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Around the Supper Table

IT IS SAID that two are company and three are a crowd. If that definition be correct, a crowd of people have urged the Samovar of the Supper Table to transplant this erratic compendium of vacuity from The Bulletin, where it was so tenderly nourished for about twenty years, to this newspaper. There seems to be a surprising demand in this community for very light literature; and as such this department is apparently as satisfying as a WPA check.

Transfer of the title of the column is due solely to the graciousness of Mr. J. S. McBeath, new owner of The Bulletin, who has waived his right to it in order that it might be continued here. We deeply appreciate his kindness, but there lurks in the back of our mind, if any, a suspicion that maybe he thought it was of little worth, any way.

ONE of the suppressed ambitions of our life has been to operate a good weekly newspaper. The reason is that we do not like too intimate association with work, and a weekly paper should involve much less labor than is required in the production of a daily. An auxiliary reason is that we will have only one-sixth as many opportunities for making errors, alienating friendships and inspiring controversies here as were always present while attempting to write pieces for a daily newspaper. We have always sought peace and tranquility.

Another reason we have wanted a weekly newspaper is that it will reduce the handicap under which our venerable friend Harry Schwenker of the Brady Standard, has been conducting his guerrilla warfare through the past few years. Der Fuehrer of the Standard, for instance, sought only last week to embarrass us with what he hoped would be a premature announcement of the newspaper changes effected in Brownwood, but as usual he was a day late with the news. We announced it Thursday evening, he carried a rumor about it Friday morning.

GRATEFUL acknowledgment is here offered for many kindly expressions of good will from the brethren of the weekly press throughout this section, even including Mr. Schwenker. All have generously proffered assistance and have made available a variety of advice which is certain to steer us along the course with a minimum of disaster, if any. Many of the pioneer citizens of the Promised Land have also voiced their good wishes, to brighten the way for us and improve the confidence of this experimental weekly editor.

An old-timer who has been missing from among the Chosen People for many years was discovered the other day by Mr. and Mrs. Tom Demman, while they were touring New Mexico. Byrd Garner and wife, who lived here in the good old days before the government began carrying the people's burdens, are now and for some time have been operating the El Cibolo Hotel in Carrizozo, New Mexico. They eagerly questioned the Brownwood people about mutual friends of former years. People

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Receipts and Expenditures For 1937-38 School Year Are Told In Budget Report

The compiled record of the budget of Brown County Rural Schools for the 1937-38 school year, submitted by County Superintendent F. D. Pierce's office, has been approved by the State Department of Education. The report shows where money used in the maintenance of the school system here is derived and also shows how the disposal of funds has been made.

A complete record of the disposal of funds follows:

Current payments: general control — education administration, \$382; business administration, \$357; assessing and collecting taxes, \$583; county administration, \$1,848; total, \$3,170. Industrial services—salaries of all teachers, \$96,656; tuition of pupils to other districts, \$2,294; transfers, \$1,293; teaching material and supplies, \$521; total, \$100,674. Operation of school plant—janitors, engineers, \$3,056; supplies, \$284; fuel, light, water, telephones, \$3,360; total, \$6,700. Maintenance of school plant, upkeep of buildings and grounds, repairs to equipment, \$3,379. Auxiliary agencies—transportation of children and bus upkeep, \$19,342; libraries, books and supplies, \$1,123; total, \$20,467. Insurance, total, \$3,168.

Capital outlay: busses, \$12,545; new buildings, including heating, \$7,940; alterations and additions, \$5,322; equipment, furniture, \$4,905; industrial equipment, \$89; preparing bond transcript, \$62; total, \$29,963. Debt service—payment on borrowed money, \$9,033; interest on borrowed money, \$1,913; interest on bonds, \$9,319; redemption on bonds, \$8,236. Recapitulation—general control, \$3,170; instructional service, \$100,674; operation of school plants, \$6,800; maintenance of school plants, \$3,379; auxiliary agencies, \$20,467; fixed charges, \$3,168; total current expense, \$137,658; capital outlay, \$29,963; debt service, \$13,868. Total of money spent, \$196,122.

A record of the origination of funds shows the following:

Revenue Receipts for current expenditures: federal funds for vocational education, \$1,341; per capita on school taxes, \$62,656; equalization fund, salary aid, \$16,723; transportation, \$19,596; vocational education, \$1,416; funds available from the county, \$553; local maintenance tax for current year, \$33,670; delinquent, \$10,199; other local funds, \$61; other local districts, \$1,586; total, \$147,801.

Revenue receipts for debt service, current taxes for bonds and interest, \$17,835; delinquent for bond and interest, \$847; total, \$18,682. Non-revenue receipts, short time loans, \$11,959; bond sales or building funds, \$17,766; sales of property or insurance adjustments, \$231; total, \$17,997. Balances, state per capita apportionment, \$418; equalization funds, \$404; local funds, \$8,250; total balance, \$9,072. Grand total of receipts for the current receipts of the 1937-38 school year, \$205,511.

At the end of 1937 there were \$200,000 cars in use in Europe according to the Federation of Automobile Manufacturers Association.

WPA Gives Approval to City for \$75,000 Water Project; No Date Set for Beginning

Approval by the federal government of a \$75,000 WPA project for improvement of Brownwood's water distribution system was received here Saturday morning in a telegram from Senator Tom Connally to the Brownwood Chamber of Commerce. The project, for which the city applied two months ago, was now eligible for operation at the discretion of the state Works Progress Administration.

Superintendent of the city water department, Pryor Martin, said the project was for a system of mains or bring water into town from the new reservoir on Round Mountain. The new canal being built by the water district will bring the water from Lake Brownwood to the res-

Boosts Garner



E. B. GERMANY (above), new chairman of the State Democratic Executive Committee, is actively directing the fast growing boom for the nomination of Vice President John N. Garner for the Presidency in 1940. He has called a meeting of the committee for November 7 at Mineral Wells, to perfect organization. He is a veteran leader in civic activities, and is now serving his third term as mayor of Highland Park.

Highway Commission Authorizes Local Road Expenditure

A half-million dollar maintenance fund has been set aside by the State Highway Commission available for highways in the immediate vicinity of Brownwood. The commission authorized the expenditure of \$5,699 for stabilizing shoulders on Highways 67 and 84 in Brown county between Pecan Bayou Bridge and Early High.

STUDENTS IN BROWNWOOD HIGH LEARN VALUE OF CITIZENSHIP

Students of Brownwood High School learn the basis of good citizenship by governing themselves in a form of representative government under a constitution.

Only those students having representative grades are allowed this responsibility of working under the student-governing program. Government is effected through a representative group, a Student Council. The twenty-nine members of

Impleader Suits Are Filed Here By City

Thirty impleader suits are to be entered by the City of Brownwood as an aftermath of fifty-five delinquent tax suits filed in district court by the Brown County Water Improvement District. Same have been filed and others will be filed shortly, it was said.

City Attorney R. L. McGaugh said it was customary for the taxing bodies to institute these intervening procedures when defendants in delinquent tax cases owed several taxing bodies. This is for the protection of the city's lien on the property involved.

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The new system will provide an additional supply to furnish residents of the south side with more water and increase the present extremely low pressure in that section. At times, pressure is so low, residents of this section are unable to get any water.

Eighteen additional fire plugs will be installed on the new mains in parts of the city where there are now no plugs. These will be put on First, Twelfth and Durham streets.

No definite date has been set for beginning the work on the project, but it will get under way as soon as definite word is received from the state WPA administrator.

Seth Thomson Is Winner of Place In Hall of Fame

The name of Seth W. Thomson has been inscribed in solid gold letters—well, approximately solid, any way—in The Banner's Hall of Fame, and the generations to come will arise to call him blessed.

Mr. Thomson is entitled to lasting fame for many reasons, but his unanimous election to the ranks of the immortals occurred simultaneously with his presentation of a beautiful dollar bill to the publisher of this incomparable old family weekly last Saturday, with the suggestion: "Send me your paper for a year."

He was the very first brand new paid subscriber.

TWO HUNDRED MASONS EXPECTED FOR ZONE SESSION HERE FRIDAY

More than two hundred Masons are expected to be in Brownwood Friday, November 4, for a zone meeting of west and central Texas lodges according to Harvey Byrd zone chairman.

The meeting, to be held in the Mims Building at Howard Payne College, was called at the request of John Temple Rice, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Texas. The Committee on Masonic Education and Service of the Grand Lodge arranged the local meeting. Sam B. Cantey, Jr., Fort Worth is chairman of the committee and John T. Yantis, Brownwood, a member of the committee.

The visiting Masons will be served a chuck-wagon dinner Friday night on the campus at Howard Payne College, Byrd said.

The local zone is comprised of nine Masonic Districts with fifty lodges in the Districts.

Past Grand Master Wallace Hughston of McKinney will be principal speaker at the Brownwood meeting.

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The Student Council are student body officers, class officers, home room presidents, four sophomore representatives, chairmen of the standing committees, two faculty advisors and the principal.

Presidents of the various classes at high school are as follows: John McGhee, senior; Jimmy Eidson, junior; Frank Murphy, sophomore. Other officers are: Senior Class—Bill Bacy, vice president; Maurine Davidson, secretary; Miss Frances Hyde, sponsor; Junior Class—Berkley Craig, vice president; Marjita Shaw, secretary; Miss Marjorie Morrison and A. W. Warford, sponsors; Sophomore Class—Virginia Anthony, vice president; Paige Johnson, secretary; Miss Ann Eggs and L. L. Gilger, sponsors.

School Paper Published

The Roar, a six-page mimeographed edition, is the first school paper to make its appearance on the Brownwood High School campus in several years. A semi-monthly, the paper is edited by the Press Club under the supervision of Miss Marjorie Morrison and published by the Commercial department under supervision of Miss Mary Mathews. The purpose of the publication is to inform students of school affairs, teach the technique of writing and to promote school spirit.

Upholding tradition, the senior's swept their candidate, Maurine Davidson, into the title of football sponsor of Brownwood High School. Money raised by members of the various classes totaled \$224 and will be used to buy awards for Cagle's fighting Lions.

The third year home economics class has chosen as their unit in home-making the care and guidance of children.

This year the Brownwood High School Orchestra again is to be under the direction of E. P. Thompson and consists of twenty members. Vocalists are Nellie Grace O'Hearn and Jean Baxter and the trio, Martha Oxford, Doris Blair and Mary McClelland.

Members of the Pep Squad are sponsoring the sale of Booster Plates, the proceeds derived to go for the football banquet, which is to be given by the pep squad just before Christmas.

Heads A. A. U. W.



DENTON, Texas—Dr. Anna Powell, elected state president of the American Association of University Women at Tyler, Texas, is professor of history at the North Texas State Teachers College. Dr. Powell has announced the appointment of Miss Mary Sweet of the English department of the Teachers College as corresponding secretary for the state organization. Mrs. Harry W. McGhee of Brownwood is vice president.

RED CROSS MEMBERS TO BE SOUGHT WITH THOUSAND AS QUOTA

The annual Red Cross roll call campaign will be launched November 11, Armistice Day, with a goal of one thousand memberships. Simultaneous with the announcement of this annual membership campaign it is stated by the Rev. Karl H. Moore, chairman of the Brown County Red Cross chapter that arrangements have been made for maintaining a permanent headquarters office of the county Red Cross chapter at the community house, where relief work will be controlled and adequate attention will be given to all cases arising for attention.

The roll call campaign will be offered to the people in a brief address during the Armistice Day program here next week, and in an announcement during the football game in the afternoon, as well as through the press and by personal solicitation. "The organization is so well known, and sympathy for it is so universal, that we contemplate no trouble in reaching our goal of 1,000 members quickly," Dr. Moore stated.

Money Stays Here

As in past years a considerable portion of all money contributed during the roll call campaign will remain in the treasury of the Brown county chapter, to be used in local relief work of many kinds. "Only fifty cents of each membership will go to the national organization, for use in national relief work," Dr. Moore explained, "while all the remainder of each membership contribution, whether it is one dollar or fifty, will remain here."

Establishment of the headquarters office at the community house, according to leaders of the local chapter, will greatly facilitate the handling of many types of relief work for which the Red Cross is prepared to assume responsibility here. Adequate provisions will be made for investigation of all cases arising, and for prompt and decisive action in every case of need.

"Proper financing of this campaign," Dr. Moore believes, "should relieve Brown county of all other calls for funds to meet the varying types of relief work likely to arise during the coming year."

West Texas Floods

Attention is called by local Chapter officials to the prompt and efficient relief work done by the Red Cross during the July floods in San Saba, McCulloch and other counties of this area. A total of \$59,939.99 was expended in the flooded counties under Red Cross supervision, and in record breaking time the destitution of flood victims was remedied. Of the total funds expended in this work, the national Red Cross provided \$10,773.62 while local chapters and individuals provided the remaining \$49,166.27. Brownwood made liberal contributions to that fund.

Arrangements will be made for the convenient enrolling of members during the campaign. Booths will be placed at selected spots in the business area, and solicitors will call upon individuals with receipts ready for exchange for dollars.

Armistice Day Program Here Will Be Largest In History

LONG INVESTIGATION COMPLETED IN ARREST OF PAIR AT CARBON

Peace officers of two counties Sheriff Jack Hallmark and Deputy Howard Becker of Brown and Sheriff Wit Spivey of Comanche arrested two men and recovered goods said to have been taken in a series of burglaries. The men were taken into custody at Carbon where the officers met.

Sheriff Hallmark said some of the clothing taken in burglary of the Cal Evert home at May last spring was recovered as well as some articles allegedly taken in two burglaries in Comanche county. The men, identified as Ed Putty of Breckenridge and Stut Lovell of Carbon, were brought to Brownwood Monday night and were lodged in the county jail. Putty is said to be under a suspended sentence from Breckenridge and is charged here with the removal of mortgaged property. The arrests completed lengthy investigation.

HOME IS DESTROYED BY FIRE THURSDAY

Fire shortly after midnight Thursday night completely destroyed a house at 2205 Coggin Avenue occupied by W. V. Bennett. The Bennett family was out of town at the time of the blaze. Insured loss to the building was estimated at \$1,600. No estimate could be made on the loss to household belongings.

The following night, Friday, about the same time, small damage was done to a truck at Austin Mill & Grain Company plant.

Cotton Ginnings to Oct. 18 for County Total 1,516 Bales

Total cotton ginnings in Brown county for the 1938 crop up to October 18, was reported to be 1,516 bales by Charles Bynum, special agent for the department of commerce bureau of census.

Ginnings to this date last year totalled 4,247 bales. Hynum stated.

Rain Here Today Totals .68 Inch

Overcast skies cleared this afternoon after Brownwood and vicinity had received a .68-inch rain between 3 and 8:30 o'clock this morning. The rain, which settled sultry weather prevailing during the past few weeks, was general throughout Central West Texas.

Rain report, as given by the Southwestern States Telephone Company, follows: Austin, drizzle; Abilene, shower; Bangs, .25 inch; Ballinger, .50 inch; Blanket, good rain; Brady, .50 inch; Coleman, .17 inch; Comanche, .74 inch; Cisco, .1 inch; Dallas, sprinkler; Fry, good rain; Dublin, big rain; Fort Worth, good rain; Zephyr, good shower; Mullin, .50 inch; Goldthwaite, good rain; Grosvenor, .50 inch; Lampasas, sprinkle; Santa Anna, .25 inch; San Angelo, good rain; Waco, shower; Brooksmith, .25 inch; Mercury, .50 inch, and Winchell, .50 inch.

PETER AND HIRAM SMITH Reunion Is Held Here for Oldest Twins CELEBRATE 80th BIRTHDAY

Celebrating their 80th birthday together here Sunday as one of the oldest sets of living twins in the state of Texas, Peter L. Smith of Brownwood and Hiram Smith of Austin, agreed that "they especially were looking forward to their 90th and 100th anniversaries together."

Peter Smith has been a resident of Brownwood since 1918 and of Brown county since 1903. Hiram Smith is living in Austin and arrived in Brownwood Saturday night for the birthday celebration which was held at the home of P. L. Smith's daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Dikes, 1617 Fourth street. Following the Sunday anniversary, the Austin twin spent a few days in Brownwood visiting relatives and friends before returning to the Capitol City.

