more radical communist leaders of the

country are necessary, and every reasonable and lawful means of preventing the spread of the anarchistic doctrines of these trouble-makers should be employed. But the method employed by unidentified persons at Dallas a few days ago, when a pair of communists were seized upon their release from jail, is wrong and will aggravate the situation if it is used again.

Lawlessness has never yet been subdued by lawlessness. Flogging as a punishment for offenses against society and a remedy for such ills as communism was given a liberal trial in Texas and throughout the South a few years ago, and it failed.

Wholesale Court Revision

REPRESENTATIVE McGregor of Austin doesn't believe in half-way measures for reforming the court system of the state, but would completely revise and rebuild the entire system, from the primary trial courts to the courts of final appeal. In a resolution introduced by this courageous law-maker the other day it is proposed that courts of civil appeals and district courts be abolished, that there be no more district attorneys and district clerks, that the supreme court be increased to nine members and the court of criminal appeals to five members, that a county court be substituted for the district court with jurisdiction over all matters heretofore coming under the jurisdiction of either, and that appeals be made direct from the county court to the supreme and criminal appeals courts. Moreover, Mr. McGregor proposes that a county commissioner at large be elected, to serve as administrator of business affairs and to serve as a county manager.

Mr. McGregor, who evidently is of Scotch ancestry if "names mean anything," thinks this plan would effect a material saving for every county, and that it would speed up justice. We agree with him that the courts of civil appeals should be abolished, if some other plan of reducing the time consumed in appellate procedure can be found, but the other provisions of his scheme do not appear to be either wise or economical. A great deal of the business appearing before the justice and county courts is not appealed, but is finally settled there. No advantage would be obtained by disturbing the work of these courts, and the McGregor bill would have the effect merely of giving to each county a district court of its own with jurisdiction over county court business. In some counties there is not enough business for a district court devoting all of its time and attention to the county, while in others it is necessary to maintain several district courts. Just how the McGregor plan could be applied to Dallas county, for example, is not at all clear, although it might be developed satisfactorily in such counties as Brown and Coleman.

Our idea is that the revision of the court system should be accomplished by gradual changes in the existing plans and regulations, so as to preserve all that is good of the present system and to change only those portions of it that require changing. Wholesale reformation of the courts, like wholesale revision of the state constitution, is neither necessary nor desirable.

Training Pays

FIRE DRILLS in the public schools probably are regarded as unnecessary by some parents and by most pupils, but their practical value is demonstrated over and over again.

The other day fire was discovered in a two-story school building in an Oklahoma town. It was a bad blaze, and under ordinary circumstances the pupils would have been terrorized and many of them probably would have lost their lives. But fire drills in the school had taught both pupils and teachers what to do, and they did it quietly and quickly, so that not a single pupil was injured despite the fact that the evacuation of the building was so imperative that the children did not even stop to pick up their coats and other belongings. Four hundred children, two hundred of them on the second floor, left the building just as they had repeatedly done during the fire drills.

The development of the public school system, with its big buildings and its hundreds of children grouped together under a single roof, makes it imperative that there be training of this type, to prepare for the emergency which may never arise but which would be tragic if it should come and find the school unprepared.

The Marines are to be withdrawn from Nicaragua, General Butler having proved that a marine can furnish us more excitement here than broad.—San Diego Union.

Another reason, aside from the purely sentimental, that we don't get rid of our old car is that we hate to throw so many dependent garage mechanics out of work.—Ohio State Journal.

Henry P. Taylor

BROWN COUNTY has lost one of its oldest and most valued citizens with the passing of Henry P. Taylor of May, but is infinitely richer because of the long and useful life he spent here.

Mr. Taylor knew hardship and toil through much of his early life, and it is a matter of rejoicing for his friends that his declining years were spent in peace and plenty. In early manhood he with thousands of others went through the rigors of the war between the states, and then he took up his share of the burden of citizenship and helped to bring Texas safely through the vexatious period of reconstruction. He came to Brown county when this was a wilderness, sparsely settled and wholly undeveloped, and through long years of difficulty he successfully operated a farm and unselfishly shared with his neighbors and friends all of the hardships they encountered. No appeal for sympathy or for concrete aid was ever made to him in vain, and no opportunity to relieve suffering was ever denied by him. He aided in building churches and schools and in the establishment of business and industry throughout the county, never calculating how much he would get from such endeavors but being actuated always by a simple desire to give something to other people. It was in that same spirit that he served his state as a member of the Legislature, receiving therefrom far less than it cost him but earning an experience that gave him joy and satisfaction in his later years.

Mr. Taylor was a good man, a good friend, progressive in his views and yet fundamentally sound in his opinions, charitable to a fault, unusually sympathetic for youth and kindly in every contact with his fellow men. Brown county is grateful for the life he lived, and the service he gave, and will hold his memory in reverence for many years to come.