Eight Brothers and Sisters

The family from which the 80-year-old twins come includes five brothers and three sisters—the youngest of the children being 74 and the oldest 99. They are: Peter Smith, Brownwood; Hiram Smith, Austin; I. D. Smith, Fort Worth; Jeff Smith, Austin; A. M. Smith, Moran; Mrs. Charles Walton, Dallas; Mrs. Polle Stapp, Embouse and Mrs. Bettie Dunagan, Frost.

The Sunday family reunion was the first since nine years ago when the twins celebrated their 71st anniversary, although the brothers get together often for visits and fishing trips of which both are fond.

Both of the twins are in good health though they have no rigid health rules unless it be work. They believe in keeping busy, but also enjoy various forms of recreation, especially fishing.

Goat Roper at 75

Hiram Smith, the summer after his 75th birthday celebration, competed in a roping contest and didn't miss a goat. "If I was in position, I would have a horseback ride every morning before breakfast despite the coldness of weather. I rode the plains for twenty-three years and sometimes it was so cold that I had to bundle up in blankets," he commented.

"I eat whatever I can get hold

An Armistice Day committee composed of members of the American Legion, disabled veterans of the World War, veterans of Foreign Wars and Spanish-American War veterans are preparing for the largest Armistice Day celebration ever held in Brownwood, to be commemorated here Friday, November 11.

"The ex-service men of Brownwood are asking every loyal American citizen to join them in this Armistice Day to help them in upholding the ideals of democracy," Gus J. Rosenberg, committee member and National Guard officer, said today.

A big Armistice Day parade and program, public speaking at the Lyric Theatre, two conference football games in the afternoon and a dance at the Memorial Hall comprise the attractions of the day in Brownwood.

In the parade will appear Civil War, Spanish-American War and World War veterans, Boy Scouts, bands, student bodies and football squads from Howard Payne and Daniel Baker Colleges, high school, junior high school and the grammar schools, the three Brownwood National Guard companies, the Old Gray Mare Band, the Brownwood Volunteer Fire Department, colored schools, representatives of the Daughters of the American Revolution and the United Daughters of the Confederacy, and many others.

Merchants and civic organizations will enter floats in the morning parade. Cash prizes are offered for the best floats.

Order of march in the Armistice Day parade under Parade Marshal Ed Henley is tentatively: The American Flag, Gold Star Mothers and mothers of deceased World War veterans, the Old Gray Mare Band, Civil War Veterans in cars and the United Daughters of the Confederacy, the three local National Guard companies, Headquarter's Company, Company "A" and the Service Company, Howard Payne College's football squad, band, pep squad and student body, Boy Scouts of America, decorated floats, Daughters of the American Revolution, Daniel Baker College's squad, band, pep squad and student body, Veterans of the Spanish-American War, CCC camps, Veterans of the World War—this includes members of the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars—Brownwood High School's football squad, band, pep squad and student body, colored schools and colored World War veterans, and the Brownwood Volunteer Fire Department.

Lucacy charges have been filed at Goldthwaite against Amos I. Shepperd by his father, J. W. Shepperd, in connection with the shooting of his daughter, County Judge R. J. Gerald set the case for Friday morning, or as soon thereafter as Mrs. Shepperd, who is with her daughter, can be present as a material witness.

Jessie May Shepperd, 17-year-old Goldthwaite girl, is in a Santa Anna hospital with her hip shattered from a shotgun blast. Her father, Amos I. Shepperd, 44-year old World War Veteran, is in the Mills county jail at Goldthwaite.

GOLDTHWAITE MAN IS HELD IN SHOOTING OF DAUGHTER TODAY

Shepperd had been on the list of applicants at the Fourth Street Soil Conservation CCC Camp but was refused entrance October 13 because of physical disability. Camp officials said he was refused merely because he was not strong enough to do the work.

Shepperd told officers that he didn't remember anything about the shooting and that he had some kind of an "idiotic spell."

Roy Largent to Ship Calves to Virginia

Roy Largent, local livestock breeder, November 10, will ship a carload of feeder calves to Chilhowie, Virginia.

Mr. Largent has made many such shipments to various parts of the country during the past few years and has stock that has won prizes at shows of several states.

News Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Doods attend the funeral of their uncle, Dr. J. W. Ellis, in Lampasas.

Mesdames L. J. Honea, R. A. Smith and E. E. Henry attended a meeting in Houston of the Grand Chapter Order of Eastern Star.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Weatherby and small son attended the 60th anniversary of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fletcher in Temple.

Brown county now has 1,917 men and women on the nine WPA projects. Works Project Administration employment is now at a peak throughout the county.

Joe Trussell, local evangelist singer, is on a two-week broadcast contract singing over station KARK, Little Rock, Arkansas, radio station at 6:30, 7:30 and 11:15 a.m.

Dr. W. B. Davis of College Station, professor of wildlife at Texas A. & M. College, spent Sunday here conferring with local game wardens John R. Wood and O. F. Etheredge.

Frank Hudson, Novice, is receiving treatment in a Brownwood hospital for a broken leg. The prominent Coleman county rancher sustained the injury when a horse which he was riding slipped and fell.

A fire of undetermined origin at the Gill store on the southwest corner of Avenue I and Austin Avenue did an estimated damage of \$1,700 when it burned the end of the grocery store about 11 o'clock last night.

Two drivers for the Brownwood postal service are in line for awards for safe driving if their records remain unmarred until January 1, 1938. The men are G. A. Hoffman, city carrier, and Herman Thompson, parcel post man.

L. H. Wright of Wilmington, Delaware, will return to his home after watching the progress of a well here in which his company is interested. Wright is an official of the Delmarva Oil Corporation of Texas.

Charles Myers, president of the Baylor University Baptist Student Union and former head of the same organization at Howard Payne College, has been named head of the Texas State B.S.U. Myers succeeds Lattimore Ewing of Brownwood as president of the state organization.

Fred T. Mika of Denton, technician, and Lee H. Williamson of San Angelo, engineer, have replaced D. C. Lerner and Emil Stuter, respectively, at the local soil conservation camp. Stuter was transferred to Midland and Lerner to Colorado, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Knott have arrived from Chicago, Illinois, to spend the winter here. Mr. Knott is a member of the Chicago White Sox baseball club, having been sold

Wood Heating Stoves—\$1.50 up.—McLeods Hwd.

during the early part of the season by the St. Louis Browns with whom he had been working for several years.

Notice of approval was received and work started Tuesday morning on a \$16,950 WPA road and bridge project in Precinct 3, Brown County. Fifty-five men began work on the project. Federal funds total \$12,494. An additional \$7,000 WPA road project in Precinct 3, to employ 40 men, is now up for approval.

Several thousand assorted witches, ghosts, goblins, spooks and other forms of Halloween figures Monday night roamed the business section of Brownwood for several hours. Despite all the good fun, Chief of Police J. L. Sandlin reported little malicious damage.

City Manager F. E. Scott attended a meeting of League of Texas Municipalities in Port Arthur. New Braunfels was named site of the 1939 meeting. Discussions on civic problems confronting municipal heads and addresses by prominent city officials of the state featured the meeting.

Thirty-nine of Brown county's rural teachers will receive pay for their second month's work of the 1938-39 term Saturday. About fifty teachers were paid last Saturday. Payment will be made in County Superintendent F. D. Pierce's office at the courthouse.

United States Treasury checks for about \$55,000 are expected to be received at the AAA office at any time now in payment of the 1937 cotton parity accounts. The money will be distributed among about 169 Brown county cotton farmers. Those receiving checks will be notified when they arrive.

County Agent C. V. Lehmborg attended the Brady Turkey Grading school conducted under auspices of the United States Department of Agriculture. The purpose of the meeting was to acquaint commercial turkey dealers and others with correct grading methods. Ten graders already employed were issued licenses and a number of others were placed on the approved list.

The Early European Glass of Mozelle High School has unearthed some fossils on Bull Creek which, it is believed, may be the bones of some prehistoric animal. The bones are on display at the school. Two of the fossils show to be a part of a tusk, measuring more than four feet in length and another shows to be a leg joint, measuring more than ten inches in length.

Births reported in Brownwood during the past week follow: Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Deen, 200 E. Chandler, daughter, Kate Carolyn, Stump Hospital; Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Belvin, son, Stump Hospital; Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Tidwell, Stephenville, son, Stump Hospital; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Smith, 295 W. Anderson, son, Charles Edgar, III, Stump Hospital; Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Guthrie, 1312 Avenue E, son, Richard Durwood, Stump Hospital.

Secretary Morgenthau is making a study of California's \$30-every-Thursday plan. A lot of Californians are willing to try it out for him.—Dallas News.

CHANCE FOR PROFITABLE EXPERIMENTATION SEEN WITH FALL AND WINTER GRAIN CROPS

By A. D. Jackson, Chief.

Experiments with fall planted small grains show that much good forage is available from these crops from October until April and that the quality of forage is high in feeding value. There are several good reasons why such fall and winter crops can be utilized to a very good advantage; among these being, that during the fall and winter season few insects and few diseases are active and thus the crop is likely to reach capacity production. Moreover, the winter months in this State in many sections are not subject to severe cold and thus small grain crops produce better fall and winter grazing than is the case in the northern states. Furthermore, rye grass and winter legumes have been found to produce fine winter grazing in most parts of the state, particularly where moisture supply is abundant. Winter legumes, where adapted, not only furnish grazing but are of some value in soil improvement programs.

Experiments with these grains and with rye grass are reported in Experiment Station Bulletin 539 and show yields of dry matter per acre over a four year period ranging up to 5000 pounds for barley, 6300 pounds for wheat, 4600 pounds for oats, 4400 pounds for rye and 6900 pounds for rye grass. The forage becomes available as early as October and persists until April, completely spanning the period when native pastures are more or less dormant. The forage analyzed high in feeding value. For fall and early winter, barley is the best producer; wheat, oats and rye produce most grazing for winter months; while rye grass gives the most grazing for March and April. The experiments at Denton showed that grazing up to March 1, improves the grain yields and can be extended 20 days longer without causing reduced grain yields.

We are fortunate here in the south in that a number of crops grow very well during the winter. The grazing crops in particular respond well to the favorable conditions of weather and freedom from insects and diseases and the grazing is higher in proteins than it will ever be again. Hairy vetch was found in general to be the most suited winter legume for soil improving purposes for the humid parts of Texas.

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MORTUARY

GARVIN—Mrs. Dora Madeline Garvin, 70, died at her residence, 1207 Vine street, Friday morning. Funeral services were held from the residence Saturday afternoon with Rev. H. B. Ramsour, assisted by Rev. J. M. Cooper, officiating.

Mrs. Garvin was born August 21, 1868, in Anson county, North Carolina. She had been a member of the Baptist church since childhood. Three children survive Mrs. Garvin. They are Mrs. J. M. Parker of Mount Enterprise, Mrs. Mattie Bell Simmons, Shreveport, Louisiana, and Emmett L. Garvin, one brother, three sisters, seven grandchildren and one great grandchild also survive.

Interment was made in Greenleaf cemetery with White & London Funeral Home in charge of the arrangements.

KENDRICK—B. M. Kendrick, 64, of 1010 Vine street, died suddenly Thursday morning while visiting relatives in Hillsboro. Funeral services were held at Austin Avenue Church of Christ Saturday afternoon with Rev. Ollie Cantwell officiating.

Mr. Kendrick was born October

16, 1874, at Hillsboro, but moved here many years ago. He was a member of the Church of Christ. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Minnie Kendrick, children and one brother and four sisters.

Interment was made in Greenleaf cemetery with White & London Funeral Home in charge of the arrangements.

SPROUL—Funeral services for C. E. Sproul, who died Saturday morning in San Angelo after an extended illness, were held Sunday afternoon at the White & London Funeral Home chapel with Rev. Allen Roe, pastor of Trinity Methodist church, San Angelo, and Rev. C. A. Wilkerson, Blanket, officiating.

Mr. Sproul was born March 8, 1894, in Leavenworth, Kansas. He was a resident of Brownwood some years ago when he was connected with Johnson Storage Company. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge and of the Methodist church. Surviving are his wife, one brother and two nieces.

Interment was made in the Trickham cemetery where Masonic rites were read.

FORSYTHE—Charles B. Forsythe of Zephyr died in a local hospital Saturday. Funeral services were held from the home Sunday afternoon with Rev. Neal Greer officiating.

Mr. Forsythe was born April 13, 1885, in Brown county and has been a member of the Baptist church for many years.

Surviving Mr. Forsythe are his wife, Jessie, sisters, Mrs. M. P. Jones, San Angelo; Mrs. H. C. Duke, Mullin, and Mrs. M. B. Whiteley, Brownwood; brothers, John R. Forsythe, Thayer, Mo.; James H. Forsythe, Well, Minn.; Allen D. Forsythe, Monahans, and Paul Forsythe, Port Arthur.

Interment was made in the Elkins cemetery with White & London Funeral Home in charge.

KILLOUTH—Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon in Pleasant Valley for the infant son born to Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Killouth, October 30, who died the same day. Survivors are his parents and brothers and sisters.

Interment was made in Pleasant Valley cemetery with White & London Funeral Home in charge of the arrangements.

LAWSON—William Henry Lawson, 73, died at his home, 607 Beaver street, Monday afternoon after extended illness. Funeral services were held Tuesday with Rev. David McDonald officiating.

Survivors include his daughters, Mrs. Lula Egger, Mrs. Mattie Simmons of Brownwood and Mrs. Alice Cryer, Junction; sons, Will, Andy Guy and Foy Lawson of Brownwood.

Interment was made in Cedar Point cemetery with McInnis Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

DODSON—Earl Dezemond Dodson died at his home on Belle Plain Avenue Wednesday morning after

a prolonged illness. Funeral services were held at the Belle Plain Baptist church this afternoon with Rev. Guy Self officiating. Mr. Dodson was born October 21, 1894, and had lived in Brownwood for more than twenty years. He was interested in the automobile business when he became ill. Mr. Dodson was a member of the Baptist church.

Surviving are his wife and three sons, one brother and a sister. Interment was made in Greenleaf cemetery with Austin-Morris Funeral Home in charge of the arrangements.

SNODGRASS—Last rites for Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Snodgrass, 87, resident of Coleman county for twelve years, were held Sunday afternoon at Glen Cove with Forrest Waldrup, Coleman, minister of the Coleman Church of Christ, officiating.

Mrs. Snodgrass was born in White county, Tennessee, October 1, 1851. She died at the home of a son, Walter Snodgrass, in the New Central Community October 29.

HUNTER—E. J. Hunter of Las Vegas, Nevada, formerly of Brownwood, died Tuesday morning at Los Angeles, California, four hours after arrival there.

Funeral services will be held Friday morning and interment made in Greenleaf cemetery.

Mr. Hunter was owner of the Hunter Tool Company here before moving to Nevada.

The Fords Tell Their Plans for 1939



Henry and Edsel Ford, on the occasion of the 35th anniversary of the founding of the Ford Motor Company, June 16, 1938

IF WE KNEW anything better we could do for the country than make good motor cars, we would do it. By every one doing his best in the job he thinks most useful, this country is going to regain its momentum. We have tried to do our best in our job. When business was suddenly halted in its recovery more than a year ago, we determined that we should keep going anyway, if not at full-volume motor car production, then at getting ready for greater motor car values that would help future production. EXPANDING FOR THE FUTURE. We began to build 34 million dollars' worth of new plants and equipment. We felt that if we could not employ all our men building motor cars, we would employ as many as we could building better production facilities. We were told, of course, that this was no time for expansion, that a wiser business policy would be to "hold everything"—which means, stop everything. But no one ever got anywhere standing still. Besides, we are not defeatists. We do not believe this country has seen its best days. We believe this country is yet in the infancy of its growth. We believe that every atom of faith invested in our Country and our People will be amply justified by the future. We believe America is just beginning. Never yet have our People seen real Prosperity. Never yet have we seen adequate Production. But we shall see it! That is the assurance in which we have built. Business is not just coming back. It will have to be brought back. That is now becoming well understood in this country; for that reason 1939 will be a co-operative year. Manufacturers, sellers and buyers will co-operate to bring back the business that is waiting to be brought back. This construction program is almost completed. It has increased activity and payrolls in a number of related industries. It has given us better facilities for building better cars and trucks, and eventually our new tractor which is being perfected. THIS MEANS MORE VALUE. The current program has provided a new tire plant, which will turn out a part of our tire requirements... a new tool and die plant that will help us cut the cost of dies... and a steel-press plant that will enable us to make more of our own automobile bodies. These are in addition to the plants we already had for producing glass, iron, steel, plastics, and many other things. We don't supply all our own needs, of course, and never expect to. The Ford engine is one thing

that no one's hand touches but ours. Of nearly everything else we use we build some quantity ourselves, to find, if possible, better and more economical ways of doing it. The experience and knowledge we gain are freely shared with our suppliers, and with other industries. We take no profit on anything we make for ourselves and sell to ourselves. Every operation, from the Ford ships which first bring iron ore to the Rouge, is figured at accurate cost. The only profit is on the finished result—the car or truck as it comes off the line. Some years, there is no profit for us. But we see to it that our customers always profit. A basic article of our business creed is that no sale is economically constructive unless it profits the buyer as much as or more than the seller. Our new plants have helped us build more value into all our cars for 1939. That means more profit on the purchase to the purchaser. We have not cut quality to reduce costs. We simply will not build anything inferior. NEW TESTING EQUIPMENT. While we were putting up new plants to produce cars, we constructed new equipment to test them. The first weather tunnel of its kind ever built for automobile research went into operation at our laboratories this year. It makes any kind of weather to order. The weather it delivers every day would take months to find in Nature. Our cars are weather-tested to give you good service in any climate anywhere. In other tests, every part of the car is punished unmercifully. Then our engineers tear it down to see if they can find abnormal wear or any sign of weakness. The money we spend on tests saves you money on repairs. And your family car is safer and more dependable when we put it in your hands. THE NEW CARS. We have two new Ford cars for 1939—better cars and better looking—but we also have an entirely new car. It's called the Mercury 8. It fits into our line between the De Luxe Ford and the Lincoln-Zephyr. It is larger than the Ford, with 116-inch wheelbase, hydraulic brakes, and a new 95-horsepower V-type 8-cylinder engine. We know that our 1939 cars are cars of good quality. We think they're fine values in their price classes. With new cars, new plants, new equipment, the whole Ford organization is geared to go forward. FORD MOTOR COMPANY, Dearborn, Michigan

that no one's hand touches but ours. Of nearly everything else we use we build some quantity ourselves, to find, if possible, better and more economical ways of doing it. The experience and knowledge we gain are freely shared with our suppliers, and with other industries. We take no profit on anything we make for ourselves and sell to ourselves. Every operation, from the Ford ships which first bring iron ore to the Rouge, is figured at accurate cost. The only profit is on the finished result—the car or truck as it comes off the line. Some years, there is no profit for us. But we see to it that our customers always profit. A basic article of our business creed is that no sale is economically constructive unless it profits the buyer as much as or more than the seller. Our new plants have helped us build more value into all our cars for 1939. That means more profit on the purchase to the purchaser. We have not cut quality to reduce costs. We simply will not build anything inferior. NEW TESTING EQUIPMENT. While we were putting up new plants to produce cars, we constructed new equipment to test them. The first weather tunnel of its kind ever built for automobile research went into operation at our laboratories this year.

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HPC STUDENTS VOTE ON LASSO BEAUTIES

Ballots cast by Howard Payne College students in a general election during chapel exercises Tuesday morning named coeds for the run-off election to be held in the near future for representation in The Lasso, official college year-book.

The election was conducted by James Huggins, editor, assisted by presidents of the four academic classes: Otho Barbee, senior; Waymon Wilson, junior; Glenn Smith, sophomore, and Weldon Yarbro, freshman. The class presidents introduced the girls from their class who were nominated for the contest. Thirty-two girls competed in the contest.

The girl selected from each class will receive a full page picture in the year book, runners-up each receiving mention. One girl will be selected as the college beauty.

Students indicated by their voting that Mrs. Mary Lee Neil, Rita Marvin and Marie Hammonds were tops among senior nominees. Mary Evelyn Jones immersed with undisputed lead in the junior class. Peggy Smith, Corrine Gray and Martha Dublin were selected from the sophomore class. Among freshmen nominees, Marcell Johnson, June Rhea and Doris Ruth Barnes were ranked favorites.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF BROWN

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the District Court within and for the 53rd Judicial District of Texas, sitting at Austin, in Travis County, Texas, on the twenty-eighth day of October, A. D. 1938, based on a judgment rendered in said Court on the fifth day of October, A. D. 1938, in favor of H. L. Slaughter and against R. Y. Thurman for the sum of Forty-six Hundred, Forty and 84-100 (\$4,640.84) Dollars, with interest thereon from date of judgment at ten (10) per cent per annum, and for all costs, and foreclosing the lien on the land hereinafter described against defendants R. Y. Thurman, W. W. Gregg, Danciger Oil & Refineries, Inc., Moses Jones and Smith Petty in Cause No. 29,831, entitled R. L. Slaughter vs. R. Y. Thurman, et al. I, did on the 3rd day of November, A. D. 1938, at 9 o'clock a. m. levy upon the following described tract or parcel of land situated in the County of Brown and State of Texas, to-wit: Seven Hundred, Eight and Sevenths (787-10) acres of land more particularly described as follows:

First Tract: One hundred, ninety-one and seven-tenths (191 7-10) acres of land being all of the T. A. Ish Survey No. 61, Abstract No. 1675, patented by the State of Texas to said T. A. Ish by Patent No. 498, Volume No. 10, dated July 27, 1887, recorded in Patent Records of Brown County, Texas, in Volume C, at page 482, reference being here to said Patent and the record thereof for description of said land by metes and bounds.

Second Tract: One hundred and sixty (160) acres of land, being all of the David Self Survey No. 8, Abstract No. 1102, Patented by the State of Texas to T. A. Ish, assignee David Self, by Patent No. 350, Volume 20, dated December 21, 1887, recorded in the Patent Records of Brown County, Texas, in Volume C, at page 484, reference being here had to said patent and the record thereof for description of said land by metes and bounds.

Third Tract: One hundred and sixty (160) acres of land, being all of the J. W. Huddleston Survey No. 12, Abstract No. 1057, Patented by the State of Texas to T. A. Ish, Assignee of J. W. Huddleston, by Patent No. 307, Volume 20, dated November 26, 1887, recorded in the Patent Records of Brown County, Texas, in Volume C, at page 483, reference being here had to said Patent and the record thereof for description of said land by metes and bounds.

Fourth Tract: One hundred and twenty (120) acres of land, being all of the Clark A. Wiggins Survey, Certificate No. 191, Abstract No. 955, patented by the State of Texas to Clark A. Wiggins by Patent No. 105, Volume 45, dated March 15, 1880, recorded in the Patent Records of Brown County Texas, in Volume C, at page 343, reference being here had to said patent and the record thereof for description of said land by metes and bounds.

Fifth Tract: Fifty-six (56) acres of land, being all of the F. G. Petty Survey No. 81, patented by the State of Texas to F. G. Petty by Patent No. 579, Volume 38, dated October 12, 1909, situated in Brown County, Texas, known as Survey No. 81, about 15 miles South 43 East from County site, said land having been purchased and fully paid for in accordance with an Act approved May 16, 1907; Beginning at the North corner of the J. H. Bernard Survey No. 6 for the West corner of this survey from which a Live Oak bears North 54 East 23 varas, do North 82 1/2 West 18 varas and about 14 varas North 45 East of Deep Ravine; Thence North 35 East 126 varas to the West corner of the C. A. Wiggins Survey from which a Live Oak bears North 30 3/4 West 44 varas, do North 8 1/2 West 44 varas; Thence South 45 East 497 varas to stone mound for the South corner of said Wiggins Survey; Thence North 45 East 176 varas to the West corner of the T. A. Ish Survey on the Southeast line of said Wiggins Survey; Thence South 45 East 869 varas to the South corner of said T. A. Ish on the Northwest line of the Thos. Smith Survey No. 3 a stone set for South corner of the David Self marked -/-; Thence South 45 West with said Smith line 300 varas to the East corner of said Bernard, from which a Live Oak bears South 61 East 10 varas marked B & X; Thence North 45 West 134 varas to the beginning.

Sixth Tract: Twenty-one (21) acres of land, being all of the F. G. Petty Survey No. 14, patented by the State of Texas to F. G. Petty by Patent No. 578, Volume 38,

dated October 12, 1909, situated about 15 miles South 62 East from county site, said land having been purchased and fully paid for in accordance with an act approved May 16, 1907; Beginning at the Southwest corner of the J. W. Huddleston Survey No. 12 on North line of the David Self Survey a stone mound from which a Live Oak bears North 29 1/4 West 250 varas; Thence West 122 varas to an inside Southwest corner of said Self Survey a stone mound for corner from which a Post Oak bears North 43 1/2 West 130 varas, windmill North 26 1-3 West 1 1/2 miles; Thence North at 392 varas pass the North corner of said Self Survey and East-corner of the T. A. Ish Survey and 979 varas to a stone mound on the South line of the P. A. Ish Survey and Northeast corner of said T. A. Ish, from which a mesquite bears South 83 1/4 West 17 varas; Thence East 122 varas to a stone mound the Northwest corner of said Huddleston and Northeast corner of this tract from which a Live Oak bears South 82 1/2 East 9 varas, do South 85 West 9 varas; Thence South 979 varas to the beginning; familiarly known as the Forest Petty Place and situated about two miles south from the town of Zephyr, Texas; and notice is hereby given that I will, by virtue of the authority of said Order of Sale on the sixth day of December, A. D. 1938, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. on said day, offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash at the Court House door of Brown County, Texas, in the City of Brownwood, Texas, all the right, title and interest of each and all of the said defendants in and to said tract or parcel of land, as such right, title and interest existed on the twentieth day of October, A. D. 1909, or at any time thereafter, for satisfaction of said judgment and all costs.

BOY SCOUT NEWS

Blanket
A Court of Honor was held for Scouts of Blanket recently. L. L. Lanford, Chairman of the Blanket Court of Honor presided. Members of the Court were J. M. Logan, T. E. Levisay, T. M. McCulley and Rev. H. D. Christian, Scout Executive. G. N. Quirl was in attendance. Scoutmaster Christian and his Scouts are making plans to improve their Scout Cottage by repainting and building a walk.

Dublin
Scouts of Troop No. 22, Dublin, have a new patrol in their Troop, known as the Mystery Patrol. These Patrols are becoming very popular, and several troops in the Council have organized one.

Good Turns
Each year a large percent of the Troops in the Council work out Thanksgiving Good Turns and Christmas Good Turns which are very beneficial to the people of their community. It is time now to be making plans for this work.

Acorn Award
Scouts may win the acorn award again by securing a new member for their Troop. Scoutmasters may receive President Head's Acorn Pla by meeting requirements set forth in Scouting Magazine.

Bettis & Gibbs Open Removal Sale Today

Bettis & Gibbs, Inc., leading Brownwood ladies' wear store, has leased the buildings at 296-S Center Avenue, to be converted into one new and modern store, officials of the firm have announced.

Henry H. Gibbs has said that he has spared no trouble in making his "dream" store the most modern ladies' store in this section of Texas.

The company has announced a removal sale beginning early this morning in the stock of fine ladies' apparel. Everything will be sold at a sacrifice in order that everything in the new store shall be entirely new, including stock and fixtures. The firm has been in business fifteen years during which time it has built up a good reputation for quality, style and prices.

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Where King George is Only a Duke
The island of Guernsey, home of Guernsey cows, lies midway between France and England, and although it belongs to the British Empire it acknowledges George VI not as the King but as the Duke of Normandy.

At the next session of Congress a number of senators may be expected to come out from under the bed and vote their own minds.—Detroit Free Press.

PAIR ARE HUNTING IN CHECK PASSING

Sheriff's officers today were on the lookout for a couple who cashed a \$35 check in Brownwood Wednesday after obtaining the endorsement of a local woman from whom they ostensibly had rented an apartment.

The young couple, described as about 25 years of age, appeared at a first street home Wednesday morning and looked at an apartment.

They returned later, and the young woman entered while the man remained in the car outside. The woman told the lady of the house that they would take the apartment and would pay the rental out of a \$35 check which she asked the landlady to endorse.

Obtaining the endorsement, the couple left and did not return. Deputy Sheriff Chester Avinger said. Later, the check was cashed downtown. It was made out on a Luling bank. The bank wired back, "Parties unknown."

Medieval streets of shops in Chester, England, founded by the Romans, are really two-story promenades, an upper gallery of stores making an arcade over the path for other stores on the street level. Various theories have been advanced to explain the architectural mystery, but none generally accepted. Modern window shoppers say the idea is grand for rainy days.

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Fall Festival of FINE FOODS

YAMS	5 lbs.	13¢
Cranberries	lb.	18¢
Sunkist Lemons	2 doz.	25¢
Delicious Apples Extra Large	Doz.	35¢
BIG ORANGES	Dozen	39¢
MEAL	20 lb. Bag	35¢
CAKE FLOUR	48 lbs.	\$1.25
Bewley's Best Flour	48 lbs.	\$1.35
OXYDOL	One Large Box and One Medium Box	25¢
CROSSE and BLACKWELL SOUPS	15c Size	10¢
FRUIT CAKE INGREDIENTS	We have just received a complete line of package and bulk conserved fruits. Lowest prices in history.	
Fleischmann's Yeast	Cake	2c
SALT JOWLS	lb.	10¢
Kraft Elkhorn Cheese	Pound	19¢
Pinto Beans	10 lbs.	55¢
Carey's Salt	3 24-oz. Boxes	10¢
Garland Soap	8 bars	25¢
Prunes New Crop	10-lb. Box	65¢
Soap Flakes	5-lb. Box	35¢
Seedless Raisins	2 lbs.	19¢
PIGGLY WIGGLY COFFEE	lb.	21¢
SALMON	No. 1 Tall Can	10¢

Oil Field Developments

DELMARVA FINDS NEW SHALLOW POOL; 2ND WELL NOW STARTING

Delmarva Oil Corporation's shallow well on the A. B. Shield tract three miles west of Brownwood, which was brought in a few days ago as a new pool opener, was put on railroad commission test gauge Tuesday and produced 12 barrels of oil in three and a half hours.

The well is a quarter of a mile from other production. What its steady settled production is to be is yet to be seen, but it is in an area that has been known for steady producers of around five barrels daily.

The oil in the new well is from 11 feet of sand, bottomed at 542 feet, and is of 38 or 39 gravity. The well is also reported producing 100,000 cubic feet of wet gas.

The Delmarva Corporation has done a good deal of drilling in Brown county during the last year. H. A. Roach of Dallas, vice president, and E. F. Estergeron, geologist, having made frequent visits here to look after the operations.

L. H. Wright, of Wilmington, Del., president of the company, came to Brownwood two weeks ago and was here for the bringing in of the new well. He will leave for home tonight, Thursday, making the trip home by plane.

The Shield No. 1 is 750 feet from the west line and 150 feet from the north line of the 130 acre tract. It is in the J. C. Brown survey. The Delmarva has already started its

No. 2 Shield, 300 feet south of No. 1. The company also has the lease on the J. E. Shelton tract, M. B. Shannon survey, adjoining the Shield lease, on which an offset to the discovery well will be drilled soon.

The company has acreage available for 13 locations in that area. Mr. Roach states, and it is the intention to proceed with full development of it.

The Delmarva Corporation owns 2,500 acres of leases checkerboarded over 19 separate tracts, all within the northwest quarter of Brown county, and the officials of the company state that they contemplate a considerable amount of exploration work in this field.

Brown & Gardner No. 2 Tabor to Be Shot In Caddo Saturation

The Brown & Gardner No. 2 Tabor, two miles northeast of Byrds Store, is being plugged back from the Ranger lime preparatory to a shot in a showing which was found in the Caddo lime.