Women in Business

THIS WEEK is being observed throughout the nation as Business Women's Week, and the local organizations of business and professional women in every community are taking advantage of the opportunity to call public attention to their work and to remind themselves of the progress that has been made during the recent years. The Brownwood Club of Business and Professional Women last night entertained representatives of the men's clubs and other friends at a dinner which was both enjoyable and helpful to the men as well as the women; and similar functions are being held this week throughout the county.

Women have always worked, but not always in gainful occupations. Only in recent years have they entered into the places of business and there claimed for themselves positions of responsibility and profit; and strangely enough the most serious handicap they had to overcome was the traditional psychology of womanhood itself. The men accepted them as fellow workers almost from the beginning; but not until the world war came along, with its emergency appeals to women workers to take up the burdens laid down by the four million men who were summarily removed from their jobs, and to share in the increased activity incident to the prosecution of America's part in the war, did women themselves begin to look with favor upon those of their sex who apparently were finding happiness and contentment in stores and offices and factories and in every other type of place in which women were seeking and securing employment. Now the average unemployed woman rather wishes she had a regular job, and could be employing her time gainfully; and those who are veterans of the business world no longer work because personal necessity or national emergency drives them to it, but because they enjoy it.

Obviously, women could not have made such tremendous progress in the field of business if they had not been mentally and spiritually equipped for this unaccustomed service. But they have succeeded marvelously. They have invaded every profession and every line of business, and even in the field of politics are winning respectful attention. The most marvelous feature of the whole situation, as we view it, is that all this has been accomplished by women without the sacrifice of a single womanly attribute of tenderness or daintiness or modesty—and that, if one stirs his memory a bit, is recalled as the most potent objection advanced against women entering business a few years ago. It was said that woman's place was in the home, and that mingling with men on a basis of equality in the marts of trade would coarsen her. To the contrary, it has actually brought about a degree of refinement in the men.

You see, it isn't wicked for the government to take part of the liquor revenue if it's called an income tax instead of a license fee.—Milwaukee Leader.

TEXAS AND TEXANS

By WILL H. MAYES

Getting Back to Prosperity
No one at all acquainted with conditions can doubt that the country, and especially Texas, has entered a new era of prosperity. The signs are too evident to be mistaken. They can be seen all about us and are reflected in the conversation of the people as well as in their actions. Every chamber of commerce, every civic club, every organization in which people meet and talk together is now characterized by a spirit of optimism that is entirely different from that of a few months ago.

A rapid comeback to former conditions is not to be expected—in fact it is not wanted. The country was going at too great a rate; speculation had precedence over business; a get-rich-quick mania had seized the country, and with it there was a disposition to spend beyond and ahead of earnings. Prices were inflated beyond reason, but that did not check the wild spending. When the inevitable deflation started the country was not prepared for it, and unfortunately it started at a time when vast sections of the country were suffering from severe drought. This made the return to prosperity longer in starting than otherwise it would have been, and is yet causing a slower though a surer return to normalcy. The valley of depression has been crossed and the country is again headed for another peak of prosperity.

The Bonus Loan
The immediate operation of the Veteran's bonus loan bill will put into circulation in Texas at an early date more than \$35,000,000, which will be distributed among 142,855 World War certificate holders in the state, giving the use of that much money at the low rate of 4 1/2 per cent interest. This vast sum will go into development and trade channels and will increase the per capita circulation about \$6.00. The loan comes at a time to be of greatest help to the entire country as well as to the veterans.

Texas Building Allotment
Not only will there be much activity in the construction of post-office and other Federal buildings in Texas during the rest of 1931, but the allotment for 1932 is especially favorable to this state. As now apportioned and as it is most likely to pass Congress this will include the following construction: Abilene \$345,000, Amarillo \$35,000, Aransas Pass \$90,000, Athens \$85,000, Austin courthouse \$625,000, Ballinger \$80,000, Bogert \$100,000, Bowie \$75,000, Brady \$85,000, Childress \$100,000, Colorado \$85,000, Corpus Christi \$165,000, Dalhart \$100,000, Dallas parcel post \$850,000, Eastland \$85,000, Edinburg \$95,000, El Paso \$1,250,000, Galveston postoffice \$775,000, Graham \$95,000, Henderson \$80,000, Kerrville \$95,000, Kingsville \$75,000, La Mesa \$95,000, Laredo \$285,000, Lockhart, \$85,000, Longview \$55,000, Lufkin \$105,000, Luling \$90,000, Mercedes \$85,000, Midland \$100,000, Mission \$85,000, Nocona \$85,000, Pecos \$160,000, Port Arthur \$195,000, Quanah \$85,000, Ranger \$85,000, San Antonio \$1,400,000, Shamrock \$80,000, Vernon \$80,000, Waco \$500,000, Wharton \$80,000.