The Ranger lime was topped at 2,350 feet, and a slight showing found in that lime. Operators decided to go back and test out about 20 feet of saturation found in the Caddo, which was topped at 1,903 feet.

With social security, a Townsend plan allowance and the new \$30 every-Thursday, we had thought of settling in California and becoming a rone.—Atlanta Constitution.

MITCHAM GETS NEW PRODUCER; PURCHASES PERRY TRACT LEASE

The G. P. Mitcham No. 2 J. W. Newton in the Thrifty field was completed in the earlier part of the week and appears to be good for a production of 15 barrels daily. The producing sand is at 1,228 to 1,257 feet, with two small shale breaks.

This makes four producers in an east and west row on the Newton tract, two on the lease of J. E. Whiteside and C. A. Rogers and two on the Mitcham lease.

Mitcham recently bought from Ed Selvidge the 50-acre lease on the J. M. Perry tract, adjoining the Newton, on which are located two producing wells, the Selvidge No. 1-B and 2-B Perry. He will start drilling on the Perry soon, on offset wells to the Newton production.

ONE GASSER AND ONE PROSPECTIVE OILER NEAR BROOKESMITH

Two developments have taken place in the Brookesmith sector within the last week that give new interest to oil play that part of the county.

The B. F. Phillips Company No. 1 Sewalt, which was started recently as a possible Ellenberger lime test, has developed a gas well in Caddo lime at 882 feet. It has a daily flow of 1,350,000 cubic feet. Drilling will be stopped at this depth. It is stated, and the well will be produced as gasser. Announcements of further plans for drilling on the lease have not been made. The well is five miles southwest of Brookesmith.

Three-quarters of a mile from the Sewalt well, on the M. L. Guthrie tract, Art Cox Production company has a showing that is believed to guarantee an oil well of commercial production. The Caddo was topped in this test at 857 feet and the oil showing was found at 893 to 907 feet. The well has been cemented and will be drilled in soon.

Comanche Well Drilling
Drilling was resumed this week at the well on the McGuire tract in Comanche county, between Comanche and De Leon, which had been shut down two or three weeks at 1,540 feet.

The well is being put down by C. M. Doyle of Fort Worth in association with a group of ten or twelve men of St. Petersburg, Fla.

See That You Eat!
Sweden has partially solved the problem of liquor control by making it impossible to buy alcoholic drinks anywhere in the country except as an accompaniment to a bona fide meal.

Coleman Well Taken Over by J. H. Green

James H. Green of Brownwood has taken over for completion the well started eight or nine months ago by Guy M. Anderson on the J. M. Vance tract in Coleman county. The well was shut down a short time ago at 1,675 feet when tools were lost in the hole. Green has cemented whipstock at 1,650 feet and will start drilling around tools probably today.

The well is fifteen miles southwest of Santa Anna, in section 101 ETRR survey, Coleman county.

Contract is for total depth of 2,050 feet. It is near a well drilled in 1929 by the Texas Company on the Will George tract, which is said to have made 50 barrels of oil and 8,000,000 cubic feet of gas daily, and which produced about two years.

LOCAL MARKETS

Action on the market front this week was slow with turkey dressing and marketing taking the interests of the farmers. Slight fluctuations in the daily cotton market were the only changes. No actual price has been quoted on the turkey market as only the Southwestern Poultry Association is dressing birds. The cooperative are paying a ten-cent per pound advance on turkeys.

Growers' prices were quoted this afternoon as follows:

Grain	
No. 1 Hard Winter Wheat	55c
No. 1 Soft Red or Mixed Winter	55c
No. 1 Durham Wheat	45c
No. 2 White Corn	50c
No. 2 Yellow Corn	50c
No. 2 Mixed Corn	45c
White Ear Corn	35c
Yellow Ear Corn	35c
Mixed Ear Corn	30c
No. 1 Barley	35c
No. 1 Milo (cwt.)	60c
No. 2 Oats	22c
Choice Johnson Grass Hay, ton	35
Poultry and Eggs	
Light Hens	06c
Heavy Hens	08c
Springers	12c
Roosters	04c
Bakers	06c
Fryers	11c
Eggs, No. 1	20c
Eggs, No. 2	12c
Turkeys, No. 1	10c
No. 2	07c
Old Tom	08c
Old Hens	10c
Cream	
Creams, Nos. 1 and 2	18c-20c
Sweet Creams	28c
Butter	
Country Butter	30c
Cotton	
Spots	8.51

HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. J. R. Greer, Zephyr, underwent major surgery in Central Texas Hospital.

John Garner, Mullin, received treatment in Central Texas Hospital for a broken arm.

Miss Merle Miller, Mercury, has been discharged from Central Texas Hospital following minor surgery.

C. Willingham, Comanche, underwent major surgery in Medical Arts Hospital.

Earl Nelson, employe of a Comanche poultry company, is receiving treatment in Medical Arts Hospital for severe injuries sustained when a gasoline drum exploded.

WINDOW BROKEN

Hallowe'en pranksters—or somebody else—threw a five pound rock through a 5x7 foot plate glass window of Easley's grocery, on Third street at Brady avenue, Monday night. This property damage, costing \$50, was the only depredation of the kind reported in connection with the Hallowe'en celebration.

Oyster Bar A La France
In the Gare d'Orsay, in Paris, is a famous oyster bar which offers prospective customers a sample oyster free with a small glass of Bordeaux to wash it down. Few can resist the temptation to buy more after this inviting snack.

Reduction on all Guns.—McLeods Hdwe.

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Kaneaster's Kandy Kitchen

Mrs. Hardwick Talks Of Table Service At Meeting Here Monday

Much interest was manifested by the large crowd who attended the lecture, "The Romance and Adventure of Entertaining" given by Mrs. Leatha Evans Hardwick in the Gold Room at Hotel Brownwood Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Hardwick is a pleasing speaker and gave the history of table service illustrating it from time to time, with selections from the mammoth exhibit of china, silver and crystal displayed in the lecture room. She gave the history of table service from the origin of simple pottery, forks and spoons to the elaborate setting of table today. She also gave pointers on the care of silver, china and table linen.

A lecturer of twelve years experience, Mrs. Hardwick has given lectures in all the principle cities of the United States to women's clubs and girls' schools. It is the first time that a town the size of Brownwood has had the privilege of hearing her.

The guests were received by Dr. Mollie Armstrong and Mrs. Margaret Dutton through whose courtesy the lecture was given. They were assisted by Mesdames Glen C. Brooks, William de Benedetti and Mrs. J. R. Stone.

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GRAND JURY RETURNS 19 INDICTMENTS HERE

The Brown county grand jury Thursday morning returned 19 felony indictments and then resumed deliberations.

All of the indictments were for forgery and passing, burglary, car theft, other felony theft or driving while intoxicated. In fifteen of the cases, arrests had been made, those indicted had been placed under bond or were in jail. It was announced.

The indictments on which arrests had been made were announced as follows:

E. O. Hicks, two cases of forgery, Oct. 15, of checks for \$6.55.

Ed Putty and Stut Lovell, indicted jointly for April 1 burglary of the Cal Evatt home.

Hollis Green, three indictments for forgery and passing forged checks, one for \$10, one for \$16 and one for \$14.

Tommy Forehand, felony theft and receiving in connection with theft of a Buick car Sept. 12 belonging to C. Y. Early and valued at \$1,000.

Alvin Autrey, felony theft and receiving in a companion case with Forehand's involving the same car.

Dewey Burger, theft July 1 of six goats belonging to Leo Guthrie.

W. R. Perry, forgery and passing

\$6.95 check, Oct. 15.

W. H. Perry, forgery and passing of a \$6.90 check, Oct. 15.

Franklin Drake and Amos Keith, separately indicted for theft over \$50 in connection with theft of a Buick car belonging to C. Y. Early Sept. 12.

Adell Hicks, drunk driving June 27.

Herman Weedon, drunk driving Aug. 9.

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COUNTY LEAGUE FOR YEAR IS ORGANIZED

That Brown county is gaining a reputation for a prosperous diversified farm country is seen in the numerous letters received by the Brownwood Chamber of Commerce from farmers in southern and middle-western states, according to Chester Harrison, chamber of commerce manager.

These letters ask for information on the types of crops grown locally, the price of land, water supply, schools and colleges, and other matters of interest to prospective residents.

A large number of the inquiries are from Tennessee and Kentucky, with several requests for additional information coming from Kansas, Ohio and Indiana.

Harrison said these sections of the country were in the one-crop belt where the land is now wearing out after being planted for many years in a single crop. He specified the tobacco country of Tennessee and Kentucky, the corn sections of Ohio and Indiana, and the wheat producing regions of Kansas from which the requests came.

The local chamber of commerce, whose publicity work is responsible for the large number of requests, sends complete information on educational and housing facilities, tells of the types of crops grown locally and the income derived from them, and other information naturally of vital interest to the prospective resident.

Listen While You Work

At the Danish factory where the famous Royal Copenhagen porcelain is made, the women workers are allowed to listen to radio programs by means of earphones while they do their work of decorating the dinner plates and saucers.

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PUBLIC RECORDS

MARRIAGE LICENSES

James T. Franklin, Zephyr, and Miss Vester Tally, Comanche. Lee Roy Fortson, Brownwood, and Miss Minnie Ola Hubbert, Brownwood.

J. Porter Mayer, Denver, Colo., and Miss Mary Lloyd, Denver, Colo.

WARRANTY DEEDS

G. W. Breek to Lola B. Ritchie, 74.7 acres of GC&SRFF Co. survey 3 and 33 acres of subdivision 94 of Kerr County School Lands, \$2-140.

H. F. Mayes et ux to J. S. McBeath et ux, part of block 30 of Rankin addition to Brownwood.

L. Harris et al to Mrs. Clara K. McAleese, 14 1/2 acres of subdivision 54 of Brown County School Lands \$1,000.

Home Owners Loan Corporation to Vicy Watts, outlot 66 in Brownwood being a part of the M. Huling survey 51, \$1,850.

Home Owners Loan Corporation to R. B. Thompson et ux, lot 4 in block 1 of Wign's addition to Brownwood, \$750.

A. J. Duncan et ux to Ruban T. Barnett, lot 5 in block 1 of Oak's addition to Brownwood, \$2,500.

Mrs. Etta Roberson et al to Vera C. Schultz, 579 acres of Waltey Hickey survey, 169 acres of D. Y. Childers survey, 633.1 acres of GC&SRFF Co. survey 241, 5.9 acres of E. Evans survey 153 and 649 acres of I&GNRR Co. survey 241 \$10.

A. G. Carriger et ux to J. L. Ford, lot 24 in block 55 of Brownwood Heights addition to Brownwood \$30.

A. M. Weedon to J. M. Horn, part lot 1 in block 31, Coggin addition to Brownwood, \$100.

Willie Mae Wilson et vir to Cecil M. Gaines, 40 acres of W. L. Swain survey 145, \$1.

Greenleaf Cemetery association to Mrs. B. M. Kendricks, part lot A in block 5 of first addition to Greenleaf Cemetery Association, \$25.

Daniel Baker College to E. J. Miller, 314 1/2 acres of J. S. Guin survey 4, \$1,500.

Daniel Baker College to E. J. Miller, 356 and 172-acre tracts of J. S. Guin survey 4 and 329 acres of ETRR Co. survey 6, \$4,165. Beulah McMurry to Myrtle Pierce, 160 acres of HT&ERR Co. survey 57, \$10.

W. E. Long et ux to C. A. Townsend, 100 acres of section 3 of SA&MGR Co. survey, \$950.

H. C. Glenn, receiver for Temple Trust Company, to Bryant K. Malow, part of block N of Coggin's addition to Brownwood, \$1,000. Brownwood Building and Loan

Association to L. R. Gentry et ux, lot 4 in block 14 of Ford's addition to Brownwood, \$950.

OIL AND GAS ASSIGNMENTS

Ed Selvidge and E. D. Selvidge to Mitcham Brothers, 50 acres of J. G. Rhea survey 36, \$1.

Ed Selvidge and E. D. Selvidge undivided 1/4 interest in part of J. G. Rhea survey 36, \$1.

Henry R. Roach to Delmarva Oil Corporation, 740 acres of J. C. Brown survey 25, \$1.

C. Newburn to C. M. Morris, 30 acres of David Cole survey \$1, \$1.

L. A. McDonald et al to St. Mary's Oil and Gas Co., 70 acres of C. J. Carrier survey 60, \$1.

J. E. Whiteside to Garrett Smith various tracts in Brown county, \$1.

Art Cox to Nate Rosenbaum et al, 400 acres of John Beatty, C. M. McBee surveys, \$1.

Nate Rosenbaum et al to Nell Taylor et al, 400 acres of John Beatty, C. M. Carter and G. W. McBee surveys, \$1.

C. Newburn to W. S. Dorset, 78 acres of David Cole survey \$1, \$1.

R. C. Carter to R. F. St. John, undivided one-fourth interest in section 1 of ETRR Co. survey, \$1.

OIL AND GAS LEASES

C. M. Carter et ux to Curtis Norman, 176 1/2 acres of Charles Messer survey 127, \$1.

C. M. Kilgore et ux to H. P. Evans, 109 acres of Robert Mitchell survey, \$1.

C. M. Kilgore et ux to H. P. Evans, 158.5 acres of Robert Mitchell survey, \$1.

NEW CARS REGISTERED

Theo. L. Agee, Brownwood, Chevrolet sedan, Holley-Langford Chevrolet Co., 136-738.

A. A. Lynch, Brownwood, Buick sedan, Brownwood Motor Co., 136-738.

Mrs. G. B. Bartholomew, Brownwood, Studebaker coupe, Ball & Ball Motor Co., 136-741.

Carl Shannon, Brownwood, Oldsmobile sedan, Southwest Motors, 136-744.

Dr. C. W. Drake, Brownwood, Studebaker sedan, Ball & Ball Motor Co., 136-742.

Mrs. June James, Brownwood, Plymouth coupe, Patterson Motor Co., 136-748.

Austin Mill & Grain Co., Brownwood, Chevrolet truck, Holley-Langford Chevrolet Co., 213-703.

Penick & Ford, Ltd., New Orleans, Plymouth coach, Harris Motor Co., 213-701.

Walker-Smith Company, Brownwood, Ford truck, Weatherby Motor Co., 213-702.

STRANGE CHOICES MADE IN SEARCH FOR NAMES

The State Observer, published at Austin, in its "Mirrors of Austin," gives a chapter on names as follows:

Texas mothers and fathers, in search of names for their new-born babes, sometimes make strange choices.

A check of the vital statistic records in the State Health Department reveals that parents do not limit themselves to such well-worn Biblical names as Peter, Paul, John and Mary.

The Ford family, for example named their baby, "V-S Ford," while the Lock family named their child, "Yale Lock."

One religious family proudly chose "Jesus Junior," while another family, more pessimistic, called their child "Evil."

The depression made a deep imprint on the minds of some families, as evidenced in such names as "Hoover Depression," "Depression," and "N.R.A."

Personal characteristics are forecast in such appellations as "Lady," "Puddy," "Ezey," "Lammie," "Pink," "Winner," "Hardhead," "Angel" and "Whirlie."

Names reminiscent of the automobile business include "Taxi," "Relinc," "Clearance" and "Curb."

Musically-minded parents chose "Dinner Bell" and "Piccolo," while patriots picked "July Fourth" and "Armistice."

Parents already experienced in the bearing of children selected "Number Two" and "Repete," while one set of parents, picking at random, chose the strange name of "Obey Butter."

Eradication of Rats Seen in Cooperative Community Plan

COLLEGE STATION—The answer to the rat problem that costs Texas around 20 million dollars a year lies in systematic, community-wide eradication campaigns, U. S. Department of Agriculture Bureau of Biological Survey rodent control workers believe.

In addition to the monetary losses caused by rats, the spread of typhus, which has increased from 5 Texas cases in 1928 to 453 in 1937, is laid to the rodent.

Eighteen Texas counties are cooperating in a gigantic rat control campaign that will reach its climax on November 9 when some 20,000 pounds of poisoned bait will be distributed. The counties make up district 11 of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service, and the program is under the supervision of R. S. Miller, extension district agent.