About \$10,000,000 is being spent in the Lower Rio Grande Valley in the development of the citrus industry, including the clearing of thousands of acres, the construction of irrigation systems, the building of roads, the planting and cultivation of young trees and the construction of necessary buildings. Two tracts comprising 21,000 acres between San Benito and Brownsville are among the huge development projects, the canal and irrigation system for which alone will cost \$2,000,000. Great things are under way in Texas.

The Hamilton Dam lake, now under construction, will be the largest body of water in the Southwest. Six million dollars is to be spent in the development of the lake and the great power project. The lake lies some 60 miles Northwest of Austin in Burnet and Llano counties. It will be stocked with fish and will have a shore line of 40 miles unsurpassed for natural beauty. Another great lake now being built lies along Pecan Bayou and Jim Ned Creek some seven or eight miles Northwest of Brownwood. The investment in this will be about \$1,500,000, the water to be used for supplying Brownwood and for irrigation.

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gating some 12,000 acres of land. Its shore line, equalling that of Hamilton Lake in scenic beauty, along both streams will be 100 miles. This lake will also be stocked with fish and its shores will also be a tourist resort.

It is now proposed to connect these two lakes with a modern road running directly through San Saba and connecting with direct roadways to Austin, Houston and San Antonio. The only part that will have to be newly build will be that between Brownwood and Hamilton Lake. "Great things are under way in Texas."

Texas Sulphur Supply
The world supply of sulphur is variously estimated at from 56,000,000 to 121,000,000 metric or long tons, of which the Texas reserve, not including recent discoveries in West Texas, is estimated at 40,000,000 long tons. Present annual production of sulphur in Texas is about 2,400,000 tons or about 80 to 90 per cent of that of the world. Italy is the only country that approximates Texas in reserves, with Chili a poor third. Sulphur production is among the great industries of the State.

Texas Granite to New York
The \$1,000,000 memorial to Theodore Roosevelt to be erected in New York will be constructed of Texas granite, but the Texas Bar Association will use Georgia products to build a monument on the Texas Capitol grounds to Texas judges. Some day our own people may come to appreciate as they should the real value of Texas products as compared with those of other States and countries.

Helping Home Industry
The merchants of Sabinal have agreed to sell only Sabinal-made bread and the Sabinal baker has agreed to supply the bread of as good quality and at as reasonable prices as can be obtained elsewhere by Sabinal merchants. Why not apply the same rule to the Sabinal printer and to every other product that can be obtained in the town? Home folks should at least be given "an even break" with others. This is not always done.

Goat Shearers Busy
Goat shearing has started in Texas and as soon as it is evident that there will be no more winter thousands of shearers will be busy. Texas produces about 80 per cent of all the mohair grown in this country, and the industry keeps many laborers busy during shearing seasons.

Wanis More Help
Attorney General Allred is asking the legislature for five more assistants, increasing the number from 11 to 16. He also asks that his department be allowed to serve as counsel for the University of Texas, which is seeking an allowance for employing a special attorney. Just now the Attorney General is making plans for an investigation to determine why gas and refined oils are selling for more than when crude oil was about twice as high as it now is. The public will be glad to get the answer, and to have any wrong conditions vigorously corrected.

Makes Tire Contract
The Texas Board of Control has made a contract to get rubber tires for the State's uses for the next year at 50 per cent and 5 off list prices, which will make a tire for which the public pays \$20 cost the State \$9.50.

Reducing Cotton Cost
A young farmer at Buda, who kept books, last year raised cotton on 7 acres of terraced land at a cost of 3.6 cents a pound ginned exclusive of his own labor. The expense included \$7 an acre rent, use of team and tractor, cost of hoeing, seed, picking, ginning and depreciation on tools. He plowed the land six inches deep in November, bedded it in December and beginning when the cotton was two weeks old, plowed it shallow 7 times. Evidently the cost of cotton growing depends somewhat on how thoroughly it is done.

Potatoes

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., March 10.—(UP)—Although an obstinate legislature has blocked many of Gov. W. H. Murray's campaign promises, the Governor seemed certain of fulfilling one of his pledges today.

While conducting his hitch-hiking campaign among the cross-roads towns last summer Murray said he would plant potatoes in the governor's mansion lawn. A three-acre tract near the mansion has been advertised for truck garden plots. Only three persons have applied and Cash Cade, chairman of the board of affairs, said that in view of the few applicants the state probably would plant potatoes on the lot.

W. R. GARDNER DIES IN CRASH AT SANTA ANNA
SANTA ANNA, March 10.—(UP)—Funeral services were planned here today for W. R. Gardner, 42, killed last night when a northbound Santa Fe train struck his automobile at a crossing here. The train dragged the car 50 yards.

SANTA ANNA, March 10.—W. R. (Bob) Gardner, 42, prominent Coleman and Comanche county ranchman, was killed instantly here last night when his automobile was struck by an eastbound Santa Fe passenger train.

The wrecked machine, a Ford coupe, was dragged 150 feet along the track by the locomotive. Gardner's lifeless body was picked up 60 to 75 feet from the crossing at which the car was struck. His neck and one leg were broken and his head injured.

Gardner was on the way to his home here, after having taken Dr. John Campbell, Santa Anna veterinarian, to his residence. The accident occurred at the Third street crossing one block west of the passenger depot, shortly before 7:30 o'clock. The train, running on a through schedule, was stopped within its own length when officials discovered the accident. Running a little ahead of schedule the train had been slowed down to 20 miles an hour in order not to pass through Santa Anna before 7:33, the regular time, the conductor said.

Gardner had lived here since he was a youth, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gardner, having settled in Santa Anna more than 30 years ago. In addition to Coleman county ranch property and several business houses here, he owned a large ranch in Comanche county. Surviving are his wife, his parents and two brothers and two sisters. The brothers are Jim Gardner of Waco and W. P. Gardner of Winters and sisters are Mrs. Lee Boardman of Santa Anna and Mrs. Claude Byers of Clovis, N. M.

WINTERS, March 10.—W. P. Gardner, Winters merchant, was called from a chamber of commerce board meeting here last night to be notified of the death of his brother, W. R. Gardner, killed at Santa Anna when his automobile was struck by a passenger train. Gardner left immediately for Santa Anna, accompanied by I. N. Wilkinson and R. L. Stokes.

taken and Buske's bond was \$1,500. He was returned Brown county jail. He was recently at Houston and to Brownwood by Deputy Jack Hallmark after a search had been made for all parts of Texas. When a Moor swears he may be trusted his word.

Examining Trial In Cattle Theft Case

Examining trial was held for Billie Buske, charged with cattle theft yesterday afternoon. The testimony of several witnesses was

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Man Builds Trap for Ridding State of Its Deadliest Cattle Pest



Man, of Brady, Tex., sets up a screw-worm fly trap on his ranch

Service
Tex. March 10—A special trap to catch the deadliest pest of the state, the screw-worm fly, is being used with conspicuous success by Texas ranch-

which ranges throughout the state. Oklahoma, New Mexico and Southern Texas are sure death to cattle. The fly lays its eggs in a bruise on the animal. These eggs hatch and the larvae bore into the flesh, killing it within a short time. Rapid treatment is a must.

of this fly has a problem. The fly trap is a conical shaped and green wire. It is placed in the fork of a tree.

are lured by means of rotten meat placed into a chamber under the trap. The fly is attracted to the stream of light which is above through the lid.

as 100,000 flies are caught in a single trap in one sea-

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JOE ROBINSON BEING BOOSTED FOR PRESIDENT

LITTLE ROCK, March 9—(AP)—The Arkansas senate today started a boom for Senator Joseph T. Robinson for president by adopting a concurrent resolution advocating his nomination in 1932.

The resolution, adopted by unanimous vote, recited that the Arkansas nomination and election would "retrieve the nation" from "the

greatest peace-time crisis in its history in which factories are closed, millions of wage earners out of employment, business at a standstill and hunger in all its hideous reality is fastening its hold in hundreds of thousands of heretofore prosperous homes.

"The morale of the people at its lowest ebb and the nation's very existence depends upon its immediate rescue from the sickening slough of business stagnation into which it has been thrust during this administration of national affairs," the resolution continued.

"We acknowledge with millions of others the outstanding ability, the indomitable courage, unquestioned integrity and the universally recognized leadership of the great statesman and patriot the Hon. Joseph Taylor Robinson."

Sale Of Registered Cattle Feature Of Show at Amarillo

AMARILLO, Tex., March 4—(AP)—A sale this afternoon of registered Hereford cattle will feature today's activities at Amarillo's Fat Stock Show.

The show ends Thursday afternoon with the sale of more than 100 head of fat baby beefs.

Nineteen hogs in the breeder class sale Tuesday afternoon sold for an average of \$44.60 each. Forty-three pig club animals brought good prices with a top of 50 cents a pound.

Swisher county took the group baby beef judging honors, with Sherman county second, Collingsworth county third, and Hartley fourth. Jack Kinzer of Channing won first place for grand champion calf. O. C. Cotton of Vega won the grand championship in the boys' pig club show.

Hereford breeders and members of boys' and girls' clubs entertained at an annual dinner Tuesday night, attended by more than 900.

Officers inspect Guard Companies
Col. C. W. Nimom of Austin is visiting in Brownwood attending to

business and conferring with commanders of the local units of the National Guard.

"Come along tonight. We have a triple celebration."

"What is it?"
"It is our silver wedding anniversary. We have paid the last installment on our wedding furniture and we are christening the new furniture that we are purchasing on the hire system and which will be paid for by the time we reach our golden anniversary."—Ulk, Berlin.