Rats are very numerous in these counties, and an annual loss of 2 million dollars is estimated to occur from rats there.

The campaign will be organized on a county-wide basis with county agricultural agents as leaders. Home demonstration agents, home demonstration clubs, 4-H clubs, commissioners' courts, vocational agriculture teachers, business men, and agricultural and civic organizations are cooperating, according to Miller.

Eight representatives of the rodent control work will be present to aid in the mixing and distribution of the bait from central points. R. B. Hickerson, field assistant in rodent control, has announced. In addition to the distribution of the bait, trapping and community rat hunts will be used, and information on rat proofing buildings will be available.

The counties that will take part in the campaign are Austin, Bastrop, Brazoria, Brazos, Curleson, Colorado, Fayette, Fort Bend, Galveston, Grimes, Harris, Lee, Matagorda, Montgomery, Walker, Waller, Washington and Wharton.

KIWANIANS SELECT J. R. HOLLEY HEAD

J. R. Holley was elected new president of the Brownwood Kiwanis Club at regular luncheon meeting today. He succeeds L. V. Ford.

Other officers elected were: Tom C. Wilkinson, Jr., vice president; Dr. Homer B. Allen, J. M. Blinon, Rev. Leslie Boone, J. Edward Johnson, Dave Knobler, C. C. Lockwood and Rufus Stanley, members of the board of directors.

Don't Reach Out for Non-Existent Ills, Health Chief Warns

Austin — "One would consider that the average human being has sufficient real worries without borrowing imaginary ones. Yet there appears to be a fair proportion of persons who are not satisfied with the ordinary trials and tribulations that life presents but must reach out for the non-existent ones. Among them are the people who 'enjoy' poor health," states Dr. Geo. W. Cox, state health officer.

"For no reason at all such persons insist on super-heated indoor air in winter time, they pick and peck at fancy foods and to some extent give the plain, reliable and needed provender the go-by. They overload themselves with clothing in temperate and sometimes in warm weather. And to top it all, they are on friendly terms with all sorts of pills and other concoctions on the misguided theory that doses of this and that are far superior to fresh air, good food, exercise and healthy living in general.

"Since we only live once, it is a sad commentary on human nature that any person is so foolish as to make a psychological invalid of himself in this fashion. Obviously such unjustified fancies deny them of the real delight of a vigorous, zestful and vital existence to which they are justly entitled," Dr. Cox added.

Local K.P. Lodge to Entertain at Meet

Members of the Brownwood Knights of Pythias Lodge will be hosts Monday night to delegations from several surrounding cities for an entertainment and barbecue to be held at the local lodge hall.

Large delegations are planning to attend from Cross Plains, German, Eastland and Comanche lodges, according to V. H. Noddruff, member of the entertainment committee of the local lodge.

REASONS FOR AUTO ACCIDENTS GIVEN IN AUSTIN REPORT

Austin—With the September traffic death toll up to 126, state patrol statisticians pointed to several causes of most of the traffic tragedies.

Of the 1,173 collisions reported last month, 146 occurred because drivers did not observe right-of-way regulations which permits vehicles approaching intersections from the right to pass first, provided intersections are not locally controlled.

The drinking driver was held responsible for 129 accidents while 122 others were caused by vehicles traveling too close to centers of highways and streets. Seventy-seven were brought about by fast driving and 59 because of improper passing of other vehicles.

Police found, they said, a partial answer to solving the terrific carnage problem on Texas highways by a strict enforcement against violations that are responsible for most crashes. Results of the enforcement program were favorable as there has been an 18 per cent reduction in Texas traffic deaths this year as compared with 1937.

The September death list contained 63 less names than the previous September. Six of the 126 dead had been injured in August smash-ups reports revealed.

While traffic officers campaigned against excess speeds through the year there were 18 deaths last month attributed to vehicles speeding out of control and into fixed objects. Openings of schools injected another enforcement and educational problem to safety workers. During the first month of the school term there were six youngsters killed while riding bicycles.

State traffic observers warned drivers and pedestrians again of the usual rise in traffic deaths in the fall of each year when inclement weather and heavier traffic are conducive to crashes.

Coleman County Rural Electrification Plan Progressing Rapidly

COLEMAN, Nov. 2—Every post has been set and all wires have been strung on the Coleman-Bowen part of the Coleman County Rural Electric Cooperative's rural electrification program here, Charles W. Pitts, co-op president, said today. In fact, the line is ready to be energized, President Pitts added.

About the same holds true for the Coleman-Echo section of the program. In the meantime, the giant post hole digger is busily engaged on the Coleman-Gouldsburg line.

It is confidently expected that many of the farmers and ranchmen over the county will be using the co-op's electricity before the first of next year.

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Sweet Meal 21c 24 lbs. 65c	Cake Flour 65c	PINK SALMON 25c 2 No. 1 Tall Cans
PORK SHOULDER Roast HAM lb. 18c lb. 22c	PURE PORK Sausage 19c lb.	HENS and BAKERS 45c Dressed Complete Each
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IT IS GOING TO BE cold and blankets like these can't last long at this low price.
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Plain solid colors and new bright printed patterns. Buy good merchandise at less than low quality ordinarily brings.

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"THE LADIES' STORE"

G. W. RANEY TO OPEN NEW CAFE SATURDAY

G. W. Raney, veteran cafe operator, will open a new cafe at 408 Center Avenue Saturday morning. Raney has been managing the Main Hotel for some time.

The J. W. Jennings building is being completely remodeled for the new cafe. Modern fixtures are being installed and an up-to-date cafe operated, Raney said.

Raney has been in the cafe business in Brownwood for twenty-four years. For eight years he was associated with Karl Derrick and for many years operated the Raney Lunch Room on West Broadway.

In the little town of Bunde, Germany, is a "cigar museum" which contains the world's largest cigar; nearly six feet in length and over two feet in circumference.

LYRIC

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Friday and Saturday

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"GIVE ME A SAILOR"

Coming Soon: Watch for Date!
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THEATRES

Lyric Bookings

The Lyric Theatre's bookings for the week beginning today include four outstanding attractions for Brownwood theatre goers.

Friday and Saturday a comedy drama, "Three Loves Has Nancy," will be shown. Its cast boasts of such outstanding personalities as Janet Gaynor, Robert Montgomery and Franchot Tone.

For a special midnight show on Saturday the Ritz Brothers' latest rib-tickler "Straight, Place & Show," holds forth. As the title indicates it is a comedy of the "nuttiest" variety with a race track locale. The film will return for a later engagement at the Lyric and the date will be announced in the Banner.

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday Fannie Hurst's "Four Daughters" will be shown. Three of the "Four Daughters" are real life sisters. They are Priscilla Lane, Rosemary Lane and Lola Lane. The "Fourth Daughter" is portrayed by Gale Page, lovely newcomer to the screen.

Wednesday and Thursday the Lyric will present Martha Raye, Bob Hope and Betty Grable in "Give Me A Sailor."

All of the bookings are \$250,000 Movie Quiz Contest pictures and are managed by Lew Bray, manager of the theatre, that you still have time to enter this great contest. Booklets are available free of charge at the theatre box office.

Blue Steel Stove Pipe 15c joint. McLeods Hdwe.

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BROWNWOOD SCOUTS WILL REPAIR TOYS

Brownwood will have a new hospital.

Physicians will be troop members of the Brownwood Boy Scouts of America. Patients will be broken-down, discarded toys. Anesthetics will be administered from paint cans. Operating instruments will be hammers and saws. Operating tables will be work benches. Final recipients on Christmas morn will be little children whose parents cannot afford a great deal of expensive toys.

Yes, if you haven't already guessed it, Boy Scouts of troops in Brownwood have taken over the problem of repairing toys.

At present, toys children have discarded for new ones may be taken to Fire Station number one. At any time, persons wishing to donate toys to the worthwhile cause may call either the fire department or the Boy Scout office and the toys will be called for.

Orville Bradley, scoutmaster of troop 2, is in charge of the undertaking having the assistance of other scoutmasters of the city.

Deadline on bringing toys to the "toy hospital" will be December 17. This will give the boys time for complete work and make arrangements for distributing them.

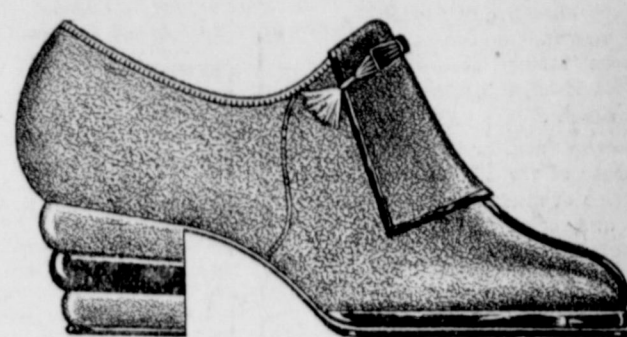
Several toys have already been solicited and work will begin Saturday. Scouts will give their afternoon and weekend time to repairing the toys.

Schools at Williams Have Big Enrollment

Williams has an enrollment of over three hundred students this year with over ninety of this group enrolled in high school. The eleven faculty members are: Superintendent, Weldon Chambers; principal Austin Newton; English, Mrs. S. A. Duke; home economics, Miss Sadie Seward; vocational agriculture, F. M. Lerner; grammar school principal, Darwin Anderson; music, Mrs. Rowena Malone; and primary grades are under the direction of Miss Katherine Galloway, Miss Odell Morrison, Miss Lottie Palmore and Miss Mearl Wilson.

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freshmen, Mr. Lerner. There are thirteen students enrolled in the senior class at Williams.

Dolly Fortner, senior student, was crowned queen of the Halloween Carnival which took place Saturday night, October 29th. This carnival, presented each year, is one of the most important events of the school year.

The Williams football team has made a very good showing this year having won three conference games and three non-conference games. Williams won their first game of the season over Blanket 19-0. They were held to a 6-6 tie in a non-conference game with Early, but later downed the same team in a conference game by the score of 7-0. The last game was played with a non-conference foe, Comyn with Williams winning by a score of 12-0.

The Cross Cut P-T. A. staged its annual carnival Monday night, October 31, with a large crowd and an entertaining program. The organization expresses its thanks to the following merchants whose liberal donations helped to make the carnival a success: Weakley-Watson Company, Radford grocery, Vernon Moore Bakery, Austin Mill & Grain Company, Mid-West Fruit and Vegetable Company, Peerless Drug Store, Renfro-McMinn Drug Company, Renfro Drug Store No. 3, Leader Store, Nevins Hardware Store, Baker Grocery, Farmers and Ranchers Store, Walker-Smith Co. and the two Piggly Wiggly stores.

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RURAL BROWN COUNTY AND— Central West Texas Farm and Ranch News

Program Designed By C. of C. To Restock County With Peach Trees

A program designed to restock Brown county with high grade peach trees has been developed by the Brownwood Chamber of Commerce, and is presented in a statement today in which the proposal is made that high grade trees will be made available for planting on farms here at an unheard of price. The trees are choice varieties, and the stock is thoroughly adapted to the soil and growing conditions in this county.

The Chamber of Commerce has prepared the following statement:

Need Crops to Replace Cotton
Every well-informed business man and farmer knows that if farming is to be profitable in the future, we must find one or more money crops to replace cotton.

In December, 1937, the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station issued a bulletin entitled, "The Peach Situation in the West Cross Timber Country," which includes Brown County. This bulletin was prepared after an exhaustive study of the peach industry in the west cross timber area. Among other things the bulletin states, "There is abundant evidence that peaches can be grown successfully in this section" because of the soil and climatic conditions and for the further reason that this area "seems to be peculiarly free from the usual peach pests," and that in Brown and Comanche Counties and part of Erath the crop is not damaged by cold weather more often than once in nine or ten years.

This report also shows that in Brown and other counties of the area the peach is a profitable crop when the right type is planted and the trees properly cared for. This survey also shows that the number of peach trees in Brown County has decreased from 45,000 in 1930 to 36,000 in 1935.

After a careful analysis of the report made by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station the Brownwood Chamber of Commerce, through its Agricultural Committee, undertook an investigation last March to determine definitely what type of peach is best suited to our soil and climate with a view to commercial production. Information along this line has been obtained from many sources and the committee has made personal investigation of some of the outstanding peach orchards in this area that are profitable to the owners. The Chamber of Commerce also made a thorough investigation of where the best quality of trees suitable for this climate might be obtained. To be profitable a grower should start with an orchard of not less than two acres, which can be enlarged as experience justifies.

The best time to plant an orchard is in December or January, dependent upon the season in the ground.

Three Varieties Most Suited
After the most searching investigation the Chamber of Commerce has found three varieties of peaches that are best suited for planting in this area for commercial purposes:

First, the South Haven, a free peach like the Elberta with plenty of color and better quality

and ripening thirty days ahead of the Elberta.

Second, the Elberta Supreme specially propagated for this climate and soil with special attention to color and quality.

Third, the Frank, a yellow clingstone of good appearance and high quality that ripens after the Elberta. It is particularly desirable because it should be planted only in drouth resistant soil and the fruit keeps for a long while, a desirable feature in shipping.

If a fourth variety is desired, Fair Beauty is recommended. It is a yellow semi-cling peach that ripens before the Elberta but over a period of three weeks.

From the best information obtainable, it appears that 25 to 100 trees should be planted to the acre. If the trees are kept well pruned, 100 to the acre is not too many.

The Agricultural Committee of the Chamber of Commerce has thought that many farmers in Brown County would plant orchards for commercial purposes if they could obtain the type of trees adapted to this locality at a low cost. Therefore, arrangements have been made with one of the outstanding nurseries of Texas, highly recommended by the State Department of Agriculture, and by hundreds of orchard owners in this area, by which in lots of 1,000, or more, the varieties of peach trees described above may be had at the following prices delivered in Brownwood:

South Haven and Elberta: 18 to 24 inches, 75¢; 2 to 3 feet (light), 9¢; 2 to 3 feet (heavy), 12¢; 3 to 4 feet, 15¢.
Frank and Elberta Supreme: 18 to 24 inches, 95¢; 2 to 3 feet (light), 11¢; 2 to 3 feet (heavy), 14¢; 3 to 4 feet, 17¢.

These trees are what is known to the trade as June buds. The trees are not budded until the roots are two years old.

Per-acre Price Reasonable

From this schedule of prices, it will be seen that the cost of trees for planting an acre will range from \$5.00 to \$17.00, dependent upon the type and price of tree planted and the number of trees per acre.

For those farmers who may be interested in planting orchards this winter, the Chamber of Commerce will make all the arrangements for the delivery of the trees and bear all the expense of placing the orders, etc.

In addition, if a sufficient number of farmers are interested in planting orchards to bring the purchases up to 1,000 trees, we have arranged for an expert orchardist to meet with us just before planting time and discuss the problems of peach growing and the best method of planting and caring for the trees, which will be illustrated by lantern slides of actual operations in other orchards.

Furthermore, we now have the advantage of the experiments in peach growing being made at the U. S. Pecan and Horticultural Station established at Brownwood. We are also assured of the advice and assistance of the staff of experts located at the station.

If you are interested in this matter, communicate with Mr. C. W. Lehmberg, the county agent, or the vocational agricultural teacher at your high school or the chamber of commerce office at Hotel Brownwood.

Committee on Agriculture: Henry Wilson, Chairman, Ed A. Franke, Henry Wilson Jr., Louis Walker, Roy Chinn; Chester Harrison, Manager.

WHEAT FARMERS MUST MAKE APPLICATION TO COUNTY AGENT BY 9TH

All farmers that intend to plant wheat in 1939 on farms that have had no wheat since 1935 must make application before Wednesday, November 9, stating the number of acres they intend to plant to wheat in 1939 in order to receive a 1939 wheat allotment. J. H. Shows of the county agent's office said today.

The above application must be made or a producer will be penalized at rate of fifty cents per bushel multiplied by the normal yield per acre. This penalty will be subtracted from the 1939 agricultural conservation payment.

The above application can be made either in person at the county agent's office or in writing before November 9, 1938.

DAIRY HERD GROUPS IN UNITED STATES SHOW IMPROVEMENT

COLLEGE STATION—During the past two years membership in dairy herd improvement associations in the United States has increased by more than 8,900 and more than 150,000 additional cows have been placed on test. At present, around 560,000 cows are being tested thru the associations.

In 1935 there were only two such associations in Texas with 50 herds and 995 cows on test. Today there are 12 associations and 146 herds, and 4,566 cows on test, according to G. G. Gibson, assistant dairyman of the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service.

Dairy herd improvement associations are organized for the purpose of getting production and cost records on individual cows as the basis for culling and breeding operations. Through the organization dairymen cooperatively employ men who are responsible for the testing and record keeping.

Dressing of Thanksgiving Turkey Market is Started

That turkeys of Brown and surrounding counties are of the best quality in years is shown by the fact that in the first carload of one hundred boxes shipped by the Southwestern Poultry Association this week, ninety-eight were filled with No. 1 and choice birds, the remaining two being No. 2's.

Dressing for the Thanksgiving market started feverishly Monday morning at the association headquarters. Swift and Company will open the market Monday morning. It has not as yet started any dressing.

Brown county each year supplies northern and eastern Thanksgiving Day dinner tables with choice birds. During the dressing season, many pickers are given seasonal employment. The turkey crop in this section is a beneficial item this year as the cotton crop fell way below par.

Byrd Has First Load

E. C. Byrd of Cross Cut brought in the first load of birds to the local cooperative. He received a ten cents per pound advance on his 129 turkeys.

Prices are expected to be somewhat near the same as last year. Fourteen cents for No. 1 birds was paid on the opening day of the 1937 market, November 1. Prices later rose to fifteen cents on the Thanksgiving market, but in a last minute rush to sell, dropped back to fourteen cents. Thanksgiving dressing will be completed about November 12. Dressing for the Christmas market will begin December 1. Last year growers received sixteen and seventeen cents per pound on the later market.

In 1937, sixty-three cars were shipped from here, thirty-seven on the Thanksgiving market and twenty-six on the Christmas market.

Committee "Say a 30-acre farm gets a cotton allotment of 8 acres and an additional general crop allotment of 12 acres. That's a total soil-depleting acreage allotment of 20 acres. As long as this farmer doesn't exceed his cotton allotment, he can plant 17 acres to general crops and still comply with the program."

If the farmer planted his 8 acres of cotton and 17 acres of feed or other general crops, his total soil-depleting acreage would be 25 "regulations."

Advices Slow Marketing

Mrs. Lila Salyer, manager of the cooperative association, has asked that turkey growers hold their birds off the market until they have had a little more cool weather and have a better chance to fatten. The birds are of better quality than in several years but growers would profit by holding them off a little longer. The rain today is giving us a little chance to get caught up after the opening week's rush, she said.

'25-Acre Exemption' Gives Small Farmer AAA Consideration

farmer gets special consideration in the AAA's 1939 program.

The consideration comes in the shape of a "25-acre exemption" clause. AAA workers at the state office at Texas A. and M. College estimated it would affect more than 60,000 farmers. The majority of the state's small farms are located in east Texas.

Under the 1939 program any farm receiving a total soil-depleting acreage allotment of less than 25 acres will be exempt from acreage control of general crops up to a total soil-depleting acreage of 25 acres.

The working of the clause was explained with an example by Geo. Slaughter, farmer-chairman of the Texas Agricultural Conservation

Committee. "Say a 30-acre farm gets a cotton allotment of 8 acres and an additional general crop allotment of 12 acres. That's a total soil-depleting acreage allotment of 20 acres. As long as this farmer doesn't exceed his cotton allotment, he can plant 17 acres to general crops and still comply with the program."

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acres, 5 acres above his allotment but within the 25-acre exemption, Slaughter pointed out. Under the 1938 program he would have been limited to his 20-acre allotment.

Mind How You Behave in Pompeii

The Romans apparently believed in frankness. On the wall of a banquet hall excavated in Pompeii, Italy, are painted certain instructions to guests as to their behavior, and inviting them to go home if they cannot abide by the "regulations."

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50¢ pint size Puretest Milk of Magnesia 2 for 51¢

50¢ pint size Puretest Cream of Almonds 2 for 36¢

50¢ pint size Puretest Writing Paper 2 for 51¢

50¢ pint size Puretest Mineral Oil 2 for 76¢

50¢ pint size Floor-Brite Liquid Wax 2 for 51¢

50¢ pint size Puretest Full pound can Dr. Hall's Borated BABY TALC 2 for 30¢

50¢ pint size Puretest Skin Lotion 2 for 51¢

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By Way of Introduction

THE RESPONSIBILITY of directing The Banner is assumed with pleasure, but with a full realization of the obligation as well as the privilege involved in this new relationship with the people of Brown county. This is a noble old newspaper, with a long and honorable record of service here, and with a vast opportunity for productive labor in support of the public's welfare.

The general policies of The Banner will be unchanged. They are founded upon earnest convictions of good men who through the past six decades have directed the destiny of the paper, and they have stood the test of the ever changing conditions surrounding the economic, social, intellectual and spiritual experiences of this people.

Long acquaintance with Brown county inspires the honest conviction that nowhere can there be found a superior people, and nowhere could there be a more desirable place in which to live and labor. We take up the new task not as one driven to it by unavoidable circumstances, but deliberately and with an abiding confidence that in it we shall find a large measure of satisfaction.

JAMES C. WHITE.

Penalizing West Texans

MUCH ATTENTION has recently been directed to the discrimination against the South in the matter of freight rates, which in many instances makes it impossible for Southern industry to compete with other sections of the country.

From every angle, the rate situation in West Texas looks extremely bad. For instance, while the rate schedules generally have been reduced during the past twenty years, the West Texas rates have been steadily increased, despite the fact that the operating cost in the area is materially lower than in most sections of the country.

Summarizing its studies, the traffic board of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce concludes: "That West Texas when judged by population and quantity of production, has the nation's highest freight rate level; that its rates have been increased while others have decreased; that others can slip into this territory at lower rates than shippers living in this territory have to pay for shipping wholly within the territory, and that expense of operating transportation facilities in West Texas appears to be lower even than in Official Territory."

Here is a situation that is of primary importance to West Texas people. We are being penalized unfairly in the costs of moving products to the markets, and that reacts against the welfare of the producer and of every other citizen of the area.

Best news of the week was the announcement that peace is in sight in the controversy between the railroads and the Brotherhoods, with a prospect that the roads will abandon their demands for a fifteen per cent reduction in wage schedules.

Time for the Showdown

NEXT TUESDAY the people of America will go to the polls to determine the outcome of the biennial election, involving the seats of 435 Congressmen, thirty or more Senators, and a host of governors and other state officials. No "off-year" election in two or three decades has aroused as much interest as the current campaign, due principally to the determined effort of President Roosevelt to clear out of the Democratic party those Senators and Congressmen who had opposed important portions of his program, and it is clear today that there will be several close races and probably a few surprises when the balloting ends.

President Roosevelt has been bitterly criticized because of his interference in the campaign. He frankly told the people of several states that he wanted to surround himself with a Congress that will give unwavering support to his policies, and with more emphasis than any other president had ever shown demanded the defeat of several former stalwarts of Democracy who had earned his disfavor during the past two years.

The situation finds Texas, as usual, undisturbed and largely unconcerned. Texas Democrats will roll up a comfortable but by no means representative majority vote for all nominees of the party. It is difficult to induce Texans to vote unless they have a quarrel under way, and it isn't worthwhile to quarrel with a mere handful of Republicans. The state, as a whole endorses President Roosevelt although there are many of his policies that have come into disfavor with large groups of people. It is just another election day here, therefore, and the major interest we shall have in it will be inspired by the controversies in other states.

Poison in Winter Automobiles

MOST PEOPLE think of the menace of traffic hazards, as they consider the possibility of meeting death in automobiles. As the winter season approaches, however, it is timely to point out that death by poison is just as permanent as death by collision or otherwise, and carbon monoxide can do the trick quickly and neatly.

The State Department of Health calls attention to the danger of carbon monoxide in a statement recently given the press. "Warming up" a car in a closed garage is always dangerous. Leaks from manifold connections or cracked manifolds, defective mufflers, leaks from loose muffler connections and hot air heaters may let the deadly gas into a closed car.

Symptoms of the presence of carbon monoxide gas in a closed car may be detected by occupants of the machine. Headaches occurring during long drives, sleepiness, dizziness, fatigue and other physical reactions should not be ignored. To make winter driving safe the rules of the road must be observed, but there must also be vigilance against the deadly gas created in the operation of the motor. Watch it.

People Visit Public Parks

UNITS of the federal park system were visited by sixteen million people during the travel year which ended last September 30, according to a statement by the Department of the Interior. It was a record breaking year, topping by a million or more the record of 1937.

The report of the past year's travel to United States parks should lend inspiration to those who are working so assiduously to promote the Big Bend park in Texas. One has only to imagine a million people traveling annually across Texas to the Big Bend to get a vision of what it would do for the industry and business of this state. The Big Bend area is a "natural" as a national park. It is Nature in the raw, one of the few accessible places on the North American continent that remains as the Indians left it.

It is hoped that some more feasible plan for the purchase of the Big Bend area than that of popular contributions may be devised, so that this park may be opened for improvement in the near future. Although everybody wants to cut the cost of operating the state government, and deplores every increase in appropriations, it might be good business, after all, to reenact a bill similar to that which Governor Allred vetoed a year ago, and pay for the park without further delay.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

For November 6, 1938
HONOR THY father and thy mother, that thy days may be long in the land which the Lord thy God giveth you.
The fifth commandment should have a particular significance for this day and generation, because of the important bearing it has upon the great fundamental institution of the American home.

The MARCH OF TIME

A BANNER Feature by the Editors of TIME, The Weekly Newsmagazine

Wage-&Hour Law

HYDE PARK, New York—In a formal statement issued at Hyde Park last week, President Roosevelt expressed hope that the new Wage-&Hours law—which went into effect on October 24—would work, and that employers doing intrastate business would comply with its spirit.

The new Wage-&Hour law makes it illegal to pay some 11,900,000 workers employed in interstate commerce less than 25 cents an hour, sets the statutory work week at 44 hours. It is not illegal to work a longer week, but simply more expensive for employers who must pay one and one-half times the regular rate for overtime.

Big Western Union and Little Southern lumbermen sought to get in line with the law by exemption or discharge of underpaid hands, but an employer found in violation will be in a peck of trouble. He may have to pay his workers the difference between their sub-standard wages and the legal minimum plus an equal amount in damages.

Most U. S. employers were in no danger. Of the 11,900,000 employed in industries under the Act, U. S. statisticians last week figured that only 750,000 (a large portion in Southern, lumber, garment, fertilizer industries) receive less than 25¢ an hour; and twice as many, or about 1,500,000 employees, work more than 44 hours.

Specialists

NEW YORK—Of the 57 WPA workers wielding pick and shovel on a ditch-digging project in New York City, 38 walked off the job one day last week and refused to labor more. Their reason: Working with either pick or shovel was hard enough, but to ask any man to use these tools interchangeably—without a chance to rest while another worker did the other tool—was "inhuman." Result: One man discharged, one suspended, interchangeable pick and shoveling resumed.

Handsome Tribute

WASHINGTON—High in the esteem of President Roosevelt's Adviser Thomas Corcoran as a candidate for the vacancy on the U. S. Supreme Court is Michigan's Governor Frank Murphy, who is having a tough battle for re-election. Observers were therefore not surprised to read last week in "Washington Daily Merry-Go-Round," the political column by Pearson & Allen which is one of Mr. Corcoran's favorite wind tunners for testing political balloons: a handsome tribute to Mr. Murphy and a serious discussion of his suitability to succeed the late Justice Cardozo. Excerpts: "When Murphy was judge of the recorder's court he kept a little cardboard placard behind his desk where only he could see it. It read: If you must err, err on the side of liberty. Murphy also called every convict into chambers and privately told him in advance what his sentence would be and why. He hated to see a man stand in open court

and get the sudden shock of a sentence without advance preparation. Governor Murphy is a devout Catholic, attends Mass regularly. Even his critics give him credit for decency. He abhors bloodshed. Another characteristic is his fighting sympathy for the underdog. He is frankly, definitely, enthusiastically pro-labor, believes that relations between capital and labor constitute the nation's most difficult problem."

Compressed Air

WASHINGTON—With election day but a fortnight off, political loud-speakers blared at the nation's cardrooms last week from every stump and hilltop, filling the air with civic sense and nonsense, but most of all with partisan fury.

As the party in power, Democrats decried upon the nation from Washington. To crucial Pennsylvania—for which Harry Hopkins last fortnight authorized 10,900 new WPA jobs—went Postmaster General Farley to warn a \$100-a-state dinner in Philadelphia that nothing could so comfort Republicans as to win back Pennsylvania, which they lost four years ago. Result in funds raised: \$334,700.

To New Jersey went Secretary of War Woodring. To Council Bluffs, Iowa, having already visited Kansas, Texas and Illinois, went Secretary of Agriculture Wallace to make another of a series of heart-felt speeches in defense of AAA. To Kansas went Senate Majority Leader Barkley. To Pennsylvania after Mr. Farley went House Majority Leader Rayburn. But of all the stump-speaking Democrats, loudest and longest was Secretary of the Interior Harold Ickes, who crossed the country to whoop up the New Deal for the Congressional elections and attend a few ceremonies at which his presence was appropriate. In his informal talks, short speeches, and eight full-length addresses, the editing of Presidential Advisers Corcoran & Cohen was unmistakable. They stamped Mr. Ickes as Possibility No. 1 for a 1940 Presidential candidate acceptable to Mr. Roosevelt.

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Beds & Bunks

ALBANY, New York—Between a teacher and a politician, declared Oklahoma's Senator Josh Lee in addressing a teachers' conference at Albany last week, there is this difference: A teacher makes his bed and lies in it; a politician makes his bunk and lies out of it.

War Is Over!

BERLIN—Germany's large-scale mobilization, which began on August 15 and was called "maneuvers" by the German General Staff, was officially called off last week. At least 450,000 youthful reservists, happy that their Führer Adolf Hitler had got all he wanted of Czechoslovakia without losing a man, were in high spirits as they made ready to return to civilian life on November 1.

Many requisitioned buses bringing home demobilized soldiers back to Berlin from Sudetenland were inscribed: "The War is Over!" Also released to civilian life were the Labor Service youths, detained an extra month to work on Germany's counter-Magint line facing France. But there was little rejoicing by German Jews who were being examined last week preparatory to the name-changing on January 1. All Jews born after that date must be labeled with an unmistakable Jewish first name, specified in a published Nazi list. Jewish men whose present names differ from those on the list must now add Israel, Jewish women must tag on Sarah. Rejected by many converts at Prague in a National Assembly and a Senate, Bohemia, the Czech part of the Republic, will have 140 seats in the Assembly Slovakia 50, Ruthenia ten. In the Senate the three States will have equal strength, eight seats each. A hyphen will probably be inserted into Czechoslovakia, making it "Czecho-Slovakia," according to Prague dispatches, but the Ruthenians want the Republic's name changed to "The State of Czechs, Slovaks and Ruthenians." Other proposed names with important backing this week: "Western Slavia"; "Central Slavia"; "Slavia."

maturity with an inadequate conception of responsibility toward other people, and is unable or unwilling to fit into the complex life of the social order. It is for this reason that leading commentators fear the decadence of the home may result in destruction of democracy. Obviously, their fears are not entirely unfounded.

Length of Cotton Staple Increase

Cotton ginned in Texas prior to October 18, 1938, was only slightly higher in grade but was appreciably longer in Staple than for the corresponding period last year. Estimates by the Bureau of Agricultural Economics indicate that 68 percent was middling white and better, compared with 63 percent last season. Almost 34 percent was strict middling white and better; 34 percent was middling; 10 percent was strict low middling; and only 1 percent was low middling and below. Cotton classed as spotted accounted for 21 percent, and more than one half of this was strict middling and better. This season, only 34 percent was shorter than 15-16 inch and 23 percent was 1 inch and longer, compared with 62 percent and 8 percent respectively for these lengths last season. Only 7 percent was shorter than 7-8 inch; 27 percent was 7-8 and 29-32 inch; 43 percent was 15-16 and 21-32 inch; 18 percent was 1 inch and 1 1-32 inches; and 5 percent was 1 1-16 inches and longer.