Negro Foreman Of Longshoremen Is Shot From Ambush

NEW ORLEANS, March 4—(AP)—Cornelius Norwood, 50, negro foreman of an unloading crew working near the river front in the Longshoremen's strike, today was shot and killed by a load of buckshot police said was fired from a nearby building.

The killing was the first of the wave of lesser violence sporadic since the strike of union Longshoremen began ten days ago.

In another disturbance, Sam Coley, working at an oyster landing, was beaten by six negroes.

FIRE CHIEF'S WIFE TELLS OF GREAT RELIEF OBTAINED

Prominene Dallas Matron Describes Experience With Argotane

Mrs. Sarah B. Coffman, of 2728 Hickory, wife of a Dallas, Texas fire chief, in a recent conversation with the Argotane representative at that city, gave the following interesting account of her experience with Argotane:

"I was sick in bed when my son brought me an Argotane Record and some pamphlets, and said that he thought Argotane must be good. After reading what so many local people said about it, I agreed with him and decided to try it.

"I was suffering terribly with indigestion. It seems that everything I ate soured on my stomach and I almost killed myself taking various things in a futile effort to obtain relief, before I started Argotane. Since I started this wonderful treatment, I am not bothered with those terrible pains around my heart which were due, I believe, to an improperly functioning liver.

"I have taken several bottles of Argotane and I notice that I am not troubled with my heart, and that my constipation has been relieved wonderfully. Also, the hard lumps which used to form after eating have disappeared, as have all signs of indigestion. Argotane has done what all other medicines failed to do.

"My husband also takes Argotane occasionally and likes it fine. I have told many of my friends about Argotane; I am just glad to endorse it to people who are suffering from ailments similar to those that afflicted me before Argotane brought me relief. I like Argotane very much and am going to continue taking it."

Genuine Argotane may be bought in Brownwood at the Camp-Bell and Peerless Drug Company.

Government loans to Brown county farmers for purchase of feed and seed are being received almost every day by the County Farm Agent's office, and are being given to the farmers as quickly as the mortgages can be checked in the county clerk's office.

About 75 loans have been received by farmers of the county at this time and more are expected every day.

O. P. Griffin, county agent, reports record time on the last loans sent in since the government office for handling only Texas applications, has been opened in Fort Worth. The loans have been sent to the St. Louis office which was attempting to handle all the application from the drought area of the United States and necessarily the loans were delayed.

Mr. Griffin said that the Fort Worth office, which was opened only last week, will give much quicker service because it will handle only applications from Texas farmers. An instance of this quicker service was given by him in calling attention that he sent off applications to the Fort Worth office Wednesday of last week and the checks for the farmers were in the postoffice in Brownwood Sunday morning. Today the checks were being distributed to the applicants.

Thirty-three checks were received in this shipment. Brown county was one of the first counties in the state to have its applications handled by the Fort Worth office, it is said.

Gray Mare Band of played at the district convention at Abilene Sunday afternoon. Legionsnaires of the convention say that the band gave them

the first public appearance outside of Brownwood in the district reorganization, and organization in form playing for a Legion in Gaither has cooperated together again.

from Brownwood at convention were Mrs. J. M. and Mrs. Zeno Inman, Mrs. Carl Adams, Earl Stewart, Mrs. E. E. Blair, Rex Gaither, Stewart and "Red" Wood Legion Auxiliary and Mrs. received the attending convention. The resolutions endorsing the program, resolutions thanking Abilene and entertainment