PEEP SHOW For Ladies Only BY MIGNON

A sort of Goodbye feeling All mixed with, Hi-di-ho A half and farewell letter For I'm still on the go. For Pappa's kinda loaned me To Texas for a spell The game that I'll be playin' Ain't no "Farmer in the dell." Here I am out in the wide open spaces with a death grip in one hand and my hat in the other. I've gone west completely and not even a sign of a cough that carries them off. Just outta blue sky, pappa up and reminds me of the old fashioned wedding ceremony which had that "obey" clause in it. But to tell the truth he didn't even have to twist my arm to get me to be willing. TEXAS... Get that's a thrilling word in anybody's language!" Speshully to an old gal born down on the San Saba... years and miles are as nothing, however across the green carpet of memory. Against a backdrop of Texas skies ride the heroes of the past across a stage builded by courage, valor and honor... Nor am I forgetting my love for my adopted land, Oklahoma... Red lands and rolling prairie will ever hold a big chunk of my heart, and I'll not be straying far nor long from the home corral... Thinking of leaving Oklahoma for a spell reminds me with a poignant breath-taking jab of pain that friends are what make life really worth living. It was a friend who dug up my red bud down on the creek over in Eastern Oklahoma and brought it all the way to plant it in my side yard so I could see its lovely signal for Spring whenever I looked out my kitchen window... It was a group of girls' clubs, juniors, who started my rose garden... It was a little special friend who helped me place brick upon brick to make the outside fire place in the back yard around which so many of us have broiled steaks—it was a next door neighbor, who had shared all my sorrows and joys for seven years who gave me my humming bird bush, just because it reminded me so much of the one in my grandmother's yard when I was little; it was a bright eyed high school lad who planted the hedge; and it was a congressman who sent me the mock orange blossoms on my anniversary; it was my mother who set the moss in the front beds; it was my double cousin who started the row of madonna lilies; a friend I'd treasured for ten years who divided her water hyacinths... To say nothing of two youngsters, Bob and Buddie, who dug up the devil's pin cushion way down on a Texas ranch for me... All these things, that grow in a garden can be transplanted but the roots of friendship have gone down deep into my heart and they will flourish and sweeten my life wherever I may call home. Speaking of friends reminds me of that priceless one, Helen McMahan, Oklahoma Chairman of Literature, and I think her poem "It" would fit in nicely here.



FRIDAY of next week will be Armistice Day, and it is fervently hoped that there may be an adequate observance of the holiday. This is the twentieth anniversary of the cessation of hostilities in the world war, and is also the first observance of Armistice Day as an official national holiday. The American Legion is interested in preparing a program, and should have the hearty cooperation of all the people. A holiday means no work. We like holidays.

An interesting little story appeared in the papers the other day, about a bogus buried treasure somebody had uncovered. It reminded me of the old-timers here of the time when a petrified man was unearthed, near the Hall mountains just west of town. The incident caused quite a furore in the community at the time.

THE MAN in question looked as if he had been petrified, all right, and there was all manner of speculation as to whether he may have been a specimen of anthropos Neanderthalensis, although some held the opinion that it was merely a prehistoric Republican who had been petrified with horror because of the way Texas Democrats treated him. A more careful and scientific examination, however, disclosed the fact that the creature was only a cleverly moulded bit of concrete, constructed for the purpose of providing a bit of innocent fun, if any.

This week's birthday list is both unpeaking and interesting. November 1 was observed jointly by Mark Callaway, lawyer; C. R. Ater, oil distributor; and J. Fred McGaughey, head of the Central Texas School of Oratory and a native son of the Promised Land. November 3, today, is being celebrated by Frank Howard, who if we mistake not came here from Kentucky about thirty-six years ago and decided to stay. Tomorrow, November 4, will be celebrated by Earl Looney, widely known business man, and William S. Evans, son of C. V. Evans. He is a stock farmer, and votes Methodist and Democrat. Saturday, the 5th, will be the birthday of Herman Bettis, Brown county boy who is making good as manager for the Water District; and D. H. Norwood, born in Hamburg, Arkansas, Nov. 5, 1861. Mr. Norwood came here at about the time this paper was established, and was a printer on it for a time in the very early days. He has been a good man ever since.

Our ex-Malakoff reader, who we hope will become a subscriber if and when he sells his cotton, suggests that we exert all the available will power and refrain from attaching "drive safely" to the concluding paragraph of this column. It looks like censorship of the press, but there isn't any such thing as freedom any more, any way, any where. Not any.

Howard Payne Students Return From Memphis

Thirty members of the Howard Payne College Baptist Student Union, returned Monday night from Memphis, Tennessee, where they attended the southwide quadrennial conference of the B.S.U. organization. En route from the meeting the students stopped overnight in Arkansas. One of the largest Baptist churches in that city reserved a special section of the church for the local students at services Sunday night. In Little Rock, Arkansas, several of the group heard Joe Trussell, Brownwood and former student of Howard Payne College, now a prominent evangelistic singer. Theme of the southwest conference was "My Maximum for Christ." Regional meetings are held every four years. During the intervening three years, state conventions are held. Hardin-Simmons University of Abilene will be host at the next state meeting.

Rural Villages in Germany

Rural villages in Germany which have no motion picture houses are now visited by motor trucks which contain complete projection outfits, so that the most isolated towns see movies. Certain fungus growths consist of two separate plants living together in partnership.

BY SPECIAL CORRESPONDENTS OF THE BANNER

The Week's News of Brown County Rural Communities

EBONY

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schurmer of El Paso, who have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Crowder, at Brownwood, spent Tuesday in this community visiting her grandmother, Mrs. J. R. Ivy.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Guthrie from Port Neches and Mrs. John Guthrie of Mullin spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Reeves.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roberts and Miss Odene Russell went to Crawford Mills Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Tip Roberts. In the morning Mr. and Mrs. Wood Roberts went to church with Mr. and Mrs. Tip Roberts. In the afternoon, the women folk drove to Goldthwaite to visit the cemetery where are buried their grandmother and grandfather Roberts.

Miss Cleone Haynes spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. C. M. Cheanutt, near Cross Cut.

Ed Crowder left for the West the first part of the week with a big load of pecans.

Dale Reid, who bought the Bob Egger pecan crop, is also leaving soon with a load.

Mrs. Charles Griffin and children and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Crowder and baby of Brownwood visited homefolks here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Egger spent Monday with Miss Dolly Reynolds.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Beeman and children and Mr. and Mrs. Charn Whitteburg and baby called on Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tippen Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wilmetth and Miss Bernice Wilmetth called to see little Joe Hubert at the Hubert Reeves home Saturday night. They found him doing fine. His daddy is threshing pecans across the river at the Lindsey place, but his paternal grandparents are keeping watch over him and his mother while he is away.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crowder and F. L. Jr. and Mrs. Clara Miller and Mrs. Nellie Malone had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Briley Sunday after church.

Arch Ketchum and his mother and his sisters, Misses Besse and Leona, went to Anson the latter part of the week to visit his uncle who has been very sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie McNurfin and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Loyt Roberts Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Egger had dinner at the Day home Sunday after church.

Albert Hardin of Big Spring and his sister, Mrs. Dick Singleton of Novice visited at the Stanley Reeves home Sunday.

Charlie Roberts spent Saturday and Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. Richard Mayfield at Brownwood. He got to help them move. Mr. and Mrs. Mayfield have bought them a little home on Sixth street.

Mrs. Lula Kelly went home with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Crowder, and Mrs. Lloyd Neal Sunday afternoon. She will spend the week with them.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Dwyer visited at the Wilmetth home Sunday after church.

P. R. Reid, Dale Reid and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wilmetth attended the ball game at Indian Creek Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Haynes, Mrs. Effie Egger, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Day Dale Reid, Miss Bernice Wilmetth, Miss Vivian Day, Perry Day, Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Reid and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wilmetth attended the Howard Payne-A. C. C. game at Brownwood Friday night.

After the game, Miss Vivian Day returned with her sister, Miss Earlene, to Abilene where she will spend several days. On Nov. 5 she will attend the wedding of her friend, Miss Maxine McCaleb, at Cordell, Okla. Maxine is one of the McCaleb twins, who have visited here several times. Vivian will return home Monday, Nov. 7.

For your next change in glasses see Dr. R. A. Ellis, Optometrist.

ZEPHYR

Rev. Chester Wilkerson preached at the Methodist Church Sunday morning and night.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Piller and daughter Mary and Martha of Abilene were the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Canningham Sr. Sunday.

Imogene James of Brownwood visited her aunt, Mrs. Ralph Hudson and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Teague and family of Santa Anna spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Tee.

John Petty and John Glass visited Mr. and Mrs. Alec Edwards in Sweetwater Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Teague of Hallinger visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Lee and Mrs. Tom Lee Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alec Edwards of Sweetwater were the week end guests of her parents Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Petty.

Those attending the Hallowe'en Carnival at Mullin Friday night were: Audrey and Cleo Ratliff, Imogene Elliot, Enoe and Anita Cough, Vivian Lange, Ellie McDaniel, Opal Couch, Ruby Jewel McKinney, Lonn Merle Gilbreath, Price Hanks, Cordie Piburn, Melvin Bowden, Toss Coffey, Sherwood Grogan, Jack Driskill, Lynn Coffey, Allen Kesler, Melvin Gilbreath, Don McKinney, Frank Watson Glenn Petty.

Zephyr's outside basketball team defeated the Mullin school boys by the score of 32-23.

Rev. Chester Wilkerson of Blanket was in Zephyr Tuesday.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Lee Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Teague of Rising Star and Mrs. Phillip Bishop of Junction.

The Hallowe'en Carnival sponsored by the Methodist church entertained the members of the B. T. U. with a stew Monday evening on the lawn of the church.

Chas. B. Forsythe died in a local hospital Saturday, October 29, at 3 p.m. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon with Rev. Neal Greer officiating.

Mr. Forsythe was born April 13, 1885, in Brown county and had been a member of the Baptist church since he was a young man.

Surviving Mr. Forsythe are his wife; three sisters, Mrs. M. P. Jones of San Angelo; Mrs. H. C. Duke of Mullin; and Mrs. M. B. Whitely of Brownwood; four brothers, John R. Forsythe, Thayer, Mo.; James H. Forsythe of Minnesota; Allen D. Forsythe of Monahan, and Paul Forsythe of Port Arthur.

Funeralbearers were John Evans, Henry Fry, Bill Kilgore, Ford Glass, Bob Weston, D. L. Stevens, John Yantis and Charlie Hallum. Interment was made in Elkins cemetery with White & London Funeral Home in charge.

WILLOW SPRINGS

Several from this community attended the singing at Bethel last Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Croy and daughter were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lappe Friday night. Alfred Lappe, brother of Mrs. Stovall, returned home with them for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Horner and children visited Mrs. Horner's parents Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pauley of Zephyr Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Williams and baby of Thrifty visited Mrs. Williams parents Mr. and Mrs. Blackmon Sunday. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blackmon and children of Blanket, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Thompson and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Blackmon and children of this community.

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Oscar Sides is improving in the Central Texas Hospital after an operation last Friday. We hope that she will soon be able to come home.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Smith of Blanket visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Bush Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Blackmon and children, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lappe and son Alfred visited W. Hep- tinistall and family a while Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reeves visited Mr. Reeves nephew who is in the Central Texas Hospital Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mary Soucey of the Gap Creek community is visiting her daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Powers and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Fry were in Brownwood Saturday.

Mrs. Jim Lynch was visiting in Brownwood a few days last week. Rev. Gordon Barnett of Comanche will preach at Rock Church next Sunday. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

My eye examination different. Try Dr. R. A. Ellis, Optometrist.

REGENCY

The small crop of cotton has been gathered, corn stored in barns, and most of the fall feed has been cut and stacked.

Oats that were sown after a light rain several weeks ago failed to come to a stand in most places, and some farmers are sowing in the dry dirt to await the coming rain.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Jones, Mrs. S. M. Jones and Erma Egger visited Mr. and Mrs. Lester Martin of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Alt of Arden, Hobson Jones and family and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Bolinger near San Angelo.

Frances Nicholson, R. D. Egger and Forest Perkins made a brief call at the Charles Robinson home Sunday night. Forest returned to his work at Bruni Monday. He was accompanied by R. D. These young men will be missed by their many friends of this community.

Mrs. Oliver Calder of Ledy has returned home after a week's visit with her mother Mrs. N. H. Rowlett.

Mrs. Charles Roberts attended the football game at Indian Creek Friday afternoon and spent several hours with Tom Perkins and family Friday night. Mr. Perkins is suffering with an infected finger due to a bruise.

Everyone interested is invited to attend the cemetery working at Regency Thanksgiving Day. Come early with plenty of tools and lunch.

EARLY HIGH

Mrs. Henry Cannon of Dallas has returned home after a visit here with Mrs. John Shannon Sr.

Will Woods and family of Brownwood visited here with Mr. Woods sister, Mrs. Edd Chran and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Merrel Lea of Odessa are spending a few days here with relatives.

Mrs. Tom Flowers spent Friday afternoon with Fannie Davis and Mrs. Laura Riggs.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Keeler visited Friday night in the Earp home. Perry Boyd and Arthur Vernon were also guests.

The sewing club met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Everette Hill. Seven members and three visitors were present. Members were Mesdames Alexander, Webb, Jackson, Earp, McLaughlin, Miss Webb and the hostess, Mrs. Vernon Cunningham and Misses Virgie Cunningham and Bertha Webb were visitors.

Plans for a Christmas party were discussed. Refreshments of fruit salad, whipped cream and cake and punch were served. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Clint Tongate, October 13.

Marjorie Hill who has been attending business college at Abilene returned home Thursday.

Mrs. O. A. Zage visited Friday afternoon with Mrs. Edd Chran and daughter, Mrs. Luna Kirksey.

Mesdames Cull Earp, Jim Alexander, Janie McLaughlin, N. B. Graham, Walter Roscoe and Lee Earp enjoyed a porch party in Brownwood on Wednesday of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Porter. An afternoon luncheon was served.

Mrs. Jim Alexander spent Wednesday night of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Cull Earp.

Mrs. Robert Goates and daughter, Carmelita, and son, Arnold, visited here last Friday with Mrs. Janie McLaughlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Teel of Dallas are visiting relatives here.

A dance was given Saturday night in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Newcomb.

Inez Bond of Ricker spent the weekend here with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Walter Roscoe is spending a few days in Brownwood at the bedside of her daughter-in-law.

Misses Glee and Alto Green entertained Friday night with a Hallowe'en party in their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Horton and daughter, Mrs. Manda Hughes, spent the weekend at Waco with Bert Horton and Jim Tongate and families.

Mr. and Mrs. Cull Earp visited Sunday in the home of Horace Webb and Everette Hill.

CROSS CUT

A bridal shower for Mrs. Adrian Hardin, who was until her recent marriage, Miss Marguerite Byrd was given by Miss Mary Lou Dill-rell at her home Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Dub Arledge and son are visiting in the home of Mr. Arledge's parents Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Arledge. Dub and his brother "Red" have gone to St. Elmo, Ill., where they will be employed by an oil company. Dub will return for his family in the near future.

Mrs. Jesse Arledge and Miss Dub Arledge visited Mr. and Mrs. James Shultz of Odessa last week. Mrs. Shultz is the former Miss Nedra Arledge.

Mr. and Mrs. John Pevchou and children, who formerly lived at Ranger, attended Ranger's home coming celebration held at Ranger Friday week. They attended the football game between Ranger and Breckenridge in the afternoon.

A Hallowe'en Carnival sponsored by the P-T. A. was held in the gym Monday evening. A negro minstrel prepared by Mr. Shannon and Mrs. Ross Newton was given preceding the carnival. A nice crowd attended.

A group of ladies interested in quilting met in the home of Mrs. Dibrell last Thursday to organize a quilting club. A quilt was quilted for Mrs. Dibrell at the meeting. Those present were: Mrs. Shannon, Mrs. Melton, Mrs. Proctor, Mrs. Lewis Newton, Mrs. Les Byrd, Mrs. Dolphus Prater, Mrs. John Clark, Miss Ondella Jackson, Miss Johnnie Melton, Mrs. Will Pentecost and Miss Margie Pentecost.

The sewing club composed of members of the clothing class in the Cross Cut high school met for a social in the home of their instructor, Miss Delma Beams, last Thursday evening. Each girl brought a piece of embroidery to work on. Refreshments of homemade candy and punch were served. Special guests for the evening were Mrs. Claude Shannon and Mrs. Ernest Proctor.

Noble Melton is now operating

the service station, which was formerly operated by Eldon Gregg.

The girls and boys basketball teams played in a tournament held at Sydney this weekend. The boys were defeated by Centennial who won the tournament, and the girls were defeated by the hard driving team of Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kellar and son Hollis and daughter, Tula, attended the sixtieth wedding anniversary dinner, given for Mr. Kellar's uncle and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kellar of Pioneer. About fifty of the relatives were present.

BROOKS - MACEDONIA

The Hallowe'en social at Macedonia Monday evening was well attended. A number of interesting games were played after which refreshments were served to a large number.

J. M. Helms of Hamlin spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Fountain.

Mr. and Mrs. Everette Harris had business in Brownwood Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Haynes, who are moving to Rising Star this week, were surprised by their many friends Friday evening with a covered dish dinner. The honorees were the recipients of many gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Montgomery of Amity visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everette Harris Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Watkins and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Boggs attended a church conference at Sipe Springs Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Lee are visiting relatives in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Everette Harris attended a Hallowe'en party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Vernon of Union Grove Saturday evening.

Ervin McGee transacted business in Comanche Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Everette Harris and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Harris visited in the home of Mrs. Lonie Hutton of Sabinal Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Weathersby and daughter Joyce were shopping in Comanche Saturday morning.

Your eyes should have the best. See Dr. R. A. Ellis, Optometrist.

We Announce the Winners

of the Jumbled Word Contest we conducted in the October 20th issue of the Banner. Names of winners are as follows:

- 1st Prize: A week's pass to theatre selected by contestant. This pass good for a pass for the contestant and another person — S. D. Rodgers, 201 E. Adams, City
- 2nd Prize: A week's pass to the favorite theatre for the contestant — Mrs. J. K. Wilkes, 1205 Coggin, City.
- 3rd Prize: A one night pass for the contestant and another person, to their favorite theatre — Mrs. R. E. May, 1606 K.
- 4th Prize: A one night theatre pass for the contestant goes to — Nancy Henkel, 1104 Third.

The following prize winners are awarded a year's subscription to the Brownwood Banner

- Bicie Fisher, 1114 Vincent, City
- Voyle Irwin, 1617 Avenue D, City
- Mrs. Paul Holcomb, 1609 Second, City
- Mrs. L. M. Woods, 1601 Second, City

The correct list of suggested improvements is as follows:

- 1. A new home
- 2. New garage
- 3. A wash-house
- 4. New concrete walks
- 5. Storm cellar
- 6. Chicken house
- 7. New barn
- 8. Warehouse
- 9. New roof, cedar shingles
- 10. New roof, composition shingles
- 11. New roof, Channeledrain iron
- 12. House painted, outside
- 13. House painted, inside
- 14. House repapered
- 15. New kitchen cabinet
- 16. New porch floor
- 17. New oak floors
- 18. New telephone cabinet
- 19. New ironing board
- 20. New medicine cabinet
- 21. New attic insulation
- 22. Room to house
- 23. Screened porch
- 24. Brickwork
- 25. Termite extermination
- 26. Inside stairways
- 27. Outside stairway
- 28. Floors refinished
- 29. Garage doors repaired
- 30. Roof patched
- 31. New plumbing
- 32. Electric wiring
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- 35. New hardware
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- 38. New kitchen cabinet top
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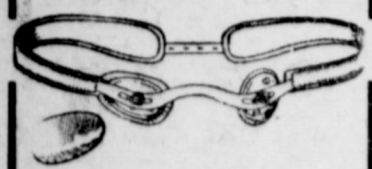
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Mrs. Lizzie M. Hinton has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Clifford Owen, at Brady.

Indian Creek won the football game with Brooksmith here Friday afternoon by the score of 6-2. Rev. L. D. Ball preached at the Baptist church Sunday. He will preach again next Sunday.

Miss Zelma Newton, Howard Payne College student, spent Sunday with Miss Blanche Herring.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Jones entertained with a party Friday night. Howard Lyon of Dallas, and his sister Mrs. Henry Boyd of Brownwood attended church here Sunday morning and then visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. McBride. This was Howard's first visit here in fourteen years.

Miss Edna Merle Smith of Alexander spent the weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Smith.

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Kathryn Swenson was elected as secretary and Nancy Norris was elected as parliamentarian. Plans were discussed for making Christmas gifts, and members were asked to have their sewing project started before the next meeting.

Miss Malone will meet with the group at their next meeting on November 1st at the school building.

Brookesmith Club The Brookesmith 4-H club girls met last week for election of four new officers. Those named at the meeting were Elnora Miller, secretary; Benita Jo Shelton, parliamentarian; Dorothy Jones, vice-president; and Billie Boenicke, reporter. Four new members attended the meeting.

Miss Mayes Malone, county home demonstration agent, will meet with the Brookesmith club at their next meeting.

Magnolia Dealers HOLD SALES MEET A "winter-proofing" campaign was inaugurated at a meeting of Magnolia dealers, agents and service station operators from fifteen Central West Texas towns held on the Hotel Brownwood roof garden Thursday night.

W. O. Gatton of Fort Worth, district sales manager of the petroleum company, was in charge of the program. A motion picture, "Help Yourself," demonstrated gasoline values. Frank Bucy is the Brownwood agent for the Magnolia Company.

Towns represented at the meeting were: Cisco, Ranzer, Eastland Cross Plains, Comanche, Dublin, Stephenville, Goldthwaite, Valera San Saba, Coleman, Brady, Priddy, Rochelle and Santa Anna.

Students at Howard Payne Hall Feted With Formal Dinner One of the highlights of the social calendar this week at Howard Payne college was the formal Halloween dinner and party given at Howard Payne Hall Monday night by Miss Gladys Hicks, dean of Women, and the Howard Payne Hall Council.

The Halloween motif was reflected in the floral decorations and place cards while black tapers burned in orange candlesticks on the tables. Colorful paper hats were given as favors.

After the dinner parlor games were enjoyed. Punch was served during the evening by Miss Helen Joiner.

The guest list included Mrs. Thomas H. Taylor, Misses Lindsey, Joiner, Janice Sorrell, Colleen Pate, Pat Morse, Alvie Strasser, Ted Ewing, Jack McClure, Roy Fox, James Huggins, W. I. Lewis, Bill Howard, Jack Harrison, George Edwards and Morris Myrick. The House council is formed by Misses Beulah Duncan, Mary Evelyn Jones, Bobby Ruth Mowery and Doris Ruth Barnes.

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HAMILTON—The Junior Chamber of Commerce has been advised by Rufus Higgs of Stephenville, chairman of the Highway 281 Association, that contracts for paving all gaps on that highway between Stephenville and Wichita Falls will be let before January 1. It was added that probably a contract for completion of the gap in Lampasas county will also be let by that time. Engineers are now working overtime getting plans and specifications prepared for these projects.

FREDERICKSBURG — Receiver J. R. Hoerster has announced a dividend of 5 per cent to depositors, at his office. The dividend was paid last Saturday, October 29, and brings the total of dividends paid to depositors of this institution up to 62½ cents on the dollar.

STEPHENVILLE—Seventy WPA workers have been employed in tearing down the old Central ward school building, in preparation for the construction of a \$70,000 fire proof building on the present ward school campus. The new building when completed will have 14 classrooms and a large auditorium. A cafeteria will be installed in the remodeled basement of the present structure.

STEPHENVILLE—Chas. S. Long, builder, has awarded a contract to C. S. Oats & Son of Abilene for the construction of a new 40-room hotel, to cost \$75,150. The building will contain 40 guest rooms, and will be modern in every particular.

STEPHENVILLE — A drive to make John Tarleton College a senior institution with a full four year course of study has been launched with an aggressive committee in charge of the campaign. The general committee is headed by R. F. Higgs as chairman, who is assisted by Charles Wilkins and H. M. Everett. John Tarleton is now a junior college.

STEPHENVILLE — Contracts have been awarded for the construction of a modern cold storage plant here for the Stephenville Ice Company. The storage compartment will be built into 300 individual units, each all steel and sanitary in every way.

RISING STAR—County Agent Cook is urging the planting of winter cover crops to save the sandy soil of this area. A number of crops are available for this use, he states in The Record.

RISING STAR—R. C. McCarter a few days ago brought in a new oil producer at 631 feet on the L. W. Robertson tract, estimated to be good for 19 to 25 barrels. McCarter has a large block of acreage in that area, and will drill further.

BRADY—Major General Julian L. Schley, chief of the division of U. S. Army engineers in charge of flood control survey work, visited Brady a few days ago. He examined the terrain and made personal observations supplementing the work already done by the staff of engineers working here for the past several weeks.

BRADY—G. R. White, local ranchman, witnessed a demonstration of L. D. Hillyer's "Hiltel Tiller" machine at Brownwood a few days ago. He expressed the opinion that the new machine would be especially effective in exterminating bitter weed, bane of the ranchmen and in beating down other weeds and small brush.

BRADY—Officials of the City of Brady have received notice that the Santa Fe railroad company is withdrawing its application for permission to discontinue motor train service between Brownwood and Menard, via Brady. Vigorous protests had been made by local farmers and ranchers against the proposed curtailment of service.

DE LEON—Peanuts moved to storage in DeLeon daily at the rate of 100 tons for several days. A bonded warehouse opened by C. M. Caraway & Sons was quickly filled, and "as any more peanuts could have been stored if there had been room," it was stated.

MENARD—A crew of 25 U. S. Army engineers is making an intensive survey in this area, investigating subsurface conditions to determine the availability of dam sites.

COLEMAN — Sale of 18,000 pounds of 12-months Delaine wool was made a few days ago by the

Horne ranch. Top price of the season, 25½¢, was paid for the product. The George D. Rhone wool warehouse was "clean" after a sale of 70,000 pounds.

COLEMAN—WPA projects for road improvements in the Talpa precinct will total \$100,000, according to Commissioner R. A. Cox. Improvement of various roads in the precinct is provided in the project, for which approval is anticipated at an early date.

KERRVILLE—Contract for extension and improvement of the municipal water system will be let in December. It is a PWA project in which the sponsor will provide \$40,000 recently voted in bonds and the federal government will provide \$50,000.

BRADY—Construction of a modern brick store building 50x100 feet for I. G. Abney, retired business man, has been begun on South Bridge street. The building will be divided into two stores.

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES AND INTERESTS OF WOMEN

MISS MAYO TO MARRY — Friends have received invitations to the marriage of Miss Inez Mayo, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. O. N. Mayo, to Mr. Emil Stuter on Saturday, the twelfth of November. They will make their home in Midland, Texas.

MRS. ROBBETT HERF — Mrs. John D. Robnett of Washington, D. C., is visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. Will Turner, 1713 Vincent street. Mrs. Robnett has been honored with a number of informal social events and others are being planned.

GARDEN CLUB — The Garden Club semi-annual district meeting was held in Brownwood Monday. A luncheon was served at the noon hour. Mrs. J. N. Weatherby, president of the Brownwood club, was toastmistress. Mrs. John Berry of Goldthwaite, retiring district president, who is also state chairman of Junior Garden Clubs, gave a brief outline of work being done by this club. Mrs. Will Lake of Fort Worth (incoming state president, was presented, and gave an inspiring talk. Officers elected for the next two years are:

Mrs. Sam Hughes, Brady, president; Hugh Stewart, Brownwood, first vice president; Mildred Baze, Mason, second vice president; Griffith Carnes, Brady, corresponding secretary; John C. Abney, Lampasas, recording secretary; J. B. Chilton, Comanche, treasurer; W. S. Pense, San Saba, historian, and Brents Witty, Hamilton, legislator.

CITY FEDERATION — The City Federation of Women's Clubs will meet in its monthly business session Friday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

D.A.R. MEETING — The Mary Garland Chapter D.A.R. met this afternoon in the club rooms with Mesdames E. A. Boon, Turner Garner, J. H. Grove, Vida Y. Robnett, A. H. Bell, T. C. Yan-tis, L. L. Mallow, R. M. Ramsey hostesses.

NURSERY MOTHERS MEET — Preparation of balanced meals was discussed and formed an interesting program for the mothers at the Nursery School Friday at the Community House on West Anderson. The Home Economics girls of Howard Payne College prepared and served a four course dinner to the mothers.

COMANCHE—The Durham Pecan and Peanut Company practically closed its plant this week when the new wage-hours law went into effect. Fifteen men, thirty women and a large number of pecan and peanut pickers were out of employment.

COMANCHE — Thirty-one true bills were returned by the Comanche county grand jury during its session. All bills were for felonies. Among the charges filed were two felony charges against D. P. Parker, county attorney, charging theft by false pretext and fraudulently taking away from custody a filed paper.

DUBLIN—Six pens of pheasants owned by Laville Black, were taken to the Stephenville poultry show and all his birds won prizes in the show. Five pens of birds were awarded first prize ribbons and the other pen was given a second prize ribbon.

STATE PARK BOARD PROPOSES NEW PARK AT EL CAPITAN SITE

To inspect the Guadalupe Mountains for a proposed state park site, several members of the state park board and engineers left Monday for the far west Texas mountains in the vicinity of El Capitan. Wendell Mayes, Brownwood, chairman of the Texas State Park Board, expected to return to Brownwood tonight after the four-day expedition.

Others making the trip were: J. V. Ash and Gus Urbantke, members of the state park board; Robert Lee Babbitt, Austin, chairman of the Highway Commission; Julian Montgomery, Austin, highway engineer; Mr. Hodges, Austin, maintenance engineer; William J. Lawson, Austin, executive secretary; Fred Felty, San Antonio, legislator; Dr. W. B. Davis, assistant leader of Texas Wildlife Association, and Judge J. C. Hunter, Abilene.

REGISTRAR AT HPC Vice-president of Texas Association — Mrs. Grace Pleasant Wellborn, registrar of Howard Payne College, has returned from Austin where she was on the program of the Eighteenth Annual Convention of the Texas Association of Collegiate Registrars. Mrs. Wellborn was also elected vice president of the organization at the business meeting.

Left-Over Chicken or Turkey—Put 3 raw potatoes, 1 medium-size onion, and 1 green pepper through food chopper, using coarse blade; add ½ cup drained, canned tomatoes and ½ cup chicken broth or 1 bouillon cube dissolved in ½ cup hot water. Heat 2 tablespoons fat or salad oil in frying pan; add vegetables and cook covered 20 minutes. Add 1 to 2 cups diced

cooked chicken or turkey; season with salt and pepper and simmer uncovered 20 minutes. Serve on platter and garnish with broiled peach halves and parsley. Serves 4.

Palatable Vegetable Dish—Cook ½ cup diced carrots, ½ cup diced potatoes, ½ cup diced celery, and ¼ cup chopped onions in boiling, salted water 10 minutes; drain; combine with 2 cups chopped, left-over beef roast, 1 cup gravy, ½ cup diced dill pickle, 1-4 cup chili sauce, ½ teaspoon salt, 1-4 teaspoon pepper, and ½ teaspoon poultry seasoning. Bake in greased casserole in hot oven (400 degrees) 20 to 35 minutes. To serve, garnish with parsley-filled onion rings. Serves 4.

Plain Hash for Evening Meal—Brown 1 pound of ground beef in 2 tablespoons salad oil; add 1 clove garlic, cut in thirds, 2 cups sliced, raw potatoes, 1½ cups water, and salt and pepper to taste. Cover and simmer 30 minutes. Remove garlic. Add 2 medium-size onions, chopped, and 1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce; uncover and continue cooking 15 minutes. Stir occasionally. Serves 4 to 6.

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