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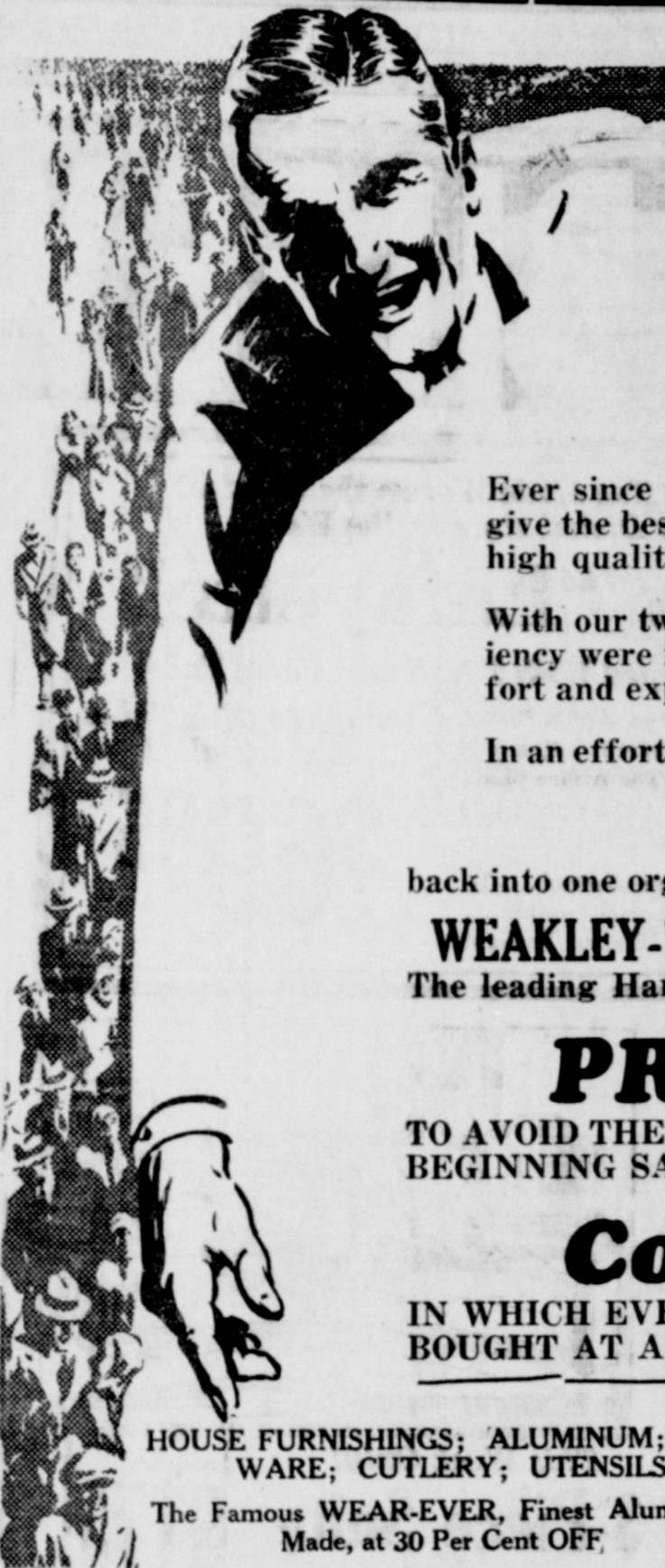
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You can buy your Bathing Suit now for next Summer. Famous Spalding Suits, the Best That Is Made— \$5.00 Spalding Suits \$3.65 \$6.00 Spalding Suits \$4.35 Other All Wool Suits Priced From \$2.00 to \$3.00.

Butcher Knives and Kitchen Knives of All Kinds at Large Reductions

Electric Toaster 79c
Electric Curling Iron 59c

Many More Items at Equally Low Prices.

Baseball Season Is Here and What an Opportunity This Is to Buy Your Supplies at a Large Discount!
All Gloves 1-3 OFF

Louisville Slugger Bats List Price, \$2. Now... \$1.35
Baseball Shoes 25% Off

All Pocket Knives at 25% Off

SWEATERS A Few Sweaters left that we will clear at ONE-HALF OFF

The famous Keen Kutter Shear, that every woman knows to be the Finest Made, at .25% Off

We also have a fine, popular priced line that is fully guaranteed, at .25% Off

You can buy your Shot-Gun or Rifle for this fall's hunting at prices you can not afford to overlook.

The Winchester Pump Shot-Gun, Model 97, as pictured above. Last year's price, \$40.00. Present price, \$28.50. Our Sale Price..... \$22.50

Substantial Reductions on Other Models. Winchester 30-30 Rifle, formerly \$32.50. Now..... \$21.70 Winchester 270 Carbine, formerly \$45.00. Now..... \$29.40 22 Rifles, Winchester Pump, was \$20.00. Now..... \$13.65 22 Rifles, Winchester Single Shot, was \$5.50. Now..... \$4.29 Other Makes and Models at Real Bargain Prices.

All Ammunition at .20% Off

TRICYCLES, WAGONS, SKATES, TOYS

Fishing Season is right here and the most complete stock in West Texas is offered at a bargain.

Shakespeare Reels 25% Steel Rods, Fly Rods, Lures. 150 Ft. Trot Line, with 50 hooks, was \$1.25. Now... .89c

From our Christmas trade we had a number of these items left. If your children have birthdays in the next few months, you can get their presents now at a big reduction.

Good News To the hundreds of Brownwood Golfers

Our Entire Stock of Golf Goods at Large Reductions.

Spalding Clubs Latest Models in Woods and Irons at 20% Off.

Other Broken Lines of Clubs, some as low as 50% Off.

GOLF BALLS All new-size Balls, including Spalding and Krofflites at 20% Off.

Old Size Balls, Spalding, Krofflite and other 75c Balls at 50c Each.

Old Size 50c Balls at, Three For \$1.00

GOLF BAGS \$11.00 Bag for..... \$7.85 \$5.00 Bag for..... \$3.35 \$3.00 Bag for..... \$1.95

GOLF SHOES All Patterns 25% Off

Knickers, Shirts, Sox, at One-Third Off

Tennis Racquets at Real Bargain Prices.

The WINCHESTER Store

[Come the First Day! Store Hours 8 a. m. to 9 p. m.]

STARTS SATURDAY!... (March 14th to March 21st)

In this great selling event—Golden Arrow Jubilee—we seek to demonstrate to 1,700,000 new customers, the saving and service advantages of the world's largest chain of Retail Department Stores. To win 1,700,000 new customers is a great task. But we are prepared! Our merchandise—our prices—our serving facilities—and our salespeople are equal to the job as never before in our history. Yes, we are ready—and fully equipped for this stupendous undertaking. Frankly—to induce this large number of new customers to come into our stores—and see for themselves what Montgomery Ward & Co. has to offer them—we have secured MANY SPECIAL OUTSTANDING BARGAINS, STYLED AND PRICED TO POSITIVELY INSURE THE SUCCESS OF THIS TASK. (See them advertised below!) During this week, we pledge a continuation of our usual courtesy and service to our millions of OLD customers. To our NEW customers we pledge our utmost in value giving and satisfaction. And this buying and saving invitation is extended to our old friends, as well as to our new customers, in order that they may take full advantage of the exceptional offers to be found in this great selling event—WARD'S 3RD GOLDEN ARROW JUBILEE WEEK! Yes, we'll win 1,700,000 new customers! You, too, may as well join in this great swing to Ward's Retail Stores—so that YOU can enjoy fresh, up-to-the-minute merchandise, at these great saving prices! COME—SEE—BUY—and SAVE!

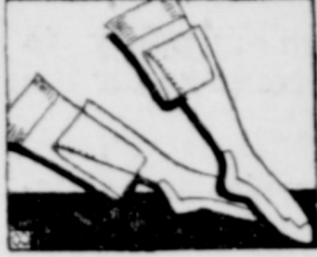
**a Drive for
1,700,000
NEW CUSTOMERS**

Ward's 3rd GOLDEN ARROW JUBILEE WEEK!



Big Buying Power—Big Selling Power! That's Ward's!
New Spring Hats
\$1.00

They're new—they're simple—they're different—they're exclusive. Beautifully styled in the smartest fabrics and very latest colors.



Ward Stores Bought 100,000 Pairs for This Week Only!
Chiffon Hose!
88c

Special Jubilee value! FULL-FASHIONED. All silk. Dull finish. Picot tops, French heels, reinforced cradle foot. In taupe-beiges, grays and darker shades.



Value Like This Has Made Ward's the Greatest Retail Radio Distributors in the World
Airline "Lafayette"

Licensed by R. C. A. Equipped With 7 National Union Tubes

We believe this radio to be the greatest radio value in America at this price! Compare it with any \$90 set for Tone, Power, Beauty! The Airline "Lafayette" stands out as a great radio and a great value! Just look at its many features:

Triple Screen Grid . . . Tone Control . . . Illuminated Dial . . . Utah Dynamic Speaker . . . Smart Console Cabinet of Walnut Veneers!

Complete with Tubes and Installed

\$69.85

Pay Only
\$1.75
Weekly



Compare These Values!
Rayon Lingerie!
2 For \$1.00

Women's Bloomers, Step-In, Vests, and Panties—of lock-knit, run-resistant rayon. Tailored and lace-trimmed styles. Flesh or Peach.



Winning 1,700,000 Friends!
New House Frocks!
69c

In gay floral prints—some trimmings. Flare and pleated skirts. Sleeveless or short sleeves. Sizes 14 to 50. Outstanding values!



Spring Dresses

Styles You Will See Worn Easter Sunday

\$3.99

Jubilee Values

New Style Features!

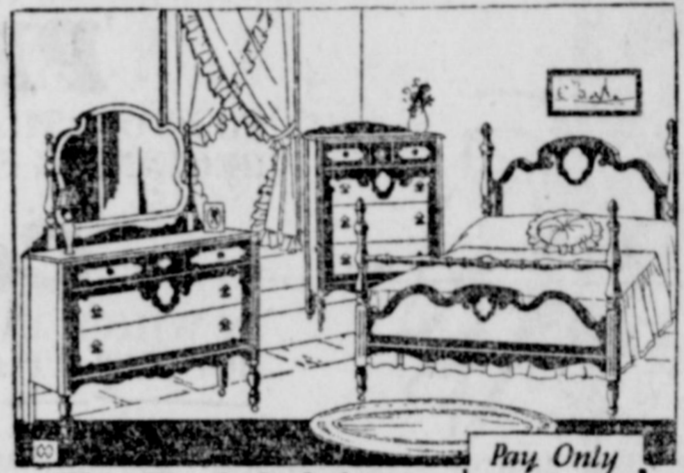
Dresses (some with clever jackets) in the new molded lines, with deep pleats and low-placed flares... puff and bell-shaped sleeves... tailored and fancy collars. In blue, dark and other shades with contrasting colors and prints.



Imagine Such Value!
3-Piece Suite
\$69.95
\$5 DOWN

Pay Only
\$1.75
Weekly

Smart because it's style-right . . . amazing because it's low priced! 76-in. Davenport with pull up and But-cushions in harmonizing Jacquard Velour, Black Welt trimmings, Full Serpentine front, mahogany finish frame with drop carvings.



This Week Only!
3-Piece Suite
\$67.85
\$5 DOWN

Pay Only
\$1.75
Weekly

Only Jubilee Week could bring you such an outstanding value in bedroom furniture. Full size Bed . . . spacious Chest . . . with a graceful Vanity. In combination walnut, with two-tone Oriental wood fronts and decorative maple overlays.

Ward Stores Bought 100,000 to Get Such Values As These
Men's Shirts!



White or Plain Color Broad-cloths and Fancy Prints
\$1.00
3 for \$2.85

And Every Shirt Is Double Pre-Shrunk!

Introducing the new "Crusader" shirt. "Stay-Rite" collars, 6 Ocean Pearl buttons, Box Centers, square-cut tails that stay in, roomy cuts, fine gauge stitching!



Talk About Value! We Sold 6,000,000 Pairs Shoes in 1930!
Men's Work Shoes
\$2.59

A REAL value! Mahogany-color retan uppers, oak leather soles, solid leather heels. Riveted reinforcements, moccasin-stitched toe. Men's sizes 6 to 11.



Value Like This Will Win 1,700,000 New Customers!
Men's Overalls!
\$1.00

A special value for Jubilee Week! of white-back blue denim—mill shrunk. Big pockets, triple-stitched seams, rust-proof but-stitched toe. High and low back styles.

Watch Us Win 1,700,000 New Friends This Week!
Gay Cretonnes!



Yard **19c**

Colorful cretonnes in floral patterns and modern designs. Priced for Spring.

A Nation-Wide Drive!
Spring Curtains!



Values at **69c**
Panels: 5 - Pe-Ruffled, and Criss-Cross in marquisette and dotted serim—colors.

Women's New "Rochelle" Shoes
\$3.98

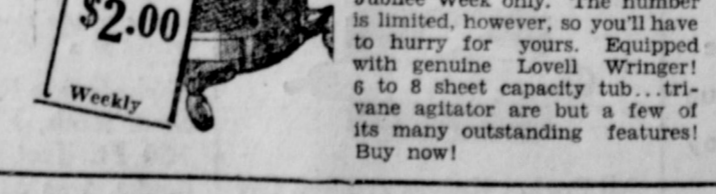
Smart one-strap and pumps with contrasting trimmings and new lower heels. Sizes 3 1/2 to 8.

A Surprise Model—Shown for the First Time This Week

The Windsor Gyrator Washer

Green Porcelain Enamel Tub!
\$68.85

\$5 Down, \$2 Weekly



Need a new Washer? Now's your chance to save from \$30 to \$50 on the famous Windsor! We've made a special purchase of these efficient washers for Jubilee Week only. The number is limited, however, so you'll have to hurry for yours. Equipped with genuine Lovell Wringer! 6 to 8 sheet capacity tub. Tri-vane agitator are but a few of its many outstanding features! Buy now!

Big Buying Power Makes Such Values Possible!
Hemmed Sheets!



89c

Size 81 x 90 ins. Our best "Treasure Chest" quality. Pillow cases 42 x 36 . . . 18c

Think of It! Genuine
Canon Towels!



3 For 55c
Heavy double-loop weave in white with fancy colored border. Size 20 x 40 inches.

Ward's Bought 250,000 Yards Buying Power Does It!
Colonial Prints!



Yd **17c**
Guaranteed fast colors! Dainty floral, gay dot and check patterns. Jubilee Sale!

Wonder Value—These Will Help Us Win 1,700,000 New Friends

Axminster Rugs

And They're All Wool, and Seamless—A Jubilee Bargain

\$27.95

Here is a 9 x 12 Rug that is outstanding for quality, design, and LOW PRICE! Of firm, even weave with a deep, rich pile. Lovely floral and Oriental patterns in soft jewel-like colors.



A One-Week Value for Our Nation-Wide Drive!

Spring Mattress
\$14.95

Resilient springs in many layers of all-felted cotton. Attractive saten ticking cover with taped edge. Only Jubilee Week could bring you such a value!



Big Buying Power Makes Such Values Possible!
3-Piece Outfit
\$21.95

Sturdy METAL BED with orative panels. 30-coil springs. 45 lb. roll-edge felt edge. TON MATTRESS covered with durable art ticking. Special Jubilee Week!

MONTGOMERY WARD & CO.

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[Many Bargains In Addition to the Ones Advertised]